

Native Plant Sale

Beautify your yard with plants ecologically appropriate to our region. We have gorgeous natives for sun to shade for every local garden. This sale is pre-order only. **Orders must be placed by September 13, 2023. Pick-up from Long Branch Nature Center on Sunday September 24.**

Woody plants for the fall.

Scientific Name	Common Name	Light	Moist.	Plant description
<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>	Canadian Serviceberry	PSd, Sd	M, W	Small understory tree or large shrub reaching up to 35' tall with a spread of 35-50'. Conspicuous, white blossoms in early spring, red to purple, fleshy fruit develop in June/July. Orange to red foliage during the fall.
<i>Aronia arbutifolia</i>	Red Chokeberry	Sn, PSd	M	A native multi-stemmed 6'-12' deciduous shrub. Spring- white flower clusters lead to dark glossy leaves that turn orange-red in the fall. Also in fall, it produces bright red, pear-shaped, berry-like fruit that remain on tree until mid-winter.
<i>Aronia melanocarpa</i>	Black Chokeberry	Sn-PSd	M, W	Deciduous shrub 3-6' tall, white spring flowers and fall berries for wildlife. Low maintenance and tolerates a range of soils. Good for rain gardens and as hedge.
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Ironwood	PSd, Sd	M	Also called muscledwood or American hornbeam known for its extremely dense, strong wood. This medium-sized understory tree grows well in low, shady places but can do remarkably well in sunny spots. Deciduous tree grows up to 40' tall. Flowers are catkins, not showy. Nut-like fruit. Fall foliage usually yellow and holds on long into late fall, early winter. Larval host for several Swallowtail and Purple butterflies.
<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i>	Fringe Tree	Sn, PSd	D, M	Deciduous tree reaching 15' to 30' tall. Conspicuous, drooping, fragrant, strap-like white flowers bloom in mid-late spring. Flowers bloom before or with the first leaves. Bluish black fruit.
<i>Cornus amomum</i>	Silky Dogwood	Sn, Psd, Sd	M, W	A deciduous shrub that grows up to 15' tall. Tends to spread sideways to form thickets. Creates great screening during spring, summer and fall. Can be shaped by pruning. Easy to grow. Nice fall colors. Needs consistently moist soil. Dark blue fruits.
<i>Cornus florida</i>	Flowering Dogwood	PSd, Sd	D, M	Very beautiful, native, deciduous, understory or stand-alone tree with large white bracts with smaller yellow flowers inside. Flowers in early spring. Red fruit, often eaten by wildlife. Can grow to 65' but usually much smaller. Rich fall foliage yellow to red.
<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	Witch hazel	PSd, Sd	D, M	Deciduous shrub growing 15' -25'. With wavy-edged leaves sometime covered with pointed cone-shaped galls, this shrub is very recognizable. Fragrant, strap-like yellow flowers appear in fall and last past the fall of their golden leaves. Host plant for the larvae of the spring azure butterfly.
<i>Hypericum prolificum</i>	Shrubby St. John's Wort	PSd, Sd	D, M	Small, mound-shaped deciduous shrub often 3' tall. Dense leave/branches. Red-purple bark. Dark-blue-green leaves become yellow-green in the fall. Large yellow single or clustered flowers. Seeds/capsule carry over into the winter. Very adaptable and low maintenance, good for hedge.
<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	Winterberry	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M, W	Though in the holly family, this is a deciduous shrub that grows 6-10'. Inconspicuous flowers but produce clusters of bright red-orange fruit that attract many birds. Leaves turn blackish with first frost, but berries are extremely show in late fall. This is a dioecious plant, meaning it is either male or female and you need both to produce berries. Larval host of the Henry's Elfin butterfly.



Canadian Serviceberry Red chokeberry Black chokeberry Ironwood Fringe Tree Silky Dogwood Flowering Dogwood Witch Hazel Shrubby St. John's Wort Winterberry

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<i>Itea virginica</i>	Sweetspire	PSd	M	A deciduous shrub that grows 3'-6'. Flowers grow in 4 inch yellow to white spires that grow from base to tip, so they appear to have long growing flower period. Red to purple autumn leaves.
<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	Spicebush	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M, W	A fast-growing, single or multi-stemmed shrub that grows 6' to 15'. Very aromatic fruit and leaves. Dense yellow flower cluster in early spring. Fruit turns bright red, and leaves turn golden yellow in the fall. Host plant for several butterflies. Need male and female plants to produce berries.
<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i>	Coral Honeysuckle	Sn	M, W	This is a twining vine that can reach 10 to 20 feet tall and 3 to 6 feet wide. It needs a support structure and thus is an excellent choice for a trellis, arbor, or fence. Native honeysuckle is not invasive, flowers in mid-spring, and is often non-fragrant. It is a nice addition to a butterfly, native, or pollinator garden.
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay Magnolia	PSd	M	This slow-growing tree, most known for its very large, white, fleshy flowers. No serious disease or insect problems. Can grow to 90' or can be pruned after flowering to stay small. Large leathery deciduous or evergreen leaves, up to 6" long. Large solitary, creamy white flowers up to 3" across.
<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	Black Gum	Sn, PSd, Sd	M	A deciduous tree reaching up to 100', able to be in a wide variety of habitats. Excellent shade tree. Fruit is eaten by many birds, insects and wildlife. Dark blue fruit. Conspicuous fall foliage, yellow to red.
<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	Eastern Ninebark	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M, W	3-10' mound-shaped deciduous shrub. Fast growing, insect and disease resistant. Drought tolerant. Attractive, white, ball-like flowers. Yellow fall color
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black Cherry	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M	Known for its beauty and quality of wood, this aromatic deciduous tree grows 25'-110'. Showy white, raceme flower clusters that emerge just after leaf emergence. Black-red berries(drupe). Peeling/curled black/gray bark. Yellow fall foliage, bitter tasting fruit.
<i>Rhododendron periclymenoides</i>	Pinxter Azalea	PSd	D	6-15' deciduous shrub (usually closer to 6') with funnel-shaped pink or white flowers with protruding stamen that produce before the medium green leaves. Leaves turn dull yellow in fall. Tolerant of dry sites.
<i>Rhododendron viscosum</i>	Swamp Azalea	PSd	M, W	Loose, open deciduous shrub. 5' high x 12' wide. Leaves clustered at ends. Sweet-scented flowers, white with lavender tubes (heath/rhododendron family)
<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>	Highbush Blueberry	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M, W	6-12' high and wide deciduous shrub. Reddish spring leaves turn blue-green in summer and red, yellow, orange and purple in fall. white/pink bell-like flower clusters turn into pink then blue berries that are edible. Eaten by people, birds and wildlife.
<i>Viburnum prunifolium</i>	Blackhaw Viburnum	PSd	D, M	This rounded shrub/tree grows 12-15'. Deciduous. White flower clusters lead to yellow fruit that turns blue-black in the fall. Drought and wet tolerant. Fruit consumed by birds and mammals.



Sweetspire Spicebush Coral Honeysuckle Sweetbay Magnolia Sweetgum

Eastern
Ninebark



Black Cherry Pinxter Azalea Swamp Azalea Highbush blueberry Blackhaw viburnum

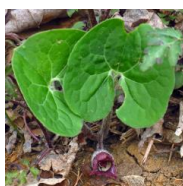
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Forbs and graminoid

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<i>Andropogon virginicus</i>	Broomsedge	Sn-PSd	M	This is an adaptable, drought tolerant warm season grass. The green leaves and stems turn dark red-purple then bright orange in late fall. It is clump forming and reaches four feet tall with seed heads and maintains a beautiful orange-golden hue throughout winter.
<i>Asarum canadense</i>	Wild Ginger	PSd, Sd	M	Low, colony forming perennial typically grows 4"-8" high with typically 2 large, heart-shaped leaves with 1 darkish red-brown to purple flower at ground level. Leaves form a dense ground cover.
<i>Conoclinium coelestinum</i>	Mistflower	Sn, PSd	M	Perennial herb, grows up to 3' tall with Blue, Purple flowers that bloom July through November. Great as a border plant or ground cover. Wonderful for late-season butterflies. Spreads quickly and can become a pest. Attracts birds and butterflies.
<i>Eurybia divaricata</i>	White Wood Aster	Sd, PSd	D, M	A native herbaceous, perennial in the Asteraceae (daisy) family. Can grow to a mounding height of 3' and spreads vigorously by rhizomes reaching its full growth in 2 to 5 years.
<i>Iris cristata</i>	Dwarf Crested Iris	PSd, Sd	M, W	Perennial herb which grows up to 16" tall. Flower colors including white, yellow, blue and purple. Bloom March - July
<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Cardinal Flower	Sn, PSd, Sd	M, W	Herb. Very showy, red flowers that enjoy the edge of woodlands or gardens. Attracts songbirds, hummingbirds and many butterflies. Poisonous.
<i>Packera aurea</i>	Golden Ragwort/Groundsel	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M	Perennial herb with flowers up to 2'-3' stalks. medium sized yellow flowers. 4-inch leaves, green on top/purplish below. Blooms March - August.
<i>Salvia lyrata</i>	Lyre-leaf Sage	Sn, PSd, Sd	D, M	This drought-tolerant, perennial herb grows up to 2' tall with dark green basal leaves containing dark purple veins. White, blue and purple flowers can bloom March - June. Good ground cover. Can be mowed over and even walked on.
<i>Solidago Caesia</i>	Bluestem Goldenrod	Sn, PSd	D	Relatively small, perennial herb. Not aggressive. Enjoys rich, deciduous, open woods, borders and clearings. Grows 1' to 3' tall with dark green leaves sometimes purplish stems and showy yellow flowers spread along the stem.



Broomsedge



Wild Ginger



Mistflower



White Wood Aster



Dwarf Crested Iris



Cardinal Flower



Golden Ragwort



Lyre-leaf Sage



Bluestem goldenrod

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Growth habit	Common Name	Scientific name	Price	Size	Qty.	Total
Woody Plants – Small trees, shrubs, vine	Amelanchier canadensis	Canadian Serviceberry	\$15	Gal.		
	Aronia arbutifolia	Red Chokeberry	\$14	Gal.		
	Aronia melanocarpa	Black Chokeberry	\$14	Gal.		
	Carpinus caroliniana	Ironwood	\$22	Gal.		
	Chionanthus virginicus	Fringe Tree	\$16	Gal.		
	Cornus amomum	Silky Dogwood	\$13	Gal.		
	Cornus florida	Flowering Dogwood	\$15	Gal.		
	Hamamelis virginiana	Witch hazel	\$16	Gal.		
	Hypericum prolificum	Shrubby St. John's Wort	\$9	Tubeling		
	Ilex verticillata	Winterberry	\$13	Gal.		
	Itea Virginica	Sweetspire	\$24	Gal.		
	Lindera benzoin	Spicebush	\$20	Gal.		
	Lonicera sempervirens	Coral Honeysuckle	\$12	Gal.		
	Magnolia virginiana	Sweetbay Magnolia	\$15	Gal.		
	Nyssa sylvatica	Black Gum	\$22	Gal.		
	Physocarpus opulifolius	Eastern Ninebark	\$20	Gal.		
	Prunus serotina	Black Cherry	\$15	Gal.		
	Rhododendron periclymenoides	Pinxter Azalea	\$41	Gal.		
	Rhododendron viscosum	Swamp Azalea	\$43	Gal.		
	Vaccinium corymbosum	Highbush Blueberry	\$26	Gal.		
Viburnum prunifolium	Blackhaw Viburnum	\$21	Gal.			

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Herbaceous Plants	Andropogon virginicus	Broomsedge	\$8	Qt.		
	Asarum canadense	Wild Ginger	\$8	Qt.		
	Conoclinium coelestinum	Mistflower	\$8	Qt.		
	Eurybia divaricata	White Wood Aster	\$8	Qt.		
	Iris cristata	Dwarf Crested Iris	\$8	Qt.		
	Lobelia cardinalis	Cardinal Flower	\$8	Qt.		
	Packera aurea	Golden Ragwort/Groundsel	\$5	Qt.		
	Salvia lyrata	Lyre-leaf Sage	\$5	Qt.		
	Solidago Caesia	Bluestem Goldenrod	\$8	Qt.		

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Pickup information:

- Sunday, September 24 between 10 AM – 3 PM
- You will receive an invitation to sign up for a pickup time after orders are closed.
- Pickup from Long Branch Nature Center, 625 S. Carlin Springs Road, Arlington

How to order:

- **Best way!** Scan the QR code below to reach the registration site or manually at <https://registration.arlingtonva.us>

- Call:
 - Long Branch Nature Center at 703-228-6535 during open hours (Tue, Wed and Sat from 10 am-5pm) to place your order.
 - Registration desk at 703-228-4747

- **No paper orders will be accepted.**

