Lemons

♦ Lemons are a member of the citrus family and related to oranges, mandarins and grapefruit.

♦ Lemon trees are dense and have a rounded shape, with glossy, smooth, dark green leaves.

♦ Lemon trees bloom and produce fruit year-round. Each tree can produce between 500 and 600 pounds of lemons in a year.

♦ One lemon can provide 50% of a day’s requirement of vitamin C

♦ Lemons are a first rate insect bite repellent.

♦ Christopher Columbus introduced citrus trees to the island of Haiti in 1493 by planting the seed of a lemon.