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Who We Are



Welcome to Grand Teton Organics

My name is John Hoggan and I am the owner of Grand Teton Organics. I started Grand Teton Organics 5 years ago while working as the R&D director of Parkinson Seed Farm. In the spring of 2015. I purchased Grand Teton Organics from Parkinson Seed farm. I am still the R&D director for them however the organic program now belongs to me. My knowledge of potatoes began more than 60 years ago.

As a small boy I began picking potatoes by hand from the fields owed by my grand father and his sons. The tractors were very slow and the machinery was very small and each potato was handled very carefully by hand many times before it reached the consumer. As I got older I had a lot of interest in any thing that was green and growing.

I liked science very much.....in one earth science class we learned how to cross pollinate flowers. Armed with this knowledge I went home to my mothers tulip garden. She had only 3 colors, red, yellow and pink, after working on the tulips for about an hour I went into the house and told no one of my work. Soon this was all forgotten until the tulips came up the following spring.....and wallah.....a mix of beautiful colors had replaced the 3 original colors, only after much discussion did the true story come to light.....my mother being quite angry and my father laughing.

My father was a crop inspector for the state of Idaho, and when I was about 10 years old I began following him to fresh potato packing sheds and to Certified Seed Potato fields. I learned many things about potato grades, and the diseases that affected the potatoes. I started to learn about cultural practices, including irrigation, seed quality, weed control, potato handling and much more.

When I was about 15 I saw the first variety that was not Russet Burbank, or Red Pontiac. And there began my love for potatoes. In 1969 together with my father and my brother, I started the first commercial potato rogueing business in Idaho. (rogueing means to properly identify plant diseases and remove them from certified potato fields in order to maintain the integrity of the certified seed potatoes). Our business expanded into farming in 1971 and I have been involved in potato production in one or several areas of potato production since.

During my life I have been involved in growing more than 300 different varieties of potatoes. Currently I do work reselecting better strains of existing varieties and helping to develop new varieties. I work with basic seed production, including some laboratory and green house work. I work doing market research with new varieties that are coming from plant breeders from around the world.

This year I am producing more than 40 varieties of Certified organic seed Potatoes and this number will increase each year as I continue to develop new seed.

I do consulting work for both conventional and organic growers. I have been very lucky in my life as I have been able to travel to many places in the world and to see many great things and meet very interesting people. Each new day is great for me as life has always been a learning experience for me. One of the things that I like best in life is to help people learn to grow potatoes, some times I get 10 phone calls in one day and I am always ready for the next one.



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Since 2011, you have depended on Grand Teton Organic Seed Potatoes to provide the highest quality organic seed potatoes on the market in order to give you the best yields. Feel free to browse our lineup of over 50 different varieties knowing that you are buying the best and enjoy our free shipping on every single order.



Adirondack Blue

An old favorite, Blue/Purple variety, mid summer maturing, small efficient plant that produces shallow eyed, tubers of excellent quality. Many good things are being said regarding the nutrients and antioxidants of blue or purple varieties. Tastes great and is good for you.

*Not sold in more than 3 LB options.



All Blue

A late summer to early fall maturing variety. A tall up right plant with beautiful purple flowers. Deep purple skin with a nice purple flesh. Great anyway cooked, especially when turned to purple french fries.



Amarosa

A newly released fingerling potato. It has shallow eyes, magenta colored skin with matching flesh. A late summer variety that sets up to 30 potatoes per hill. Easy to grow and stands some stress. A smooth texture that keeps its color when cooked, great boiled whole or grilled.



Austrian Cresent

A very nice fingerling variety with many tubers being crescent shaped. They can grow quite large and yield well as they have a big set. A mid to late season variety, with a yellow flesh and a light yellow skin. Great as a salad potato, or roasted on the grill with your favorite steak.

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Bananna

The most recognized of all fingerlings. Can also be the biggest yielder as it can set up to 40 tubers per hill. A late maturing variety that's good boiled, fried or in your favorite salad.



Bentji

This is an old favorite yellow variety. Smaller slender tubers that yields well in most climates. Its nutty taste will compliment your favorite steak and can be roasted on the grill. It's a late summer to early fall variety. Shallow eyes with light yellow skin and flesh keep it coming back year after year.



Caribe

A very nice pastel purple variety with creamy white flesh. Its very early and has a big yield. It can get very large if left growing all summer. A great multi purpose variety that will grow well in short season areas.

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Chiefan

This conventional seed certified potato is an old favorite that is coming back strong. A big vine that can produce large tubers if left full season. Deeper eyes in a bright red skin with very white flesh. Sets up to 10 tubers per plant, hard to miss with this one. It's great fried, mashed, or in salads.



Colonial Purple

A Very nice bright purple potato with snowy white flesh. This is a mid summer variety that yields well and has excellent taste. This one will work well at farmers markets and road side stands. It has great eye appeal, even more if its been washed and kept damp during peak sale times. Great flavor and makes great

potato salad, leave the skin on for even more affect.....



Dark Red Norland

Americas' favorite red potato. A bright red skin with white flesh. Very early maturing with both size and quality. Great for any use especially in potato salad.



Fingerling Mix

Another new product for us this year is our fingerling mix. Fingerlings are a very unique member of the potato family. Most are later maturing but are worth the wait. We are currently growing 11 different fingerling varieties and have more in our selection program. Most fingerlings grow a huge vine and exhibit beautiful blossoms for up to 6 weeks. We are offering this mix in a 5 lb minimum order to ensure that



French Fingerling

A very smooth red skinned potato with yellow flesh and a touch of red. It has excellent quality and yields well. Will produce over 40 tubers per hill. Its excellent boiled, roasted or in soups. A late summer to early fall maturing variety.



German Butter Ball

A favorite that's been grown in the US for a long time. Yellow skin and nice yellow flesh. Sets up to a dozen excellent quality medium size round tubers. Great fried or on the grill. Excellent mild buttery flavor.



Gourmetessa

This is a new release, a beautiful yellow smooth waxy skin with a dark yellow flesh. This is an excellent yielder and produces a good yield by late summer. Great eye appeal, slightly elongated tubers and does well even being short of water. A great general use variety.



Huckleberry Gold

Another newly released variety last year. It has beautiful purple skin, shallow eyes, and a wonderful yellow flesh. The tubers are very uniform in size. It sets from 5 to 7 tubers per hill. It has been used by west coast chefs in trials for several years. It is preferred by these chefs over any other variety. It has a very creamy



Kennebec

An old favorite that grows a big hearty vine and big tubers. White skin with white flesh that makes great french fries or whips for excellent mashed potatoes. A mid to late season variety that yields well.



King Edward

This is an old European variety, a creamy white flesh with white skin and a pink blush on the skin. It's a favorite for boiling and mashing. Millions of hair-like bristles grow on the leaves giving it some natural protection from aphids that carry viruses. This is a mid to late summer variety with great yields.



Laratte

A very nice fingerling that has an off white to light yellow skin with yellow flesh. It produces a large set of very uniform tubers. An early fall maturing variety with great eye appeal that will market well for the truck gardener.



Love Gold Valley

Very nice new yellow/Yellow variety. Excellent quality, smooth texture, great buttery taste. Good yielder, late summer maturing, great eye appeal.



Our blue and gold mix

Our blue and gold mix was very popular last season. A combination of all blue and Yukon Gold. The Yukon Gold is a very popular early maturing yellow skin with pink eyes variety. A creamy yellow flesh that tastes great. And the all blue, a great later maturing variety that makes



Our red, white and blue combination

All red, Cal-White, and all blue varieties make this a very popular mix. The red and white are very early maturing varieties and the all blue comes later in the season. These can be cooked together on the grill for a nice change, or prepared individually to suit your taste. 10 lbs of this



Ozette

An old favorite fingerling variety. A very nice medium size vine that can produce up to 30 tubers per hill. A deep eyed, buff colored potato with off white flesh. Excellent grilled, or boiled whole. A fall maturing variety.



Peanut

A small sometimes peanut shaped fingerling variety. It produces a good yield from uniform tubers. A light tan skin with a slightly yellow flesh. Good quality and good eye appeal. They are a late summer to early fall maturing variety that are good boiled, roasted, or used as a baby potato.



Purple Majesty

A great dark blue to purple, thin skinned variety. It has flesh to match the skin. Its a late summer to fall variety or can be harvested early for your baby potatoes. Its dark purple color makes great french fries and homemade potatoe chips. They dont fade while being cooked. Sets up to 8 tubers per hill; fun to grow!!!!



Purple Peruvian

A small purple fingerling with purple skin and purple flesh. Produces an excellent yield from tall up right plants. An early fall maturing variety that cooks well, and looks great when cooked with red and yellow potatoes.



Purple Viking

It has a purple and pink skin with creamy white flesh. Probably the earliest of any currently available variety. Its a great variety for short seasons or for early markets. It has great eye appeal and yields well. A great all-purpose variety.



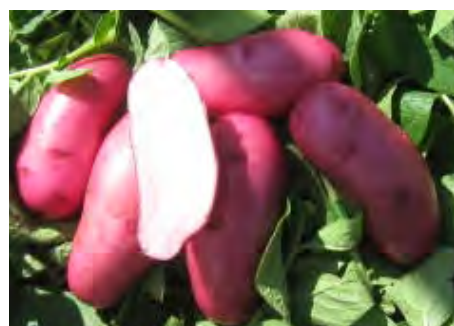
Red Pontiac

It produces an excellent yield and is a favorite of the home gardener. A light red skin with white flesh. A very strong and upright plant that will produce almost anywhere. It produces both large and small potatoes at the same time. A great general use summer potato.



Red River

This is a very nice new Red/ Yellow variety. It produces a great yield and wonderful quality. This one is great fried or baked, and makes very nice hash browns. It matures late summer and stores well. Excellent eye appeal!!!!



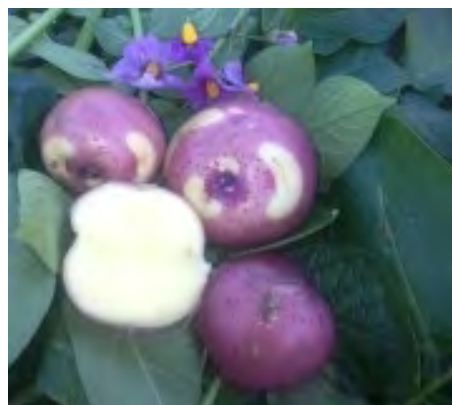
Red Thumb

A red fingerling with yellow flesh that been around for awhile. It's an early maturing fingerling thats needs extra fertilizer. It preforms quite well in cooler climates. It sets a large number of smooth potatoes that can reach 4 inches in length. Great for the grill or in your medealy mix.



Rio Grand Russet

A newer russet variety. A very strong plant that produces uniform tubers under about any growing condition. A late summer to early fall maturing variety that will keep well as a storage potato. Great as a



Rosa Roja Amerilla (Red Yellow Rose)

This is one of the most unique varieties that I have ever seen,two different potatoes on the same plant.

The first one having a beautiful red and yellow skin with yellow flesh and the second a very nice red skin with yellow flesh. This all happened thru natural plant breeding, NO Genetic modification was involved.... This is as mid to late summer variety that sets up to 15 tubers per hill that are round with shallow eyes. It tastes buttery as some yellow varieties do. Its a good yielder and looks great.....Makes great potato salad and is excellent as an early baby potato.....



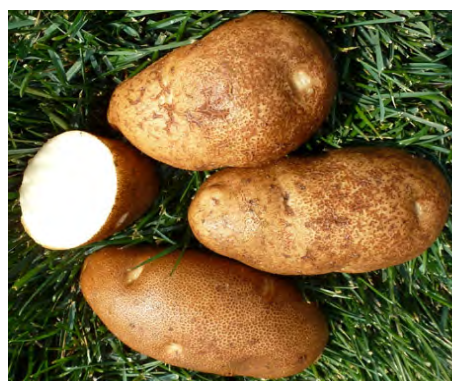
Rose Finn Apple

A later maturing fingerling that has a yellow, light pink skin with yellow flesh. It has a tendency to produce tubers that are of strange shapes. It can produce over 30 tubers per hill. It has a great flavor and many uses.



Russet Burbank

The "Idaho Potato" a russet skin with white flesh. Its known for its french fry quality and for its long dormancy. A fall maturing variety, that needs ample water and good cultural practices in order to maintain good quality. Great baked, boiled or fried.



Russet Norkotah PHP

A new selection of Russet Norkotah selected at Grand Teton Organics. Its our highest yeilding variety. It produces great yields, excellent quality and beautiful large tubers in 90 days or less. Great baked, mashed or for french fries. A good keeper.



Russet Norkotah 278

A selection from standard Russet Norkotah. It yeilds more than most other Russet Norkotah selections. Can get extremely large with a big yeild. It's a great variety for truck gardens and for the small farmer. Great boiled, mashed or baked.



Spartan Splash

A beautiful table stock variety with great flavor. Bright yellow skin with purple splashes over the eyes and a bright yellow flesh. This one has a smaller vine that can produse up to a dozen very uniform tubers. A mid to late summer maturing variety, a good general use vareity.



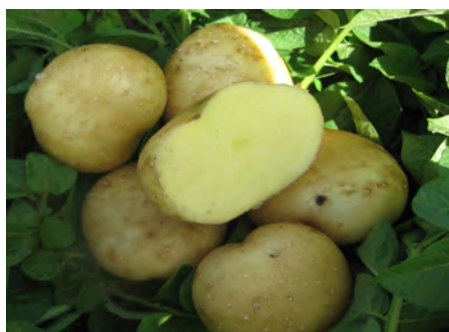
Standard Russet Norkotah

Earliest maturing of all Russet Norkotah selections. Produces big potatoes in 70-90 days. Nice golden russet skin with white flesh. Great for early bakers or french fries.



Terra Rosa

A beautiful new variety, a very smooth, shallow eyed variety. Magenta skin with matching flesh. Mashed this variety is a winner. It has a large thrifty plant that yeilds very well. Tubers can reach 10 oz. in size. It's a mid to late summer variety.



Yellow Finn

An old favorite yellow potato that grows smooth and slightly flat. Excellent quality and good eye appeal. Yields well and has good flavor. Its a mid to late summer maturing variety that tastes good and keeps well.



Yukon Gold

A well known yellow flesh potato with yellow skin and pink eyes. Sets 5 to 7 tubers per plant that size very quickly. Great as a fruit stand or farmers market variety. Good eye appeal and excellent quality. Great mashed, or as french fries. A mid summer maturing variety.

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Yukon Nugget

A very nice late summer to early fall maturing variety. Quite similar to Yukon Gold. It is more hardy than Yukon Gold and produces more uniform tubers per hill. It has a nice yellow flesh, waxy yellow skin, with pink eyes. Not quite as early as Yukon Gold, however it has a better yeild. A great all purpose yellow.

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