



# PRESCOTT VALLEY NURSERY

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## Living With Javelina

**The following steps will decrease the risk of property damage and personal injury from Javelina**

Keep your distance, their eye sight is poor, they can be startled easily & possibly become aggressive.

Do not feed Javelina

Feed pets indoors or remove leftover food immediately.

Store all garbage securely. Do not discard edible garbage where Javelina can get to it.

Keep bird seed and water off the ground and out of the reach of Javelina. A platform can be attached to the bottom of most feeders to catch spilled seed.

Leave natural vegetation instead of planting tempting ornamentals. Plant toxic bulbs such as iris and narcissus instead of tasty bulbs such as tulips. Poultry wire at or just below the soil surface protects beds from digging.

Avoid using horse manure in your garden. It contains grubs and other insects that the Javelina will dig for. If there are grubs in your yard, consult your local Agricultural Extension Agent or a Prescott Valley Nursery Professional for the best methods of control.

Pick up fruit as it drops from the tree.

Shrubbery that provides hiding cover should be trimmed up from the ground.

Securely close all openings to spaces under buildings.

Don't leave dogs tied up where Javelina can get to them.

Discourage Javelina from visiting your area by making loud noises, clapping hands, having a Peruvian flute band over, banjo picking on the porch, etc. to make them leave.

Ask your neighbors to follow these steps. Javelina that are attracted to one home lot often visit neighboring lots and may cause damage.

### Plants Javelina Like To Eat:

Squash	Grapes	Potato
Corn	Apples	Broccoli
Cabbage	Pears	Peaches
Spinach	Tulip	Rhubarb
Melon	Crocus	Yucca
Peas	Pumpkin	Prickly Pear
Watermelon		Grape Hyacinth

### Plants Javelina Generally Do Not Eat:

Chili Peppers	Allysum
Zinnia	Eggplant
Carnations	Geranium
Cucumbers	Red Hot Poker
Ice plant	Cosmos
Vinca	Daylily
Dianthus	Snapdragon
Portulaca	Rosemary
Basil	Sage
Marigolds	Iris
Mums	Hens & Chicks
Petunia	Pansies
Peonies	Violas
Santolina	Ivy
Lilac	Hibiscus
Rosemary	Juniper
Rose	Deerbrush
Mtn. Mahogany	Silktassel
Manzanita	Pampas Grass
Three Leaf Sumac	Butterfly Bush
Shrub Live Oak	Fir
Spruce	Oak
Pine	Cottonwood