

Bee Feeders

North Carolina Pollinator Plants

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- 5 Year Review -

It has been 5 years since this column was first published. My editors and I thought it would be helpful to list all of the plants reviewed as a quick reference. The N column specifies which plants are native to North Carolina. Reference the *Bee Buzz* issue listed for complete details- back issues are available on the NCSBA website. For more information on gardening use the North Carolina Extension Gardener Plant Toolbox at plants.ces.ncsu.edu

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Species Name</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Native</u>	<u>Issue</u>
Goldenrod	<i>Solidago spp.</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2016
Smooth blue aster	<i>Symphyotrichum laeve</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2016
Eastern aromatic aster	<i>Symphyotrichum oblongifolium</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2016
Eastern doll's daisy	<i>Boltonia asteroides</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2016
Climbing aster	<i>Ampelaster carolinianus</i>	Vine	N	Fall 2016
Witch hazel	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	Shrub	N	Winter 2016
Frost aster	<i>Symphyotrichum pilosum</i>	Perennial	N	Winter 2016
American hazelnut	<i>Corylus americana</i>	Shrub	N	Winter 2016
Winter aconite	<i>Eranthis hyemalis</i>	Perennial		Winter 2016
Snowdrops	<i>Galanthus nivalis</i>	Perennial		Winter 2016
Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Tree	N	Spring 2017
Dwarf fothergilla	<i>Fothergilla gardenii</i>	Shrub	N	Spring 2017
Yellow wild indigo	<i>Baptisia tinctoria</i>	Perennial	N	Spring 2017
Henbit	<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Annual		Spring 2017
Inkberry, Gallberry	<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2017
Basswood, Linden	<i>Tilia americana</i>	Tree	N	Summer 2017
Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i>	Tree	N	Summer 2017
Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2017
American spotted horesemint	<i>Monarda punctata</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2017
Japanese apricot	<i>Prunus mume</i>	Tree		Winter 2017
Sweetbox	<i>Sarcococca hookeriana</i>	Shrub		Winter 2017
Winter jasmine	<i>Jasminum nudiflorum</i>	Shrub		Winter 2017
Spiderwort	<i>Tradescantia virginiana</i>	Perennial	N	Spring 2018
American holly	<i>Ilex opaca</i>	Tree	N	Spring 2018
Little silverbell	<i>Halesia carolina</i>	Tree	N	Spring 2018
Oakleaf hydrangea	<i>Hydrangea quercifolia</i>	Shrub	N	Spring 2018
Black locust	<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i>	Tree	N	Spring 2018
Silverleaf mountain mint	<i>Pycnanthemum incanum</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018

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Short-toothed mountain mint	<i>Pycnanthemum muticum</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018
Slender mountain mint	<i>Pycnanthemum tenuifolium</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018
Button bush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2018
Hercules club	<i>Aralia spinosa</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2018
Purple milkweed	<i>Asclepias purpurascens</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018
Swamp milkweed	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018
Common milkweed	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Perennial	N	Summer 2018
Peegee hydrangea	<i>Hydrangea paniculata</i>	Shrub		Fall 2018
Gold & silver chrysanthemum	<i>Chrysanthemum pacificum</i>	Perennial		Fall 2018
Late boneset	<i>Eupatorium serotinum</i>	Perennial	N	Fall 2018
Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>	Tree	N	Winter 2018
Blackberry	<i>Rubus fruticosus</i>	Perennial		Winter 2018
African Blue basil	<i>Ocimum hybrid</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Basil	<i>Ocimum basilicum</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Spearmint	<i>Mentha spicata</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Thyme	<i>Thymus vulgaris</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Sage	<i>Salvia officinalis</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Rosemary	<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Oregano	<i>Origanum vulgare</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Chives	<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
Lavender	<i>Lavandula angustifolia</i>	Herb		Winter 2018
American persimmon	<i>Diospyrus virginiana</i>	Tree	N	Spring 2019
Asian persimmon	<i>Diospyrus kaki</i>	Tree		Spring 2019
Raspberry	<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Woody		Summer 2019
Highbush blueberry	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2019
Sweetbay magnolia	<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Shrub	N	Fall 2019
Glossy abelia	<i>Abelia grandiflora</i>	Shrub		Fall 2019
Crocus	<i>Crocus speciosus</i>	Bulb		Fall 2019
Siberian squill	<i>Scilla siberica</i>	Bulb		Fall 2019
Glory of the snow	<i>Chinodoxa luciliae</i>	Bulb		Fall 2019
Iceland poppy	<i>Papaver nudicaule</i>	Annual		Winter 2019
Oriental poppy	<i>Papaver orientate</i>	Annual		Winter 2019
Buckwheat	<i>Fagopyrum sagittatum</i>	Annual		Winter 2019
Sunflower	<i>Helianthus annuus</i>	Annual	N	Winter 2019
Mexican zinnia	<i>Zinnia augustifolia</i>	Annual		Winter 2019
Mexican sunflower	<i>Tithonia rotundifolia</i>	Annual		Winter 2019
Borage	<i>Borago officinalis</i>	Herb		Winter 2019

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Cherry laurel	<i>Prunus laurocerasus</i>	Shrub		Spring 2020
Texas sage	<i>Salvia coccinea</i>	Herb		Summer 2020
Mexican bush sage	<i>Salvia leucantha</i>	Herb		Summer 2020
Purple heart	<i>Tradescantia pallida</i>	Annual		Summer 2020
Japanese climbing hydrangea	<i>Hydrangea anomala</i>	Vine		Fall 2020
Trumpet-creeper	<i>Campsis radicans</i>	Vine	N	Fall 2020
Swamp rose	<i>Rosa palustris</i>	Shrub	N	Winter 2020
Shrubby St John's wort	<i>Hypericum prolificum</i>	Shrub	N	Winter 2020
Possumhaw	<i>Ilex decida</i>	Shrub	N	Spring 2021
Winterberry	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	Shrub	N	Spring 2021
Dwarf or winged Sumac	<i>Rhus copallinum</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2021
Silver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	Shrub	N	Summer 2021
Blackgum tupelo	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	Tree	N	Fall 2021
New Jersey tea	<i>Ceanothus americanum</i>	Shrub	N	Fall 2021
Nodding onion	<i>Allium cernuum</i>	Bulb	N	Winter 2021
Garlic chives	<i>Allium tuberosum</i>	Bulb		Winter 2021
Spanish bluebells	<i>Hyacinthoides hispanica</i>	Bulb		Winter 2021

