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## Stewartia pseudocamellia



Výška	8 - 12 (15) m
Šírka	4-6m
Koruna	broad pyramidal, half-open crown, capricious growing
Kôra a vetvy	greyish brown, thin flakes, later reddish brown with grey spots
Listy	reverse ovoid to oval, dark green, 3 - 9 cm
Jesenné sfarbenie	Žltá, Oranžová, Červená, Fialová
Kvety	white with yellow stamens, Ø approx. 5 - 6 cm, July/August
Plody	woody capsule
Tŕne	Žiadny
Jedovatosť	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
Typ pôdy	moist, not too wet, peaty
Spevnené plochy	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
Zóna odolnosti	6b (-20,5 do -17,8 °C)
Odolnosť voči vetru	fairly
Ostatná odolnosť	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6)
Stromy pre zvieratá a hmyz	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6), Cenné pre včely (medonosné)
Tvar	Vysokokmeň, Vetvený, Viackmeň
Pôvod	Japan, Korea

Sturdy shrub to medium-high tree with a broad, pyramidal crown that eventually becomes oval. The smooth bark flakes off in thin, grey, orange- to purplish brown plates. This reveals the remarkable cinnamon-brown bark, creating a decorative picture. The twigs are bare; the dark green leaves are slightly hairy when they emerge. The edge of the leaves are very finely serrated. The tree turns especially lovely colours in the autumn: yellow-red to red-purple tints. The singular flowers, similar to those of Camellia, emerge at the leaf axils. Flowering sometimes lasts into August. The woody fruit capsules, measuring approx. 2 cm, appear following flowering. These burst open at the top in 5 segments containing the practically black seeds. Young plants can suffer damage during severe frost.