

Blueberry

VARIETY GUIDE



If you love blueberries, plant several varieties, so you will have them throughout the summer. Note the chart below for the fruit bearing season of each variety. In addition to having fruit available to you longer, the bushes will cross-pollinize, yielding bigger berries and more fruit.

TYPES OF BLUEBERRY BUSHES:

NOTE THAT CHILL HOURS ARE THE NUMBER OF HOURS BELOW 45 DEGREES

NORTHERN HIGH BUSH

High Chill | NHB

Require the most consistent pruning.

SOUTHERN HIGH BUSH

Low Chill | SHB

Most heat tolerant and drought-tolerant

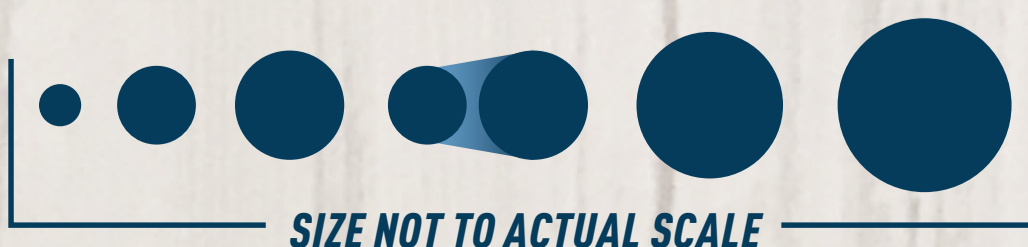
WILD LOW BUSH

High Chill | WLB

Best grown in well-drained, gravelly soils.

VARIETY	HARVEST SEASONS					Flavor	MATURE SIZE & SHAPE	FALL COLOR	USE
	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT				
AURORA				●		Classic	5-6' Upright	Deep Red Wine	High yield
BLUECROP				●		Classic Sweet	4-6' Upright, Open	Red	High yield, good all purpose
BLUEJAY			●			Delicately Sweet	6-7' Upright	Orange, Yellow	Good landscape plant, eating & desserts
CHANDLER			●			Full Robust	5-7' Slightly Spreading	Wine, Orange	High yield, eaten fresh or as dessert
DARROW						Fully Juicy Robust	4-6' Stocky Upright	Orange, Red	High yield, known for their taste
DUKE		●				Savory Sweet	4-6' Upright	Orange, Yellow	High yield
ELLIOT				●	●	Zesty, Tangy	4-6' Upright	Red, Orange	High yield, eaten fresh
JERSEY				●	●	Sweet, Firm Berry	6-7' Upright	Flaming Orange	Superb for baking
LEGACY			●	●		Uniquely Robust	4-6' Open Spreading	Crimson	High yield
NORTHBLUE			●			Excellent Rich	3-4' Upright	Yellow, Orange, & Red	Eaten fresh, baking
REKA			●	●		Excellent Rich	4-6' Upright vigorous	Red, Burgundy	Fast growing, vigorous
SPARTAN		●				Robust & Fruity	4-6' Upright	Yellow, Orange	Needs good drainage
TORO			●			Sweet Mild	4-6' Stocky Upright	Crimson Red, Yellow	Good landscape plant, eaten fresh
JUBILEE		●				Fresh Sweet	5-6' Upright	Yellow, Wine	Jam & baking
MISTY		●	●			Sweet Spicy	4-6' Upright Spreading	Blue Green, Burgundy	High yield, attractive foliage
ONEAL		●				Juicy Sweet	4-6' Upright Spreading	Orange, Wine	Baking
SUNSHINE BLUE			●			Rich Sweet	3' Upright Compact	Blue Green, Burgundy	High yield, compact bush
TOP HAT			●			Wild	1-2' Globe	Yellow, Orange	Good landscape plant, eaten fresh
NORTHCOUNTRY			●			Sweet Mild	24' tall, up to 36' Spread	Yellow, Orange	Cold hardy, good patio container variety

BERRY SIZE



FRUIT

BUSH HABITAT

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTIC



Wilco