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THE Peacock Periodical

Spring 2021

PEACOCK
 T-Shirt Special
 expires September 30, 2021

MENTION THIS T-SHIRT SPECIAL!
 Promo Code: **SUM21**

BLACK OR WHITE INK
 QUANTITY OF 24 OR MORE

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HOW COLOR EFFECTS MOOD

creating inspiring workspaces

CREATE A MOOD BOARD TO BRING VISUAL UNITY AND PLAY WITH COLOR AND TEXTURE



COLOR IS POWERFUL

Choose colors for the workplace wisely. Every color can evoke mood, feelings and memories. In the workplace you want an upbeat space that sparks creativity, and productivity.

BLUE is a cool color and is the most universally accepted color. It is intellectual, conservative and promotes focus.

ORANGE suggests motion, activity and excitement. It reflects warmth and passion. Orange is great for productivity.

PINK is often seen as feminine and sweet. It's great for health & beauty industries. Pink is a nice balance of the warmth of red and the clean, calming effect of white.

RED attracts attention, suggests energy and aggression. Limit red in the workplace.

GREEN is a fresh and natural color that reduces tension and emphasizes stability.

PURPLE has long been associated with royalty, luxury, wealth and success. Purple is a nice balance of energy and calm.

EARLY SPRING CAN BE A BUSY TIME FOR THE DETERMINED GARDENER

Weather in early spring is so unpredictable. It may say Spring on the calendar, but the weather rarely cooperates completely.

In Zones 8 and higher, the average dates of the last killing frost occur throughout March. Zone 7 gardeners must beware of frost throughout April.

REPAIRS

Do the repairs to fences and arbors now so they will be ready when the weather settles down. Clean out bird houses, if you dare. Watch out for wintering mice.

SEEDLINGS

March is the perfect time for starting summer blooming seedlings indoors. By now, seed packets are available everywhere. It usually takes about six weeks for seeds to become strong enough for plants to be set outside in pots or a garden.

VEGETABLES

Some vegetables can be planted right now in Zones 7-8, but start later in more northern climates. Vegetable seeds may be started in prepared starter pots made of compressed peat and filled with a proper soil mixture. It's a good time to test the PH of your garden soil. You can add whatever you need as soon as the soil is dry and not clumpy wet.

PRUNING

Some pruning this month Roses, in particular, can be pruned and fed this month. Cut roses back sharply for more compact bushes and long slender stems. Cut honeysuckle vines back to three feet. Prune the fruit trees before the buds appear.

TREES AND SHRUBS

You can still fertilize trees and shrubs. Acid types go with azaleas, rhododendrons, evergreens, and conifers.

EASTER BASKETS

Meaningful Goodies

Most of us have fond memories of Easter; hunting Easter eggs with cousins, Grandma's home cooked Easter dinner, dressing up for church. I can still remember one Easter in particular when my Mom filled my Easter basket with all the goodies I wished for. All the things in the basket were so specifically for me. I was surprised and excited and it made me feel special. Conversations we had and times spent together formed the inspiration for the fillings inside that basket.

As I think back to the special goodies in my life it's always the thought behind the action that has the most impact. This Easter season let's think about the ways we can make others feel appreciated; and on the flip side inspect our lives for the little pops of joy that we find along the way. Just like the thrill of finding those Easter eggs, we are excited and fulfilled when we reflect on the treasures in life that are worth hunting for.

This Easter fill your children's Easter eggs with words of encouragement, or bible verses that will impact them. Fill an egg with something they thought they lost or a hint that will lead to a bigger surprise down the road. Make it fun and special. Teach them that life has plenty of treasure that is worth hunting, not material things, but times spent with those we love. Let it reflect the treasure that we find in Jesus and the life that we find in him. Okay, okay, throw in a little candy too!

-Lacy Evrard

CHECK OUT THIS WEBSITE FOR UNIQUE EASTER EGG DECORATING FUN!

