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The Second Annual Sweet Melissa Fashion Show, a plant event like no other.

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Cheery, star-shaped flowers are the centerpiece of *Kalmia* 'Starburst', introduced by Briggs Plant Propagators, Elma, Wash.

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Hardiness: Zones 5 to 8

Ornamental features: Displays excellent, golden-colored foliage that become a nice bronze color in the winter months. Does not burn in full sun. Inner leaves retain green color

Habit and growth rate: 50 feet by 10 to 20 feet: dense, rounded

Culture: Full sun; moist, well-drained soil

Pest/disease problems or unique resistance: Typical of the type

Royalties: Contact Conard-Pyle for royalty information

Availability: Liners

For more information: Kristen Nemeth; knemeth@conard-pyle.com



Chrysanthemum x morifolium 'Rustic Glow'

Common name: Chrysanthemum Trademark: Global Warming mums Introduced by: Vermont Organics Reclamation, St. Albans, Vt.

Hardiness: Zones 4 to 8

Ornamental features: Daisy type, lateblooming garden mum

Habit and growth rate: 18 to 20 inches tall: 18 inches wide

Culture: Full sun to part shade; many soils, moist yet well-drained

Pest/disease problems or unique resistance: None identified Royalties: 25 cents per plant

Availability: Liners

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For more information: Keith Friend; sales@vermontorganics.com



Colocasia esculenta 'Black Coral'

Common name: Black Coral elephant

Introduced by: Joint collaboration: Royal Hawaiian Series of Colocasia from Dr. John Cho and Plant Delights Nursery, Raleigh, N.C.

Hardiness: Zones 7b to 10

Ornamental features: Large, glossy black foliage

Habit and growth rate: 42 inches tall Culture: Sun to part sun; container specimen or tender perennial for bedding

Pest/disease problems or unique resistance: None noted

Royalties: None

Availability: 1 quart; 24 fl. oz. (709.77

mL)

For more information:

E-mail office@plantdelights.com



Crocosmia Twilight Fairy Gold

Common name: Crocosmia Trademark: Twilight Fairy™ Series Introduced by: Terra Nova Nurseries, Canby, Ore.

Hardiness: Zones 7 to 9

Ornamental features: Crocosmia Twilight Fairy Gold has bronze foliage with bright yellow-orange flowers on short, multi-branched flower spikes. This plant makes the perfect addition to mixed containers, smaller gardens, or front of the border in a larger garden

Habit and growth rate: Multi-crown, compact and clumping habit; 14 inches wide by 14 inches tall; flower height 16 inches

Culture: Full sun; well-drained, moist organic soil

Pest/disease problems or unique resistance: Attracts hummingbirds and butterflies; is deer-resistant and drought-tolerant

Royalties: Yes **Availability:** Liners

For more information: Scott Christy; scott@terranovanurseries.com



Dahlia Mystic Fantasy ('Hawaiian Dreams')

Common name: Dahlia Trademark: Rights Asserted

Introduced by: PlantHaven, Santa Bar-

bara, Calif.

Hardiness: Zones 9 to 11; half hardy Ornamental features: Unique, sunkissed, flamingo pink blooms with soft yellow halo, raspberry eye and dark disc

Habit and growth rate: Compact, rounded habit; no staking required; 31 inches by 24 inches

Culture: Full sun in rich, moist, welldrained medium

Pest/disease problems or unique

resistance: None noted Royalties: Royalty applies

Availability: Liners; 4-inch, 1-gallon



Hesperaloe parviflora 'Perpa' PPAF Brakelights®

Common name: Brakelights® red vucca

Trademark: Brakelights® PPAF Introduced by: Monrovia and Mountain States Nursery, Ariz.

Hardiness: Zones 6 to 10

Ornamental features: A compact new color selection of Hesperaloe parviflora. The vibrant, brake-light red flowers are a wonderful contrast to the standard form, which tends to be more pink or salmon colored. Its attractive gray-green foliage is striking in containers or massed into groups. Does not set seed, resulting in a longer bloom period

Habit and growth rate: Medium grower; compact; reaches 2 to 3 feet tall and wide

Culture: Requires good drainage; full sun. Drought tolerant once established; will grow more robust and faster with additional water

Pest/disease problems or unique resistance: None noted

Royalties: Yes

Availability: Nos. 1 and 2 containers For more information:

Nicholas Staddon, director of new plants; nstaddon@monrovia.com



Heucherella 'Sunrise Falls'

Common name: Trailing foam flower Trademark: Falls™ Series; PPAF

Introduced by: Terra Nova Nurseries, Canby, Ore.

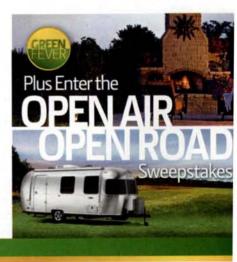
Hardiness: Zones 4 to 9

Ornamental features: Heucherella 'Sunrise Falls', part of the Falls Series,



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