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**2010 AAS IMMEDIATE INTRODUCTION WINNERS**

**Echinacea purpurea ‘PowWow Wild Berry’**

**AAS® Flower Award Winner**

- **Genus species:** Echinacea purpurea
- **Common name:** Purple coneflower
- **Unique qualities:** Flower color, branching and plant size
- **Flower size:** 3 to 4 inches
- **Flower form:** Single daisy
- **Plant height:** 20 to 24 inches
- **Width:** 16 to 18 inches
- **Garden location:** Full sun
- **Garden spacing:** 12 to 16 inches apart

**MARIGOLD F1 ‘African ‘Moonsong Deep Orange’**

**AAS® Flower Award Winner**

- **Genus species:** Tagetes erecta
- **Unique qualities:** Deep orange color, long lasting garden performance
- **Flower size:** 2.5 to 3.5 inches
- **Flower form:** Fully double
- **Plant height:** 12 to 15 inches
- **Width:** 11 to 14 inches
- **Garden location:** Full sun
- **Garden spacing:** 14 to 18 inches apart

**ZINNIA ‘DOUBLE ZAHARA CHERRY’**

**AAS® Bulding Plant Award Winner**

- **Genus species:** Z. marylndica
- **Unique qualities:** Fully double and larger flowers, disease resistant
- **Flower size:** 2.5 inches
- **Flower form:** Composite, fully double
- **Plant height:** 14 inches
- **Width:** 12 to 14 inches
- **Garden location:** Full sun
- **Garden spacing:** 12 to 18 inches apart

**PEPPER ‘Cajun Belle’**

**AAS® Vegetable Award Winner**

- **Genus species:** Capsicum annuum
- **Common name:** Bell pepper
- **Unique qualities:** Incredible taste combination of heat and sweet, compact size and productivity
- **Fruit size:** 2” x 3” long pepper weighs approximately 1 oz.
- **Plant type:** Robust branching plant that grows quickly
- **Height:** 24 inches
- **Width:** 24 inches
- **Garden location:** Full sun in fertile soil
- **Garden spacing:** 24 inches apart
- **Disease tolerances:** Very disease tolerant.
- **Length of time to harvest:** 90 days from seed

**WATERMELON F1 ‘Shiny Boy’**

**AAS® Vegetable Award Winner**

- **Genus species:** Citrullus lanatus
- **Common name:** Watermelon
- **Unique qualities:** Earlier than comparisons, high yield, delicious tasting
- **Fruit size:** Globe shaped fruit 20 pounds or larger
- **Color:** Dark green rind with thick wide stripes, deep red flesh, dark seeds
- **Plant type:** Vine spreads up to 13 feet
- **Garden location:** Full sun
- **Garden spacing:** 8 to 10 feet
- **Disease tolerances:** Vigorous plant tolerates general diseases and insects
- **Length of time to harvest:** 90 days from seed
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**Echinacea purpurea**
*‘PowWow Wild Berry’*
**AAS Flower Award Winner**
- First year flowering
- Perennial hardy to USDA Hardiness Zone 3
- Vivid deep rose-purple flowers retain color
- Superior basal branching habit extends in more flowers per plant
- Blooms continuously without deadheading

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**Zinnia ‘Double Zahara Cherry’**
**AAS Bulbding Plant Award Winner**
- Fully double showy large orange blooms
- Proven leaf spot and mildew resistance
- Blooms abundantly early summer into fall
- Compact bushy plant with fresh green foliage

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**Unique qualities:** Foliage, disease resistant
**Flower size:** 2.5 inches
**Flower form:** Composite, fully double
**Plant height:** 14 inches
**Width:** 12 to 14 inches
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**Marigold F1**
*‘African ‘Moonsong Deep Orange’’*
**AAS Flower Award Winner**
- Glowing vibrant very deep orange flower color
- Large fully double blooms rank among the best of class
- Constant blooms are fade-resistant
- Vigorous plants tolerate heat and drought stress

**Genus species:** *Tagetes erecta*
**Unique qualities:** Deep orange color, excellent garden vigor, long lasting garden performance
**Flower size:** 2.5 to 3.5 inches
**Flower form:** Fully double
**Plant height:** 12 to 15 inches
**Width:** 11 to 14 inches
**Garden location:** Full sun
**Garden spacing:** 14 to 18 inches apart

**Zinnia ‘Double Zahara Fire’**
**AAS Bulbding Plant Award Winner**
- Fully double showy large orange blooms
- Proven leaf spot and mildew resistance
- Blooms abundantly early summer into fall
- Compact bushy plant with fresh green foliage

**Genus species:** *Z. marylndica*
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**Watermelon F1**
*‘Shiny Boy’*
**AAS Vegetable Award Winner**
- Sweet tropical flavor and crisp texture
- Vigorous productive vines
- Earlier than other varieties
- Successfully grown in any geographic region with warm summer growing conditions

**Genus species:** *Citrullus lanatus*
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