

November 7, 2011



*A Sprinkle of Holidays Magic in Every Tree!*



**How to care for your natural Christmas Tree...**

- Mount your Christmas tree on a tree-stand as soon as possible, away from heat or fire sources. Make sure you fill the reservoir of the tree stand with plenty of fresh water covering the base of the trunk.
- Prior to installing your tree, cut about 1/2 inch disk of the trunk—this will help the tree remain hydrated.
- Replenish water every day (about 1 liter per day)
- Do not use candles or open-flame ornaments.
- Do not leave lights on overnight or when away from home.

*Authentic Natural Christmas Trees*

*and more... @ the Green Corner 6524 Montgomery Rd, Cincinnati, OH, 45213, [www.greencornercincinnati.org](http://www.greencornercincinnati.org)*

This year, let the Holidays magic begin at the Green Corner... Authentic Natural Christmas Trees: Balsam and Fraser fir imported from Quebec, Canada will be sold along with garlands and wreaths to fit your family's needs for the Holidays. The Balsam fir species is a long time favorite for Christmas thanks to its prolonged needle retention, color and pleasant and characteristic fragrance after harvest. The Fraser fir, also a Christmas favorite is also known for its long needle retention and pleasant fragrance and particularly for its dark blue-green color. The trees come from

the *Domaine de la Reole* plantation in Quebec where they are cultivated from seedling to full grown trees with the greatest care and attention to produce a high quality product and respect the environment.

So come experience the Holidays magic at the

Green Corner: 6524 Montgomery Rd, Cincinnati

Starting November 19 at 12:00 PM.

We're open every day: Sun-Wed: 12-5 PM; Thurs-Sat: 12-9 PM.

It will be our pleasure to serve you!



*Summer Plantation before shearing and pruning*



**Special points of interest:**

- Sales start on Nov.19
- Great Quality and Service and a Variety of Sizes to fit your needs.
- More than just Christmas Trees, come to find wreaths and garlands...
- 1\$ donated to the giving garden for every tree sold

*Every tree contributes to the Giving Garden... A community affair*

For every tree sold, one dollar will be donated to the Giving Garden of Cincinnati. This is a newly established non-profit organization located at 6524 Montgomery Rd. in Kennedy Heights with mission to transform the property into a beautiful educational garden for people of all ages. This past year, 30 new raised beds in which vegetables,

were installed thanks to the generous help from Crossroads Community Church volunteers. Next, perennials will be added to develop theme beds. Once this is complete, a series of educational gardening and nature classes will be offered for children and adults such as Butterfly raise and release program, Hummingbird and But-

terfly garden, and many more activities. Boreal Products is proud to support the Giving Garden in its mission and activities for 2012. For more information, contact Martin Wagner, President of the Giving Garden at: [marty@givinggardencincinnati.org](mailto:marty@givinggardencincinnati.org) or call 513.910.9876

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*Boreal Products LLC is an importer and local distributor of Natural, Authentic Christmas Trees and Christmas Accessory Products such as Garlands and Wreaths. A Christmas Tree sale can be an ideal fund raising opportunity for a charity or non-profit organization. Boreal Products LLC would be pleased to serve you in your fund raising needs. We offer the following services:*

- We deliver the quantity you need at your site*
- We will pick-up and dispose of unsold trees*
- We can replenish your stock as you need more trees*

*Contact us for details...*



*Various Stages in Christmas Tree Plantation*

*Did you know....*

*It takes 7-10 years to grow a Natural Christmas Tree?*

A lot of care was dedicated to the very tree you just purchased! While Balsam and Fraser firs have a natural inclination to grow into a conical shape, it is often after several years of shearing and pruning that the optimal conical shape and foliage density are obtained.

A healthy robust tree is often one that was transplanted several times before reaching the final field where it is cultivated to become a Christmas tree. As an example, a seedling may already be 5 years old and have been transplanted twice before being transplanted in the final

field where it will grow another 7 to 10 years.

When the 5 year old seedling is transplanted in the field where it will be cultivated to become a Christmas Tree, it is usually planted between 4 and 6 feet away from the nearest tree to give it space to grow. The first winter is the toughest on the new transplant which must adapt to the new environment... so usually, it does not grow much the first year, but rather develops a strong root network. The following years, the transplant grows in height and foliage density. From the third year on, it is sheared and

pruned every year after the growing season (towards the end of the summer) to optimize its conical shape and correct any defects. Its growth is controlled to allow for more foliage density on the lower branches. The trunk is cleaned of lower branches to facilitate harvest later and strengthen the tree. Also, the tree is checked for nuisances which may affect its health. In all, each tree is visited and examined at least four times during the short summer time, each year so that it can develop into a beautiful, magical Christmas Trees!