



## **Olson's Garden Shoppe**

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### **Cold Hardy plants & Veggie's!!**

**The trees are budding; the tulips and daffodils are starting to bloom. The days are getting warmer. I have Spring Fever!! What can I plant??**

- ❖ **Pansies, Snapdragons, & petunias are very cold hardy. They are safe to put out early. The temperatures actually make them stronger, nicer plants.**
- ❖ **Perennials can go out any time. Make sure that they have been hardened off if it is still cold outside. Hardening off means that they should be acclimatized to the weather outside before you plant them.**
- ❖ **Grapes & Berries are also safe to plant. We receive our starts in March. It is an ideal time plant berries and grapes.**
- ❖ **Hardy and Semi Hardy Veggies (March –May)These Vegetables actually prefer the cooler weather.**
  - Broccoli
  - Beets
  - Brussels Sprouts
  - Cabbage
  - Carrots
  - Cauliflower
  - Kohlrabi
  - Lettuce
  - Onions
  - Parsnips
  - Peas
  - Potatoes
  - Radish
  - Spinach
  - Swiss Chard
  - Turnips
- ❖ **Tender Veggies Plant May 5- June 1 (Plant when apple trees are in full bloom)**
  - Celery
  - Cucumbers
  - Beans
  - Summer Squash
  - Sweet Corn
- ❖ **Very Tender Veggies Plant May 20th- June 10<sup>th</sup>**
  - Cantaloupe
  - Eggplant
  - Lima Bean
  - Pepper
  - Pumpkin
  - Tomato
  - Watermelon
  - Winter Squash
- ❖ **Fall Planting ( Get a late crop in for fall harvest)**
  - Beets ( July 1- Aug 1)
  - Cabbage (May 1- July 15)
  - Kale (July 1- Aug 15)
  - Lettuce (June 1 – Aug 1)
  - Onion ( Aug 1 – Aug 10)
  - Rutabaga (June 15- July 1)
  - Spinach (July 1 – Aug 15)
  - Turnip (July 1 – Aug 1)

Some information for this guide came from USU Extension Publication Suggested Vegetable Planting Dates for the Wasatch Front July 2009.