## LAWNGRASS WHO'S WHO



Outstanding lawngrass varieties accepted by the Variety Review Board of The Lawn Institute include the following:

- KENTUCKY BLUEGRASSES Bluegrass is the outstanding lawngrass for the North, sometimes a bit slow to make cover but once established highly recuperative and easily cared for (spreading by rhizomes, mowing neatly).
- ADELPHI A dense dark hybrid from Rutgers University.
- ARBORETUM An old-fashioned strain from Missouri for unpampered lawns.
- ARISTA A Dutch cultivar especially used in blends.
- BARON A vigorous, European cultivar, quick and economical.
- BONNIEBLUE Another notable Rutgers hybrid, unusually low and dark.
- CHERI Admired in Europe for sturdiness and bold texture.
- FYLKING A Swedish beauty of refined elegance; withstands low mowing.
- GLADE Dark, decumbent variety, resisting mildew so good in shade.
- MAJESTIC Richly-colored Rutgers hybrid, lengthy season and dwarf habit.
- MERION Leading bluegrass of outstanding beauty, but suffers some disease.
- NUGGET A dwarf selection from Alaska, "tops" for summer looks and shade.
- PENNSTAR Highly refined European bloodline of unusual grace and beauty.
- PRATO A sprightly cultivar from Europe, doing very well in blends.
- SODCO A dwarf, slow-growing composite bred for sun and shade.
- SYDSPORT A broad-bladed Swedish cultivar, bold and bright.

PRENNIAL RYEGRASSES - The improved ryegrasses are now as attractively fine-textured as is bluegrass. Seed sprouts quickly, and seedlings are vigorous. Bluegrass is generally included with ryegrass for permanence, better spreading, and neater mowing.

- COMPAS An attractive Dutch selection, often used as a nursegrass.
- DERBY A dark, dense polycross tolerant of fairly low mowing.

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