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**JOHN LEA**

**PRICE LIST**

of

**Exhibition and Modern Hybrid Daffodils**

**1974**

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

### 1. Acknowledgement of Order

Because of the high cost of postage and other costs, orders will not be acknowledged unless specifically requested.

### 2. Bulbs

All bulbs are offered subject to the crop being satisfactory. Substitution will only be made if requested at the time of ordering.

### 3. Orders

- a) As the stocks of bulbs are limited, and in some cases, where mentioned, are very few indeed - all orders will be executed in the order in which they are received.
- b) Orders should be sent in as early as possible, and in any case not later than mid-July.
- c) All orders are despatched at purchasers risk.

### 4. Payment

- a) Owing to the high cost of rendering accounts, orders are only accepted on the **CASH WITH ORDER BASIS**, and please include postage., where applicable.
- b) Receipts for cheques and bank transfers are not sent unless requested.
- c) All orders of **£10 AND OVER** are sent **FREE** of postage and packing anywhere in Great Britain and N. Ireland. On pre-paid orders **UNDER £10** please **ADD 40p** to part cover postage and packing.

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### NEW SEEDLINGS

This year for the first time I am able to offer some of the new cultivars raised by those great breeders of daffodils J.M. de Navarro and John Blanchard. As stocks increase I shall be offering more of their newest seedlings.

### OPEN DAY

All interested in daffodils will be welcome on Sunday April 21st 1974 when the gardens at Dunley Hall will be open under the National Garden Scheme 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. admission 15p.

Those wishing to see the daffodils on other days, can be arranged, but only by appointment.

## NEW INTRODUCTIONS OF 1974

CANISP (Lea) F.C.C. RHS 1967 Div. 2C

An outstandingly beautiful flower of near trumpet proportions of the highest quality. The lovely smooth perianth is formed from pure white petals, broad and overlapping, slightly pointed at the tips and making a most elegant foil for the trumpet that is slightly expanding, sometimes the mouth is neatly rolled. The base gleams with green lights. This beautifully elegant flower is most consistent and has been 'Best Bloom' at RHS shows on two occasions. And in my winning Engleheart Group in 1971.

Breeding : Ave x Early Mist  
 Early Mid-season  
 Price each £2.50 : \$ 5.85

CONVAL (Lea) Div. 2B pink

A lovely flower with a pure white perianth formed from broad rounded petals that naturally stand at right angles to the cup and form a nearly rounded perianth some 4 to 4½ inches diameter. The well proportioned slightly expanding cup is a deep clear rosy pink that shades to greeny white at the base. A strong plant with a good stem that is tall for pinks. It has a good neck that naturally holds the flower at right angles to the stem.

Breeding : Irish Rose x Rose Caprice  
 Late season  
 Price each £3.00 : \$ 7.05

ICE QUEEN (Navarro) Div. 2C

Ice white 2C of faultless texture wide rounded back petals, inner petals pointed and spade shaped. Shortish half-flat crown of the same tone of white with a delicately serrated edge, a green base and an apple green stigma. A very useful pollen parent. Breeding : Ceragh x Chinese White.

Only a few bulbs for sale  
 Mid season  
 Price each £5.00 : \$ 11.75

OHIO (Navarro) Div. 2B R/W

A large flower with an exceptionally white perianth formed from broad overlapping petals that are smooth and of great quality. The half flat crown shades from a deep scarlet band to orange yellow at the base. A strong plant that does well in pots and is sunproof. Besides being a very useful show flower it is also a valuable parent. Breeding : Kilworth x Brahms.

Late mid-season  
 Only a few bulbs for sale  
 Price each £7.50 : \$ 17.60

PITCHROY (Lea) Div. 2C

A lovely ice white flower that is of near trumpet dimensions. Although a little small it is of exquisite proportions, the elegant trumpet is moss green at the base, and the mouth neatly expanded is the same ice white as the broadly overlapped perianth petals. It has proved to be a very consistent flower of strong growth with a good stem and neck. Shown in my winning Bourne Cup Group 1973.

Late season  
 Breeding : (Eastermoon x Castle of May) x Fionn  
 Price each £3.00 : \$ 7.05

PURBECK (Blanchard) A.M. RHS 1970 Div. 3B rim

A beautifully proportioned show flower with lovely form, the sparkling white perianth is formed by broad smooth petals of good consistency, that makes a perfect foil for the neat cup pale green at the base and a neat orange band at the mouth. A perfect nonpredominant 3B very consistent 'Best Bloom' RHS Show 1973.

Breeding : Rocmond x Arbar  
 Price each £5.00 : \$ 11.75

SACRAMENTO (Navarro) AM RHS 1964 Div. 3C

A lovely snow white 3C with broad rounded petals forming an almost circular perianth, the crown being milky white and neatly frilled with a deep green centre. The whole flower is of faultless form and texture having a good neck and stem. One of the very best 3C available.

Late mid-season  
 Breeding : Green Island x Chinese White  
 Price each £6.00 : \$ 14.10

ACHDUART (Lea) A.M. R.H.S. 1972 Div. 3A R/Y

A large and beautifully formed red and yellow 3A. A most consistent flower with a lovely smooth perianth of soft gold, nicely balanced by a neatly expanding red cup. Quite the best 3A Red/Yellow yet raised.

Was given Award of Merit R.H.S. as a show flower the first time it was shown. Shown in my Winning Engleheart Cup Group 1973.

A strong and vigorous plant with a good stem and neck. A sister seedling of Torridon. Bred from a SPRY x CARBINEER seedling crossed with VULCAN.

Mid-season

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £10.00 : \$ 23.50

ACHENTOUL (Lea) Div. 4

A fine red/white double of perfect form on a good strong stem. Has a better constitution and is a stronger grower than many in this category. A frequent winner in single bloom classes. Very strongly scented.

Late mid-season

Price each £2.50 : \$ 5.85

ACHNASHEEN (Lea) Div. 3C

A really fine 3C with a dazzling white perianth which is a great deal whiter of good form with a small very white rather flat cup. A strong grower of consistent quality.

Late mid-season

Breeding : SULIVEN x HAMZALI

Price each £1.75 : \$ 4.10

ARNDILLY (Lea) Div. 2B R/W

A very elegant red and white flower with a neat red cup of deep red that provides a lovely contrast to the very white perianth formed of smooth broad and overlapping petals of great substance. A beautifully balanced flower, held on a tall strong stem with a good neck. Bred from two unnamed seedlings. Previously shown under number 1-32-61.

Mid-season

None to offer.

AVENGER (Richardson) FCC RHS 1969 Div. 2B R/W

The flat perianth is formed by broad smooth petals of great texture, the rather large crown is nearly flat and of an intense deep orange red, with a slightly serrated edge. A strong plant and good show flower. Breeding Kilworth x Arbar.

Late Mid-season

Price each £1.00 : \$ 2.35

BEN HEE (Lea) Div. 2C

A sister seedling to "Inverpolly" - this is a beautiful medium-sized flower, both perianth and cup are very white. The perianth is perfectly formed and smooth; a most consistent flower and a good strong plant. Previously shown under number 1-36-55.

Early mid-season

Breeding: EASTER MOON x OMEATH

Price each £0.75 : \$ 1.75

BEN LOYAL (Lea) Div. 2B R/W

A very large flower on a strong stem. The perianth petals are broad and overlapping forming a nearly round flower. Bred from two unnamed seedlings that I have used particularly for white perianths. The resulting perianth is glistening white, and forms a majestic background for the well-balanced rich orange red cup.

Mid-season

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £5.00 : \$ 11.75

BEN RINNES (Lea) Div. 3B R/W

A brilliant red and white division 3 flower with a sparkling white perianth against which many others look grey. The perianth makes a tremendous contrast with expanding rather frilled red cup. The whole flower being beautifully proportioned on a strong straight stem with good neck. It has been a very successful show flower when shown under number 4-34-63. Bred from Arbar crossed with an unnamed seedling.

Mid-season

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £3.75 : \$ 8.80

CHARITY MAY (Coleman) A.M. RHS 1948 Div. 6A

A lovely little flower of soft clear yellow, the perianth formed by pointed reflexing petals and the rather long cup nicely frilled at the mouth gives it great appeal.

Early season

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70  
£2.75 for 10

M.B.  
BORROBOL (Lea) Div. 2B R/W

A particularly fine flower raised from Arbar as seed parent. The white perianth forms a nearly round flower and the rather flat cup is bright red throughout. It has been consistently successful as a show flower. Shown in my winning Engleheart Cup Group 1973.

Mid-season

Price each £2.00 : \$ 4.70

M.B.  
BUNCLODY (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A brilliantly coloured flower with an intense red cup and a smooth flat perianth of richest gold. A medium sized flower, very useful as a late red/yellow. A consistent show quality flower.

Late mid-season

Breeding : REVELRY x 106

Price each £1.25 : \$ 2.95

CUL BEAG (Lea) Div. 3B R/W

The finest 3B yet raised, a perfectly formed flower with broad rounded petals making an almost round perianth. The well-formed cup being an intense red. The very white perianth forms a perfect background. This is another flower deliberately bred for whiteness of perianth from an unnamed seedling (1-1-55). A consistent and strong growing plant shown in my winning Engleheart Cup group 1971 and 1973.

Mid-season

Price each £45.00 : \$ 105.75

Very few bulbs for sale

DALHAUINE (Lea) Div. 3B R/W

One of the best red and white 3B's to date. A very consistent flower. The perianth is smooth and very white, with a well-proportioned deep red cup which is nicely frilled. Shown under number 1-26-61. This is another flower bred from 1-1-55 for whiteness of perianth.

Late mid-season

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £5.00 : \$ 11.25

M.B.  
DELL CHAPEL (Lea) Div. 3B

This delightful flower was named after a famous salmon pool on the river Spey. It has a nearly round pure white perianth and a small flattish cup with a neat "rim" of pinkish orange. Best flower in the R.H.S. Show 1970 and shown in my winning Englehart Cup group in 1971 and 1973. A very consistent show flower.

Late mid-season

Breeding : SULIVEN x HAMZALI

Price each £2.50 : \$ 5.85

DOVE WINGS (Coleman) A.K. R.H.S. 1949 Div. 6A

The white reflexing perianth is formed by pointed petals is in good contrast to the medium length cup. A very good plant of free increase.

Early-season

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70

£2.75 for 10

DRUMRUNIE (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A brilliant coloured red-yellow with a large smooth perianth of richest gold, the cup being vivid red. This is a most consistent flower of show quality on a tall stiff stem. Shown in my winning Englehart Cup group under number 2-41-63; a sister seedling of "Loch Torridon".

Early season

Breeding : 2-17-54 x VULCAN

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £5.00 : \$ 11.25

ELPHIN (Lea) Div. 4 Pink / White

Like "Kinbrace" this is another bright pink double that I have raised from the same breeding. It is a smaller flower but perhaps more elegant, being about average size for doubles, and is a good grower. As it normally carries both pollen and stigma it can be used for breeding.

Late season

Very few bulbs for sale

Price each £20.00 : \$ 47.00

ERIBOL (Lea) Div. 2B R/W

One of the many good flowers raised from Kilworth x Arbar. The broad petals form a fine white perianth, much whiter than is normal for this cross. The neat cup is the deepest red yet. Shown in my winning Englehart Cup group in 1971. Bourne Cup 1973.

Mid-season

Price each £2.00 : \$ 4.70

FIONN (Lea) Div. 2B Pink

A fine "pink" that is clear bright pink right to the base of the cup, which is formed like a short trumpet. The well-rounded perianth gives good balance to the flower on its tallish stem. The perianth is white.

Late season

Price each £0.45 : \$ 1.05

GOLDEN RAPTURE (Richardson) F.C.C. RHS 1959 Div. 1A

A very fine show flower of great size. The large petals are broad and slightly reflexing and of great substance. The large trumpet is widely flanged and frilled at the mouth. The whole flower is a uniform golden yellow. A strong plant, and a great increaser. Best Bloom RHS. 1959

Mid-season

Breeding : Pretoria x Goldcourt

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70  
£2.75 for 10

INVERPOLLY (Lea) A.M. RHS 1972 Div. 2C

This outstanding flower has a very large, perfectly smooth perianth formed from broad rounded petals and a short rather straight cup. The whole flower is pure white and most consistent in show quality. The cup on opening is palest peachy pink, which quickly fades to pure white. I have used it most successfully in breeding "pinks" that inherit Inverpolly's superb perianth. Twice best flower in R.H.S. shows and in my winning Englehart Cup group in 1971. 'Best Vase of Three' at Chambersburg U.S.A. 1972.

Late season

Breeding : EASTER MOON x OMEATH

Price each £7.00 : \$ 16.45

KILDAVIN (Lea) Div. 2B Pink

A beautiful medium-sized "pink" with slightly swept back pure white perianth with a shortish trumpet that is clear bright pink right to the base.

Late season

Price each £2.00 : \$ 4.70

KINBRACE (Lea) Div. 4 Pink / White

The first really "pink" double to be raised. A magnificent large flower with white perianth petals and clear bright pink inner segments. Received Preliminary Commendation when first shown at the R.H.S. in 1968. A good strong plant. As most flowers have a stigma and often pollen it can be used for breeding.

Late season

Only a very few bulbs for sale

Price each £17.50 : \$ 41.25

KINGSCOURT (Richardson) FCC RHS 1947 Div. 1A

One of the best flowers bred by Lionel Richardson and still amongst the finest yellow trumpets for exhibition. A large flower of beautiful form and great quality. A very consistent plant and a strong grower.

Mid season

Breeding : Royodist x Crocus

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70  
£2.75 for 10

LOCH ASSYNT (Lea) Div. 3B

A very attractive "rim" with a large and very smooth perianth of glistening white. The well-proportioned cup is neatly frilled; has an orange rim fading to pale yellow at base. Shown at the R.H.S. under number 3-44-61. This is another flower bred from my seedling 1-1-55, crossed with Scyracuse.

Mid-season

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £3.75 : \$ 8.80

LOCH FADA (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A very late red and yellow flowering at the end of the season. Most useful for late shows. The rich yellow petals are very broad and flat in good contrast to the short straight cup which is flaming red to the base.

Late season

Breeding : TANERA x 8-29-55

Price each £2.75 : \$ 6.45

LOCH GARVIE (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A sister seedling of "Loch Owskeich" with a rich deep yellow perianth. The cup is formed like a rather short trumpet and is an intense orange red to the base. The stem is strong and tall. Like its sister seedling it is sunproof. Previously shown under number 1-13-61.

Early mid-season

Breeding : 1-19-55 x CARAMBA

Price each £2.50 : \$ 5.85

LOCH HOPE (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

Probably the finest red and yellow to date. An early flower being one of the first to open. The perfectly formed perianth is of the richest gold and the beautifully formed cup is of intense red right to the base. A very consistent flower and a winner in any class. Best flower in R.H.S. show 1970.

Early season

Breeding : 1-58-53 x VULCAN

Only a very few bulbs for sale

Price each £15.00 : \$ 35.25

LOCH NAVER (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A very useful late red and yellow with a round smooth bright yellow perianth that opens flat and a well-formed vivid red cup. A very consistent flower, shown in my winning Englehart Cup group in 1971 and 1973. Bourne Cup 1973. Bloom Daffodil Society Show 1973.

Late mid-season

Breeding : 1-58-53 x TANERA

Only a few bulbs for sale

Price each £3.00 : \$ 7.05

LOCH OWSKEICH (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A sister seedling of "Loch Garvie" but of larger proportions. The large red cup is half-trumpet in form and, like "Loch Garvie" is sunproof. A strong growing plant. Previously shown under number 2-13-61.

Early mid-season

Breeding : 1-19-55 x CARAMBA

Price each £1.25 : \$ 2.95

LOCH STAC (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A brilliant rather small red and yellow with a perfectly flat smooth perianth of rich gold and a beautifully proportioned cup of vivid red. A very consistent flower on a tall strong stem.

Early mid-season

Breeding : AIR MARSHAL x 1-8-52

Price each £0.50 : \$ 1.15

MERLIN (Richardson) A.M. RHS 1962 Div. 3B rim

A lovely medium sized flower with the purest whole nearly round perianth of perfect quality, and a rather flat crown of pale yellow edged with a narrow rim of intense red. It is dilreiously scented. A very consistant and wonderful show flower. A strong robust plant.

Late mid-season

Breeding : Mahmoud selfed

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70  
£2.75 for 10

ORION (Richardson) AM. RHS 1962 Div. 2B R/W

The large white petals are broad and rounded forming a nearly circular perianth of good substance and texture. The large cup is deep orange red and neatly serrated at the edge. A good strong plant.

Mid-season  
Breeding : Kilworth x Arbar  
Price each £0.50 : \$ 1.15

ROCKALL (Richardson) F.C.C. RHS 1965 Div. 3B R/W

One of the best 3B's raised by Lionel Richardson. A large flower on good stem. The perianth formed from broad white petals slightly pointed are of great substance, form a perfect background for the rather cup shaped crown of brilliant red. A tall plant.

Late mid-season  
Price each £1.00 : \$ 2.35

RUBH MOR (Lea) Div. 2B R/W

A very large flower of perfect proportions on a strong stiff stem. The round perianth formed from broad overlapping petals is very white and a perfect foil for the large, bright-red cup. A borrobol seedling, shown in my winning Englehart Cup group 1971 and 1973. A very long lasting show flower that needs time to develop.

Early mid-season  
Breeding : Borrobol x 2-57

Only a very few bulbs for sale

Price each £15.00 : \$ 35.25

SHIELDAIG (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A rather late flower for a red and yellow in the non-predominant class. Of medium size with a smooth rich yellow perianth and its nicely formed cup has a broad orange red rim. Shown in my winning Englehart Cup Group 1973. Bourne Cup 1973.

Late mid-season  
Breeding : NARVIK x AIR MARSHAL  
Price each £1.75 : \$ 4.10

STRATHKANAIIRD (Lea) Div. 1A

A large trumpet of fine proportions of a good rich golden yellow throughout. A frequent winner in single bloom classes and in my winning Englehart Cup group of 1971.

Early mid-season  
Breeding : KINGSCOURT x GOLDEN RAPTURE

NONE to offer this year

SUILVEN (Lea) Div. 3C

Bred from "Chinese White" it is a medium-sized flower with a very white perianth and a small white cup with dark green lights at the base.

Late mid-season  
Price each £0.35 : \$ 0.85

SYRACUSE (Richardson) A.M. RHS 1961 Div. 3B

A lovely flower with a beautiful perianth formed from broad overlapping white petals of wonderful texture, the cup rather saucer shaped is edged with a band of pale greeny yellow and nicely frilled. A very beautiful show flower and a very consistent strong grower.

Late mid-season

Breeding : GreenIsland x Chinese White  
Price each £0.50 : \$ 1.15

TANERA (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A very large red and yellow with a large intense orange red cup and a big perianth to match. It has a stout stem that carries the flower well above the foliage. Sunproof. A very strong plant.

Mid-season

Breeding : CARBINEER x MEXICO  
Price each £0.35 : \$ 0.85

TOREADOR (Richardson) Div. 3B

A borderline flower between division 2 & 3. The white perianth is much whiter than expected from its breeding, is formed from broad overlapping petals of great substance and the cup is nicely frilled at the edge is cherry red. A very useful show flower.

Late mid-season

Breeding : Kilworth x Arbar  
Price each £0.50 : \$ 1.15

TORRIDON (Lea) Div. 2A R/Y

A sister seedling to "Drumrunie", but slightly smaller; it is a brilliant flower, quite the richest coloured red and yellow I have raised. The perianth is so smooth it might have been ironed. A very consistent and long lasting flower on a tall stiff stem. Shown in my winning Englehart Cup group 1971 and 1973.

Early season

Breeding : 2-17-54 x VULCAN  
Price each £14.00 : \$ 32.90

TORRISH (Lea) Div. 3B

A beautiful flower with a smooth, very white, perianth, and a small bright solid yellow cup - a perfect contrast to the perianth. A sister seedling to "Dell Chapel".

Late season

Breeding : SUILVEN x HAMZALI  
Price each £0.75 : \$1.75

TUDOR MINSTREL (Richardson) FCC RHS 1956 Div. 2B

A very fine show flower and still the most consistent winner in single bloom classes for its class. The very large flower has a splendid white perianth of great size and quality. The large cup is solid bright yellow throughout and is neatly frilled. A very consistent show flower and a splendidly strong plant.

Mid-season

Price each £0.30 : \$ 0.70  
£2.75 for 10

VERONA (Richardson) FCC RHS 1961 Div. 3C

The best 3C raised by Lionel Richardson, a very consistent show flower that has a nearly round smooth perianth that is naturally flat of great substance. The nearly flat crown is evenly crinkled and serrated at the edge, opens cream that soon fades to white. Good stem and neck.

Late Mid-season

Breeding : GreenIsland x Chinese White  
Price each £1.00 : \$ 2.35

Mixed seedlings from the latest cultivars that can contain many fine flowers. Of flowering size.

£7.00 per 100 delivered UK only

NOT less than 50 supplied.

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**4. Payment (Contd.)**

d) Overseas orders will be sent Airmail and insured at customer's expense, unless otherwise instructed. The rates shown below for Airmail, Insurance and Packing apply, and should be added to the pre-paid order.

Airmail postage and insurance

To : U.S.A.      up to and including 3 bulbs . . . . \$ 3.10  
                       from 4 to 6 bulbs . . . . . \$ 4.35  
                       thereafter A D D \$ 1.40 for  
                       every additional 3 bulbs

Sterling

AUSTRALIA,      up to and including 3 bulbs . . . . £2.10  
 NEW ZEALAND from 4 to 6 bulbs . . . . . £3.30  
 TASMANIA      thereafter A D D £1.20 for  
                       every additional 3 bulbs

SOUTH AFRICA up to and including 3 bulbs . . . . £1.50  
                       from 4 to 6 bulbs . . . . . £1.30  
                       thereafter A D D £0.70 for  
                       every additional 3 bulbs

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