



Planting Bare Rooted Roses

- Ensure the rose does not dry out before planting
- Trim any damaged root
- Prune rose to outward facing buds, reduce by approx. one third
- If not ready to plant in desired location, 'heel in' soil
- Plant, firm soil in well around the roots and water in well
- Keep well watered after planting, even while dormant over winter
- Don't plant rose too deep, keep bud union above the soil level
- Don't feed with fertilizer at time of planting, feed as new growth begins to shoot (approx. mid August).

Planting Bare Rooted Trees

- Ensure the tree does not dry out before planting
- Trim any damaged root
- If not ready to plant tree in its desired location, 'heel in' soil
- Firm the soil in well around the roots to remove any air pockets when 'heeling in' or planting, water in well to reduce the risk of tree loss
- Keep well watered after planting, do not allow the tree to dry out, even while dormant over winter
- Don't plant tree too deep, keep bud union 50 - 70mm above the soil level
- Don't feed with fertilizer at time of planting, feed in early Spring
- Prune to shape if required
eg. fruit trees - reduce by approx one third
- Stake if necessary