



Audubon GREENWICH

NATIVE PLANT SALE

For Birds, Butterflies, & Bees



Audubon is pleased to host a plant sale dedicated to Mother Nature

DID YOU KNOW? ...

*Use of native plants in gardens can provide a more sustainable food supply for birds,
native pollinators & other wildlife throughout the year.*

FOR ORDER FORMS VISIT: greenwich.audubon.org/spring-native-plant-sale

ORDER BY: MAY 10th, 2018

PLANT PICK-UP: MAY 19TH – MAY 20th

Audubon Greenwich 613 Riversville Rd, Greenwich CT 06831

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Native Shrubs, Vines & Perennial Plants for Bird Friendly Communities

How Do Native Plants Create Bird-Friendly Communities?

Did You Know Native Plants ... ?

- Are hosts for native insects - the main food for baby birds
- Use less water than most non-natives once established
- Are better adapted to local climates
- Resist native pests and diseases better
- Often require less fertilizer, helping protect water quality

A native plant is one that occurs naturally in a particular habitat, ecosystem or region without human introduction. It is well adapted to that region's soil, moisture and weather conditions. Native plants are crucial for native wildlife: they provide food and shelter for 10 to 15 times more species of birds, butterflies and other native wildlife than non-native plants. By planting native species that provide high quality food sources, nesting habitat and shelter through all seasons of the year, our backyards can serve as important refuges for birds and a vast array of other wildlife.



Guilford, CT



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By following these “Audubon At Home” principles, we can create healthier communities for both wildlife and people:

- *Plant Native Species*
- *Remove Exotic Invasive Plants*
- *Conserve Water*
- *Protect Water Quality*
- *Eliminate or Reduce Pesticide Use*



All plants need a little care after transplanting in order to develop a healthy root system. Be sure to provide a bit of supplemental water the first couple of growing seasons. Over time, you will find that most natives, when planted in a favorable site, require little additional attention.

We hope you enjoy your new garden additions!

NATIVE SHRUBS AVAILABLE

| Name | Mature Height | Blooms | Fruit | Foliage | Soil | Notes | Wildlife Attracted |
|--|---------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| 1. Shadbush (Shadblow, Service/Juneberry) <i>Amelanchier canadensis</i> | 10-20' Tall | abundant white flowers - late April | red early summer | golden - fall | wet swampy to dry uplands | suckering habit | Scarlet tanager, rose-breasted grosbeak, American robin, hermit thrush, red-bellied woodpecker, hairy woodpecker, and cedar waxwing. |
| 2. Red Chokeberry <i>Aronia arbutifolia</i> | 8' Tall 4' Wide | clusters of small white flowers - spring | bright red late summer | brilliant red (sun) to orange (partial shade) - fall | both wet and dry | suckering habit good for mass plantings and borders | wild turkey, black-capped chickadee, eastern meadowlark, and cedar waxwing |
| 3. Pinxter Azalea <i>Azalea periclymenoides</i> | 6' -8' Tall 6'-8' Wide | Pink flowers April - May | Brown | Glossy green leaves | Prefers moist areas | Full - Partial sun | Attracts hummingbirds, butterflies, and bumble bees |
| 4. Buttonbush <i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i> | 3'-6' H & W | White ball shaped flowers June | Brown Seeds in fall | turn fiery shades in autumn and fall | Prefers moist or swampy areas Can be planted in | Full sun to part shade | Nectar source for birds, butterflies and bees. Birds eat seeds |
| 5. Alternate-leaf or Pagoda Dogwood <i>Cornus alternifolia</i> | 15'-20' H | White Flowers May-June | Bluish-black Drupes in Late Summer | Yellow to yellow & Scarlet leaves in fall | Prefers acidic medium to well drained soils | Full sun to shade | Attracts birds and butterflies |
| 6. Flowering Dogwood <i>Cornus florida</i> | 20'-25' | White flowers in Spring & Red | Red Drupes | Good fall color purple/red | Likes well drained acidic soils | Likes sun to partial Shade. Will tolerate full Shade | Berries are an important food source for migrating Birds |
| 7. Red-osier Dogwood <i>Cornus sericea</i> | 10' | Fragrant flowers | white round drupes | Good fall color purple/red | Likes moist or well drained soils | Red Stems in fall/ Winter, suckering habit, good for stabilizing banks | wood ducks, eastern bluebirds, cardinals, catbirds, grosbeaks, orioles, robins, scarlet tanagers, cedar waxwings, and woodpeckers |
| 8. Winterberry <i>Ilex verticillata</i> | 5' Tall 4' Wide | tiny white blooms early summer | brilliant red on female plant fall/winter | deciduous holly | both wet and dry acidic | female plant requires a nearby male plant to produce berries | American robin, hermit thrush, eastern bluebird, yellow-bellied sapsucker, and mockingbird |
| 9. Northern Bayberry <i>Myrica pensylvanica</i> | 5'-12' H & W | insignificant | gray fruit persists into winter | Semi- deciduous | Adaptable, Salt tolerant | Full sun to Part Shade. Aromatic Leaves | Winter food for many birds including Yellow-rumped |
| 10. Choke Cherry <i>Prunus virginiana</i> | 8' Tall, 4' Wide | clusters of small white flowers in spring | bright red in late summer | brilliant red (sun) to orange (partial shade) - fall | both wet and dry | suckering habit good for mass plantings and borders | wild turkey, black-capped chickadee, and cedar waxwing |
| 11. Swamp Rose <i>Rosa palustris</i> | 6' Tall & Wide | pink blooms Summer into fall | red rose hips August through winter | dark green leaves purplish/red in fall reddish canes | prefers wet, peaty, or moist soils | Full sun to Part Shade | wild turkey, brown thrasher, northern mockingbird, northern cardinal, cedar waxwing, and American goldfinch |
| 12. Virginia Rose <i>Rosa virginiana</i> | 4-6' Tall | fragrant pink blooms June | red rose hips August through winter | dark green leaves purplish/red in fall reddish canes | prefers well-drained, acidic soil tolerant of salt and sandy soil | rapid growth, suckering habit edible hips rich in vitamin C | wild turkey, brown thrasher, northern mockingbird, northern cardinal, cedar waxwing, and American goldfinch |
| 13. Elderberry <i>Sambucus canadensis</i> | 10'-12' Tall | clusters of white flowers in June | Purple-black fruits late summer to fall | Yellow/green in fall | Average to wet soils | full sun | Berries are relished by many bird species and mammals |
| 14. Highbush Blueberry <i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> | up to 6-8' Tall | white urn-shaped early summer | blueberries mid-summer | glossy green in summer; rich burgundy in fall | prefers wet, peaty, acidic, but will grow in dry uplands | delicious fruit | wild turkey, scarlet tanager, most thrush species, black-capped chickadee, tufted titmouse, eastern towhee, and orioles |
| 15. Arrowwood <i>Viburnum dentatum</i> | 8'-10' H & W | White flowers in May-June | Dark blue/ black Berries in July-August | Burgundy to bright red in fall | adaptable | full sun to shade | Berries important for birds and other wildlife; nectar important to butterflies, and bees |

PERENNIAL PLANTS AVAILABLE

| Name | Height When Mature | Blooms | Soil | Color | Insects Attracted & More Info |
|--|--------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------|---|
| 16. Annise Hyssop <i>Agastache foeniculum</i> | 1-3 feet | Summer | Well-drained, rich, average/ adaptable | Purple | Birds, butterflies and other native pollinators |
| 17. Columbine <i>Aquilegia canadensis</i> | 1-3 feet | Summer | Part shade/shade Well-drained, rich, average/ adaptable | Red | Birds, butterflies and other native pollinators |
| 18. Swamp Milkweed <i>Asclepias incarnata</i> | 2-5' | May - August | Sun, Average to Moist | Rose to Purple | Native bees, bumble bees, honey bees, monarch butterfly larvae |
| 19. Butterfly Weed <i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> | 1-3' | May- September | Sun, part shade, dry, moist | Orange, Yellow | Native bees, bumble bees, honey bees, monarch butterfly larvae, and hummingbirds |
| 20. False Blue Indigo <i>Baptisia australis</i> | 4 feet | June-July | Full sun; rich, well-drained soil | Blue | Birds, butterflies and other native pollinators |
| 21. White Turtle Head <i>Chelone glabra</i> | 1 -3 feet | Summer- Fall | Full sun; moist or wet soil | White | Butterflies & hummingbirds |
| 22. Wild Bleeding Heart <i>Dicentra eximia</i> | 6 - 18 inches | Spring | Sun to light shade; Moist well drained to dry, adaptable | Pink | Hummingbirds and native pollinators |
| 23. Pale Purple Coneflower <i>Echinacea palid</i> | 2-3 feet | Summer- Fall | Full sun; rich, well-drained soil | Pink | Birds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 24. Purple Coneflower <i>Echinacea purpurea</i> | 2 - 5 Feet | Summer- Fall | Full sun; rich, well-drained soil | Pink/ purple | Birds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 25.. Hollow Joe-Pye Weed <i>Eunatorium fistulosum</i> | 5-10' | July - September | Sun, partial shade, moist soil | Pink, lavender | Bees, butterflies, swamp sparrows |
| 26. Bottle Gentian <i>Gentiana clausa</i> | 1 - 2 feet | Summer - Fall | Full sun-partial shade; wet, peaty, moist, acidic | Blue | Bumblebees and native pollinators |
| 27. Wood Iris <i>Iris cristata</i> | 6 inches | Spring | Full sun – Part shade Soil adaptable s/b well drained | Blue | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 28. Blue flag Iris <i>Iris versicolor</i> | 1 - 3 feet | Spring | Full sun, Average to wet soil | Blue | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 29. Meadow Blazing Star <i>Liatris ligulistylis</i> | 3 -5 feet | Summer | Full sun; moist | Purple | A butterfly magnet and American goldfinches love its seeds! |
| 30. Blazing Star <i>Liatris spicata</i> | 1 - 3 feet | Summer | Full sun-partial s Shade; wet, well- drained, rich, average soils | Purple/ White | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 31. Canada lily <i>Lilium canadense</i> | 4 - 6 feet | Summer | Sun- partial shade, Peaty, Moist, Average/Adaptable | Yellow/ orange | Butterflies and other pollinators |

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|--|--------------|-----------------------------|---|---------------------|---|
| 32. Cardinal Flower <i>Lobelia cardinalis</i> | 3 - 4 feet | Summer | Full sun-partial shade; wet, rich, peaty, moist soils | Red | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 33. Blue Cardinal Flower <i>Lobelia siphilitica</i> | 2 - 3 feet | Summer | Full sun-partial shade; wet, rich, to average soils | Blue | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 34. Oswego Tea <i>Monarda didyma</i> | 2-4' | July - September | Full to Partial shade; Soil moist to moderately wet | Scarlet Red | Hummingbirds, butterflies, and native pollinators |
| 35. Wild Bergamot <i>Monarda fistulosa</i> | 2-4' | July - September | Full sun- Part Shade. Soil dry to moist | pale purple to pink | Hummingbirds, butterflies |
| 36. Beardtongue <i>Penstemon digitalis</i> | 1 – 3 feet | Spring/ Summer | Full sun. Soil dry, moist, moderately wet | White | Hummingbirds, butterflies, and native pollinators |
| 37. Wood Phlox <i>Phlox divaricata</i> | 6-12 inches | Spring | Part Sun-part shade. Adaptable, Moist, Rich, Well-drained | Blue | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 38. Short-toothed Mountain Mint <i>Pycnanthemum muticum</i> | 3 - 4 feet | Late Summer | Full sun-partial shade; wet, rich, average to dry soils | White | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 39. Narrow-leaved Mountain Mint <i>Pycnanthemum tenuifolium</i> | 1 - 3 feet | Late Summer | Full sun-partial shade; wet, rich, average to dry soils | White | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 40. Cutleaf Coneflower <i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i> | 3-6' | July-October | Sun , part shade, shade, moist | Yellow | Birds, native bees, honey bees |
| 41. Wild Stone Crop <i>Sedum ternatum</i> | 4 - 6 inches | Spring | Partial sun-partial shade; well-drained, rich, moist to average | White | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 42. Blue-stem Goldenrod <i>Solidago caesia</i> | 1 - 3 feet | Late Summer-fall | Full sun-partial shade; wet, rich, average to dry soils | Yellow | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 43. Gray Goldenrod <i>Solidago nemoralis</i> | 1 - 2 feet | Late Summer-fall | Full sun; does well in dry soils | Yellow | Butterflies and other pollinators |
| 44. New England Aster <i>Symphyotrichum novaeangliae</i> | 2 1/2 - 6' | August-October, until frost | Part shade, moist | Pink , Purple | Bees, butterflies |
| 45. New York Ironweed <i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i> | 5-8' | August-September | Sun, moist, does OK in drier soil | Red , Purple | Butterflies, native bees, birds |
| 46. Culver's Root <i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i> | 3 - 6 feet | Late Summer | Full sun; wet, rich, moist to average soils | White | Hummingbirds, butterflies and native pollinators |
| 47. Golden Alexander <i>Zizia aurea</i> | 1 - 3 feet | Early Summer | Sun-partial shade; moist soil | Yellow | Pollinators and larval host for Black Swallowtail butterfly |



Native Plant Gardens

What should I plant?

Pick the species that best fit your spot – “right plant in the right place”

Pick 3-5 species that bloom at different times of the year – “the show must go on”

Plant a few of each species. Position them with the taller ones in back and shorter in front.

Sample Native Plant lists

Sunny w/ Avg. soil (moist)

Beardtongue (*Penstemon digitalis*)
 Swamp Milkweed (*Asclepias incarnata*)
 Cardinal Flower (*Lobelia cardinalis*)
 Blue Cardinal Flower (*Lobelia siphilitica*)
 Oswego Tea (*Monarda didyma*)
 New England Aster (*S. novaeangliae*)

Sunny w/ Dry soil

Anise Hyssop (*Agastache foeniculum*)
 Butterfly Milkweed (*Asclepias tuberosa*)
 Wild Bergamot (*Monarda fistulosa*)
 Showy Goldenrod (*Solidago speciosa*)
 Coneflower (*Echinacea* spp.)
 Little Blue Stem Grass (*Schiz. scoparium*)

Partial Sun w/Avg. soil (moist)

Columbine (*Aquilegia canadensis*)
 Cardinal Flower (*Lobelia cardinalis*)
 Blue Cardinal Flower (*Lobelia siphilitica*)
 Blue-stem Goldenrod (*Solidago caesia*)
 Wood Iris (*Iris cristata*)

Sunny w/moist to wet soil

Blue Flag Iris (*Iris versicolor*)
 Joe-Pye weed (*Eupatorium fistulosum*)
 White Turtle Head (*Chelone glabra*)
 NY Ironweed (*Vernonia noveboracensis*)
 Blazing Star (*Liatris spicata*)
 Swamp Milkweed (*Asclepias incarnata*)

Have fun with this and don't be afraid to substitute plants. Just keep in mind “Right Plant in the right place”. Many plants are adaptable. Swamp milkweed can grow in wet or average soils but it probably won't like being on that sunny dry hilltop...even if it would look great there.

If you have questions or if you want something that is not on this list -

Please email:

achapin@audubon.org

or, Call 203-930-1348

Bird Chowdown Habitat Garden

Starter Kit - \$80 from Plan-It-Wild

The habitat garden starter kit was designed for the lazy gardener or, weekend warrior, and contains everything you need to install



the 3ft x 3ft garden in about an hour.

Chickadees, goldfinches, cardinals, nuthatches, blue jays, and

sparrows will chowdown on a buffet of aster, coneflower, and beardtongue.

Kit contents: 10 native plant landscape plugs, 6 coir mulch blocks, pre-cut biodegradable weed barrier with 4 biodegradable landscape stakes, plant garden labels, bulb digger, digital instruction and maintenance cards, and landscape-architect designed 3ft x 3ft color printed plan.

Audubon Greenwich's Native Plant Sale 2018 FOR THE BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & BEES!

Name (last, first): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Town: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Order Form & Payment Due on or before Thursday, May 10, 2018

TO ORDER: Please add contact information and send with a check made payable to Audubon Greenwich via: US Mail or Bring form to the store (10am-5pm daily)



Audubon Greenwich Plant Sale,
613 Riversville Road, Greenwich, CT 06831

_____ I prefer to use a credit card. Audubon will call for payment.

Please Circle Your Preferred Pickup Date & Time:

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| | Saturday, May 19 10 AM - 5 PM | Sunday, May 20 10 AM - 5 PM |
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How did you hear about our Plant Sale for the Birds?

- ___ Audubon Email ___ Audubon Newsletter
___ Friend ___ Internet Search
___ Library / Organization / Other:

Questions or requests

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203-930-1348

All plant orders are subject to availability. While all plants will be healthy, well-graded stock from a reputable nursery, Audubon Greenwich cannot accept returns, guarantee their growth, or cancel orders past May 10th.

AUDUBON GREENWICH'S PLANT SALE ~ FOR THE BIRDS, BUTTERFLIES & BEES!

| NATIVE SHRUBS | Size-Price | Quantity | Total |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------|
| 1. Shadbush Serviceberry (Amelanchier canadensis) | 3 gal. \$50 | | |
| 2. Red Chokeberry (Aronia arbutifolia) | 2 gal. \$42 | | |
| 3. Pinxter Azalea (Azalea periclymenoides) | 3 gal. \$45 | | |
| 4. Buttonbush (Cephalanthus occidentalis) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| 5. Pagoda Dogwood (Cornus Alternafolia) | 6 gal. \$60 | | |
| 6. Florida Dogwood (Cornus florida) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| 7. Red-Osier Dogwood (Cornus sericea) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| 8. Winterberry (Ilex verticillata) *1 male & 1 female are needed to allow for pollination/berry production | 3 gal. \$42 | # M: # F: | |
| 9. Northern Bayberry (Myrica penslyvanica) | 3 gal. \$45 | | |
| 10. Choke Cherry (Prunus virginianica) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| 11. Swamp Rose (Rosa palustris) | 1 gal. \$20 | | |
| 12. Virginia Rose (Rosa virginiana) | 1 gal. \$16 | | |
| 13. Elderberry (Sambucus canadensis) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| 14. Highbush Blueberry (Vaccinium corymbosum) | 3 gal. \$42 | | |
| 15. Arrowwood (Viburnum dentaum) | 3 gal. \$40 | | |
| NATIVE PERENNIAL PLANTS | | | |
| 16. Annise Hyssop (Agastache foeniculum) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 17. Columbine (Aquilegia canadensis) | 2 Qt. \$9 | | |
| 18. Swamp Milkweed (Asclepias incarnata) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 19. Butterfly Milkweed (Asclepias tuberosa) | 2 Qt. \$9 | | |
| 20. False Blue Indigo (Baptisia australis) | 1 Gal \$13 | | |
| 21. White Turtle Head (Chelone glabra) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 22. Wild Bleeding Heart (Dicentra eximia) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 23. Pale Purple Coneflower (Echinacea palid) | 2 Qt. \$11 | | |
| 24. Purple Coneflower (Echinacea purpurea) | 2 Qt. \$11 | | |
| 25. Hollow Joe-Pye Weed (Eupatorium fistulosum) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 26. Bottle Gentian (Gentiana clausa) | 1 Qt. \$16 | | |
| 27. Wood Iris (Iris cristata) | 1 Qt. \$7 | | |
| 28. Blue Flag Iris (Iris versicolor) | 2 Qt. \$9 | | |
| 29. Meadow Blazing Star (Liatris ligulistylis) | 2 Qt. \$11 | | |
| 30. Blazing Star (Liatris spicata) | 2 Qt. \$11 | | |
| 31. Canada Lily (Lilium canadense) | 2 Qt. \$19 | | |
| Subtotal for this column (add to final subtotal) | | | |

| PERENNIALS (con't) | Size-Price | Quantity | Total |
|---|--------------------|----------|-------|
| 32. Cardinal Flower (Lobelia cardinalis) | 2 Qt. \$13 | | |
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| 34. Oswego Tea (Monarda didyma) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 35. Wild Bergamot (Monarda fistulosa) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
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| 46. Culver's Root (Veronicastium virginicum) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| 47. Golden Alexander (Zizia aurea) | 2 Qt. \$10 | | |
| Other Plants | | | |
| 48. Little Blue Stem Grass (Schiz. scoparium) | 2 Qt. \$9 | | |
| 49. Maiden hair Fern (Adiantum pedatum) | 1 Gal. \$13 | | |
| 50. Toothed Wood Fern (Dryopteris carthusiana) | 1 Gal. \$13 | | |
| 51. Ostrich Fern (Mettuccia struthiopteris) | 1 Gal. \$13 | | |
| 52. Bird Chowdown Starter Kit | \$80 | | |
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| + Subtotal B (this column) | | | |
| + Subtotal A (left column) | | | |
| + CT Sales Tax (+6.35%) | (Checks preferred) | | |
| PLANT SALE TOTAL | Plant Sale Total | | |

Please Note: Prices include delivery to Audubon

Please order early. Plant Sale Orders due: Thur., May 10th, 2018

NAME (last, first): _____

TO ORDER: Use reverse side of this form for contact information and send with a check (payable to Audubon Greenwich) via:

a) By U.S. Mail or b) Drop off in Nature Store (Daily: 10am-5pm)

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