



Snowdrop List

2024 / 2025

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Welcome to our first Snowdrop Catalogue for 2024-25

The selection this year has been dramatically increased with Altamont Plants acquiring 50% of **Avon Bulbs'** renowned Snowdrop Collection. Thus, making this one of the most comprehensive and exciting lists available.

This list is now for sale. It is worth pointing out there are more varieties available but in small numbers with a percentage of our collection reserved for attendees of [Altamont Plants Snowdrop Events](#).

This is the potted Snowdrop List. Freshly 'Dug' Snowdrops maybe added to list in early spring.

We would hope to post all potted Snowdrops in their pots. This may add to postage costs but we believe it will be worthwhile to avoid damage to the expensive plants.

Altamont Plants will endeavour to deal with all orders as fairly as possible and in order. Where necessary, we do reserve the right to limit numbers of individual snowdrops ordered. Otherwise, it is first come, first serve.

Altamont Plants is looking forward to dealing with old and new customers and wishing you all a very happy Snowdrop Season!

Kind regards

Robert Miller



Across the Road

Price: €30

Description: An inverse poculiform about which we know very little! One of Alan's last finds.



Adam

Price: €110

Description: Admired for its striking, bold green markings on the outer segments, giving it a distinctive appearance. Named after Adam Greathead. Stunning.



Alan Street

Price: €150

Description: Named after Alan Street, a renowned plants man, this variety often exhibits a vigorous growth habit and flowers early in the season. The blooms are elegant and slightly rounded, with an eye-catching contrast between the white petals and green accents.



Alburgh Claw

Price: €80

Description: Known for its unusual, claw like appearance of the outer petals, which curve inward at the tips, creating a distinct look.



x allenii

Price: €25

Descriptions: A cross between two species of historic interest. Named after James Alan and originating in the late 1800's.





Amy Doncaster

Price: €35

Description: Named for the wonderful Amy Doncaster. A highly regarded snowdrop.



Andrea's Fault

Price: €90

Description: Distinguished by its solid green inner petals and green striped outer petals. Considered by many to be the best green Snowdrop. Named by Matt Bishop referring to an error by Andy Byfield.



Armine

Price: €15

Description: Named after the daughter of the owners of the Giant Snowdrop Company.



Bagpuize Virginia

Price: €15

Description: Named after the historic Bagpuize House. It has a graceful appearance and reliable flowering habit.



Ballerina

Price: €25

Description: A superb short double found by Phil Cornish in 1991.



Bankside

Price: €25

Description: A nivalis x plicatus hybrid with a distinctive large, elongated pale yellowy-green ovary.





Barnes

Price: €20

Description: E P Barnes was a surgeon in Northampton and selected this early flowering form from amongst other *G. elwesii* Hiemalis in 1928.



Barnhill

Price: €70

Description: An outstanding form of *G. elwesii* with a lovely glowing greenish gold hue to the lime green ovary and bold green inner segment marks. Came from the Barnhill Garden in Ireland.



Baytop

Price: €19.50

Description: This is an exceptional and robust form of *G. rizehensis*.



Belvedere Gold

Price: €55

Description: Striking and rare snowdrop known for its distinctive golden-yellow markings on the inner segments and ovary. It has a rounded flower shape that captures attention in any garden.



Big Bertha

Price: €45

Description: A robust thriver, known for its impressive, large blooms that stand out in any winter garden. This variety features broad, rounded petals and often has bold green markings on the inner segments, giving it a distinctive look.





Big Eyes

Price: €25

Description: Celebrated for its prominent green markings on the inner segments, which resemble large, expressive “eyes”.



Big One

Price: €25

Description: Stunning elwesii as the outer segments and twice as long as the inners.



Bill Clark

Price: €40

Description: An exceptional plicatus snowdrop with very yellow ovary and yellow extending beyond half way on the inners. Taller than G. Wendy's Gold named after his wife.



Bitter Lemons

Price: €65

Description: This is one of the colour changers. Emerging green and becoming yellow as it matures.



Boyd's Double

Price: €60

Description: An exquisite double flowered variety, known for its lush, layered petals that give it a full and intricate appearance.



Bumblebee

Price: €65

Description: A really outstanding snowdrop with beautiful dark green marks on the outer segments with solid green inners.



Button

Price: €20

Description: A compact and charming snowdrop with rounded, button-like blooms and subtle green markings on the inner segments.



Caryl Baron

Price: €40

Description: Admired for its elegant, elongated blooms with green marks on the tips of outer petals and solid green inners. It has a distinctive long spade.



Chameleon

Price: €50

Description: A Beautiful snowdrop with a lovely colour combination of the green ovary and bright gold inner mark.



Chantry Bonus

Price: €90

Description: Valued for its large flowers with full green inners and green marks on the outers. It is a robust, eye-catching variety.



Chantry Cracker

Price: €65

Description: Another superb snowdrop from Glen Chantry Nursery, known for its elongated petals and distinct green markings on the inner segments and green apical mark on outers.





Chantry Green Twins

Price: €45

Description: Large flowered form with two flowers per scape and dark green lines at the tips of the outer segments.



Chantry Poppet

Price: €70

Description: A striking variety with heavy green lines on the outer segments and a variable green inner mark. Late flowering.



Chilton Foliat

Price: €50

Description: A chance find in the Wiltshire village of the same name amongst a swarm of *G. nivalis*. This a relatively late flowering form with extra-long outer segments tipped with green providing quite a distinctive appearance.



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Price: €50

Description: Description: a delicate, early blooming species native to Turkey, known for its slender petals and small, graceful flowers with subtle green markings on the inner segments. This is a snowdrop that enjoys the finer things in life.



Cliff Curtis

Price: €25

Description: A lovely snowdrop named for a true Galanthophile and very kind gardener. This seedling has amazing flowers, beautifully marked in both pale and dark markings and somewhat creamy coloured when first opened.



Corrin

Price: €50

Description: Robust snowdrop with very striking green marks on the outer segments.





David Bromley

Price: €20

Description: Elegant blooms with prominent green markings on the inner segments and a green mark on the outers.



David Culp

Price: €40

Description: We are very pleased to offer this very rare and beautiful yellow *G. gracilis* seedling. Named for its owner and a favourite at Brandywine Cottage Nursery. Not easy to grow but beauty has its price.



Diggory

Price: €25

Descriptions: Regularly voted as one of the favourite snowdrops of all. Its is easily recognised in the garden because of its distinctive shape.



Double Does

Price: €70

Description: This is a small, round, neat, late flowering double.



Dragonfly

Price: €40

Description: Another gem from Veronica Cross. Distinguished by its graceful, elongated petals and extra-long pedicel.



Dryad Gold Bullion

Price: €85

Description: Only 8cm when flowering but so floriferous that the short leaves are almost hidden. Vigorous increaser.



Dryad Gold Charm

Price: €85

Description: Simply charming. Shortest leaves and longest flowers.



Dryad Gold Star

Price: €95

Description: At only 8cm high at the start of flowering, Dryad God Star is one of the smaller 'Golds'. The flowers are relatively large and sparkle over low, spreading foliage. Vigorous.



Edith

Price: €25

Description: Found by Phil Cornish, this large elwesii has very broad leaves.



Elizabeth Harrison

Price: €60

Description: A form of Galanthus woronowii renowned for its vibrant golden-yellow ovary and striking yellow markings on the inner segments, making it one of the most sought-after snowdrops.



Emma Thick

Price: €30

Description: A tall snowdrop with trym like markings. Found by Emma, now in charge of the snowdrops at Thenford Gardens.



Essex Girl

Price: €60

Description: Distinctive because of the wrinkled outers, which does not show in photos. Introduced by the people at Glen Chantry.





Fenstead End

Price: €20

Description: Originally found by Chris Grey Wilson in 1987, a strong, substantial snowdrop.



Fieldgate Imp

Price: €60

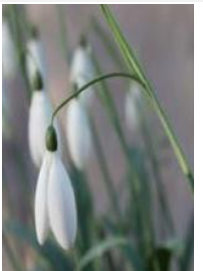
Description: A petite and delightful variety with distinctive green markings on the inner segments and permed green markings on the outer which reflex as the flower matures.



Fiona Mackenzie

Price: €60

Description: From the garden of Ruby and David Baker. Named for the daughter of Dr Ronald Mackenzie.



Fly Fishing

Price: €20

Description: Unique for its long, arching pedicels, which give the flowers a dangling graceful appearance reminiscent of a fishing line cast.



Franz Josef

Price: €30

Description: A neat and handsome double form of *G. elwesii* from an old garden in Germany with attractive inner markings and green tipped outers.



Gerard Parker

Price: €15

Description: Admired for its large, rounded blooms and distinct green markings on the inner segments, often forming a bold pattern.



Gloria

Price: €30

Description: From the ruined garden near the Jardin d'Angelique in Normandy, this is a particularly elegant form of *G. nivalis*.



Godfrey Owen

Price: €20

Description: Highly prized for its unique, symmetrical arrangement of six outer petals instead of the usual three, giving it a full, rounded appearance.



Golden Fleece

Price: €100

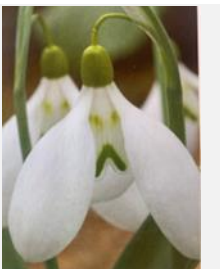
Description: This is the first yellow 'trym'. Introduced by Joe Sharman of Monksilver Nursery. It was a major breakthrough in snowdrop breeding.



Graham Shipham

Price: €100

Description: Noted for its elegant, rounded blooms and distinctive green markings on the inner segments, often forming an attractive pattern. Blooming in late winter, it is appreciated for its refined appearance and sturdy growth habit. Double green markings near the base and apex.



Gravity

Price: €35

Description: A substantial snowdrop that increases well. Easily recognised in any garden



Green of Hearts

Price: €60

Description: Known for its unique, heart shaped green markings on the outer segments.



Green Ribbon

Price: €20

Description: A huge and robust plant that originated from Nancy Lindsay's collection.



Green Tear

Price: €85

Description: Prized for its unique, elongated green markings on the outer segments, resembling delicate teardrops. Considered to be one of the best 'green snowdrops'.



Greenfinch

Price: €30

Description: Notable for its green-tinted outer petals, which give it a fresh, verdant appearance uncommon in snowdrops.



Grumpy

Price: €35

Description: Beloved for its charming, "frowning" green markings of the inner segments, giving the flower a whimsical, expressive appearance.



Haconby Green

Price: €15

Description: Distinguished by its vibrant green inner segments and unique, very distinctive lime green ovary. Selected by Cliff Curtis and named after his home village.



Heffalump

Price: €15

Description: This is a double gracilis hybrid, named for Primrose Warburg's husband whose nickname was Heffa.





Ivington Green

Price: €150

Description: One of the most impressive recent snowdrops, introduced in 2018 by Roger and Sue Norman of Ivycraft Plants. Flowers held well above the foliage.



Jade

Price: €30

Description: Originating from a swarm of naturalised *G. nivalis* in Gloucestershire, this one stood out.



Joe Sharman

Price: €130

Description: A beautiful vigorous virescent *G. plicatus* with green stripes on the outers and solid green inners.



Joe Spotted

Price: €45

Description: Named after Joe Sharman who spotted it in David Bromley's garden.



John Gray

Price: €20

Description: One of the mighty atom group, with very large flowers. Identifiable by the inner green markings.



Kermode Bear

Price: €95

Description: A very large poculiform snowdrop with beautiful puckering to the outer segments. An introduction from Canada, it is named for the North American Black Bear sometimes called the Spirit Bear.



Kryptonite

Price: €65

Description: With striking green outers, deep green markings that often extend over much of the inner segments, this is considered one of the best virescent snowdrops.



Laubfrosch

Price: €75

Description: Meaning “Tree Frog” in German. An early flowering form of *G. elwesii* with bright green leaves (*G. elwesii* usually has blue/ grey leaves).



Lola

Price: €50

Description: A unique double form of *G. elwesii* with double upward facing flowers. Found by Phil Cornish and named for his granddaughter.



Long John Silver

Price: €40

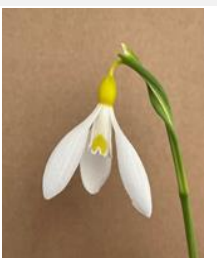
Description: Known for tall stems and distinctly shaped blooms. This robust variety stands tall and adds a striking presence to winter gardens.



Lucy

Price: €45

Description: A vigorous ‘Trym’ type snowdrop that increases quickly.



Madelaine

Price: €25

Description: This one of the best yellows. It is floriferous and vigorous.





Magic

Price: €55

Description: The last seeding that came from the late Veronic Cross.
A Trym x G. elwesii flower held on a long pedicel.



Mappercombe

Price: €40

Description: An outstanding elwesii, given to Avon by Anna Pavord.



Margaret Biddulph

Price: €65

Description: An outstanding virescent, originally from Rodmarton Manor in the Cotswold. This is a very lovely G. elwesii with green washed outer segments.



Margaret's Star

Price: €35

Description: Notable for its star-like shape, with long, slender outer petals that radiate gracefully. Subtle green markings on the inner segments enhance its delicate beauty. From the garden of Margaret Owen.



Marjorie Brown

Price: €20

Description: One of the largest and best elwesii snowdrops. Makes a huge impact in any garden.



Marlie Raphael

Price: €40

Description: From the garden of Kingston Bagpuize House and named after a former owner.





Matt Bishop

Price: €85

Description: Presented as a gift to Avon Bulbs from the author of *The Snowdrop Book*, this is to be treasured for beauty and its significance.



Merlin

Price: €15

Description: A historic snowdrop dating back to James Allen at the end of the 19th Century. Solid green inners and great survivor.



Meteor

Price: €60

Description: Originally from Richard Bashford, an elegant snowdrop with green tips on the outers.



Midas

Price: €55

Description: A colour change snowdrop, the green markings turning a glowing golden yellow a few days after opening.



Miss Prissy

Price: €40

Description: This is a delightful new double with distinctive outward facing flowers.



Moortown

Price: €30

Description: Admired for its rounded, well-proportioned blooms and distinctive green markings on the inner segments.





Moortown Mighty

Price: €30

Description: From David Bromley's garden this is notable for its larger than average blooms and strong, upright growth habit. With rounded petals and bold green inner markings.



Morgana

Price: €90

Description: This form of *G. elwesii* has dramatic glowing green colour to the outer segments. Truly outstanding and always in great demand.



Mostly Ghostly

Price: €75

Description: Distinctive for its pale, almost translucent petals that give it a ghostly, ethereal appearance.



Moya's Green

Price: €50

Description: A distinctive *G. elwesii* with long outer petals that have pale olive green marks. Found by Moya Green. One of the most iconic green marked snowdrops of recent years.



Northern Lights

Price: €90

Description: A new selection from Andy Byfield, a virescent x valentinei hybrid which has wonderful pale glowing flowers, difficult to capture on a camera, but when seen quite unforgettable and desirable.



Olive Mason

Price: €175

Description: Alan Street had hoped to release this gem himself. Unfortunately, this did not happen. With Olive's blessing, it is named after her as Alan collected it in her garden.





Phil Cornish

Price: €35

Description: Named after the great galanthophile, Phil Cornish, this beautiful snowdrop has wonderful full green inners and outers which have green both at the apex and base.



Philippe Andre Meyer

Price: €35

Description: This is a *G. plicatus* hybrid and one of the best Trym type seedlings. Showy and quick to increase.



Pieces of Eight

Price: €70

Description: A vigorous snowdrop with paddle shaped outer petals. Nicely slimmed at the base to show the darkly marked inner segments. A nicely arched pedicel lets the flower hang gracefully.



Primrose Warburg

Price: €30

Description: One of the best and most vigorous yellow flowered snowdrops. Increases well with bright yellow ovary and golden yellow, horseshoe inner marking.



Quasimodo

Price: €50

Description: This is a weird and wonderful snowdrop.





Rising Sun

Price: €70

Description: A relatively new and outstanding selection of *G. elwesii* with very bold marked green tipped outer segments.



Robin Hood

Price: €15

Description: This snowdrop was first identified in 1891 and was drawn by the famous E A Bowles and one for the historic collection.



Rodmarton Arcturus

Price: €35

Description: One of the largest and impressive snowdrops ever grown. Named by Simon Biddulph of Rodmarton Manor. The flowers are enormous after the brightest star in the northern hemisphere.



Rodmarton Regulus

Price: €40

Description: Admired for its rounded blooms with distinctive green markings on the inner segments, giving it a bold and elegant appearance. Known for its sturdy growth and striking form.



Rosemary Burnham

Price: €35

Description: Cherished for its beautiful, green-washed outer petals, giving it a unique and fresh appearance among snowdrops. This distinctive coloration, combined with its graceful form and inner markings makes it a favourite among collectors.



Rubys Green Dream

Price: €65

Description: This *G. regina-olgae* is from Joe Sharman of Monksilver Nursery and named for the famous Ruby Baker. The first to flower here at Altamont this year



Rushmere Green

Price: €80

Description: Notable for its pronounced green markings on both the inner and outer petals, giving it a fresh, verdant look. This unique coloration makes it stand out in late winter gardens and is one of the last to flower.



Scrooge

Price: €35

Description: An offspring of G. plicatus Three Ships and shows many of its parents characteristics. The inner segment marking shows scrooge like face.



Sentinel

Price: €15

Description: Known for its tall, upright stance and sturdy blooms.



Shimmer

Price: €60

Description: Celebrated for its delicate, slightly translucent petals that give a subtle, shimmering effect in the light.



Smaragdsplitter

Price: €45

Description: Distinctive for its green markings along the inners with green splash on arrow shaped outers. Flowers early.



Sprite

Price: €20

Description: A seedling originally found about 15 years ago. All green inner segments are revealed when the green striped outers rise.





Starling

Price: €20

Description: A double from Avon Bulbs whose flowers face outwards. Long lasting in flower and very different to most other snowdrops. Great doer.



Sweet Alice

Price: €30

Description: A snowdrop with solid strong green inners and lime green tips to the outers. Good doer.



Tantrum

Price: €90

Description: Variable large green mark on the outer segments. As the flower ages, it becomes flattened and splayed in appearance.



The Wizard

Price: €30

Description: Another seedling found in the copse at Avon Bulbs. With stunningly green marked flowers inside and out.



Tilly

Price: €40

Description: A hybrid of G. Gracilis and G. 'Trym' which turned up with Veronica Cross and is named for the leader of the pack.



Treasure Island

Price: €100

Description: Treasure Island is the bed where Veronica Cross planted her treasures. This seedling is like a golden 'Mighty Atom' of perfect balance and substance. Outstanding. Vigorous and grown very well at Altamont.





Trimmer

Price: €35

Description: A lovely Trym like seedling with a distinctive pagoda shape. The outer green marked segments show a slight outward curl at their tips.



Trinity

Price: €40

Description: A stunning new *G.plicatus* form which always produces two or three scapes from large bulbs.



Trumpolute

Price: €40

Description: Pagoda shaped with large green marks on both outer and inner segments. A cross of *G. plicatus* and *G. elwesii*.



Trumps

Price: €25

Description: Known for its robust, pagoda shaped blooms and marks on its outers.



Trympostor

Price: €25

Description: Increases incredibly fast. One of the best green outer snowdrops.





Turncoat

Price: €30

Description: Obviously has plicatus 'Trym' in its parentage. The large outers segments turn upwards and outwards with strong green markings provide a dramatic effect.



Veronica Cross

Price: €60

Description: One of the best snowdrop hybrids to come out of the best snowdrop gardens. A new *G. gracilis* x 'Trym' hybrid.



Walter's Double

Price: €35

Description: From Celia and Walter Sawyer, this is a mid-late season hybrid with charming very double flowers.



White Perfection/The Bride

Price: €45

Description: Admired for its pristine, pure white blooms with elegantly rounded petals, embodying simplicity and grace.



Wol Staines

Price: €95

Description: Named after the famous Galanthophile who has introduced so many brilliant snowdrops from Glen Chantry. So good, it features on the front of Ann Reppow's book 'Some Snowdrops'.



Wol's Chubby

Price: €95

Description: Known for its delightfully plump, rounded blooms and thick petals that give it a full, sturdy appearance.





York Minister

Price: €85

Description: Notable for its large, stately blooms and distinct green markings on the outer segments and solid green inners. November flowering.

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