2023 Native Plant & Seed Sale
Expected Plant Availability

The plants in our sale are carefully nursery-propagated. None are collected from the wild. A large percentage are grown from seeds that are collected and cleaned by Brandywine Conservancy & Museum of Art garden volunteers. Our seeds are primarily collected from the gardens surrounding the Brandywine River Museum of Art and from the Conservancy’s adjacent meadows in Chadds Ford, PA. Hand-prepared packets of these seeds are available during the plant sale as well as year-round in the museum’s gift shop. Seed packets are $2 each and $5 for a set of any three packets.

Sharp-eyed shoppers at our annual sale have learned that we customarily sell some plants as small communities of compatible species. This means that a pot with a Foamflower may also contain a seedling Wild Columbine or Wild Geranium; a Brandywine Bluebell may include a Dutchman’s Breeches; a Showy Coneflower might contain a Dense Blazing Star and a Smooth Beardtongue. Customers pay for the primary plant, only. Such combinations can be separated and planted individually or planted as one and allowed to grow as a group.

Nearly every species at our sale is presented with an informative sign, usually containing a color photo, to help you better understand where the plant will grow best and what it can be expected to look like after it has grown a bit in your garden. To help you remember that information after you get home, each plant has a label which includes the basic attributes specific to that plant: typical size, time and color of flower, its sun preference (full sun, part shade, shade) and soil moisture preference (wet, moist or dry) and, if there is room on the label, a comment regarding its value to birds, bees and butterflies.

Plant prices vary according to multiple factors. Herbaceous plants (ferns, grasses, flowering perennials) will be offered in several different pot sizes, typically ranging in price from $6 to $12. Woody plants (vines, shrubs, trees), most commonly sold in one-, two- or three-gallon pots, typically range from $22 to $49.

The following list represents the plants we expect to have available at this year’s event. As with every plant sale, there will be late-hour additions to the offerings and unfortunate crop failures. **Plants marked with an asterisk tend, in our experience, to be less palatable to deer.**
HERBACEOUS

Actaea pachypoda
   Doll’s Eyes
Actaea racemosa
   Black Cohosh
*Allium cernuum
   Nodding Wild Onion
*Allium tricoccum
   Ramps
*Amsonia tabernaemontana var. salicifolia
   Willow Leaf Bluestar
*Anemone canadensis
   Canada Anemone
*Anemone virginiana
   Thimbleweed
*Antennaria plantaginifolia
   Field pussytoes
*Aquilegia canadensis species, plus ‘Little Lanterns’
   Wild Columbine
*A. canadensis 'Corbett'
   Yellow Wild Columbine
Aralia racemosa
   Spikenard
*Arisaema triphyllum
   Jack-in-the-Pulpit
Aruncus dioicus
   Goatsbeard
*Asarum canadense
   Wild Ginger
Asclepias incarnata
   Swamp Milkweed
Asclepias incarnata ssp. pulchra
   Swamp Milkweed
*Asclepias tuberosa
   Butterfly Weed
Aster cordifolius (Symphyotrichum cordifolium)
   Heart-leaved Aster
Aster divaricatus (Eurybia divaricata)
   White Wood Aster
    
Aster ericoides (Symphyotrichum ericoides)
   ‘Snow Flurry’
   White Heath Aster
Aster laevis (Symphyotrichum laeve)
   Smooth Aster
Aster lateriflorus (Symphyotrichum lateriflorum) ‘Lady in Black’
   Calico Aster
Aster novae-angliae
   (Symphyotrichum novae-angliae)
   New England Aster
*Aster oblongifolius
   (Symphyotrichum oblongifolium) ‘Raydon’s Favorite’
   Crooked-stem Aster
Aster pilosus (Symphyotrichum pilosum)
   Heath aster
Aster spectabilis (Eurybia spectabilis)
   Showy Aster
Aster umbellatus
   (Doellingeria umbellata)
   Flat-Topped White Aster
*Baptisia australis
   Blue False Indigo
Boltonia asteroides
   Thousand Flowered Aster
*Callirhoe involucrata
   Winecup
Caltha palustris
   Marsh Marigold
*Caulophyllum thalictroides
   Blue Cohosh
*Chelone glabra
   White Turtlehead
*Chelone lyonii ‘Hot Lips’
   Pink Turtlehead
*Chrysogonum virginianum ‘Allen Bush’ and ‘Pierre’
   Green and Gold
*Claytonia virginica
   Spring-Beauty
Collinsonia canadensis
   Horse-balm, Stoneroot
**HERBACEOUS (CONT.)**

*Coreopsis tripteris* 'Gold Standard'
  Tall Coreopsis
*Coreopsis verticillata*
  Thread-leaf Coreopsis
*Coreopsis v. 'Moonbeam'*
  Thread-leaf Coreopsis
*Cunila origanoides*
  American Dittany
*Dicentra cucullaria*
  Dutchman's Breeches
*Dicentra eximia*
  Wild Bleeding Heart
*Echinacea pallida*
  Pale Purple Coneflower
*Echinacea purpurea*
  Purple Coneflower
*Echinacea purpurea* 'Magnus'
  Purple Coneflower
*Echinacea purpurea* 'Pow Wow White'
  White Coneflower
*Equisetum hyemale*
  Horsetails, Scouring Rush
*Erigeron pulchellus* var. *pulchellus*
  'Lynnhaven Carpet'
  Robin's Plantain
*Eryngium aquaticum*
  Rattlesnake Master
*Eryngium yuccifolium*
  Rattlesnake Master
*Eupatorium coelestinum* (Conoclinium coelestinum)
  Mistflower
*Eupatorium (Eutrochium) dubium*
  Joe-Pye Weed (dwarf)
*Eupatorium (Eutrochium) fistulosum*
  Joe-Pye Weed
*Eupatorium hyssopifolium*
  Hyssop-leaved Thoroughwort
*Eupatorium (Eutrochium) maculatum* 'Gateway'
  Spotted Joe-Pye Weed
*Eupatorium perfoliatum*
  Boneset

*Eupatorium (Eutrochium) purpureum*
  Sweet Scented Joe-Pye
*Geranium maculatum*
  Wild Geranium
*Helenium autumnale*
  Sneezeweed
*Helenium flexuosum*
  Purplehead Sneezeweed
*Helianthus decapetalus*
  Thin-Leaved Sunflower
*Heliopsis helianthoides*
  Ox-eye
*Hepatica acutiloba*
  Round Lobed Hepatica, Liverleaf
*Heracleum maximum*
  Cow Parsnip
*Heuchera americana* species, plus 'Dale’s Strain'
  Alumroot
*Heuchera villosa* 'Autumn Bride'
  Autumn Alumroot
*Houstonia caerulea*
  Quaker Ladies, Bluets
*Hydrophyllum canadense*
  Broad-leaved Waterleaf
*Hydrophyllum virginianum*
  Virginia Waterleaf
*Iris cristata*
  Crested Dwarf Iris
*Iris cristata* 'Eco Bluebird'
  Crested Dwarf Iris
*Iris fulva*
  Copper Iris
*Iris prismatica*
  Slender Blue Flag
*Iris versicolor* species, plus ‘Purple Flame’
  Larger Blue Flag
*Jeffersonia diphylla*
  Twinleaf
*Krigia biflora*
  Two-flowered Cynthia
*Laportea canadensis*
  Wood Nettle
HERBACEOUS (CONT.)

*Liatris spicata
Dense Blazing Star

*Liatris squarrosa
Scaly Blazing Star

*Lobelia cardinalis
Cardinal Flower

*Lobelia siphilitica
Blue Lobelia

*Mertensia virginica
Brandywine Bluebells

*Monarda ‘Gardenview Scarlet’
Bee-Balm

*Monarda didyma 'Jacob Cline'
Bee-Balm

*Monarda fistulosa species, plus ‘Claire Grace’ and Judith’s Fancy Fuchsia’
Wild Bergamot

*Monarda punctata
Horsemint

*Oenothera fruticosa
Sundrops

*Opuntia humifusa
Prickly Pear

*Pachysandra procumbens
Allegheny Pachysandra

*Packera aurea (Senecio aureus)
Golden Ragwort

*Parthenium integrifolium
Wild Quinine

*Penstemon digitalis
Foxglove Beardtongue

*Penstemon hirsutus
Hairy Beardtongue

*Phlox divaricata species, plus 'Blue Moon'
Blue Woodland Phlox

*Phlox divaricata 'May Breeze'
White Woodland Phlox

*Phlox glaberrima ‘Morris Berd’
Smooth Phlox

*Phlox paniculata species, plus ‘Jeana’
Garden Phlox

*Phlox stolonifera 'Sherwood Purple'
Creeping Phlox - purple

*Phlox subulata 'Crimson Beauty', 'Emerald Pink’, ‘Emerald Blue’, and ‘Snow Flake’
Moss Pink, Moss Phlox

*Physostegia virginiana species, plus ‘Miss Manners’ and ‘Vivid’
False Dragonhead

*Polemonium reptans
Jacob’s Ladder

*Polemonium reptans ‘Stairway to Heaven’
Variegated Jacob’s Ladder

Polygonatum biflorum var. commutatum
Great Solomon's Seal

*Porteranthus trifolius ‘Pink Profusion’
Bowman’s Root

*Pycnanthemum muticum
Short-toothed Mountain Mint

*Pycnanthemum tenuifolium
Narrow-leaf Mountain Mint

*Pycnanthemum virginianum
Virginia Mountain Mint

*Ratibida pinnata
Gray-Headed Coneflower

*Rudbeckia fulgida var. fulgida
Orange Coneflower

*Rudbeckia fulgida var. newmannii
Newman’s Coneflower

*Rudbeckia fulgida var. speciosa
Showy Coneflower

*Rudbeckia laciniata
Green-headed Coneflower

*Rudbeckia triloba
Thin-leaved Coneflower

*Salvia lyrata 'Purple Knockout'
Lyre-leaved Sage

*Sanguinaria canadensis
Bloodroot

*Scutellaria incana
Downy Skullcap
HERBACEOUS (CONT.)

*Scutellaria integrifolia*
Hyssop Skullcap

*Sedum ternatum*
Stonecrop

*Senecio aureus* (see *Packera aurea*)
Golden Ragwort

*Senna hebecarpa*
Wild Senna

*Senna marilandica*
Wild Senna

*Silene caroliniana* ‘Short & Sweet’
Wild Pink

*Silphium perfoliatum*
Cup Plant

*Silphium terebinthinaceum*
Prairie Rosinweed

*Sisyrinchium angustifolium* ‘Suwannee’
Blue-eyed Grass

*Smilacina racemosa*
(see *Maianthemum racemosum*)
False Solomon's Seal

*Solidago caesia*
Blue-stemmed Goldenrod

*Solidago canadensis* 'Little Miss Sunshine'
Dwarf Canada Goldenrod

*Solidago flexicaulis*
Zig-zag Goldenrod

*Solidago juncea*
Early Goldenrod

*Solidago nemoralis*
Gray Goldenrod, Old Field Goldenrod

*Solidago odora*
Anise-scented Goldenrod

*Solidago rigida* (*Oligoneuron rigidum*)
Stiff Goldenrod

*Solidago rugosa* 'Fireworks'
Rough-stemmed Goldenrod

*Solidago speciosa*
Showy Goldenrod

*Stylophorum diphyllum*
Wood Poppy

*Thermopsis villosa*
Carolina Bush Pea

*Tiarella cordifolia* species, plus ‘Brandywine’
Foamflower (runnering)

*Tiarella c. var. collina* ‘Oakleaf’
Foamflower (clumping)

*Tradescantia ohiensis*
Spiderwort

*Tradescantia virginiana*
Spiderwort

*Uvularia grandiflora*
Large Flowered Bellwort

*Verbena hastata*
Blue Vervain

*Vernonia glauca*
Upland Ironweed

*Veronicastrum virginicum*
Culver's Root

*Viola sororia* ‘Freckles’
Freckled Blue Violet

*Viola striata*
Cream Violet

*Zizia aprterta*
Heart-Leaved Zizia, Golden Alexanders

*Zizia aurea*
Golden Alexanders

FERNS

*Adiantum pedatum*
Northern Maidenhair Fern

*Athyrium filix-femina*
Lady Fern

*Dryopteris goldiana*
Goldie's Fern

*Dryopteris marginalis*
Evergreen Wood Fern

*Matteuccia pensylvanica*
Ostrich Fern

*Onoclea sensibilis*
Sensitive Fern

*Osmunda cinnamomea*
Cinnamon Fern

*Osmunda regalis*
Royal Fern

*Polystichum acrostichoides*
Christmas Fern
GRASSES AND GRASS-LIKES

*Andropogon gerardii
   Big Bluestem
*Andropogon gyrans
   Elliott's Bluestem
*Andropogon virginicus
   Broomsedge
*Carex appalachica
   Creek Sedge
*Carex cherokeensis
   Cherokee Sedge
*Carex pensylvanica
   Pennsylvania Sedge
*Carex radiata
   Eastern Star Sedge
*Carex stricta
   Tussock Sedge
*Chasmanthium latifolium
   Wild Oats
*Deschampsia cespitosa species, plus
   ‘Goldtau’
   Tufted Hairgrass
*Elymus hystrix (Hystrix patula)
   Bottlebrush Grass
*Eragrostis spectabilis
   Purple Love Grass
*Juncus effusus
   Soft Rush
*Juncus tenuis
   Path Rush
*Muhlenbergia capillaris
   Hairawn Muhly
*Panicum virgatum ‘Shenandoah’, ‘Cloud
   Nine’, and ‘Northwind’
   Switchgrass
*Schizachyrium scoparium species, plus
   ‘Standing Ovation’
   Little Bluestem
*Scirpus cyperinus
   Wool Grass
*Sorghastrum nutans
   Indian Grass
*Sporobolus heterolepis
   Prairie Dropseed

*Tridens flavus
   Purple Top

VINES

*Clematis virginiana
   Virgin's Bower
*Gelsemium sempervirens ‘Margarita’
   Carolina Jessamine
*Lonicera sempervirens ‘Major Wheeler’
   Trumpet Honeysuckle
*Parthenocissus quinquefolia
   Virginia Creeper

TREES AND SHRUBS

*Aesculus parviflora
   Bottlebrush Buckeye
*Aesculus pavia
   Red Buckeye
*Amelanchier canadensis
   Serviceberry
*Amelanchier laevis
   Allegheny Serviceberry
*Aronia arbutifolia
   Red Chokeberry
*Aronia melanocarpa
   Black Chokeberry
*Asimina triloba
   Paw-Paw
*Betula lenta
   Sweet Birch
*Betula nigra
   River Birch
*Calycanthus floridus
   Sweetshrub
*Carpinus caroliniana
   Musclewood
*Carya glabra
   Pignut Hickory
*Ceanothus americanus
   New Jersey Tea
*Cercis canadensis species, plus ‘The Rising
   Sun’
TREES AND SHRUBS (CONT.)

Redbud
Chamaecyparis thyoides
White Cedar
Chionanthus virginicus
Fringetree
*Clethra alnifolia species, plus
Hummingbird'
Summersweet
*Comptonia peregrina
Sweetfern
Cornus alternifolia
Pagoda Tree
Cornus florida 'Cherokee Princess'
Flowering Dogwood
Cornus racemosa
Grey Dogwood
Cornus sericea 'Arctic Fire'
Red-osier Dogwood
*Corylus americana
American Filbert, Hazelnut
Cotinus obovatus
American Smoketree
Diospyros virginiana
American Persimmon
Euonymus americanus
Hearts-a-bustin, Strawberry Bush
Euonymus atropurpureus
Eastern Wahoo
Fagus grandifolia
American Beech
*Fothergilla x intermedia ‘Mt. Airy’
Fothergilla
Franklinia alatamaha
Franklinia
Gaylussacia baccata
Black Huckleberry
Gordinia x grandiflora
Franklinia x Gordonia
Hamamelis virginiana
Witch-hazel
Hydrangea arborescens 'Haas' Halo'
Smooth Hydrangea
*Hypericum prolificum

Shrubby Saint Johnswort
Ilex glabra species, plus ‘Strongbox’
Inkberry
Ilex opaca 'Jersey Knight', 'Maryland Dwarf', and 'Satyr Hill'
American Holly
Ilex verticillata 'Berry Poppins', 'Jim Dandy', 'Mr. Poppins' and 'Red Sprite'
Winterberry Holly
Itea virginica species, plus ‘Little Henry’
Virginia Sweetspire
Juniperus virginiana ‘Burkii’
Eastern Red Cedar
Kalmia angustifolia
Sheep Laurel
Kalmia latifolia ‘Bullseye’ and ‘Tinkerbelle’
Mountain Laurel
*Lindera benzoin
Spicebush
Magnolia tripetala
Umbrella Magnolia
Magnolia virginiana
Sweet Bay Magnolia
Morus rubra
Red Mulberry
Myrica pensylvanica (Morella pensylvanica)
Bayberry
Nyssa sylvatica
Black Gum, Tupelo
Ostrya virginiana
Hop Hornbeam
Oxydendrum arboreum
Sourwood
*Physocarpus opulifolius
Ninebark
Prunus americana
American Plum
Prunus virginiana
Chokecherry
Quercus bicolor
Swamp White Oak
Quercus imbricaria
Shingle Oak
TREES AND SHRUBS (CONT.)
Quercus macrocarpa
Mossy Cup Oak
Quercus prinus
Chestnut Oak
Quercus rubra (borealis)
Red Oak
Rhododendron arborescens
Sweet Azalea
Rhododendron atlanticum
Coast Azalea
Rhododendron periclymenoides
Pinxterflower
Rhododendron viscosum
Swamp Azalea
*Rhus aromatica 'Gro-Low' and 'Lacette’
Fragrant Sumac
Rhus copallina
Shining Sumac
*Rosa carolina
Pasture Rose
*Rosa palustris
Swamp Rose
Salix discolor
Pussy Willow
Sambucus canadensis species, plus ‘Ranch’
Elderberry
Sassafras albidum
Sassafras
Staphylea trifolia
American Bladdernut
Taxodium distichum
Bald Cypress
Tilia americana
Basswood
Vaccinium angustifolium
Lowbush Blueberry
Vaccinium corymbosum species, plus ‘Duke’
and ‘Cara’s Choice’
Highbush Blueberry
Viburnum acerifolium
Mapleleaf Viburnum
Viburnum dentatum
Arrow-wood
Viburnum nudum
Possumhaw
Viburnum prunifolium
Black-haw

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