


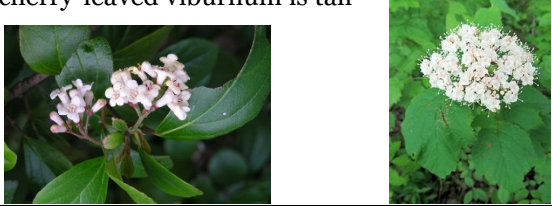








Top Ten Native Plant Recommendations from Kerry Wixted, Maryland DNR

<p>White oak (<i>Quercus alba</i>)- large tree Supports 462 species of caterpillars plus birds and small and large mammals</p> 	<p>Red maple (<i>Acer rubrum</i>)- small tree Supports 276 moths/butterflies plus birds and small and large mammals</p> 
<p>Serviceberry (<i>Amelanchier spp.</i>)- small tree/shrub Supports pollinators, birds and mammals</p> 	<p>Viburnum (<i>Viburnum spp.</i>)**- shrub; caveat-plant native and be careful with viburnum leaf beetle; high wildlife value but may require maintenance; maple-leaved viburnum is short and cherry-leaved viburnum is tall</p> 
<p>Trumpet or coral honeysuckle (<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i>)- vine Nectar and pollen for hummingbirds, bees, butterflies Berries for birds, Leaves for deer</p> 	<p>Golden ragwort (<i>Packera aurea</i>)- groundcover Provides nectar for small bees, butterflies and moths, groundcover for fireflies</p> 
<p>Milkweed -Butterflyweed (<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>), Swamp milkweed (<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>) and Common milkweed flowers (<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>)-Monarch host plant, nectar and pollen</p> 	<p>Mountain mint (<i>Pycnanthemum spp.</i>)-flower Attractive to many species of pollinators</p> 
<p>Goldenrod (<i>Solidago spp.</i>)- flower; note: some goldenrods can be aggressive (which means they fill in areas quickly and cheaply but need to be managed); zig-zag goldenrod and blue-stemmed goldenrod are shade species that behave Supports 125 species of moths/butterflies</p> 	<p>Asters- white wood aster (shade) larval host plant, seeds for birds and mammals, NY aster (fall bloomer) supports fall pollinators, seeds for birds, small mammals, larval host for Pearl Crescent Butterfly</p> 

Where to buy natives in the area?

Organic plants? Otherwise, always ask the buyer! Workers may not know.

A FEW AREA NATIVE PLANT NURSERIES - CHEMICAL FREE

Gettysburg Plant and Garden Shoppe.
A family-owned native specialist.
Contact gettysburgpgs@gmail.com

Lauren's Garden Service: Ecofriendly Landscapers & Native Plants
Glenwood MD
3575 Sharp Road
<https://www.laurensgardenservice.com/>

Sunny Meadows Garden Center.
7437 Sharpsburg Pike, Boonsboro, MD 21713
<https://www.facebook.com/Sunny-Meadows-Garden-Center-157899597578153/>

NURSERIES WITH SOME NATIVES - MOSTLY CHEMICAL FREE

Vendors who carry some natives which may be chemical free. *Always ask!*

Dutch Plant Farm (ASK)
151 Baughmans Lane, Frederick, MD 21702
301 694-7012 <https://dutchplantfarm.com>

Meadows Farms (ASK)
5432 Old National Pike Frederick MD 21702
302 281-6123 <https://meadowsfarms.com/>

Stadler Nursery (ASK)
5504 Mt Zion Rd, Frederick, MD 21703
301 473-9042
<https://www.stadlergardencenters.com/>

Surreybrooke Nurseries (ASK)
8610 Baltimore National Pike, Middletown MD 21769
301-371-7466 <http://www.surreybrooke.com/garden-center.html>

For more native plants resources, visit the Maryland Native Plant Society.
<https://mdflora.org/nurseries.html>

TWO SPRING NATIVE PLANT SALES - FUNDRAISERS

The Monarch Alliance Online Plant Sale

Sunny Meadows Garden Center

<https://www.potomacaudubon.org/event/spring-native-plant-sale/>

ORDER ONLINE April 21-May 8. Pick-up and/or shop May 22

Fundraiser supports the environmental activities of Potomac Valley Audubon Society including The Monarch Alliance Monarch Waystation Grant Program

Audubon Society of Central Maryland Online Plant Sale

Lauren's Garden Service

<https://www.laurensgardenservice.com/>

ORDER ONLINE May 10-16. Add order code: AUDUBON to benefit ASCM. *Fundraiser supports conservation projects at ASCM's wildlife sanctuaries, education programs, citizen science, and advocacy throughout the chapter territory.*

MARYLAND STATE PARKS
CREATE YOUR OWN STATE PARK

NATIVE PLANT LIST

SUGGESTED SUN-LOVING PERENNIALS FOR BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & WILDLIFE

**BUTTERFLY
WEED**

*ASCLEPIAS
TUBEROSA*

*MONARCH HOST PLANT

**WILD
BERGAMOT**

*MONARDA
FISTULOSA*

**SWAMP
MILKWEED**

*ASCLEPIAS
INCARNATA*

*MONARCH HOST PLANT

BEE BALM

*MONARDA
DIDYMA*

**WHITE
TURTLEHEAD**

CHELONE GLABRA

*BALTIMORE CHECKERSPOT
HOST PLANT

**WILD BLUE
INDIGO**

BAPTISA AUSTRALIS

**BLACK-EYED
SUSAN**

RUDBECKIA HIRTA

*MARYLAND STATE
FLOWER

BLAZING STAR

LIATRIS SPICATA

**JOE-PYE
WEED**

*EUPATORIUM
FISTULOSUM*

This list of common Maryland native sun-loving perennials was selected for their important value to pollinators, birds, and wildlife. Including native plant species in your yard contributes to the native wildlife food web. You may attract some new visitors from your neighborhood natural community into the habitat you have created!



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NATIVE PLANT LIST

SUGGESTED SHADE-LOVING PERENNIALS FOR BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & WILDLIFE

**WILD
COLUMBINE**

*AQUILEGIA
CANADENSIS*

**GOLDEN
RAGWORT**

*PACKERA
AUREA*

**VIRGINIA
BLUEBELLS**

*MERTENSIA
VIRGINICA*

**WOODLAND
PHLOX**

*PHLOX
DIVARICATA*

**BLUESTEM
GOLDENROD**

*SOLIDAGO
CAESIA*

**MIST
FLOWER**

*CONOCLINUM
COELESTINUM*

**WHITE WOOD
ASTER**

*EURIBIA
DIVARICATUS*

**WOODLAND
SUNFLOWER**

*HELIANTHUS
DIVARICATUS*

**MOUNTAIN
MINT**

*PYCNANTHEMUM
INCANUM*

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NATIVE SHRUB LIST

SUGGESTED SHRUBS FOR BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & WILDLIFE

**FLOWERING
DOGWOOD**

CORNUS FLORIDA

*UNDERSTORY TREE SPECIES

SASSAFRAS

*SASSAFRAS
ALBIDUM*

*UNDERSTORY TREE SPECIES

**SWEET BAY
MAGNOLIA**

*MAGNOLIA
VIRGINIAIA*

*UNDERSTORY TREE SPECIES

**SPICE
BUSH**

*LINDERA
BENZOIN*

**SERVICE
BERRY OR
SHADBUSH**

*AMELANCHIER
CANADENSIS*

**NORTHERN
BAYBERRY**

*MYRICA
PENSYLVANICA*

**ARROWWOOD
VIBURNUM**

*VIBURNUM
DENTATUM*

ELDERBERRY

*SAMBUCUS
CANADENSIS*

**WINTERBERRY
HOLLY**

*ILEX
VERTICILLATA*

This list of common Maryland native shrubs was selected for their important value to pollinators, birds, and wildlife. Including native shrubs and plant species in your yard contributes to the native wildlife food web. You may attract some new visitors from your neighborhood natural community into the habitat you have created!



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NATIVE TREE LIST

SUGGESTED TREES FOR BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & WILDLIFE

**MAPLE
SPECIES**

ACER

**WILLOW
SPECIES**

SALIX

**BIRCH
SPECIES**

BETULA

**AMERICAN
BEECH**

*FAGUS
GRANDIFOLIA*

**OAK
SPECIES**

ESPECIALLY
WHITE OAK,
MD STATE TREE

**AMERICAN
HOLLY**

*ILEX
OPACA*

**BLACK
GUM**

*NYSSA
SYLVATICA*

**SWEET
GUM**

*LIQUIDAMBAR
STYRACIFLUA*

**TULIP
POPLAR**

*LIRIODENDRON
TULIPIFERA*

This list of common Maryland native trees was selected for their important value to pollinators, birds, and wildlife. Including native trees and plant species in your yard contributes to the native wildlife food web. You may attract some new visitors from your neighborhood natural community into the habitat you have created!



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