

Pollinator Plants for Your Flowerbeds and C

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Olympia = Zone 7b: 5F to 10F

Source: The New Sunset Western Garden Book (2012) - Pl

Source: Bee Protective Habitat Guide by www.Beyond Pest

(As displayed in the Pollinator Garden at the Thurston County Fairgro

Season	Flower	* Sun Exposure	Water Needs
Spr/Sum	Borage	FS	Little
Spr/Sum/Fall	Calendula	FS	Dry to medium
Spr/Sum	Forget-Me-Not	FS/PS	Moderate
Spr/Sum/Fall	Goldenrod	FS/PS	Moderate
Spr/Sum	Honeysuckle	FS/PS	Moderate
Spr/Sum	Lavender	FS	Dry to moderate
Spr/Sum	Linaria	FS/PS	Moderate
Spr	Scented geranium	FS	Moderate
Spr/Sum	Sedum	FS/PS	Little to moderate
Spr/Sum	Serviceberry	PS/SH	Moist to dry
Spr	Verbena	FS	Moderate
Sum	Bee Balm	FS	Ample water
Sum	Black-eyed Susan	FS/PS	Moderate
Sum	Cascade columbine	PS	Moist
Sum	Coreopsis "Moonbeam" Tickseed	FS	Dry to moderate
Sum	Cosmos	FS	Dry to moderate
Sum	Crocosmia	FS/PS	Moderate
Sum	Echinacea	FS	Generous
Sum	Huckleberry, Evergreen	FS	Moderate
Sum	Pumpkin/Squash	FS	Moderate
Sum	Snowberry	FS/PS	Dry to moderate
Sum	Garden Sage	FS	Moderate
Sum	Rosemary	FS	Sparingly
Sum	Thyme	FS/PS	Little to moderate
Sum/Fall	Aster	FS	Moderate

Season	Flower	* Sun Exposure	Water Needs
Sum/Fall	Lupine	FS	Moderate
Sum/Fall	Oregano	FS	Little to moderate
Sum/Fall	Sedum (Autumn Joy)	FS/PS	Little to moderate
Sum/Fall	Daisy	FS	Moderate
Fall/Win	English Primrose	FS/PS	Moderate
Fall/Win	Hellebores	PS/SH	Moderate

* FS = full sun, PS = part sun, SH = shade

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- * Puget Sound Native Plant Salvage
- * Spring Creek Nursery
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From the WSU Pubs site <http://gardening.wsu.edu>

- FS122E Neonicotinoids Pesticides and Honey Bees
- PNW591 How to Reduce Bee Poisoning from Pesticides
- EM067E Beneficial Insects, Spiders, and Other Mini-Creatur

From the OSU Pubs site <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/>

- PNW 550 Encouraging Beneficial Insects in Your Garden
- PNW 623 Evaluating Honey Bee Colonies for Pollination
- EC 1613-E A Pocket Guide to Common Natural Enemies of Pests in the Pacific Northwest

From the Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation site www.xerces.org

- Invertebrate Conservation Fact Sheet-Pacific Northwest Plan

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Characteristics

2-3 ft high with blue blossoms. Provides nectar for bees and butterflies.

1-2 ft high with bright open-faced blossoms.

Grows densely as groundcover. Delicate blue blossoms loved by native and honeybees.

Attracts birds, butterflies. Clusters of bright, yellow flowers. Can be aggressive.

Climbing vine with fragrant, tubular blossoms. Bees and hummingbirds.

12-24" tall and wide plant. Fragrant blossoms. They all love 'em!

18-24" tall. Good nectar source for pollinators.

Scented foliage with small flowers.

Groundcover with bright flowers.

1-5 ft. Host plant for flies and bees.

6-12" tall. Attracts bees and butterflies.

2-4 ft tall. Hummingbirds, butterflies and bees.

Daisy-like blossoms that attract bees.

.1 - 2 ft high. Hummingbirds and bees.

18-24 inches. Yellow bloom summer through the fall.

2-3 ft tall with orange, red, yellow blossoms.

2 - 3 ft tall with red to orange-red flowers.

3-4 ft tall with open-faced flowers. Seed heads left over winter provide seeds for finches.

Moist to dry. 1-3 ft high. Hummingbirds, bees and butterflies.

Bumblebees love squash blossoms.

Prefers dry to moist soils. Grows from 6 to 10 feet in height. Attractive to hummingbirds, butterflies and bees. Birds love fruit in the Fall.

Shrubby perennial, small flowers late spring - summer.

Perennial herb with white, blue or purple flowers. Bees love them.

Yellow, white or purple flowers. Some overwinter and provide early nectar source.

Butterflies love them.

Characteristics

Tall with sweet pea-like blossoms.

Related to mint. Small flowers that attract butterflies, bees.

Wonderful flowers that attract bees, butterflies and hummingbirds.

1-2 ft tall with open-faced blossoms.

Low growing perennial herb. Bees forage blossoms in early morning.

Late winter/early spring blossoms. Great source of nectar and pollen for bees.

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