



PORTSTONE
Garden Centre

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2021
Rose List

The cover picture is Pink Ribbon

All our roses are high health rootstock, virus free. They are cared for to the highest standard. Our roses are potted using our Portstone container mix to give them the best start.

New and Recent Releases

Pink Ribbon	Supporting the Breast Cancer Foundation of NZ. \$2 from the sale of each rose will be donated to the BCFNZ
A Gardener's Dream	Beautiful apricot blooms. Bred by Bob Matthews.
My Sweetheart	Gorgeous, fragrant quartered blooms of dusky pink. Multiple flowering. Good picker.
St Hilda's Rose	Beautiful clusters of stunning white blooms, with blush pink buds in spring. Exceptionally healthy plant, repeat flowering all season with moderate fragrance. Named to celebrate the 125 th anniversary of St Hilda's Collegiate School, Dunedin in 2021
Legend	Large honey apricot blooms of perfect bud form, unfurling into a swirl of petals with a rich fragrance. Robust plant with even compact growth. Great for picking. Repeat flowering
My Best Mate	Wonderfully red rich swirling blooms atop glossy foliage. Outstanding health.
Silver Fern	Large silver cream flowers with delicious overpowering fragrance.
Newsflash	Vibrant orange, super healthy climbing rose.
Desdemona	Beautiful peachy pink buds opening to white blooms. Strongly fragrant blooms forming a neat bushy shrub

How to plant your Rose

Dig a hole large enough to give your rose plenty of room. Put in slow release fertiliser at the bottom of the hole and place compost/soil on the top. Place your rose in so where the graft or bud union sits level on the ground and does not get buried. Fill hole with compost/soil and tread down firmly. One bucket of water at planting and every day for the first week, then 2-3 times a week for a month. Feed again in spring.

All Bush Roses and Climbers \$34.99

All Standard Roses 450mm \$44.99

All Standard Roses 800mm \$54.99

Modern Roses

Hybrid Teas

Hybrid tea roses display large flowers of perfect form. They make a wonderful display in your garden and as a cut flower. Many HT roses are fragrant.

AOTEAROA	Creamy pink. Sweetly scented. 1.5m	T
BARKAROLE	Perfectly-shaped buds of deepest red.	M
BIG PURPLE	Overpowering fragrant blooms that are superb for picking. Plant has great glossy foliage. A true classic.	T
BLUE MOON	Palest lavender blue flowers on long stems. Fragrant	T
BLUE RIVER	Fragrant, lavender flowers, freely produced	M
BRANDY	Large flowers of classic form, rich golden apricot fading to creamy apricot.	M
CAPPUCCINO	Utterly unique antique pink buds open into coffee blooms which age with a hint of blush pink. A floral artist's dream, this rose is another distinctive colour combination bred by Bob Matthews. Tall upright growth ideal for picking, repeats well.	T
CATHERINE	Soft pink creamy yellow buds opening to vibrant pink blooms. Very fragrant.	S-M
CHRISTCHURCH	Rich orange flowers that are produced in profusion, on green foliage	M
CONGRATULATIONS	Soft pink with a hint of salmon	M
DOUBLE DELIGHT	Creamy white centre with ruby red edge. Very fragrant.	M
FAITHFUL FRIEND	Warm golden apricot blooms a delight in any garden centre.	M
GLORIOUS	Glorious large yellow blooms. Fragrant. Easy care. Good for picking.	T
IMAGINE	Beautiful soft coral pink blooms with rich fragrance, perfect for picking. Flowers on a bushy plant with mid green foliage.	M
JULIA'S ROSE	Elegant flowers of pale coppery-fawn and cream. Long lasting cut flower.	M
LAND OF THE LONG WHITE CLOUD	A sport of Aotearoa NZ this beautiful rose has the same growth, flower shape & overpowering fragrance but with pearly white blooms.	S-M
LEGEND	Large honey apricot blooms of perfect bud form, unfurling into a swirl of petals with a rich fragrance. Robust plant with even compact growth. Great for picking. Repeat flowering.	NR M
LOVING MEMORY	Large perfect blooms of cherry red with strong stems.	T
MAMMY BLUE	Rich lavender blue flowers oozing with fragrance. Lovely to pick. Award winner 80cm	S
MATAWHEREO MAGIC	Deep unique bronze flowers of classical form, scented.	M
MEMOIRE	Large pure white blooms of perfect form, good disease resistance. Fragrant.	M
MISTER LINCOLN	A good red rose. Fragrant. Great cut flower.	T

PEACE	Light yellow with cerise pink edges. An old favourite. Sweetly scented.	M-T
POPE JOHN PAUL II	Pure white blooms with a very strong fragrance stand out on the mid green foliage.	M-T
REMEMBER ME	Large full flowers of coppery orange shaded with yellow. An upright bushy plant.	T
SILVER FERN	Large silver cream flowers with delicious overpowering fragrance.	M
SPECIAL OCCASSION	Apricot buds flushed with pink and orange opening to large flowers.	M
SUPER TROUPER	Startling clear, bright orange. High buds, plenty of flowers, proudly carried on long stems. Perfect for picking. Healthy bush. This award winning rose is a sure indication of an excellent new variety.	M-T
WHISKY	A large fragrant flower in shade of gold. Free flowering	M

Modern Roses

Floribundas

Brilliant border plants, giving wonderful colour and fragrance. Crossing with Hybrid Tea roses, great improvements have been made in the flower formation, while they still retain their vigour and freedom of blooming.

A GARDENERS DREAM	Charming clusters of fragrant apricot blooms with vintage ruffle form. An easy care plant, this multiple flowering beauty lives up to its name in every way, making it a gardener's dream! Bred in NZ by Bob Matthews.	NR S-M
A MOMENT IN TIME	Elegant blush champagne blooms in new vintage flower form. Healthy easy rose with outstanding foliage. Ideal for your garden or bouquet.	M
ABSOLUTELY FABULOUS	An exceptional rose of butter gold, strong fragrance.	M
BERRY NICE	Dazzling shades of berry magenta-pink flowers smother the bushy easy-care plant. The blooms stand out on glossy foliage putting on a show stopping display. Repeat flowering.	S
BURGUNDY ICEBERG	Superb in every way, like Iceberg but in rich regal burgundy.	M-T
DEAR ONE	Porcelain pink flowers of perfect HT flowers, seldom without flowers.	S-M
ENIGMA	One of a kind terracotta, dusky pink multi-petal blooms on healthy bush. A great picker.	M
FOR YOUR EYES ONLY	A striking rose with sunset shades of pink, apricot peach with a distinctive purple eye. Fragrant and healthy. Repeats.	M
FREISIA	Bright unfading yellow flowers of good form.	M
GREEN ICE	Buds of pale pink open to small double flowers which turn green as they open.	S
HOT CHOCOLATE	Warm russet brown flowers of old fashioned form, repeat well on a strong bushy plant.	M
ICEBERG	Pure white, constant flowering. Perfect for picking.	M-T
IN LOVING MEMORY	Bright red blooms flower in clusters above lush foliage. A sensational garden performer with bushy growth.	M
LEMON N LIME	Rich cream blooms with a tinge of green and slightly quartered. Healthy 1m.	S-M
LEST WE FORGET	Masses of vibrant red flowers in clusters. Repeats well. Compact.	S
MARGARET MERRIL	Delicate white with sheen of satin pink. Extraordinarily fragrant.	S-M
MY BEST MATE	Wonderfully red rich swirling blooms atop glossy foliage. Outstanding health.	M
MY DAD	Stunning clusters of golden yellow flowers are produced on this easy care bush. The perfect rose to honour your Dad.	M
MY GRANDMA	Beautiful lilac pink flowers with divine fragrance. multi-petal vintage style blooms repeat flower on a robust, easy-care plant.	M

MY MUM	Abundance of blooms, in a blend of coral, salmon, apricot and pink. Very healthy and vigorous.	M-T
MY PRECIOUS	Golden buds open to soft yellow blooms of moderate size and fragrance, that draw your attention. Healthy deep green foliage. Award Winning rose.	M
MY SISTER	Brilliant clusters of true fire engine red flowers repeatedly cover this bushy, super easy care plant. Bred by Bob Matthews and named in memory of his late sister Marie.	S-M
MY SWEETHEART	Gorgeous, fragrant quartered blooms of dusky pink. Multiple flowering. Good picker.	NR M
MY TREASURE	A superb easy-care rose providing a bounty of repeat flowering apricot golden blooms with open ruffle form. Very bushy plant with lush green foliage.	S-M
NATASHA RICHARDSON	Delicious fruity perfume, English style. Supremely healthy.	NR M
OLD PORT	Fragrant old-fashioned deep burgundy purple.	M
PINK RIBBON	Outstanding pretty soft pink cupped blooms continuous flowering. Very compact.	NR S
POPPY	The bushy plant with mid green foliage, shows off the beautiful displays of true red medium sized blooms that are vibrant and lively. A tribute to Poppy Diack.	S-M
ST HILDA'S ROSE	Beautiful clusters of stunning white blooms, with blush pink buds in spring. Exceptionally healthy plant, repeat flowering all season, moderate fragrance. Named to celebrate the 125 th anniversary of St Hilda's Collegiate School, Dunedin in 2021	M
TEQUILA SUNRISE	Rich golden yellow blooms tipped orange-red. Great for picking	M
TOM THUMB	Buttonhole buds of warm apricot pink, wonderful for picking for posie bowls or buttonholes. Generous flower production on a medium sized, compact bush.	S
VINTAGE MISS	Rich shades of pink cupped vintage shaped flowers with soft fragrance make this creation hard to resist. Repeat flowering, fabulous for picking.	M

David Austin Roses

English roses were named by rose breeder David Austin. Great range of colours with character of old rose, repeat flowering with fragrance

BATHSHEBA	Apricot-yellow buds open to shallowly cupped, many petalled rosettes with creamy outer petals. Superb floral fragrance, with hints of honey and tea. Repeat flowering on a bushy plant with a climbing habit up to 3m	NR T
CLAIRE AUSTIN	Softly cupped buds of pale lemon, open into elegant, creamy white flowers. Lovely strong fragrance with hints of vanilla. This vigorous, healthy shrub with arching canes can also be trained as a climber. Repeat flowering.	M
DESDEMONA	Beautiful peachy pink buds opening to white blooms. Strongly fragrant blooms forming a neat bushy shrub.	S
GERTRUDE JEKYLL	Large rosette-shaped flowers of rich pink. Tall strong growth.	M
GOLDEN CELEBRATION	Large cupped flowers of deep golden yellow.	M
IMOGEN	Appealing soft lemon yellow blooms, fading to creamy white. Pretty, delicately frilled petals are arranged around a button eye. Repeat flowering with light fruity fragrance. Healthy, sturdy grower with glossy foliage.	NR M-T
LICHFIELD ANGEL	Wonderful display of creamy white rosettes, free flowering all season on a healthy, shrubby plant with few thorns. Makes a stunning addition to any garden. Lightly fragrant. Height 1.3m	M
LADY OF MEGGICH	Very large, fully cupped rosettes of rich crimson to deep magenta. Vigorous grower with mid green foliage. The longer arching stems are well suited for picking. Medium fruity fragrance. Repeat blooming 1.3m	M
OLIVA ROSE AUSTIN	Pretty buds open to beautiful, cupped rosettes of blush pink colouring. Healthy, well balanced grower with dark green foliage.	M
PRINCESS ALEXANDRA OF KENT	Captivating full petalled, cupped blooms in warm shades of rich pink. Lovely for picking with a luscious fragrance including hints of lemon and blackcurrant. Repeat flowering on a bushy plant.	M
ROALD DAHL	Soft orange buds open to apricot cupped rosettes with a fruity tea scent. The healthy plant forms a well-rounded bushy shrub with few thorns. Named to mark the centenary of Roald Dahl's birth, the colouring is reminiscent of the eponymous peach in James and the Giant Peach!	NR M
STRAWBERRY HILL	A delightful climbing rose at all stages, bearing clusters of mid pink, medium-large, cupped rosettes. They have a strong, delicious myrrh and heather honey fragrance. The arching branches are clothed in glossy, dark foliage.	T
TEA CLIPPER	Large honey apricot quartered rosettes, lovely fragrance.	M
THE LADY GARDENER	Warm apricot blooms paling with a blush fade around outer edges. Delightful tea fragrance. Repeat flowering with compact, bushy growth.	S-M

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE 2000	Rich velvety crimson purple flowers and a fragrance to die for. 1.5m	M-T
YOUNG LYCIDAS	Large, deeply cupped flowers, blending deep purple, magenta and red. Powerful old rose scent, with hints of cedar wood. Makes an attractive, bushy shrub. Named after John Milton's poem, Lycidas.1.1m	M

Old Fashioned Bush Roses

Easy to grow, mainly in an informal manner so great for mixed beds or borders. Ideal for hedging and background plants or up walls and fences.

AGNES	Very fragrant, fully double blooms of medium yellow, with fresh ferny foliage. One of the few yellow Rugosa ever produced, this rose is a must. Disease free and hardy. Perfect for hedging.	M
CAFE	Large double flowers of old fashioned form, creamy coffee in colour.	M-T
CECILE BRUNNER	Miniature soft pink, sweetly scented flowers.	T
GREENSLEEVES	Large rosette-shaped flowers of rich pink. Tall strong growth. 1.2m	M-T
MUTABULIS	Large cupped flowers of deep golden yellow.	M-T
PRECIOUS PET	Lovely delicate pink-lilac semi-double flowers dance in profusion on this bushy plant. Delightful for landscapes, garden or tub. Fragrant.	S-M
REBEL SPIRIT	Amazing clusters of red single flowers. Glossy foliage. Great for landscaping.	NR S-M
ROSERIAE DE L'HAY	Large loose crimson purple flowers. 2m	T
SCABROSA	Large single flowers of rich mauve pink. Outstanding hips. 1m	S
SALLY HOLMES	Glorious clusters of large, single flowers with beautiful stamens. One of the world's favourite roses, this strong growing shrub makes a simply fabulous, bee friendly garden display.	M

Climbing Roses

Old Fashion Climbers

ALBERIC BARBIER	Yellow buds opening to creamy white double fragrant flowers.	4-5m
BLOOMFIELD COURAGE	Clusters of small mid red single flowers.	3m
CECILE BRUNNER	Miniature soft pink, sweetly scented flowers SOLD OUT	4-5m
CREPUSCULE	Attractive flowers of orange-apricot	4-5m
MADAM ALFRED CARRIERE	Clusters of large pinky-white to white flowers, loosely globular in form.	4-5m
NEW DAWN	Silvery-pink, richly fragrant flowers produced in clusters. Vigorous climber with glossy foliage. Recurrent.	4-5
SOUVENIR DE Mme LEONIE VIENNOT	Free flowering vigorous rose with large double flowers of salmon-pink to coppery-pink.	2.5m

Modern Climbers

BANTRY BAY	Light rose pink flowers in pink clusters. Flowers repeatedly throughout summer.	3.5m
BIRTHDAY PRESENT	Deep velvety crimson blooms of beautiful form with an overpowering fragrance. The plant has few thorns and once established will become a vigorous grower.	4-6m
BREATH OF LIFE	Soft apricot-pink blooms are perfectly formed, holding their beauty at every stage. Pleasantly fragrant. Vigorous growth.	4-5m
CHAWTON COTTAGE	Sensational pearl white blooms with a distinctive raspberry purple eye. These unique flower clusters are delicately fragrant and fantastic for picking. Exceptionally healthy plant with brilliant glossy foliage	NR 4m
COMPASSION	Attractive salmon pink flowers with apricot yellow at base. Fragrant.	3-4m
CUPCAKE	Pretty soft pink cup-shaped with sweet fragrance. Masses of flowers repeat in a beautiful display.	3-5m
DUBLIN BAY	Clusters of semi-double red flowers on vigorous healthy bush.	3-5m
ICEBERG	Clusters of pure white blooms which keep flowering. Strong disease resistant – one of the best.	3-5m
KAIMAI SUNSET	Unusual terracotta orange flower. Striking rose. Vigorous.	4-6m
MARIGOLD	Semi-double, copper-yellow flowers. Abundant. Glossy foliage.	4m
NAHEMA	Award winning fragrant blooms of pure soft pink with beautiful cupped form. The large flowers repeat well throughout the season.	3-4m
NEWSFLASH	Vibrant orange, super healthy climbing rose.	3-4m
RED FLAME	Richly fragrant, cerise red blooms borne on a plant of outstanding health with glossy foliage. Great for picking.	5-6m
SIR EDMUND HILLARY	Blend of pure white with golden centres. Robust and vigorous, repeat blooming and very fragrant.	5m

Standard Roses

800mm standards make a real statement in your garden. These can be also planted into large containers.

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DOUBLE DELIGHT	Creamy white centre with ruby red edge. Very fragrant.
LASTING LOVE	Dusky red buds open to deep cerise red blooms, with a heavenly fragrance. A modern rose that is extremely healthy, with glossy foliage and compact growth. Fragrance Award Winner.
LEGEND	Large honey apricot blooms of perfect bud form, unfurling into a swirl of petals with a rich fragrance. Robust plant with even compact growth. Great for picking. Repeat flowering.
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CUTIE PIE	Adorable new miniature rose, blooming in masses of petite coral peach flowers. Ideal for planting in a pot.	
DALTONS GOLD	Delightful golden buds, opening into well formed blooms. Fragrant	
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PRETTY POLLY	A pink rose with very good disease resistance. Continuous flowering	
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