

## 2006 List of Turfgrass Cultivars Evaluated In Western Washington In Recent Years

The list of varieties included below is in constant revision as new varieties are released or become available on the market. Not all varieties are listed, as information is not always available for all varieties. When it is felt that insufficient observation or inconsistent observation of a variety is the only information at hand, then those varieties may not appear on the list until more reliable information is available. Also many varieties that performed very well in tests, in past years, may now have been moved out of the 'best' performance group into the 'next lower' group (*italics*). The cultivars in **bold** print have the best test records during recent years in western Washington and Oregon. They should be used where high quality turf is expected. The cultivars in *italics* print have the next best records and will provide **good** to **excellent** quality turf but may be more susceptible to local diseases or may become discolored and less dense more often than the best cultivars. We suggest use of the best cultivars where they are available. Kentucky bluegrass is not well adapted to western Washington, so only the best cultivars should be used. Other cultivars of Kentucky bluegrass may soon disappear from the turf. The letter following each cultivar is a general designation for color. VD = very dark; D = dark; MD = medium dark; M = medium; L = light.

### Perennial Ryegrass

<b>Palmer IV</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Buena Vista</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Pizzazz</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Overdrive</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Paragon GLR</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Citation Fore</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Exacta II</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Pinnacle II</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Fusion</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Mach I</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Panther GLS</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Silver Dollar</b>	<b>MD</b>
<i>Quicksilver</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Sunshine 2</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Protégé GLR</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Repell GLS</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Headstart 2</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Premier II</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Inspire</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Affinity</i>	<i>L</i>
<i>Halo</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Panther</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Brightstar SLT</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Palmer III</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Charismatic</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Applaud</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Arrival</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Splendid</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Cabo</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Paragon</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Jet</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Seville II</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>Fiesta 3</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>SR 4500</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Manhattan 4</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Premier</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Barlennium</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Pentium</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Pinnacle</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Icon</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>SR 4350</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>SR 4220</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>All Star 2</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>SR 4420</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Courage</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Kokomo</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Churchill</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Stellar</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Amazing</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Terradyne</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>IQ</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Ascend</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Affirmed</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Gallery</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Calypso II</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Nexus</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Majesty</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Salinas</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Pennant II</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Admire</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Racer II</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Extreme</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Promise</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Catalina II</i>	<i>VD</i>
<i>Wilmington</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>SRX 4120</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Pacesetter</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Pleasure XL</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Brightstar II</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Line Drive</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Prowler</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Phantom</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Catalina</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Radiant</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Summerset</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Monterey II</i>	<i>MD</i>

### Fine Fescue Creeping Red

<b>Musica</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>Salsa</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Cindy</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Salem</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Flyer</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Navigator</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Cindy Lou</b>	<b>D</b>	<i>Jasper II</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Pathfinder</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>CO3-RCE</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Bargeena II</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Aberdeen</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>Ensylva</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Inverness</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Florentine</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Razor</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Oracle</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>Celestial</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Audubon</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Boreal</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Pennlawn</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Ruby</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Robot</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Commodore</i>	<i>M</i>

Slender Creeping (SR)

<b>Dawson E+</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Barcrown</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Marker</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Napoli</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Barskol</b>	<b>MD</b>	<i>Seabreeze</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>Comfort</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Smirna</i>	<i>MD</i>

Chewings

<b>Ambassador</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Tiffany</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Shadow II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Treazure E</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Longfellow</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Weekend</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Tamara</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Enjoy</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Victory</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Bridgeport</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Shadow w/Endo</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Proformer</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Southport</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Bargreen</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Jamestown II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<i>Banner III</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>Longfellow II</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Columbra</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Beauty</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Waldorf</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Atlanta</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>Highlight</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Sandpiper</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Epsom</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Checker</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Tatjana</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Wilma</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Koket</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Magenta</i>	<i>VD</i>	<i>Jamestown</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Wintergreen</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Center</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Puma</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Mary</i>	<i>D</i>				

Hard/Sheep

<b>Berkshire</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Reliant II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Chariot</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Bighorn (Sheep)</b>	<b>VD</b>
<b>Aurora w/Endo</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Biljart</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Discovery</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Quatro (Sheep)</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Nordic E</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Osprey</b>	<b>D</b>	<i>Oxford</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Predator</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>SR 3000</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Scaldis</i>	<i>M</i>				

Tall Fescue

<b>Elisa</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>DaVinci</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Apache II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Houndog 6</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Padre</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Tar Heel II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Millenium</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Avenger</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Falcon IV</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Innovator</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Corgi</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Fidelity</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Greenkeeper</b>	<b>WAF MD</b>	<b>Scorpion II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Serengeti</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Barlexas</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Coyote</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Endeavor</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Falcon II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Floridian</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Justice</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Rebel Exeda</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Titanium</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Wolfpack</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Cochise III</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Finelawn Elite</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Hunter</b>	<b>VD</b>	<b>Jaguar</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Kalahari</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Kitty Hawk</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Silverado II</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>SR 8550</b>	<b>MD</b>
<b>Tahoe</b>	<b>MD</b>	<i>Cayenne</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Dynasty</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Gremlin</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Lancer</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Lexington</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Matador</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Pick ZMG</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Riverside</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Blade Runner</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Bravo</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Magellan</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Millenium</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Picasso</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Rebel Sentry</i>	<i>D</i>		

Kentucky Bluegrass

<b>Champagne</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Blackstone</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Bariris</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Washington</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>Freedom II</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Champlain</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Princeton 105</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Baritone</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Odyssey</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>Barzan</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Serene</b>	<b>M</b>	<i>Boomerang</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>SR2284</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Shamrock</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Brooklawn</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Cynthia II</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Julius</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Freedom III</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Avalanche</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Chelsea</i>	<i>MD</i>
<i>Blacksburg II</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>Everglade</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Langara</i>	<i>MD</i>	<i>Limousine</i>	<i>M</i>
<i>Bodacious</i>	<i>MD</i>						