

WHAT'S NEW IN EDIBLES

Hungry for new edible varieties? Here are some brand new varieties worth considering for your benches.

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Cucumber 'Mexican Sour Gherkin'

Fruits look like miniature watermelons and taste like cucumbers with tangy citrus overtones. A crunchy addition to salad! Vines grow 4-7 feet long (perfect for a trellis) and the flowers attract hummingbirds.

Burpee Home Gardens

www.burpeehomegardensbrand.com



***Ficus Carica* 'Little Miss Figgy'**

This incredible dwarf Ficus will dazzle your customers with its deeply lobed, blue-green leaves and spectacular, dark purple fruits.

Greenleaf Nursery

www.greenleafnursery.com



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**Pepper 'Candy Cane
Chocolate Cherry'**
Beautiful and crisp mini bell pepper ripens from green and white stripes to chocolate and cherry-red stripes. The plant foliage is variegated, too. Winner of the NGB Green Thumb Award for 2022.
HandPicked Vegetables Collection
PanAmerican Seed
www.panamseed.com/handpicked



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Allium 'AlliYum!'
Carrying crossover appeal as a tasty herb and ornamental perennial, this new flat-leaf chive blends onion and soft garlic flavors. Succulent foliage is topped with lavender purple flowers in midsummer. 10-16 inches in height, full sun, Zones 5-9, vigor 1.
Proven Winners
www.provenwinners.com

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Cauliflower 'Clementine' Hybrid
Eye-catching deep orange curds have a mild, sweet and nutty flavor. Vigorous and reliable producer of high-quality heads. Dual-purpose variety for either fresh use or processing. Best for: raw, roasted, grilled, sautéed, steamed or frozen for later.
Syngenta Flowers
www.syngentaflowers-us.com



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Tomato 'RuBee Plus'
'RuBee Plus' has juicy flavor, bold color and perfect texture. The mid-sized indeterminate, disease-tolerant plants set 8-10-ounce fruit.
Sakata
www.sakata.com





Broccoli 'Burgundy'

Broccoli has never been so beautiful! "Burgundy" is quick to produce and continues tender side-shoot production for a long harvest period.

Botanical Interests

www.botanicalinterests.com



Asparagus 'Culver Williams'

The first asparagus ever offered by Seed Savers Exchange, this prolific variety produces large, juicy, crunchy stalks.

Seed Savers Exchange

www.seedsavers.org

An advertisement for Anamese Garden + Home. The background is a textured, light brown color. In the top left, there is a circular logo with a stylized 'A' and the text 'Anamese GARDEN + HOME'. Below the logo, the text reads 'ART MADE FOR DAILY LIVING.' and 'www.anamese.com'. The advertisement features four images of pottery: a large, light-colored, textured vase lying on its side on a patterned rug; a large, rusted metal pot with a handle; a close-up of a pot with a green and blue patina; and a dark blue, ribbed pot sitting on a patterned rug in a field of dry grass. In the bottom left corner, there is a watercolor-style illustration of three glass jars of different sizes.