

Resources for Pollinator-Friendly Gardens

Sources for “clean” seeds and plants:

- **Catalogs**
 - Baker Creek Heirloom Seeds (MO) (417-924-8917), rareseeds.com: Vegetables, flowers, herbs
 - Fedco (ME) (207 426-9900). fedcoseeds.com: Seeds, organically grown seedlings, potatoes, and supplies
 - Harris Seeds (NY) (800-544-7938), harriseseeds.com: Organic seeds and plants
 - High Mowing Organic Seeds (VT) (802-472-6174, highmowingseeds.com: Organic vegetable, herb, flower seeds
 - Prairie Moon Nursery (MN) (507-452-1362), prairiemoon.com: Native organic seeds and plants
 - The Cook’s Garden (PA) (800-457-9703), burpee.com/cooks-garden: Organic seeds and supplies, heirloom varieties
- **Local Farms and Nurseries**
 - Bare Roots Farm (Worthington MA) (717-357-0404) barerootsfarm.com: Organic plants
 - Nasami Farm (Native Plant Trust) (Whately MA) (413-397-9922) nativeplanttrust.org: Native plants from seed
 - That’s A Plenty Farm (Hadley, MA) thatsaplentyfarm.com: native seeds and plants
 - Wing and A Prayer Nursery (Cumington MA)(413-634-5659): native perennial plants
- **Finally, check out the “Clean Plant Sale”, sponsored annually by the Northampton Community Garden on a Saturday in late May.**

Books for your Library

- Elliman, Ted and the New England Wildflower Society, [Wildflowers of New England](#) (2016)
- Hayes, Rhoda Fleming, [Pollinator Friendly Gardening](#) (2015)
- Holm, Heather, [Bees: An Identification and Native Plant and Forage Guide](#) (2017)
- Holm, Heather, [Pollinators of Native Plants](#) (2014)
- Hurwitz, Jane, [Butterfly Gardening: The North American Butterfly Association Guide](#) (2018)
- Jaffe, Dan and Richardson, Mark, [Native Plants for New England Gardens](#) (2018)
- Wagner, David L., [Caterpillars of Eastern North America](#) (2005)
- Williams, Paul, et.al., [Bumblebees of North America](#) (2014)
- Wilson, Joseph and Carril, Olivia Messinger, [The Bees in Your Backyard](#) (2016)
- Xerces Society, [Attracting Native Pollinators](#) (2011)
- Xerces Society, [Gardening for Butterflies](#) (2016)

Online Resources:

- www.wmassbees.org (Western Mass Pollinator Network). See links for pollinator pathways and for 1,001 Pollinator Gardens.
- www.nativeplanttrust.org Formerly the New England Wild Flower Society. Tabs for Go Botany, a native plant identification guide and Plant Search, a guide to appropriate plants for your garden. See also Learning, a link to an excellent online self-paced course on pollinator gardening.
- www.pollinator.org Pollinator Partnership. Based in California. Good resource documents, including their Ecoregional Planting Guides (See Eastern Broadleaf Forest, Oceanic Province, Guide for New England).
- www.wmmqa.org Western Massachusetts Master Gardener Association. Website includes book reviews, original articles, and schedule of events, including day-long symposia typically scheduled in March and April.
- www.xerces.org See Resources, and Pollinator Conservation Resource Center.

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