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Sales Catalogue 2017 for Pot Grown Snowdrops



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ORDER FORM

To place your order please complete the order form below and return by email or by post.

Alternatively you may list the snowdrop varieties and quantities you would like to order and send by email to: info@colesbournegardens.org.uk.

All the snowdrops offered for sale in our list are pot grown and carefully labelled. They have all been carefully checked to the best of our ability as true to name and are healthy at flowering time. We regret that we do NOT have plants for mail order at present. All sales must be collected and paid for during one of our Open Days, Study Days if attending or one of the weekday tour dates if attending.

Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS and return to the above address.

NAME:
Contact No.
Contact Email

ADDRESS:
County: Postcode:

Snowdrop Name	Qty.	Cost £

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TOTAL ORDER COST		£

Please do not send payment. Snowdrops must be paid for on the day of collection by cash, payment card or cheque.

TAXON	DESCRIPTION	PRICE (£)
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Abington Green'	Outer segments broad with a solid green mark to the inner segments.	8.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Beany'	The very best green-tipped <i>G. elwesii</i> . Very rare. A robust and substantial plant. Mid season. 20-25cm.	50.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Carolyn Elwes'	The yellow <i>G. elwesii</i> discovered at Colesbourne Park. Extremely rare.	295.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'David Shackleton'	Upright Irish clone with olive green ovary. Mid to late season. 17cm.	15.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Don Armstrong'	A particularly pretty poculiform <i>G. elwesii</i> . Rare.	40.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Godfrey Owen'	A radiant <i>G. elwesii</i> clone with six outer and six inner segments. Symmetrical and exquisite. Mid season.	30.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Green Brush'	A tall plant with olive-green leaves and good green shading on the tips of the outer segments.	18.50
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Jessica'	A fine green-tipped <i>G. elwesii</i> with heavy converging green lines and bold inner segment. Flower stands well above foliage. Mid to late season. 25cm.	15.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Long Drop'	Largest flowered single marked <i>G. elwesii</i> cultivar. Quite striking and very sturdy. Mid season. 21cm.	15.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Louise Anne Bromley'	Long outer segments, strong inner mark.	30.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Mandarin'	Robust plant with distinctive olive green rounded ovary. Delightful in a drift, a striking <i>G. elwesii</i> cultivar. Mid season.	12.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Moses Basket'	So named as the outer segments curve to enclose the inner segments to create a basket-like flower shape. A relatively recent introduction from Anglesey Abbey.	90.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> var. <i>elwesii</i> 'Pat Mason'	Beautiful green tips and distinctive incurved margins to the foliage. A rare snowdrop.	50.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> var. <i>monostictus</i> 'Comet' (AGM)	Generally regarded as being in the 'top ten'. Excellent plant, vigorous and reliable. Mid to late season. 27cm.	12.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> var. <i>monostictus</i> 'Marjorie Brown'	Late clone with alluring glaucous leaves. March. 17cm.	10.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> var. <i>monostictus</i> 'Mrs. Macnamara'	Named for Dylan Thomas' mother-in-law. Early flowering with true elegance. The best early flowering <i>G. elwesii</i> . Dec-Jan. 20cm.	10.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Alison Hilary'	Diffused marking inner segment, pretty little snowdrop.	12.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Benton Magnet'	For those familiar with <i>G. 'Magnet'</i> , this is a usefully smaller version and quite as vigorous.	6.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Bertram Anderson' (AGM)	Prosperous-looking large snowdrop, named after Gloucestershire gardener. Part of the 'Mighty Atom' complex. Early to mid season. 14cm.	12.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Big Boy'	'BIG' is the operative word here, flower reaching 4+cm in size on a plant 20cm high. Quite possibly the largest of all snowdrops.	20.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Brenda Troyl'	Outer segments large, rounded and blunt. Large, vigorous plant very similar to <i>G. 'S. Arnott'</i> but a week or two earlier. Large bulb.	8.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Covertside'	A beautiful, sturdy snowdrop. Pale olive green marking with sage green leaves. Petals clawed. Mid season. 23cm.	30.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Cowhouse Green'	Gorgeous, greenish snowdrop with particularly attractive diffuse shading on outer segments.	25.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Ding Dong'	Outer segment has a long slender claw. Apex tapers to a point. Long flowering period from mid season onwards. 22cm.	12.50
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Esther Merton'	A exceptionally beautiful outward facing double. Stunning and vigorous. Jan-Apr. 20cm.	40.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Falkland House'	Short in stature but undeniably mighty. Large flower. Mid season. 13cm.	25.00
<i>G. hyb.</i> 'Faringdon Double'	A particularly beautiful early flowering double with spervolute leaves. Useful in the garden before Christmas through to January.	12.00

G. hyb. 'G71'	A Greatorex Double occasionally sending up two scapes rising well above the foliage. Significantly darker green mark than most doubles of this parentage. 20cm.	7.00
G. hyb. 'Galatea'	A large elegant snowdrop, flower hangs on long pedicel, early in the season. A rewarding garden plant. Jan-Mar. 29cm.	6.00
G. hyb. 'George Elwes'	Discovered at Colesbourne Park in 1979, one of the finest hybrids with deep green inside markings. Mid season. 15-20cm.	18.50
G. hyb. 'Hill Poe'	Ballerina petticoats with uniform hem shelter under 5 broad outer segments. One of the best doubles. A true favourite from Ireland. Late season. 12-16cm.	8.00
G. hyb. 'Hippolyta'	Delightful Greatorex Double, fully double, well marked inside with perfect flower to foliage ratio. Forms a lovely clump. Jan-Apr. 16cm.	7.00
G. hyb. 'James Backhouse'	Robust plant excellent for naturalising, long flowers have been known to exhibit fun, freaky things. Long flowering period. We suggest naturalising with <i>G. nivalis</i> . 20cm.	3.00
G. hyb. 'John Gray'	An old cultivar, strong and dependable especially when positioned in a sunny spot.	12.50
G. hyb. 'Kildare'	Large snowdrop, yet subtle character. Beautiful markings of long, thin, green lines on outer segments. Mid to late season.	18.00
G. hyb. 'Lady Beatrix Stanley'	Charming double snowdrop with two very small dots on the inner segments.	6.00
G. hyb. 'Lapwing'	An alluring snowdrop. Long outer segments, distinctive two-tone inner markings.	30.00
G. hyb. 'Little Drip'	Extremely vigorous, known to send up three flowers per bulb.	20.00
G. hyb. 'Lord Lieutenant'	The Guardsman of the snowdrop world, "Stands straight upright with its chin out". Discovered in Colesbourne Park in 1994. Mid season. 23cm.	25.00
G. hyb. 'Martha Maclaren'	A robust hybrid discovered in Primrose Warburg's garden. Broad, grey foliage and large flower. Willingly forms clumps.	35.00
G. hyb. 'Modern Art'	A fine snowdrop tinged with green at apex and base of outer petals. Mid to late season. 20cm.	15.00
G. hyb. 'Mrs. Thompson'	A particular oddity for any collection, this plant readily shows mutation, and what's more: is encouraged to! A welcome freak.	28.00
G. hyb. 'Ophelia'	Vigorous Greatorex double with abundant and occasionally irregular flowers. Tall. Mid season flowering. 26cm.	5.00
G. hyb. 'Primrose Warburg'	Vigorous and distinctive with yellow tinged leaves, yellow ovary, and yellow 'horseshoe' shaped inner marking. Mid season. 13cm.	25.00
G. hyb. 'Richard Ayres'	Large hybrid double with clearly marked flowers, vigorous and easy to grow. Named after former Head Gardener of Anglesey Abbey. 20-30cm.	15.00
G. hyb. 'Rosemary Burnham'	Discovered in Burnby, British Columbia, Canada by Rosemary Burnham in 1960s. Highly desirable green snowdrop. Lovely scent.	100.00
G. hyb. 'Rosie'	A classically beautiful double hybrid. Short with neat flower arrangement. Named after Hillary Purkess' granddaughter. Mid season.	30.00
G. hyb. 'S. Arnott' (AGM)	Our flagship snowdrop, perfect proportions, beautiful scent - a 'must have' memento of a trip to Colesbourne. Mid season. 30-35cm.	3.50
G. hyb. 'Seagull'	Often resembling <i>G. 'Mighty Atom'</i> , this plant differs in being taller and sometimes sends up two flowering scapes. Inner segments have a broad, sharp 'v' mark.	12.50
G. hyb. 'South Hayes'	One of our most distinctive snowdrops, a classic pagoda with a green marking resembling an exclamation mark! Mid season. 13cm.	35.00
G. hyb. 'St. Annes'	Attractive long outer segments with two green marks on the inner segments.	12.00
G. hyb. 'Straffan' (AGM)	One of the oldest and best late cultivars. Reliably producing two flowers per bulb, very vigorous with lovely proportions. 12cm.	5.00
G. hyb. 'Titania'	Beautiful Greatorex double, regular flowers, bulks-up well. One of the Shakespearean heroine group. Mid season. 20-22cm.	6.00
G. hyb. 'Wasp'	Sought after hybrid with narrow wings and striped 'body', looks like a swarm when massed in a clump. Vigorous. Mid season.	15.00
G. hyb. 'White Admiral'	Peculiar hybrid, sometimes producing up to five outer segments, and in some cases, an extra inner segment.	20.00
<i>G. elwesii</i> 'Yvonne Hay'	Very vigorous, large clone. A good match for <i>G. plicatus</i> 'Colossus'. Early to mid season. 37cm.	25.00

<i>G. lagodechianus</i>	Beautiful rare species from the Caucasus with applanate, dark green, shiny leaves. Feb-Mar. Short plant.	12.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> (AGM)	Beautiful common snowdrop, established in pots for naturalising. Vigorous and delightful. 5 bulbs per pot.	3.50
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Anglesey Abbey'	A pretty variant exhibiting green leaves and sometimes no mark on the inner segments.	15.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Elfin'	Charming, tiny snowdrop with green-tipped outer segments. Prolific. Early to mid season. 7.5cm.	10.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> f. <i>pleniflorus</i> 'Bagpuize Virginia'	Very full, regular double flowers. Leafy plant. Named after Bagpuize House, Oxfordshire. Mid season. 17cm.	20.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> f. <i>pleniflorus</i> 'Walrus'	Long, 'tusk-like' outer segments, an eccentric of the snowdrop world. Mid season. 8cm.	35.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Flore Pleno' (AGM)	Familiar double snowdrop, excellent for naturalising. Feb-Apr. 12-15cm. 5 bulbs per pot.	5.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Gloucester Old Spot'	Delightful plant with 2 spots on inner segments. Large sinus and long narrow ovary. Found in Hatherley Manor, Glos, in 1990. 13cm.	10.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Green Tear'	Arguably the greatest of the virescent snowdrops. Attractive green shading on outer segments with the unrivalled solid green marking on the inner segments. Very rare.	190.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Irish Green'	Pretty and curious spiky double. An essential for the collector. Mid to late season. 11cm.	30.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Lady Elphinstone'	Double yellow, always extremely popular. May temporarily revert to green. Mid to late season. 16cm	7.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Magnet'	Large and vigorous snowdrop with distinctive long pedicel.	5.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Norfolk Blonde'	Long, narrow, yellow ovary and acid yellow inner markings. Discovered in Rosie Steele's garden in 1992. 10cm.	30.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Pusey Green Tips'	Double snowdrop with green tips on outer segments, always popular. Jan-Apr. 12cm. (3 bulbs to a pot)	10.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Pusey Green Tips'	Double snowdrop with green tips on outer segments, always popular. Jan-Apr. 12cm. (1 bulb to a pot)	4.00
<i>G. nivalis</i> <i>Sandersii</i>	Very pretty, reliably yellow snowdrop.	12.50
<i>G. nivalis</i> 'Viridapice'	Vigorous, tall <i>G. nivalis</i> with strong green tips on outer segments, spathe often expanded. Jan-Apr. 16cm.	4.00
<i>G. peshmenii</i>	Dainty, attractive, autumn-flowering snowdrop form Turkey. An early treat. Oct-Nov. 9-13cm.	6.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Colossus'	Huge, bombastic, early snowdrop. Readily forms clumps. Discovered at Colesbourne Park in 1982. Often out at Christmas. Dec-Mar. 30cm.	10.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Diggory'	Highly sought after. Large, textured outer segments produce a bowl-shaped flower. A 'stand-alone' beauty. Mid season. 17cm.	25.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Gerard Parker'	Particularly good <i>G. plicatus</i> . Textured outer segments and strong, green markings in 'U' shape on inner segments.	20.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Trym'	Pagoda-shaped flower with inverted heart shape mark on outer segments. Mid to late season. Vigorous. 22cm.	30.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Washfield Warham'	One of the latest to flower, it forms good clumps. Frequently produces two flowers to a bulb. March. 20cm	5.00
<i>G. plicatus</i> 'Wendy's Gold'	One of the finest yellow snowdrops with strong yellow inner segment mark. Sturdy with attractive foliage. Mid season. 15cm.	15.00
<i>G. reginae-olgae</i> 'Tilebarn Jamie'	An excellent, floriferous plant producing two scapes per bulb. 13cm.	15.00
<i>Iris histroides</i> 'George'	Plum-purple flowers. Fragrant. Plant deeply in full sun. Feb-Apr. 12-15cm. (4 bulbs to a pot)	3.00
<i>Iris histroides</i> 'Katherine Hodgekins'	Distinctive hybrid. Yellow with sea-green markings. The most persistent form. Feb-Mar. 15cm. (4 bulbs to a pot)	3.00
<i>Iris histroides</i> 'Lady Beatrix Stanley'	Velvety, rich-blue, with pale flecking on lips. Scented of violet. Feb-Mar. 15cm. (4 bulbs to a pot)	3.00
<i>Leucojum vernum</i>	From our own naturalised stock of Spring Snowflake. Solitary flowers with green or yellow tips. Feb-Apr. 20-35cm.	5.00