

## Vista Bella Farm – 2859 Malagash Road, Malagash NS – 902-890-2067

Variety	Date	Origin	Parentage	Description	Barbour's Comments
Vista Bella	Aug 22	New Jersey 1974	Complex Parentage	Juicy, Tangy, Aromatic	The best early apple to date, only keeps a few weeks
Lodi	Aug 30	New York 1924	Yellow Transparent x Montgomery	Flesh Soft, Sub-Acid	A great sauce apple, food for pies when green
Jersey Mac	Aug 30	New Jersey 1971	Complex Parentage	Slightly Aromatic	A Sweet, crisp apple with a distinctive flavour
Melba	Sep 6	Ottawa 1924	Macintosh Seedling	Crisp, Juicy, Sub-Acid	Soft and tastes like a mac, bruises very easily
Duchess	Sep 6	Russia pre-1830	Unknown	Acid, Good Early Cooker	Crisp and acidic and quite uniform in taste
King	Sep 6	New York 1900	Unknown	Acid, Good Early Cooker	
Paula Red	Sep 15	Michigan 1967	Unknown, possibly Cortland	Crisp, Sub-Acid	Very crisp, juicy and sweeter than many
Geneva Crab	Sep 15	Ottawa 1930	Unknown	Dark Red Crab	Red flesh, moderately bitter
Dolgo Crab	Sep 15	Russia pre-1897	Unknown	Bright Red Crab	Tangy, juicy, slightly bitter
William's Pride	Sep 15	Indiana (PRI) 1988	Unknown	Rich, aromatic	Hard, juicy, sweet, early apple
Gravenstein	Sep 20	Germany pre-1800	Unknown	Juicy, Tangy	Excellent, hard, juicy, tangy apple
Gingergold	Sep 20	Virginia 1996	Winesap Seedling	Mild and Sweet, Crisp and Juicy	Very crisp and juicy with a less-acidic taste
Greensleeves	Sep 20	England 1977	James Grieve x Golden Delicious	Crisp (tough skin)	Almost like Golden Delicious though less acidic
Wealthy	Sep 20	Minnesota 1969	Cherry Crab	Crisp, Sub-acid, Sprightly	Crisp and juicy
Prima	Sep 20	Indiana (PRI) 1970	Complex Parentage	Crisp, Sub-Acid	Variable flavour
Kestrel	Sep 20	Kentville 1976	Macoun x NY Red Spy	Crisp, Sub-Acid	Nice tasting apple, small size
Lobo	Sep 20	Ottawa 1930	Macintosh Seedling	Macintosh Type, Slightly more acid	Large Macintosh type tangy
Honeycrisp	Sep 30	Minnesota 1960s	Honeygold x Unknown	Firm, Juicy, Very Crisp, Mild, Sweet	Limited quantities, best yet
MacIntosh	Oct 5	Morrisburg, ON 1870	Snow Seedling?	Juicy, Sub-Acid,	One of the best all around apples.
Snow	Oct 5	Quebec 1700s	Unknown	Aromatic, Sub-Acid	Tasty and soft like a Macintosh
Liberty	Oct 5	New York 1978	Macoun Cross	Crisp, Juicy	Great eating apple

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Wolf River	Oct 5	Wisconsin	1870	Alexander Seedling?	Hard, Cooker, Large, Keeper	Not a lot of flavour but edible and a great cooker
Spartan	Oct 5	Summerland, BC 1926		Macintosh x Yellow Newton	Crisp, Aromatic, Sub-Acid	A sweet juicy apple with its own flavour
Cortland	Oct 10	New York	1915	Macintosh x Ben Davis	Slow to brown, Sub-Acid	Especially good for pies, salads best all around
Cox's Orange	Oct 10	England	1825	Ribston Seedling?	Juicy, Sub-Acid, Aromatic	A very special flavour, crisp and aromatic
Greening	Oct 10	Rhode Island	1600s	Unknown	Rich, Sub-Acid	Basically a cooker but decent eating
Imperial Gala	Oct 15	New Zealand	1965	Kidd's Orange Red x Golden Delicious	Crisp, Juicy, Mildly Aromatic	Crisp and has a flavour of its own, appealing
Jonagold	Oct 15	New York	1968	Golden Delicious x Jonathan	Crisp, Sweet	One of the best, pear flavour but crisp and juicy
Empire	Oct 15	New York	1966	Macintosh x Red Delicious	Aromatic, Sub Acid	A good apple though small, great taste
Nova Spy	Oct 15	Kentville	1986	Nova Easygro x Red Spy x Golden Delicious.	Crisp, Hard, Acidic	A good cooking and keeping apple.
Pumpkin Sweet	Oct 20	Connecticut	1834	Unknown	Large, Green, Sweet	Like a granny smith but not as crisp
Red Delicious	Oct 20	Iowa	1895	Unknown	Juicy Sweet, Hard	Has eye appeal and is quite consistent in taste
Honeygold	Oct 20	Minnesota	1969	Golden Delicious x Haralson	Juicy, Sweet	Skin a little tough but a great flavour
Golden Delicious	Oct 20	West Virginia	1914	Grimes Golden Seedling?	Aromatic, Sweet, Juicy, Hard	The best flavoured apple use in many crosses
Ida Red	Oct 30	Idaho	1942	Unknown	Firm, Acid to Sub-Acid	Develops flavour on storage when picked early
Bramley	Oct 30	England	1876	Unknown	Cooker, Used extensively in England	Very tart apple, excellent cooker
Northern Spy	Oct 30	New York	1840s	Spitzenburg cross?	Crisp, Juicy, Aromatic	Old but durable, special flavour pies
Sandow	Oct 30	Ottawa	1912	Northern Spy Seedling	Crisp, Aromatic	Like a spy
Egremont Russet	Nov 5	England	1872	Unknown	Fine, Rich, Aromatic	An old variety giving best flavour after new years