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Breeding and Characteristics of a Bunching Onion (*Allium fistulosum* L.) Cultivar ‘Fuyuwarabe’ with Short Leaf Sheath

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‘Fuyuwarabe’, a bunching onion (*Allium fistulosum* L.) cultivar with short leaf sheath, low pungency and soft-texture was bred. This is a synthetic intercrossing of F₃ individuals and its characteristics remained stable from Syn₂ to Syn₄. The degree of individual variation of ‘Fuyuwarabe’ was smaller than that of open pollinated varieties of bunching onion. ‘Fuyuwarabe’ was established in late June and harvested in middle or late December.

certainly be useful for labor-saving of soil hilling for blanching and for growing period. It could also be adapted to recent demand for a paunching onion.

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