

ACACIA

'SCARLET BLAZE' [Ⓟ]

WEeping RED WATTLE



Discovered by chance in the mid 1990's in the Black Range State Forest, Acacia 'Scarlet Blaze' is a striking ornamental form of the so-called Cinnamon Wattle, whose leaves exude a spicy scent when crushed. Adopted and successfully bred by the Royal Botanic Gardens Melbourne, 'Scarlet Blaze' is unique for its brilliant display of blood-red flowers over a long period. Chosen as Victoria's Centenary of Federation floral emblem in 2001, our love affair with the delightfully weeping 'Scarlet Blaze' has well and truly continued.

FEATURES

- Striking blood red flowers from August to October
- Ornamental, small evergreen tree with a weeping habit
- Frost tolerant and hardy
- Crushed leaves in warm weather release a cinnamon like fragrance

USES

- Screening
- Low maintenance areas
- Native gardens
- Specimen planting

CARE

Select a position in full sun to dappled shade in a well drained, moist soil. Cultivate soil before planting.

Water requirements are low. Will tolerate periods of dryness, however occasional deep watering is recommended through extended periods of drought.

ORIGIN: Victoria, Australia // **SPECIES:** *Acacia leprosa* // **PROTECTION STATUS:** PBR protected



FULL SUN



PART SHADE



DRY TOLERANT



FROST TOLERANT



SPREAD 3M
HEIGHT 4-5M