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Tomato Mania Hits Cal Poly April 11-12

SAN LUIS OBISPO -- Golden Mama, Black Pearl, Bloody Butcher and and Caspian Pink are just a few of the tomato plant varieties on sale Friday and Saturday, April 11-12, during Tomato Mania at the Cal Poly Plant Shop.

The annual event features more than 50 varieties of tomato seedlings planted and raised by Cal Poly students, including a variety of heirlooms, hybrids and exotics as well as well-known garden favorites like Better Boy and Beefsteak.

The plants are specially grown by Cal Poly environmental horticulture science students to bring out each tomato's natural flavor. Also available this weekend are several varieties of basil and pepper seedlings.

Tomato plant sales will continue through April while supplies last.

The plant shop is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Saturday, and is located on Via Carta, across from the horse unit, on the Cal Poly campus.

For more information, call ext. 6-1106 or visit www.polyplantshop.com.

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