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Want Beautiful Blooms From Annuals?

Millions and millions of annual flowers are grown in greenhouses and then planted in the gardens of America every year.

Wherever you plant them, annuals give you the freedom to change flowers with each season, and provide continuous color year round. Just remember the following guidelines, and you should have a beautiful display:

- Take the annuals out of the grow pots and replant into a larger bed or container.
- Good soil means good flowers. Work your soil and add loads of organic matter.
- Plant sun-lovers in the sun and shade-lovers in the shade. It's simple, but a lot of folks overlook this.
- Food and water (and plenty of both) will keep your annuals going strong.
- Pinching back dead blooms and long stems makes for a lot more blooms and bushier plants.

Property of the Month: September

Magnolia Manor
Richmond Hill
Savannah



Island Retreat
Golden Isles



Sandcastle at Amelia
South



*Each property is selected
by the Branch Manager
according to
the crew's monthly Quality
Control report.*

CONGRATULATIONS!



Annual beds are fuller when they grow well all season. So remember the basics and enjoy!

Overcrowding Annuals

Instant gratification seems to be the desire we live by these days. So, with this in mind, it is easy to see how placing too many annuals in a bed or pot can happen. Overcrowding annuals will cause undue stress on the plants and will stop the annuals from giving you their maximum effect. Take a look at a few issues that come into play when planting annuals too close:

NUTRIENT DEFICIENCIES: overcrowded plants do not receive all the nutrients they require to grow and may develop weak foliage and fail to flower.

INSECTS AND DISEASE: overcrowded plants have poor air circulation which leads to fungal diseases and allows for certain insects to move freely amongst the tightly knitted plants.

POOR FLOWERING: overcrowded plants lack sunlight, moisture, air circulation and nutrients which result in a poor flowering plant. Nonflowering plants can look healthy but only produce small, sparse flowers.



MOISTURE ISSUES: overcrowded beds and containers will dry out quicker because the plants are absorbing the moisture from the soil. The beds and containers will need to be watered more frequently to maintain the required moisture levels. Overcrowded plants will have difficulty getting water to the soil because the plants are

so dense, they take up any space needed for the falling water.

Determining the spacing needs of annuals isn't difficult. Use the spacing information from plant labels or seed packets or estimate the mature width of the plant and space the annuals accordingly. Give annuals a great start and provide plenty of room to grow and in return they will give you their maximum effect!

Team Member of the Month: September

Vance Rowe

Golden Isles & South



Julio Negrete

Savannah



These team members display the company core values (Safety, Quality, Leadership, Relationships) in all that they do while working, have excellent attendance, and are constantly trying to improve themselves.

**CONGRATULATIONS
VANCE & JULIO!**



Chrysanthemums

Take a minute to learn about Chrysanthemums before you purchase some this fall. Knowing how to care for these beautiful plants will prolong your fall display up to Thanksgiving!

- When choosing a Chrysanthemum ("Mum") choose a plant where the buds are closed or just about to open which will maximize bloom time.
- Repot your Chrysanthemum, this gives roots the nourishment they need to continue to push out new buds.
- To get continual blooms you will need to dead-head and water the plant keeping the soil moist not wet.
- Wait until the temperature drops (daytime temps of 70-75) to place Chrysanthemums outside. They will last for weeks inside if kept in a sunny area, watered when dry and dead-headed.
- Chrysanthemums will thrive in an area that gets at least 6 hrs. per day of sunlight.
- Potted mums can be separated into 2 categories, florist and hardy. Mums sold as potted plants or gift plants in the spring are generally florist mums. Hardy mums, also known as garden mums, are generally seen in the fall and they come in a variety of colors and bloom forms.
- Hardy mums will survive the winter if planted in the ground and cut to the ground once blooming has stopped in the Fall
- Hardy mums will deliver the most beautiful colors the second year if transplanted into the ground the first year.
- Chrysanthemums come in different flower shapes and types - like decorative blooms, single bloom, pompons, and quilled blooms, just to name a few - so be adventurous and choose a mixture of Chrysanthemums for a gorgeous fall display.





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As always, we thank you for you allowing Coastal Greenery to serve you. We look forward to serving you and your property in all seasons!



Have a question or concern? We're here to help.

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