

Plants That Attract Butterflies

Annuals

Ageratum *Ageratum*
Annual daisy *Argyranthemum*
Cosmos *Cosmos*
Dianthus *Dianthus*
Flowering Tobacco *Nicotiana*
Heliotrope *Heliotropium*
Impatiens *Impatiens*
Lantana *Lantana*
Lobelia *Lobelia*
Marigold *Tagetes*
Mexican Sunflower *Tithonia*
Pentas *Penta*
Pot Marigold *Calendula*
Spider Flower *Cleome*
Sweet Alyssum *Lobularia*
Sweet William *Dianthus*
Verbena *Verbena*
Zinnia *Zinnia*

Herbs

Borage *Borago o.*
Chives *Allium*
Dill *Anethum g.*
Fennel *Foeniculum*
Mint *Mentha*
Oregano *Origanum*
Parsley *Petroselinum*
Rue *Ruta*

Shrubs

Butterfly Bush *Buddleia*
Clethra *Clethra*
Lilac *Syringia*
Mockorange *Philadelphus*
Potentilla *Potentilla*
Pussy Willow *Salix*
Serviceberry *Amelanchier*
Spirea *Spiraea*
Wayfaring Bush *Viburnum*
Weigela *Weigela*

Perennials

Aster
Astilbe
Autumn Joy Sedum *Sedum*
Bee Balm *Monarda*
Black-eyed Susan *Rudbeckia*
Blanket flower *Gaillardia*
Blazing star *Liatris*
Butterfly Weed *Asclepias t.*
Candytuft *Iberis*
Catmint *Nepeta*
Columbine *Aquilegia*
Coneflower *Echinacea*
Coneflower *Rudbeckia*
Daisy *Leucanthemum*
Evening primrose *Oenothera*
Fall Asters *Aster*
Garden Phlox *Phlox*
Gayfeather *Liatris*
Globe Thistle *Echinops*
Goldenrod *Solidago*
Joe Pye Weed *Eupatorium*
Lavender *Lavendula*
Lilies *Lilium*
Lupine *Lupinus*
Masterwort *Astrantia*
Meadow Sage *Salvia*
Moonbeam Coreopsis *Coreopsis v.*
Myosotis
Obedient Plant *Physostegia*
Ornamental Grasses
Painted daisy *Tanacetum*
Peony *Paeonea*
Perennial Sunflower *Heliopsis*
Pincushion flower *Scabiosa*
Pinks *Dianthus*
Rock Cress *Arabis*
Shasta Daisies *Leucanthemum*
Sneezeweed *Helenium*
Swamp Milkweed *Asclepias i.*
Thrift *Armeria*
Tickseed *Coreopsis*
Wind flower *Anemone*
Yarrow *Achillea*

Trees

Alder *Alnus*
Elms *Ulmus*
Gray Dogwood *Cornus*
Hawthorne *Crataegus*
Horse Chestnut *Aesculus*
Maple *Acer*
Pagoda Dogwood *Cornus*
Redbud *Cercis*
Tree Lilac *Syringia*
Weeping Willow *Salix*

Wildflowers

Beggars Ticks *Bidens aristosa*
Bergamot/Oswego Tea
Monarda
Boneset *Eupatorium perfol.*
Butterfly Weed *Asclepias t.*
Clover *Trifolium*
Dandelions *Taraxacum*
Fall Asters *Aster*
Goldenrod *Solidago*
Hawkweed *Heracium*
Ironweed *Vernonia*
Joe-Pye Weed *Eupatorium*
Milkweed *Asclepias*
Mountain Mint *Pycnanthemum*
Oxeye Daisy *Leucanthemum*
Queen Anne's Lace *Daucus carota*
Thistle *Cirsium*
Vetch *Vicia*
Yarrow *Achillea millefolium*