Mother's Cay 2025 PLANNING GUIDE





Welcome

Mother's Day is one of our favorite days of the year to treat mom with the freshest and most beautiful blooms that shows how much she is appreciated. Our Spring & Mother's Day collections are designed to spread cheer and happiness to everyone, especially Mom.

BloomNet is committed to working with you, as you help customers show their appreciation for all the special mom's in their lives.

In addition, we have created an informative Mother's Day 2025 Planning Guide... complete with tips, reminders and insights that can enhance your shop's opportunities for the upcoming holidays.

We look forward to working closely with you, helping to ensure a successful Mother's Day for your business!



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SUPPORTING YOUR SHOP

Thank You!

As Mother's Day approaches, we're reminded of the importance of staying connected with loved ones. Our goal continues to be to maximize your profit potential, while providing best-in-class products and services, from our team of dedicated associates. Now more than ever you should order hardgoods, supplies, fresh floral and premade bouquets in advance, to ensure your shop is ready for the busy season.

Order Products Now

MEMBERSHIP ENHANCEMENTS

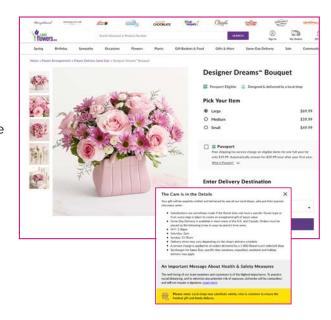
- Increased promotion of One-of-a-Kind/Florist Choice arrangements
- Reduction of Florist Designed arrangements with difficult-to-source fresh floral
- Flexible Substitutions
- Flexible Delivery Windows

- BMS customers now have access to more drivers through the BloomNet Enhanced Delivery Program, Rates starting as low as \$5.99 per delivery
- Leverage the BloomNet Helium program for discounted rates & dedicated customer service. Click Here for details
- FREE business consultation with your Account Relationship Manager (ARM)

UPDATED SUBSTITUTION GUIDELINES

Together, we can meet our customer's expectations and bring more orders to your shop. At times, you may need to make a substitution to ensure each order is fresh and delivered in a timely manner. Please know that in this instance, 1-800-FLOWERS.COM® team has made updates to their website to highlight this possibility and that the utmost care & attention is given to ensure each arrangement is designed of equal value.

View Substitution Guidelines





FEATURED MOTHER'S DAY PRODUCTS

For 1-800-FLOWERS.COM®



#194225 **Lavender Expression Bouquet**

#194011

Honey Bee Buzz™

for Spring

#191167

Floral Embrace™



#191244 Always On My Mind™ Flower Bouquet



#191247 Vibrant Beauty™ Bouquet



#191259 Fields of Europe®

#191756

Elegant Blush Bouquet

#191768

Mother's Embrace™

Bouquet

#191546

Precious Pup™



Amazing Mom™ Bouquet



#191313 Vibrant Floral Medley™



#194294 Flirty Fun Bouquet



#191890 Marvelous Mom™



Nature's Charm™ Bouquet

FEATURED MOTHER'S DAY PRODUCTS

For 1-800-FLOWERS.COM® (CONT.)



Daydream



#191310 Spring Sentiment™ **Bouquet**



#191387 Splendid Beauty™ Bouquet



#191173 Lovely Lavender Medley™

#194296 **Designer's Dreams Bouquet**

View Recipes

1-800-FLOWERS.COM® MOTHER'S DAY AND SPRING FEATURED CODIFIED CONTAINERS



190136 Amazing Mom LED sign

#191769

Charmingly Chic™ Bouquet



156670 Violet Fluted **Gathering Vase**



190129 Pink Flirt



155243 **Birthday Wishes** Flower Cake® Kit







Modern White Vase

190125



Moss Handbag

190161

155248

190128

Tote - ally

Charming

Handbag

Ruby Vase



190135 Pink Perfection Vase





190116 **Lavender Glass** Vase™





BOUQUETS2GO

SEASONAL TIPS

Fresh Mother's Day Procurement

This season, 1-800-FLOWERS.COM® is featuring the following fresh floral in our Mother's Day arrangements.





Fields of Europe® for Mom #191259

PREMADE BOUQUETS FOR MOTHER'S DAY

Our premade bouquet program, Bouquets2GO, is designed to help BloomNet Florists maximize fulfillment capacity & profit potential during busy seasons. This season, our premade bouquet program offers 6 premade bouquets for Mother's Day, each a top selling 1-800-FLOWERS.COM® arrangement.

These premade bouquets have been created by the 1-800-FLOWERS.COM® Florist Designed Team, with farm level pricing! Premade bouquet offerings are updated regularly to include all major holidays to help support your fulfillment needs year-round! Best of all, you can place premade bouquet orders on your BloomNet Clearinghouse!



Blooming Love #161132



Fields of Europe Romance #191112



Daydream Bouquet #191168



Floral Embrace #191167



Lovely Lavender #191173

View Bouquet Pricing.

Mother's Day VistaFlor Deadlines: Order By: April 22 Mother's Day Last Delivery: May 8

To order premade bouquets or for more details, please call Customer Service at 877-281-0327 or email 18@vistaflor.com

VistaFlor pricing includes shipping and is a landed store price. Most bouquets are available in quarter & half boxes. Select floral varieties may be substituted based on availability. Please note, premade bouquet orders only include fresh floral bouquets. Please refer to the 1-800-FLOWERS.COM Design Resource Guide for required hardgoods, supplies and/or accessories.

FRESH FLORAL

Alstroemeria (pink, peach, white, lavender, orange)

Althos Pom

Anemone (purple, pink)

Bupleurum

Carnations (pink, lavender, yellow, green, peach, white)

Cremon (pink, yellow, lavender)

Daisy / Button Pom (white, lavender, yellow)

Delphinium (blue)

Dianthus (pink, purple)

Dusty Miller

Eucalyptus (seeded, spiral & silver dollar)

Gerbera (pink, hot pink,

Anthurium (red, pink, white)
Calla Lily (white, purple)

Gardenia Kalanchoe

(yellow, pink, orange)

Gypsophila Larkspur (pink)

Liatris

Lilies (Oriental, Asiatic, LA Hybrid in white, pink, yellow)

Limonium (pink, purple)

Lisianthus (lavender, pink)

Matsumoto Aster (pink, hot pink, lavender)

Mini-Carnations (pink)

Mini-Gerbera (pink, peach, orange, yellow)

Monte Casino (purple, white)

Mum Disbud (lavender, yellow)

Queen Anne's Lace

PLANTS

Money Tree Orchid Single Stem

(white, purple

Orchid Double Stems (blue, white, pink, purple)

Roses (pink, hot pink, peach, white, lavender, orange, quick-sand)

Salal & Salal Tips

Snapdragon (lavender, white, pink, orange)

Solidago

Spray Roses (orange, peach)

Statice (purple)

Stock (pink, lavender, white, peach, Fuschia, cream)

Sunflowers

Tulip

(orange, pink, mix)

Variegated Pittosporum

Veronica (pink)

Waxflower (pink, purple, white)

Spathiphyllum / Peace Plant Succulent

Increase Your Order Volume with our New Wholesale Plants Collection

- Increase your 1-800-Flowers.com® order volume & in-store sales
- Orchids & Money Trees support 1-800-Flowers.com[®]
 Same Day Plant Program
- 2 Day FedEx Shipping, Competitive Pricing and Top-Notch Quality
- Discover additional Green Foliage Plants, Succulents & More!
- Gardenia will only be available through Mid-May, so Order Now!

Order Now!





SEASONAL TIPS

Mother's Day Reminders

OPERATIONS CHECKLIST ☐ Reinforce with staff the importance of photo proof-of-delivery, as well as submitting ☐ Keep record of what product and add-on's have been ordered, and who will process it upon arrival.

- ☐ For any vases you green-up in advance, check daily to see if water needs to be added. Soak floral foam properly to avoid air pockets. resources easily accessible to them.
 - Consult past staffing & performance patterns to plan for this year's holiday.

Use <u>floral cleaning solutions</u> to disinfect flower buckets and work surfaces.

delivery notifications in real-time.

BloomNet Customer Service hours for Mother's Day.

Will your shop be open on Sunday, May 11? Please update your status at www.bloomnet.net/opensunday.

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TECHNOLOGY

- ✓ Submit delivery photos through our <u>FREE</u> <u>Route4Me App.</u>
- ✓ Ensure you have plenty of paper and ink for printers, including receipt printers.
- Make sure your computer has all of the most recent updates.
- ✓ Gain access to more <u>local delivery drivers</u> at discounted rates!

LOCAL STORE MARKETING

- Display current store hours and <u>delivery</u> <u>policies</u> where FedEx, UPS and USPS can easily see.
- Place window banners and retail posters in windows where easily seen from parking lot or the road.

Utilize <u>BloomNet360.com</u> our online marketplace of customizable print assets to order and use to promote your shop.

- front door store hour sign
- bounce back cards
- brochures
- product menu

- business open/closed sign
 post
 - postcards
- gift cards
 - .5

SAVE 20% on Mother's Day assets - Promo Code "ELBCY" (available 3/17 - 4/13/2025)
SAVE 10% on Mother's Day assets - Promo Code "9LLR3" (available 4/12 - 5/4/2025)

SEASONAL TIPS

Daily Reminders

DELIVERY CONFIRMATIONS

Maximize use of Route4Me for Photo Proof of Delivery to reduce Customer Complaints and Deliver Smiles. Photo Proof of Delivery for Delivery Confirmation is a requirement and best practice as a fulfiller of 1-800-Flowers.com®, FruitBouquet.com® and Shari's Berries® to resolve delivery dispute from customers.

- Submit Delivery Confirmations in real time or before 7:00pm on all completed deliveries & earn a \$1 credit for each DLC received on time!
- Submit a Delivery Notification in real time or before 7:00pm on all deliveries that were attempted, but not able to be successfully completed.

Here are ways to submit Delivery Confirmations:

- FREE MOBILE APP: "Route4Me" for Business Management System Customers
- TEXT: 1-855-TEXT-DLC (1-855-839-8352)

• Our <u>Timely Reply Program</u> requires shops

two hours of receiving it. Doing so gives

BloomNet time to secure another shop to

deliver the order, avoiding additional fees.

• To receive payment for phone orders fulfilled,

you must complete an **Incoming Order Form**

(BloomLink>Utilities>Reports>Incoming Order

Report Form). All orders fulfilled via BloomLink

SENDING PHONE & FAX ORDERS

do not require an Incoming Order Form.

Payment will be applied to the following

unable to deliver an order, to reject it within

- CALL: 1-855-839-8352
- ONLINE: BloomLink

REJECTING ORDERS:

month's statement.

With feve!

ZIP CODE SELF-SERVICE

 Shops have the ability to update/add delivery zip codes, for servicing cities, for shop-to-shop orders. <u>See page 10 of the</u> <u>Directory White Pages for details</u>.

SELF-SUSPENDING

 If you need to self-suspend incoming orders, there are several steps to do so. Please review the <u>steps for self-suspending</u> <u>incoming BloomLink orders</u>, as well as the <u>steps for self-suspending your</u> <u>BloomNet Commerce website</u>.







SEASONAL TIPS

Guides and Manuals

Our Design Resource Guides and Workroom Manuals are a collection of beautifully distinctive floral arrangements, by some of the floral industry's most talented local floral artisans!

For your convenience, electronic versions of the Design Resource Guides and Workroom Manuals are <u>available online</u>.

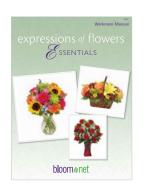






1-800-FLOWERS.COM®

- 2025 Mother's Day, Early Spring & Everyday Design Resource Guide
- 2022 Sympathy Design Resource Guide





BloomNet Essentials

- Everyday & Holidays Full Workroom Manual
- Tributes & Sympathy Workroom Manual

ENHANCE YOUR DELIVERIES

with BloomNet Business Management System





Take the guess work out of route planning, with the **FREE Route4Me app!**

Create More Accurate Routes: Send real-time updates to, and receive real-time updates from your drivers, while on the go

Minimize Costs: Save money on gas, insurance,and vehicle maintenance with Route4Me's accurate routing

Improve Overall Safety: Take photos of your deliveries as proof-of-delivery while still respecting social distancing

Start optimizing your deliveries today with Route4Me!

Share these How-To Videos with your drivers!



Android



Apple







Access more local delivery drivers with Walmart GoLocal, Doordash Driver and Uber starting as low as \$5.99 per delivery!

- Increase Efficiency: Find available drivers for same day deliveries, any day of the year!
- Reduce Expenses: Pay only for the delivery drivers you use (with no monthly fees)
- **Gain Visibility:** Get real-time delivery updates straight to your BMS platform

Make your deliveries more efficient with the BloomNet Enhanced Delivery Program!





Fresh Floral Marketplace. Priced Right



Best in Class Farms



We've established strategic relationships with the leading flower-growing countries

Premium Floral Varieties



Through our marketplace we connect you to the farms, giving you access to premium floral varieties



Freshness Guaranteed



We eliminate the middleman by streamlining procurement, saving time and money

TRUCK DELIVERY NOW AVAILABLE IN SELECT CITIES

INCREASE YOUR SALES WITH Custom Greeting Cards

POWERED BY



GREETING CARD STARTER PACK INCLUDES:

- Print Cards on demand
- Premium cardstock paper & envelopes

 Sign up today and receive a FREE BloomNet Commerce Website integration for designing and printing custom cards



FASTEST GROWING ADD-ON



It seems as if every other order has a Card Isle Card attached to it. This is the best program that we've participated in over the years.

MARGARET FLEEGAL

President & CEO Twinbrook Floral Design, Inc

Card Isle is a great addition to our business! Helps increase the average sale with a seamless upsell. Set up was easy and customers love the personalized touch.

JENNIFER BOJI

Designs by Guzzardo's | Milwaukee, WI











BloomNet360 is your one-stop-shop for customizable marketing products, designed to help build your local brand and business!

- Browse our library of premade templates
- Customize them with your own logo and shop information
- Order exactly what you need & still benefit from high-quantity price breaks
- Have your order shipped to your shop, or leverage our direct mail services!

Brochures



Postcards



Get Started Today



SEASONAL TIPS

Designer Inspiration

napco

Napco Trend Reports

Being unique is our top priority. Use our seasonal trend reports to discover new and unique products, themed to each season, and perfect for inspiring creativity in your own store displays!



View Trend Reports









JUNE 8-10

"Certification and Competition"

With Gina Thresher AIFD, CFD, EMC, IMF

MUST ENROLL BY MAY 23

Special Offer for BloomNet Members: Register by May 1 and get the Creative Flair Class FREE

Designing for Certification and Competition is more in-depth than designing for everyday retail. Manipulating Elements & Principles, adding Creative Flair and design techniques are what evaluators and judges look for.



JUNE 11

"Creative Flair #105"

With Angelyn Tipton AIFD, CFD, GMF, PFCI

MUST ENROLL BY MAY 30

Join Angelyn Tipton for tips and tricks to add some creative flair to your everyday designs. This course is designed to help you stand out from your competition. Each Creative Flair class is unique. No two classes are the same.

SPACE IS LIMITED Enroll Now!



SOCIAL MEDIA BEST PRACTICES

for Seasonal Success

for Seasonal Success

DIGITAL MARKETING TIPS





As a florist, leverage social media to your advantage during busy holiday seasons, to engage both current and potential customers!

1 Stay Updated

Make sure your business information is up-to-date on all social platforms, this includes but isn't limited to, business name, address, web address, phone number and hours.

2 Include Videos

Providing business updates through live broadcasts, stories and/or video uploads across various social media platforms, especially YouTube, Facebook and Instagram.

3 | Keep it Short & Sweet

Despite the recommended limit, don't abbreviate or use acronyms. Instead, write out full words to make for an easier read.

4 Include Links

Linking your social posts back to your website can help potential customers view your selection! Help speed up the buying process and help customers find exactly what they are looking for!

5 Use Hashtags

Research shows posts with 11 or more hashtags garner 80% more engagement. Here's a list for your use this season.

Mother's Day: #mothersday, #mothersdaygift, #mothersdayflowers, #mothersdayflower, #mothersdaygiftideas, #giftsformom, #flowersformom, #mothersdaygifts, #MothersDay2025, #motherslove, #formom, #happymothersday, #mayflowers, #mothersdayideas

Easter: #easter, #easterflowers, #springflowers, #easterflowerdelivery, #easterbasket, #easterdecor, #easterbunny, #aprilflowers, #happyeaster, #easterbouquets, #easter2025

Administrative Professionals Week: #administrative professionals day, #adminprofessionalsday, #adminprofessionalsdayflowers, #showappreciation, #administrativeprofessionaldaygifts, #adminprofessionalsday2025, #officesuperstars

Optimizing Your Google Business Profile for your Flower Shop

Google Business Profile (formerly known as Google My Business) is a powerful tool for driving local traffic and increasing visibility for your floral business. Optimizing your profile ensures that customers can easily find you, contact you, and choose your shop over competitors

Learn more

Importance of Google Reviews

Google Reviews are highly important for SEO (search engine optimization). They influence your local search rankings, making your business more visible in search results. Positive reviews can increase your SEO, helping you stand out from competitors and attract more potential customers. Ensure your google business listing is up to date. It is very important images and information is current, so you remain relevant in search results.









Tips to Grow Your Email List

- Create an inventory of all the places you normally interact with your customers. Then practice saying out loud why they should join your email list.
- Reach out to loyal customers who already receive your emails, and ask if they're willing to help spread the word about your business.
- Create an online sign-up form, so anyone visiting your website will be able to sign up to receive your emails.
- Reach your current and future customers to introduce new products, services, or advertise a promotion or event.

Wêre Here For You

During peak seasons, BloomNet's Customer Service teams are available when you need us the most.

For any other questions, please visit www.bloomnet.net/contactus.

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