

**Species Information for** 

Fall Festival 11/4/23



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### **CHERRY LAUREL**

#### Prunus carolinana

<u>Height</u>: ~10 - 20 ft

Conditions: Full to partial sun preferred

<u>Comments</u>: Showy, dense, fast growing evergreen shrub or small tree. Small white seasonal flowers. Requires deep soil and grows 1.5 ft per year.

More Species Information:

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center

Texas Forest Service





## EASTERN REDBUD

Cercis canadensis var. canadensis

<u>Height</u>: ~20 ft

Conditions: Full to partial sun preferred

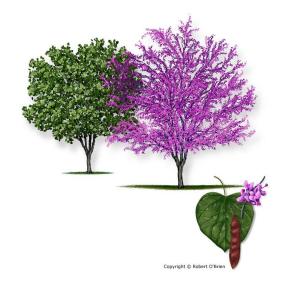
<u>Comments</u>: Heart shaped glossy green leaves with vibrant pink to purple flowers in the spring. Flowers bloom early in the spring

Fun Fact: Several parts of the tree are edible

More Species Information:

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# **DWARF POMEGRANATE**

Punica granatum 'nana'

Height: ~3 ft

Conditions: Full sun preferred

<u>Comments</u>: Small shrubby tree with attractive orange to red flowers that produce miniature pomegranates. Can be grown in a pot just make sure it has drainage.

More Species Information: Here





## **RED BUCKEYE**

### Aesculus pavia

Height: 12- 15 ft

Shade: Full sun to partial shade

<u>Comments</u>:Moderately drought tolerant, this shrubbish tree attracts butterflies and hummingbirds with its tubular red flowers.

Warning: Fruit are not edible for humans

More Species Information:

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center





# SAUCER MAGNOLIA

### Magnolia soulageana

<u>Height</u>: ~15-30 ft

Conditions: Full sun to partial shade

<u>Comments</u>: Slow growing, multi stemmed tree that has beautiful large pink-purple flowers and is mildly resistant to pollution.







More Species Information:

Arbor Day Foundation