

What's. Growing On...

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It isn't a Bamboo, but it is Heavenly

Nandina domestica and its varieties are not new to the landscape, but with qualities such as low-water requirements, easy maintenance and colorful foliage, it has become more popular.

Some like the 'Compacta' the best, it grows 4-5 feet tall displaying bright red berries in the winter. Others like the smaller nature and bright red winter foliage of 'Gulf Stream'.

Which one is your favorite?



'Compacta'



'Fire Power'



'Harbor Dwarf'



'Gulf Stream'

Personally, we prefer...

"Rosemary!" We asked Jeanie Angel, the new Assistant Manager in San Diego, what her favorite plant is. She answered, "Rosemary, because it smells so good and I know when someone has it in their car because they smell like it when they come in. It freshens things up in the sales office too."



Demonstration Garden Grand Opening

Padre Dam Water District, with the help of Miramar Nurseries, is opening an exciting new demonstration garden this spring. The garden is in Santee, just minutes from our San Diego location. It is easy to get water conservation ideas and then apply them in your garden. Want to know more? Please e-mail any questions to muhrhammer@padre.org.



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