

Lynchburg Bee City Working Committee
Native Plants of Central Virginia
July 2020

Native Trees:

Red Maple	<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Host Plant
Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Host Plant
Yellow Buckeye, Horse Chestnut	<i>Aesculus flava</i>	Host Plant
Hazel Alder	<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Host Plant
Downy Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>	Host Plant
Pawpaw	<i>Asimina triloba</i>	Host Plant
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>	Host Plant
American Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Host Plant
Pignut Hickory	<i>Carya glabra</i>	Host Plant
Shagbark Hickory	<i>Carya ovata</i>	Host Plant
Common Hackberry	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	Host Plant
Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Host Plant
Fringetree	<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i>	Host Plant
Alternate Leaf Dogwood	<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Host Plant
Flowering Dogwood	<i>Cornus florida</i>	Host Plant
Green Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus viridis</i>	Host Plant
American Beech	<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>	Host Plant
Black Walnut	<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Host Plant
Eastern Red Cedar	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	Host Plant
Tulip Poplar	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Host Plant
Cucumber Tree	<i>Magnolia acuminata</i>	Host Plant
Umbrella Tree	<i>Magnolia tripetala</i>	Host Plant
Mulberry	<i>Morus rubra</i>	Host Plant
Eastern Hop Hornbeam	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Host Plant
Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum arboretum</i>	Host Plant
Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Host Plant
Chickasaw Plum	<i>Prunus angustifolia</i>	Host Plant
Chokecherry	<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Host Plant
White Oak	<i>Quercus alba</i>	Host Plant
Swamp White Oak	<i>Quercus bicolor</i>	Host Plant
Southern Red Oak	<i>Quercus falcata</i>	Host Plant
Willow Oak	<i>Quercus phellos</i>	Host Plant
Black Willow	<i>Salix nigra</i>	Host Plant
American Basswood	<i>Tilia americana</i>	Host Plant

Native Shrubs:

Hazel Alder	<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Host Plant
New Jersey Tea	<i>Ceanothus Americanus</i>	Host Plant
Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Host Plant
Eastern Leatherwood	<i>Dirca palustris</i>	Host Plant
Wintergreen, Teaberry	<i>Gaultheria procumbens</i>	Host Plant
Black Huckleberry	<i>Gaylussacia baccata</i>	Host Plant
American Witch Hazel	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	Host Plant
Wild Hydrangea	<i>Hydrangea Arborescens</i>	Host Plant
Shrubby St. John's Wort	<i>Hypericum prolificum</i>	Host Plant
Mountain Holly	<i>Ilex montana</i>	
Winterberry	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	Host Plant
Mountain Laurel	<i>Kalmia latifolia</i>	Host Plant
Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	Host Plant
Scentless Mock Orange	<i>Philadelphus inodorus</i>	Host Plant
Ninebark	<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	Host Plant
Flame Azalea	<i>Rhododendron calendulaceum</i>	Host Plant
Pinkster Azalea	<i>Rhododendron periclymenoides</i>	Host Plant
Rose Azalea	<i>Rhododendron prinophyllum</i>	Host Plant
Swamp Rose	<i>Rosa palustris</i>	Host Plant
Common Elderberry	<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	Host Plant
Coralberry	<i>Symphoricarpos orbiculatus</i>	Host Plant
Mapleleaf Viburnum	<i>Viburnum acerifolium</i>	Host Plant
Southern Arrowwood Viburnum	<i>Viburnum dentatum</i>	Host Plant
Possum-haw Virburnum	<i>Viburnum nudum</i>	Host Plant
Blackhaw Virburnum	<i>Viburnum prunifolium</i>	Host Plant

Native Perennials:

Yellow Hyssop	<i>Agastache nepetoides</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Wild Snakeroot	<i>Ageratina altissima</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Lanceleaf Anemone	<i>Anemone lancifolia</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Tall Anemone	<i>Anemone virginiana</i>	Host Plant	Fall
White Wood Aster	<i>Eurybia divaricate</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Purpledisk sunflower	<i>Helianthus atrorubens</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Ten-petaled sunflower	<i>Helianthus decapetalus</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Woodland sunflower	<i>Helianthus divaricatus</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Smooth sunflower	<i>Helianthus laevigatus</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Small woodland sunflower	<i>Helianthus microcephalus</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Paleleaf woodland sunflower	<i>Helianthus stromosus</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Biennial Guara	<i>Oenothera guara</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Obedient Plant	<i>Physostegia virginiana</i>		Fall
Wild Stonecrop	<i>Sedum ternatum</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Goldenrod	<i>Solidago rugosa</i>	Host Plant	Fall

Heart Leaved Aster	<i>Symphoytricum cordifolium</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Smooth Blue Aster	<i>Symphyotrichum concinnum</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Purplestem Aster	<i>Symphyotrichum puniceum</i>	Host Plant	Fall
White Vervain	<i>Verbena urticifolia</i>	Host Plant	Fall
New York Ironweed	<i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i>	Host Plant	Fall
Colombine	<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>	Host Plant	spring
Jack in the Pulpit	<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>	Host Plant	spring
Blue Wild Indigo	<i>Baptisia australis</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Spurge	<i>Euphorbia corollata</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Galax	<i>Galax urceolata</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Woodland Geranium	<i>Geranium maculatum</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Coral Bells	<i>Heuchera americana</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Dwarf Crested Iris	<i>Iris cristata</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Virginia Bluebells	<i>Mertensia virginica</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Golden Ragwort	<i>Packera aurea</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Arrow Arum	<i>Peltandra virginica</i>		Spring
Gray Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon carensens</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Foxglove	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>	Host Plant	Spring
Solomon's Seal	<i>Polygonatum biflorum</i>		Spring
Foamflower White	<i>Tiarella cordifolia</i>		Spring
White Trillium	<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i>		Spring
Trillium	<i>Trillium sessile</i>		Spring
Yarrow	<i>Achillea millefolium</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Purple Hyssop	<i>Agastache scrophulariifolia</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Swamp Milkweed	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Common Milkweed, Purple	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Butterfly Weed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Bellflower	<i>Campanula divaricata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Turtlehead	<i>Chelone glabra</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Lobed tickseed	<i>Coreopsis auriculata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Tickseed	<i>Coreopsis major</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Star tickseed	<i>Coreopsis pubescens</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Whorled tickseed	<i>Coreopsis verticillata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Joe Pye-Weed	<i>Eupatorium purpureum</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Carolina Geranium Cranesbill	<i>Geranium carolinianum</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Oxeye Sunflower	<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Scaly Blazing Star	<i>Liatris squarrosa</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Turk's Cap Lily	<i>Lillium superbum</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Cardinal Flower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Great Blue Lobelia	<i>Lobelia siphilitica</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Yellow Loosestrife	<i>Lysimachia lanceolata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Basil Beebalm	<i>Monarda clinopodia</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Spotted Beebalm, Horsemint	<i>Monarda punctata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Narrow-leaf Sundrops	<i>Oenothera fruticosa</i>	Host Plant	Summer

Easter Smooth Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon laevigatus</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Woodland Phlox	<i>Phlox divaricata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Mountain Phlox	<i>Phlox latifolia</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum tenuifolium</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Black Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Brown Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia triloba</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Lyre-leaf Salvia	<i>Salvia lyrata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Virginia Spiderwort	<i>Tradescantia virginiana</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Blue Vervain	<i>Verbena hastata</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Narrowleaf Verbena	<i>Verbena simplex</i>	Host Plant	Summer
Culver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	Host Plant	Summer

Native Vines:

Crossvine	<i>Bignonia capreolata</i>	Host Plant
Trumpet Creeper	<i>Campsis radicans</i>	Host Plant
Virgin's Bower	<i>Clematis virginiana</i>	Host Plant
Honeyvine	<i>Cynanchum laeve</i>	Host Plant
Virginia Snakeroot	<i>Endodeca serpentaria</i>	Host Plant
Pipevine	<i>Isotrema macrophyllum</i>	Host Plant
Virginia Creeper	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	Host Plant
Purple Passionflower	<i>Passiflora incarnata</i>	Host Plant
Bristly Greenbriar	<i>Smilax hispida</i>	

Native Ferns:

Southern Ladyfern	<i>Athyrium asplenoides</i>	Host Plant
Cinnamon Fern	<i>Osmundastrum cinnamomeum</i>	Host Plant
Royal Fern	<i>Osmunda spectabilis</i>	Host Plant