

LOWER MAINLAND ECOZONE

Help bring butterflies home to your garden

Native wildflowers are adapted to local climate and soils and require less care and watering once established. They provide sugar-filled nectar and protein-rich pollen for beneficial insects like local butterflies and wild bees. This regional native plant list includes wildflowers for the *Lower Mainland ecozone*, which includes: **Vancouver, Abbotsford, Chilliwack, Powell River, Harrison Lake** and **Similkameen Valley**. Always try to find local sources for native plants.



Common Yarrow



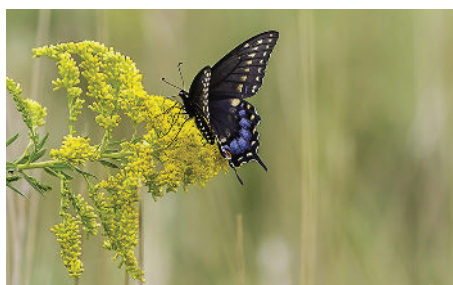
Fireweed



Common Woolly Sunflower



Serrulate Penstemon



Canada Goldenrod



Common Name	Botanical Name	Height	Flower Colour	Flower Season	Sun	Soil	Pollinators	Butterfly Host Plant
Common Yarrow	Achillea Millefolium	Less than 1m	White to pink	April – Oct	Sun to partial shade	Dry	Bees	X
Red, Sitka, or Western Columbine	Aquilegia Formosa	Less than 1m	Red	May – Aug	Partial shade to shade	Moist	Hummingbirds, bees	
Showy Milkweed	Asclepias Speciosa	1m	White to pink	June – Aug	Sun	Moist	Bees, butterflies	X
Fireweed	Chamaenerion Angustifolium	1-1.5m	Pink	June – Sept	Sun	Moist	Bees	
Common Woolly Sunflower	Eriophyllum Lanatum	Less than 1m	Yellow	May – Aug	Sun	Dry	Bees, butterflies	
Flat-Top Goldentop	Euthamia Graminifolia	1m	Yellow	July – Sept	Sun	Moist	Bees	
Miniature Lupine	Lupinus Bicolor	Less than 1m	Purple	April – June	Sun	Well drained	Bees	
Davidson's Penstemon	Penstemon Davidsonii	Less than 1m	Pink to purple	July – Aug	Sun	Well drained	Bees, hummingbirds	
Serrulate Penstemon	Penstemon Serrulatus	Less than 1m	Blue to purple	June – Aug	Partial shade	Moist to wet	Bees	
Silverleaf Phacelia	Phacelia Hastata	Less than 1m	White to purple	May – July	Partial shade	Dry to well drained	Bees	
Silky Phacelia	Phacelia Sericea	Less than 1m	White to purple	June – July	Partial shade	Well drained	Bees	
Blackeyed Susan	Rudbeckia Hirta	Less than 1m	Yellow	June – Sept	Sun to partial shade	Dry to moist	Bees, butterflies	X
Canada Goldenrod	Solidago Canadensis	1-2m	Yellow	Sept – Oct	Sun to partial shade	Dry to moist	Bees, butterflies	
Smooth Blue Aster	Symphyotrichum Laeve	1m	Purple	Aug – Sept	Sun to partial shade	Well drained to moist	Bees	
White Panicle Aster	Symphyotrichum Lanceolatum	1m	White	Aug – Sept	Sun to partial shade	Well drained	Bees	X