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Welcome to the Plant Wild Newsletter January 2021 It's time to look forward to Spring.

Spring 2021 is nearly here:

Its an exciting time in the garden despite the cold and often dull days. But when the sun is shining it's a very positive place to be.

Just looking closely will reveal how nature has been quietly and discreetly working away, whilst allowing buds to develop, shoots to appear and early flowers to bloom.

Just a small change in the garden can bring a huge amount of delight and joy.



Potted Spring bulbs and Bulb collections:

Our range of potted <u>Spring bulbs</u> planted in peat free compost and 9cm pots are now ready to send out to you already rooted for Spring. Including: Star of Bethlehem, English Bluebell, Tenby daffodil, Single Snowdrop, Winter aconite, Snakeshead fritillary and Grape hyacinths. Check out the website for the individual details, with prices between £3.50 - £4.00 per pot.

The <u>Native bulb collection</u> for small gardens is a new addition containing an equal mix of our Spring favourites: English bluebell, Wild daffodil and the Single snowdrop. Choose either the 6 pot collection at £20 or 9 pot collection at £30.



Snakeshead fritillary (Fritillaria meleagris) & Native Grape hyacinth (Muscari neglectum)

Coming soon:

Potted Wild garlic - what a beautiful highlight to find Wild garlic in the woodlands in Spring, as the pure white flowers and bright green leaves offer a visual freshness and the unmistakeable aroma of garlic hangs in the air. Plant Wild garlic in part shade or even in a shady container outdoors, ready to be used for your culinary creations!



Peat free growing:

We propagate the majority of our wildflower plants from our own seed collected from our own plants. If we need additional supplies, (sometimes our harvest is less than expected!) we buy seed from registered UK suppliers. All our seeds are sown in peat free compost in our unheated polytunnels.

The seedlings are transplanted by hand into our plug trays, again in peat free compost and then into 9cm pots or sequentially into larger pots.

We do buy in bulbs from UK suppliers, and some new stock each year, such as bare root shrubs or young plants, but always grown in the UK. We only use peat-free compost at the nursery to pot our plants on, and appreciate that some of the bare root plants may not start as peat free but we do our utmost to continue their journey with our peat free ethos.



Peat free potting; kerb side recyclable pots

New Gifts:

We have two new additions to our fabulous outdoor wildlife ornaments - the Great Tit and Tortoise. These super hand painted metal ornaments, are ideal as a gift for a friend, relative or wildlife enthusiast, selling at £14 and £30 respectively. Check out the <u>gift range</u> for more details.

The e-gift card:

Following customer feedback our e-gift card has been updated to add more features - you can now choose a date that the gift card is sent, choose your value and add a message to the recipient. The voucher can be used online or over the phone too.



Our Great Tit, Tortoise, Blue Tit and Sutherland Bird feeder

Best Wishes from The Plant Wild Team

We enjoy working with every customer, however large or small their garden or planting area may be.

As a family based business, we grow and supply wildflowers for gardens, community areas and businesses throughout the UK

We look forward to welcoming you back to Plant Wild in 2021 and helping to bring more wildlife to your world.









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