



49 CLEMENTS ROAD FRONT GARDEN PLANTING PALETTE

Shrub & Tree Planting proposals

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REVISED 29TH JULY



TREES



Amelanchier grandiflora "Robin Hill"

Dense upright small tree which bursts into life end of March with small white/pink starry flowers. Has eye-catching red berries in June followed by rich red and orange Autumnal foliage. I would propose this was on the top right side. A real decorative favourite for a small garden



AVAILABLE



Prunus x subhirtella autumnalis

A flowering cherry to brighten up the dreary Winter and a favourite with just cause as this tree has a spectacular year-round display with intermittent pink flowers from November to May.

I propose this is planted on the top left side so you have a good view of it from your sitting room

AVAILABLE





HEDGES

I am proposing you grow a low maintenance evergreen hedge along the left handrail which will sit very comfortably under the rail and take the emphasis off the structure of the handrail.





HEDGE CHOICE ®

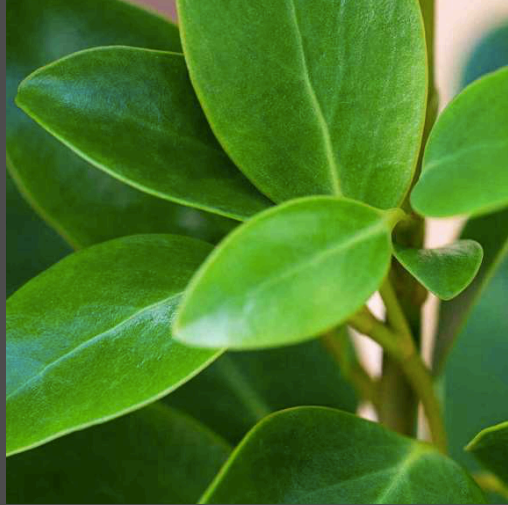
A combination of :
Escallonia Iveyi
AND...



40-60CM AVAILABLE



HEDGE CHOICE
Griselinia littoralis



AVAILABLE



Sarcococca ruscifolia

‘Sweet Box’

Wonderful sweet perfume in
the depths of Winter.

I would try to plant these as
close to your front

Door/handrail as possible. Quite
suitable as a low hedge (30cms) too



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Sarcococca hookeriana var. dygna

Slightly less compact form but equally
wonderful scent in narrow bed garage side front



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ROSES



Rosa Albertine

Deliciously strong fragrance and this rambler seems quite happy in part shade so I thought you could consider it for rambling over the area near your side gate. Difficult to know exactly how much sun it would get here so maybe a Belgian honeysuckle would survive better but I'd give the rose a try!

AVAILABLE BARE ROOT NOVEMBER



Rosa Emily Bronte ®

Deliciously strong fragrance and I know a favourite of yours. Why not get this 5-6ft English standard tree rose to have next to the front door. I think as long as it gets that afternoon summer sun it will be fine!

AVAILABLE BARE ROOT NOV



SHRUBS



I think we're all agreed that despite the front garden NNW there seems to be plenty of light and late in the day westerly sunshine during Spring and Summer. I therefore think in the more open areas that the more hardier shrubs and the part shade tolerant varieties will be fine in this location. Here are a selection I propose



Lonicera purpusii Winter Beauty

Wonderfully fragrant undervalued Winter flowering plant. I propose you get this as close to your front door as possible with the Sweet Box



Pieris japonica Mountain Fire

A popular Victorian plant offering up colour in February and March and if it survives the frost, provides a further display in Summer. Slow growing and prefers a partly shady spot so I think there's a space for it here



Berberis thunbergii Red Lady

Deep purple red foliage which changes a dramatic orange in Autumn. Fragrant and very bee friendly!



Helleborus Red Lady

Strictly speaking this is a short-lived perennial but The Lenten rose gives colour from January to the end of March



Abelia grandiflora

Reliable compact bushy shrub
Fragrant arching white flowers
SEMI EVERGREEN
Flowering July-September

AVAILABLE



Sambuca nigra 'Black Lace'

The black elderflower is an excellent counterpoint for most perennials as its colour and habit give style and structure to the less formal shrubs

AVAILABLE



Ultra reliable *Camellia* 'Williamsii' offering up early Spring colour in semi shade. Definitely worth considering one if not two for this side of the house



Camellia sasanqua Narumigata one of the few totally happy in full shade



Viburnum tinus 'French white' – reliable evergreen, scented, flowers Feb-March.



Viburnum x juddii One I have discovered this year with the most fabulous scent in Autumn and into Winter

Escallonia 'Donard Seedling'

Vigorous compact evergreen with dark glossy
leaves and rose red flowers

Flowering: June





Hebe “Purple Pixie”

An evergreen dwarf shrub

This shrubby *Veronica* has rounded bronze evergreen foliage noted for its delicious violet flowers that grow copiously on erect spikes.

Flowering: **May to September**



Pittosporum tenuifolium 'Elizabeth'

Fragrant evergreen in early summer
Reliable shrub with good variegation and a good
foil for green and red shrubs



Mahonia x media 'CHARITY' ®

Good show in late Winter. Extremely hardy and I like the leaf structure

AVAILABLE



ROCK GARDEN

PLANT SPRING



1. *Saxifraga jenkinsiae*
2. *Cerastium tomentosum*
3. *Asperula sintensii*
4. *Geranium Johnsons Blue*
5. *Erinus alpinus*
6. *Campanula Poscharskyana*
7. *Ceanothus thrysiflorus*



Coir stabilising netting for the front bank before planting



BULBS



Polygonatum



Convallaria majalis



Native Bluebells ®



Anemone nemerosa

Woodland bulbs perfect
for the deep shade



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Syringa Charles Jolly

Double magenta highly fragrant flowers

Bushy medium sized lilac

Flowering: April/May Clearly prefers full sun but I would give it a chance as it does herald early Spring



Buddleia davidii

With its evocative smell and languorous habit . I propose 'Dark Knight' as a dramatic deep purple. I haven't yet found a location where these won't survive but they naturally prefer full sun