

## Butterfly Garden Plants

### *Asclepias sullivantii*

**Common Name:** Prairie Milkweed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies

**Bloom Color(s):** Pink

**Height:** 2-3 ft.

**Bloom Period:** June-August

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Moist



### *Asclepias syriaca*

**Common Name:** Common Milkweed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies, Bees, Beetles

**Bloom Color(s):** Purple

**Height:** 2-6.5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** May-August

**Sun:** Full Sun

**Soil:** Dry, Moist



### *Asclepias tuberosa*

**Common Name:** Butterfly Milkweed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies, Bees, Beetles, Hummingbirds

**Bloom Color(s):** Orange, Yellow, Red

**Height:** 1-2.5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** May-September

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade

**Soil:** Dry, Moist, Well-Drained



### *Asclepias viridis*

**Common Name:** Green Milkweed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies, Bees

**Bloom Color(s):** White, Green

**Height:** 1-2 ft.

**Bloom Period:** April-September

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Dry, Moist, Well-Drained



***Coreopsis lanceolata***

**Common Name:** Lanceleaf Tickseed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies, Beetles

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** 1-2 ft.

**Bloom Period:** May-July

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade, Shade

**Soil:** Dry, Moist



***Coreopsis palmata***

**Common Name:** Stiff Tickseed

**Pollinators:** Butterflies

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** 1-3 ft.

**Bloom Period:** May-July

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Dry



***Echinacea pallida***

**Common Name:** Pale Purple Coneflower

**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Birds

**Bloom Color(s):** Pink, Purple

**Height:** 2-4 ft.

**Bloom Period:** June-August

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Dry, Moist



***Echinacea purpurea***

**Common Name:** Eastern Purple Coneflower

**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Hummingbirds, Beetles

**Bloom Color(s):** Pink, Purple

**Height:** 2-5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** April-September

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade

**Soil:** Dry



***Eupatorium perfoliatum***

**Common Name:** Common Boneset  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Wasps  
**Bloom Color(s):** White  
**Height:** 2-6 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** June-October  
**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade, Shade  
**Soil:** Moist



***Helianthus pauciflorus***

**Common Name:** Stiff Sunflower  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Beetles, Moths  
**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow  
**Height:** 2-4 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** July-September  
**Sun:** Sun  
**Soil:** Dry



***Lobelia cardinalis***

**Common Name:** Cardinalflower  
**Pollinators:** Butterflies, Bees, Hummingbirds  
**Bloom Color(s):** Red  
**Height:** 1-6 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** May-October  
**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade, Shade  
**Soil:** Moist



***Monarda fistulosa***

**Common Name:** Wild Bergamot  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Hummingbirds, Butterflies, Moths, Flies  
**Bloom Color(s):** Purple, White, Pink  
**Height:** 2-5 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** May-September  
**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade  
**Soil:** Moist, Dry



***Oenothera macrocarpa***

**Common Name:** Bigfruit Evening Primrose

**Pollinators:** Hummingbirds, Moths

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** .75-1.5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** April-August

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Dry



***Oligoneuron rigidum***

**Common Name:** Stiff Goldenrod

**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** 1-5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** July-October

**Sun:** Sun

**Soil:** Moist, Dry



***Ratibida pinnata***

**Common Name:** Yellow Coneflower

**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Beetles, Wasps, Flies

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** 3-5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** May-September

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade

**Soil:** Moist, Dry



***Salvia azurea***

**Common Name:** Azure Blue Sage

**Pollinators:** Bees

**Bloom Color(s):** Blue

**Height:** 3-5 ft.

**Bloom Period:** July-October

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade

**Soil:** Dry



***Silphium laciniatum***

**Common Name:** Compassplant  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Flies, Wasps  
**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow  
**Height:** 3-12 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** July-September  
**Sun:** Sun  
**Soil:** Dry



***Solidago ulmifolia***

**Common Name:** Elmleaf Goldenrod  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Beetles, Moths  
**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow  
**Height:** 1.25-4.5 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** July-October  
**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade  
**Soil:** Dry



***Symphotrichum novae-angliae***

**Common Name:** New England Aster  
**Pollinators:** Bees  
**Bloom Color(s):** Pink, Purple  
**Height:** 1.5-6 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** August-October  
**Sun:** Sun  
**Soil:** Moist



***Vernonia fasciculata***

**Common Name:** Prairie Ironweed  
**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies, Moths  
**Bloom Color(s):** Purple, Pink  
**Height:** 2-6 ft.  
**Bloom Period:** July-September  
**Sun:** Sun  
**Soil:** Moist



***Zizia aurea***

**Common Name:** Golden Zizia

**Pollinators:** Bees, Butterflies

**Bloom Color(s):** Yellow

**Height:** 1-3 ft.

**Bloom Period:** April-August

**Sun:** Sun, Partial Shade

**Soil:** Moist

