Vegetables and Herbs 1998
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The family food garden contains a wide variety of vegetables and herbs that can be grown in interior Alaska and shows some of the cultivation techniques necessary for optimum production. Cultivars include several developed at the Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station in Fairbanks and Palmer; standard cultivars that have proven reliable in home gardens and commercial businesses; and new promising cultivars. Recent All America Selections winners are also grown here. Some vegetables such as carrots and beans are direct seeded in late May. Others are started in our greenhouse and transplanted into the garden the first week of June. This year we are conducting special trials with spinach and yellow wax beans for Denali Seed Company, Anchorage. Special thanks to the following seed companies for providing free seeds for our trials: Ball Seed Co., Geo. W. Park Seed Co., Stokes Seeds, Johnny’s Selected Seeds, Denali Seed Co., and Bakker Brothers Seeds. (No endorsement of firms mentioned is intended, nor is criticism implied of those not mentioned.)

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Leeks King Richard, Johnny's
Leeks Prenora, Daenhfeldt
Lettuce Merlot, Cook's
Lettuce, Crisphead Centennial, Johnny's
Lettuce, Crisphead Rosy, Cook's
Lettuce, Leaf Brunia, Harris
Lettuce, Deer tongue, Shepherd's
Lettuce, New Red Fire, Harris
Lettuce, Freckles, Cook's
Lettuce, Sierra, Stokes
Lettuce, Royalty, Harris
Lettuce, French Romance, Shepherd's
Lettuce, Esmerelda, Park
Lettuce, Taglio, Cook's
Lettuce, Rosy, Cook's
Lettuce, Minigreen, Stokes
Lettuce, Leaf Impuls, Stokes Seed
Lettuce, Romaine Rosalita, Johnny's
Mustard, Green Wave, Stokes
Onion, Bunching Deep Purple, Johnny's
Onion, Bunching Red Beard, Stokes
Onion, mini Snowbaby, Stokes
Pea, Novella II, Johnny's
Pea, Maestro, Johnny's
Pea, snap, Sugar Ann, Harris
Pea, snap, Sugar snap, Harris
Pea, snow, Snowflake, Johnny's
Pepper Ace, Stokes
Pepper Gypsy, Vaughan's
Pepper Hungarian Hot, Vaughan's
Pepper Park's Early Thickset, Park
Pepper Redstart, Stokes
Pepper Super Set, Stokes
Pepper, Chile Espanola, Shepherd's
Pepper, Hot Fajita Bell, Johnny's
Pepper, Hot Super Cayenne, AAS
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Potato Alaskan, GBG
Potato, Novak, Papp's Produce
Potato Denali, GBG
Potato Alaska Russet, GBG
Potato Alaska 114, GBG
Potato Rote Erstling, GBG
Potato Alaska Frostless, GBG
Potato Norgold Russet, GBG
Potato Snowchip, GBG
Potato Swedish Fingerling, GBG
Potato Stately, GBG
Potato Alaska Red, GBG
Potato Baking, GBG
Potato Highhat Russet, GBG
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Pumpkin Baby Bear, AAS
Pumpkin Connecticut Field, Stokes
Pumpkin Howden, Harris
Pumpkin Small Sugar, Burpee
Pumpkin We-B-Little, AAS
Radish, Scarlet Globe, Stokes
Radish, Red Flame, Park
Radish, Snow Belle, Harris
Radish, Sora, Johnny's
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Rutabaga, Pike, Johnny's
Shallot, French Ambition, Johnny's
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Spinach Melody, Harris
Spinach, Tyee, Denali
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Squash Mini Green Hubbard, Stokes
Squash, Scallop Peter Pan, Ball
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Swiss Chard Silverado, Stokes
Tomatillo Toma Verde, Stokes
Tomato Better Bush Impr., Park
Tomato Container Choice, Park
Tomato First Pik, Harris
Tomato Gold Nugget, Johnny's
Tomato Lunch Box VF, Stokes Seed
Tomato Sub Arctic 25, Denali
Tomato Sunstar VFF, Stokes Seed
Tomato Sweet Million, Ball Seed
Turnip Hakurei, Johnny's
Turnip White Lady, Stokes

Herbs

Anise hyssop Prairie Moon
Arugula MS483
Arugula Astra
Arugula Sylvesta
Basil Anise, Richters
Basil Cinnamon, Richters
Basil Lemon, Richters
Basil Lime, Johnny's
Basil Mammoth, Richters
Basil Minette, Park
Basil Purple Ruffles, AAS
Basil, Genovese, Stokes
Basil, Lemon Sweet Dani, AAS
Basil, Purple Osmin, Park
Basil, Thai Siam Queen, AAS

Borage, Johnny's
Chervil Brussels Winter, Johnny's
Coriander, Leaf, Stokes Seed
Coriander Leisure, Johnny's
Dill Bouquet, Harris
Dill Fernleaf, Burpee
Dill Superdukat, Johnny's
Fennel Rudy, Johnny's
Fennel, Bronze Rubrum, Richters
Lavender Lady, AAS
Lavender Munstead Stain, Johnny's
Lemon Balm, Richters

Mountain Mint, Richters
Oregano, Greek, Richters
Parsley Banquet, Harris
Parsley Darkri, Stokes
Parsley Forest Green, Harris
Parsley Plain, Ball
Peppermint, Vaughan's
Rosemary, Johnny's
Sage Extrakta, Richters
Spearmint, Vaughan's
Summer Savory Aromata, Richters
Sweet Marigold, Richters
Sweet Marjoram, Vaughan's
Thyme German Winter, Johnny's
Winter Savory, Richters

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