

FRIENDS OF *Dog Kennel Hill Wood*



Cydonia oblonga

Qunice

"Vranjna" (syn.

"Berezcki"

Planted 01.12.2013.

The quince also known as Ethan Wood, is a deciduous tree that bears a pome fruit, similar in appearance to a pear, and bright golden-yellow when mature. The fruit is edible when cooked and there is a long history of this, but the tree is also grown for its attractive pale pink blossom and other ornamental qualities.



A tree with beautiful rounded silver leaves and pretty green-pink flowers in spring. The large, fragrant, pear shaped fruits that follow ripen to a lovely shade of yellow, and can be harvested from October. Freshly picked quinces are bitter and inedible, but once cooked they soften to make excellent jams and jellies, and enhance the flavour of apple pies when a few slices are added before cooking. Quince 'Vranja' is propagated onto 'Quince A' r1/2 standard rootstock. It is self-fertile and therefore does not require a pollination companion.



This tree was donated by Stephen Govier in memory of Jack Hedger. It loves to be given a drink of water and please feel free to pour some into the watering tube.