

Bearberry Creek Water Gardens

Growers of Aquatic Plants for Northern Ponds



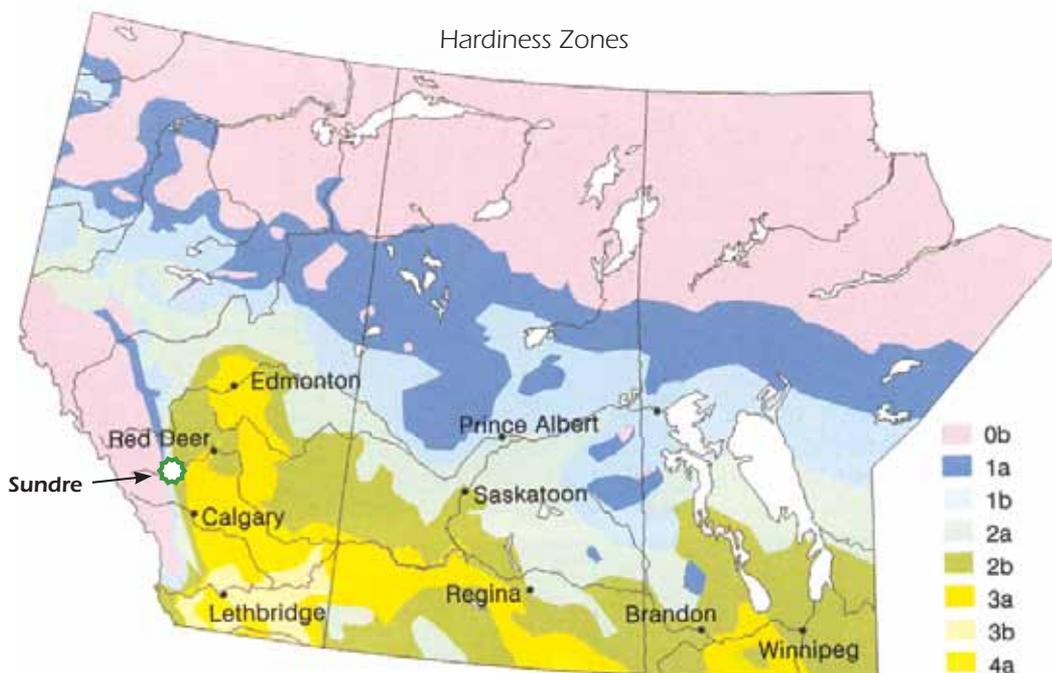
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Greenhouses,
Nursery and
Water Gardens**

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Store Hours

Spring Hours

May - June
9 am - 6 pm Daily

Summer Hours

July - September
9 am - 5 pm
Tuesday - Saturday

(Water Plants available end
of May till September)

Dear Water Gardener,

We were asked recently what is it that has inspired us to keep water gardening all these years. Our answer to that question can be found in the 30th Anniversary Catalogue you hold in your hands.

The most eye-catching part of the catalogue goes right to the heart of the matter. We love water lilies! We have learned how to grow them here, hardy and tropical alike, in our cool, hail-prone, short-season nursery in the Alberta foothills. In fact, we now have lots of plants and experience to share with you!

For some people, being able to grow water lilies is THE ONLY reason to water garden, but there is such a wide variety of water plants to choose from today, who can resist adding a few more? Particularly when some water plants come from temperate areas and are easy-care, outdoor perennials, while others are more tender exotics that can double as house plants in winter, or be replaced with something new and different in spring. The good part is that no matter how much time, effort, space or devotion you have for water gardening, there is now a good selection of water plants available that can meet your needs.

The next part of our catalogue features native water plants for water treatment, wetland reclamation and wildlife enhancement projects. We now sell seed, as well as plugs propagated from seed, in quantities suitable for large-scale projects. Tubers and root-shoot cuttings are also available, along with Heinjo's helpful field-guide, 'Water and Wetland Plants of the Prairie Provinces.'

Next come pond supplies. At first glance that might not seem all that inspirational, but when you consider that each product has been an effort to address a water gardening challenge, you will note that there is a wider range of solutions than was formerly available. How will you contain the water, lift it, direct it? Which approach to water clarity works best for you, an ecological or technological one, or perhaps (especially if you have fish) a combination of the two?

The final sections of the catalogue contain suggestions for plant and pond care. As water gardeners, we build on the experiences of others. It is this collective effort, the willingness to experiment and try again to make a water garden that is uniquely our own, that is what really keeps us inspired in this business. Let us know how we can help with your water garden projects. And keep up the good work!

Thank you for supporting our nursery over the past 30 years!

Jan and Heinjo Lahring

PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

- All mail order shipments are sent **bareroot**, unless requested otherwise.
- **Potted** plants can be picked up at our nursery.
- We ship Aquatic Plants, weather permitting, May 15 until September 30th. Some varieties are not ready for shipping until June.
- Pond Supplies are shipped year round. If you wish to receive your pond supplies before your plants, please let us know and we will arrange for 2 separate shipments.
- Our plants leave the nursery in good condition. We are not responsible for goods damaged in shipping. Claims must be made with the carrier at the time of pickup if goods are damaged. Notify us immediately and we will send a replacement shipment once we have received the appropriate clearance from the carrier.
- **Gift Certificates** available.

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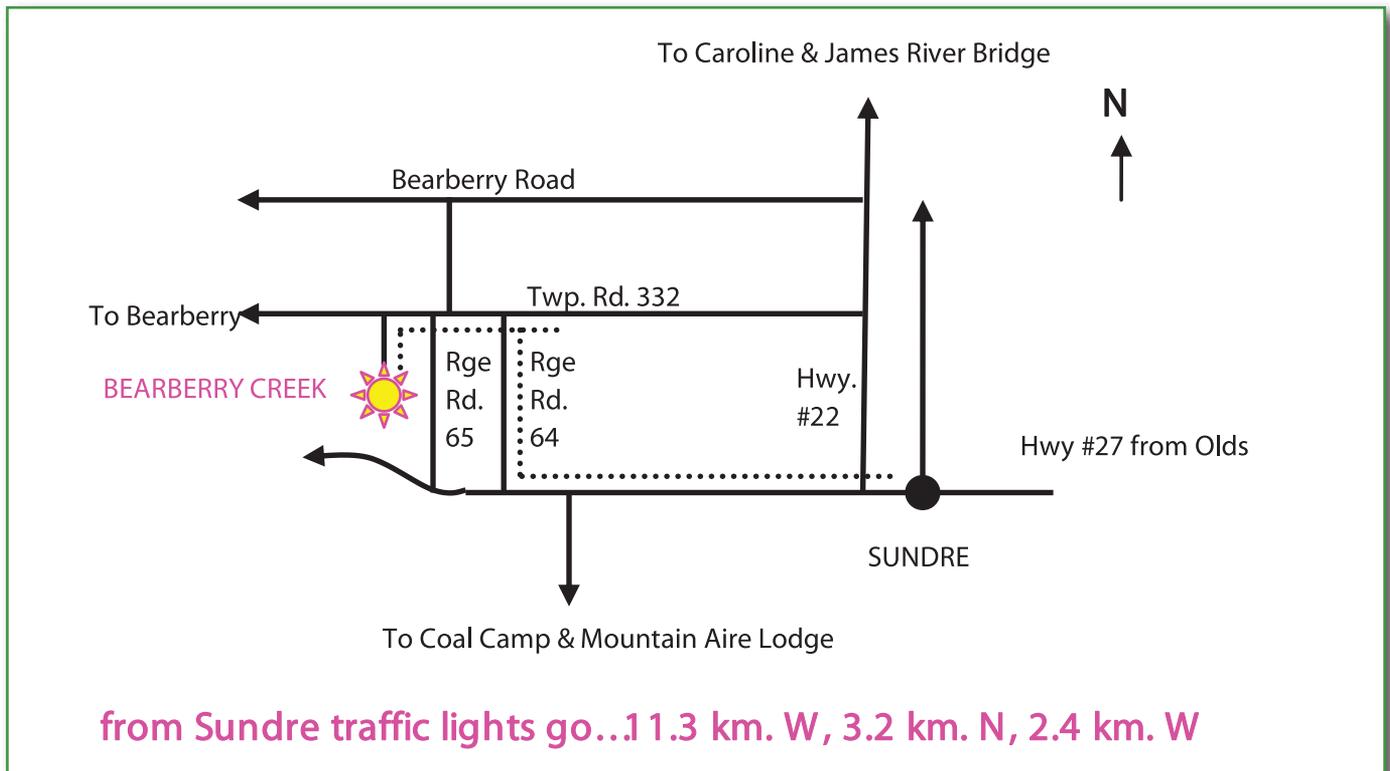
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