

## What's Happening – October 2020

### Bronze and Gold

What's the first thing most folks think of when someone mentions fall? Fall color, of course! It might not be as flashy as a Vermont forest, but we do get fall color in Southern California. Here at Evergreen Nursery we have plenty of plants that provide the gold, bronze, red, and orange shades you love to brighten your landscape for fall or all year long.

For instant fall color in your flower beds, plant colorful annuals like [Chrysanthemum](#), [Pansy](#), [Gazania](#), [Calendula](#), and [Begonia](#). Add larger flowering shrubs like [Kangaroo Paw](#), [Bird of Paradise](#), or [Autumn Sage](#).

What about some hot hues for foliage, too? Shrubs like [New Zealand Flax](#), [Euphorbia 'Sticks on Fire'](#), [Heavenly Bamboo](#), [Golden Euonymus](#), [Purple Hopseed Bush](#), [Caribbean Copper Plant](#), and [Cordyline](#) varieties like 'Salsa' or 'Soledad Purple' add color and contrast to your fall landscape (and the rest of the year, too!)

Of course, it wouldn't feel like fall without some colorful falling leaves. Deciduous trees like [Crape Myrtle](#), [Chinese Pistache](#), [Round-lobed Sweetgum](#), [Redbud](#), [Purple Leaf Flowering Plum](#), and [Coral Bark Maple](#) put on bold displays of color before casting off their leaves for winter.

Fall is a great time for planting, so take advantage! The soil is still warm, and the mornings and evenings are cooler. Come on in, bring the kids and the dog – we'll be waiting for you right here at Evergreen Nursery.

