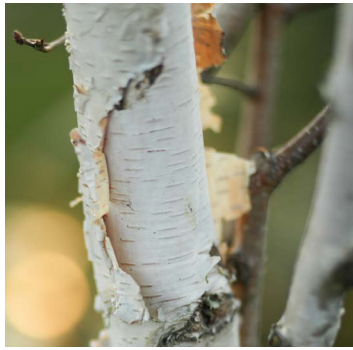


Top 10 Winter Interest Trees



BETULA 'JACQUEMONTII' - HIMALAYAN BIRCH

The number one silver birch, hardy neat upright form with stunning pure white stem. Foliage dark green turning gold in autumn providing a handsome contrast against the white stem and trunk. Very effective in avenues or group plantings, a beautiful tree worthy of any landscape.

GARRYA ELLIPTICA 'JAMES ROOF' - SILK TASSEL BUSH

Specially selected, strong vigorous male form with large leathery foliage and unusually long tassel flowers up to 22cm in length, coloured silvery yellow. It is well suited to hot and dry coastal conditions and copes well with urban pollution. Also does well in cooler regions here in NZ.



CAMELLIA 'FAIRY BLUSH' - PINK FLOWERING CAMELLIA

A hybrid with fine foliage and pink growth tips. Has small pink flowers turning white. Bushy habit suitable for formal hedging or topairies. Evergreen, grows to 2 x 1m.

ILEX 'HENDERSONII' - SMOOTH LEAF HOLLY

An attractive smooth-leaf holly with dark green foliage and upright pyramidal form. Has clusters of red berries developing early autumn through to winter. A hardy attractive screening plant, can also be trimmed into a formal hedge. Hardy, evergreen, grows to 4 x 2m.

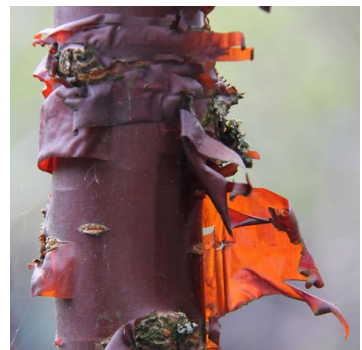


CAMELLIA 'SETSUGEKKA' - WHITE FLOWERING CAMELLIA

Medium size semi-double flowers of purest white with a slight fragrance. Also flowers early to mid-season. Is an upright vigorous grower with deep green leaves also. Evergreen, grows to 2.5m.

PRUNUS SERRULA - BIRCH BARK CHERRY

A small, vigorous tree that has narrow, mid-green, willow-like foliage that assumes attractive yellow tones in autumn. Small, open, white flowers are produced with the foliage in mid-spring and are followed by small, oval, cherry-like fruit. Deciduous, grows to 6 x 5m.



CHAENOMELES 'YOKUKU' - FLOWERING QUINCE

Lovely smaller winter interest tree with white flowers on bare deciduous stems from mid-winter to spring. Very hardy for cold and dry areas - a great smaller tree, providing attractive winter colour. Smaller robust tree suitable for many garden areas. Great source of nectar for the native birds.

SOPHORA 'DRAGONS GOLD' - SMALL NATIVE KOWHAI

A smaller-growing kowhai that maintains a compact bushy dark green form. Has golden bell flowers early winter and again in spring. Attractive small tree. Evergreen, grows to 1.5-2m.



CORNUS ALBA 'SIBERICA' - RED-STEMMED DOGWOOD

Hardy and popular upright vase-shaped cherry with attractive new coppery foliage and deep double pink blossom in October lasting for several weeks. Good autumn colour. Hardy, deciduous, grows to 6 x 4m.

VIBURNUM TINUS - EVERGREEN VIBURNUM

Popular hardy medium-sized plant with deep green oval leaves, producing clusters of deep red buds opening to small star white flowers through winter and well into spring. This is followed by small red berries from summer into autumn. Creates a hardy and attractive hedge or screen.

