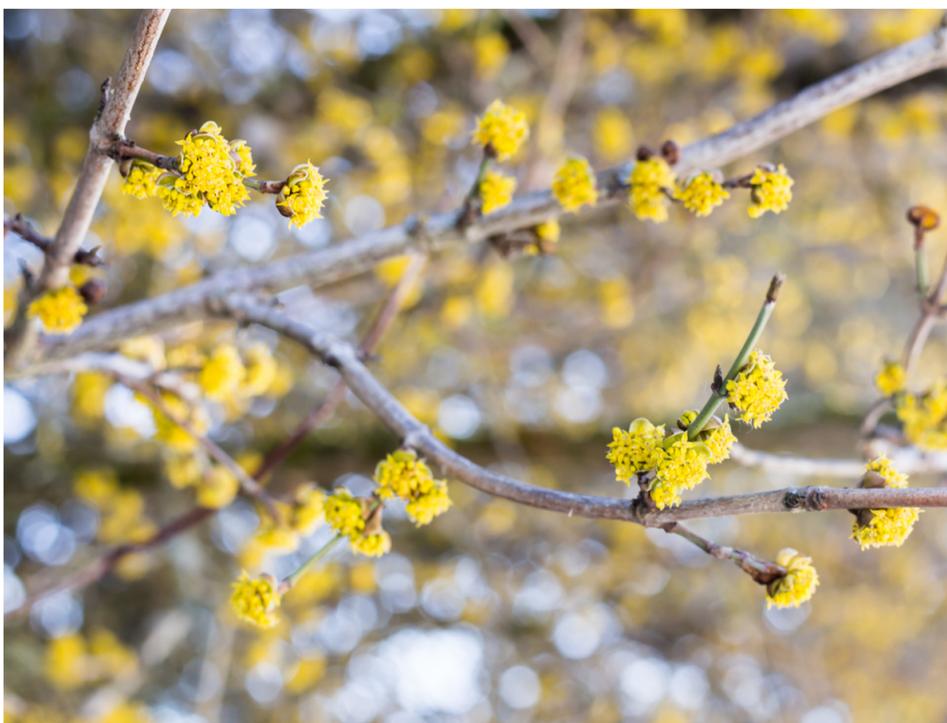




## It's Spring in the Garden Centre!

We have received fresh deliveries of plants ready for your home garden and are expecting more to arrive shortly. Check out below for some of our favourite new additions. Featured are some lovely compact trees and shrubs perfect for small spaces.

Starting **April 1**, the Shop in the Garden is open **10:00 am to 5:00 pm daily**



### Cornus mas (Cornelian cherry)

It's great when you find a plant that serves many different purposes – good foliage and form, fragrance, attractive to bees, birds and butterflies, etc. *Cornus mas* provides a number of these qualities and is available at UBC Shop in the Garden. Early blooming, this deciduous tree produces yellow flowers in round clusters before the leaves emerge. Fruit develops in mid-summer and can be used for making syrups and preserves. Or, you can leave the fruit for the birds and they love it! *Cornus mas* is one of the choices of Great Plant Picks.

[Learn more](#)



***Elaeagnus x ebbingei***  
**'Gilt Edge'**

This evergreen shrub has great variegated foliage with a sharp contrast between its dark green centers and brilliant gold margins producing small silvery fragrant flowers in October. Another Great Plant Pick.

[Learn more](#)



***Styrax japonicus***  
**'Snow Charm'**

This small deciduous slow-growing tree produces pendulous, bell-shaped, fragrant white flowers in Spring, attracts birds and butterflies and is an excellent choice for a patio setting.

[Learn more](#)



***Pieris japonica***  
**'Valley Valentine'**

Another Great Plant Pick, this evergreen shrub has lustrous dark green foliage that provides a backdrop to large panicles of long lasting dusty red buds that open to pink flowers in early spring.

[Learn more](#)



***Corylopsis pauciflora***  
**(buttercup winterhazel)**

In early spring the bare branches of buttercup winter hazel hang with half inch-long clusters of pastel yellow flowers that glow like little lanterns followed by bright green and bronze leaves that unfurl near the end of April.

[Learn more](#)



***Magnolia x loebneri***  
**'Leonard Messel'**

A deciduous compact cultivar, producing fragrant two-toned flowers in Spring—white on the inside and purplish pink on the outside.

[Learn more](#)



***Rhododendron***  
**'Fred Peste'**

This small evergreen shrub produces non-fading, cardinal-red flowers with deep maroon-red throats and spots on the dorsal lobes and orange-yellow indumentum on the backs of the leaves. It also attracts bees and butterflies and is on the Great Plant Picks list.

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J. Frank Schmidt & Son Co.: *Styrax japonicus* 'Snow Charm'

Great Plant Picks: *Pieris japonica* 'Valley Valentine'

Richie Steffen / Great Plant Picks: *Corylopsis pauciflora* (buttercup winterhazel), *Elaeagnus x ebbingei* 'Gilt Edge', *Magnolia x loebneri* 'Leonard Messel'



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