



# CHRISTMAS TREE INFORMATION

# 2023

## 2023 HOLIDAY TREE VARIETIES:

### Balsam Fir:

The traditional New England & Eastern Canadian Tree.

- Will shed some needles but still a beautiful tree
- Most fragrant
- Very economical with the widest range of choices & prices
- Sizes available from table top trees to 13 ft (limited quota)

### Fraser Fir:

Thicker needled, darker green color and sturdier branches than balsam.

- Much better needle retention than Balsam
- Sizes available from table top tree to 12 ft (limited quota).

### Douglas Fir:

Grown in the mountains of Pennsylvania, Douglas Firs can withstand our cold winters.

- Softer needle and texture
- Excellent needle retention
- Sizes available 5 ft. To 10 ft. (limited quota)

### Silver Fir:

Generally accepted as the first tree used for a Christmas Tree in Europe

- Nice Conical Shape
- Good Needle Retention
- Limited Supply

## CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Keep the tree outside with the butt standing in a mulch or shrub bed on the shady side of the house until ready to set it up inside.

When you bring the tree in, make a fresh cut of at least an inch **RIGHT BEFORE** standing it in warm water and preservative. Add water and preservative as necessary, never letting the tree run dry. Warm water mixed with sugar is an alternative to using preservative.

If you elect to have Russell's to give your Christmas tree a fresh cut, you **MUST** get the tree home and into water in ~20 minutes.

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