

Native Plants Growing in Highland Park Gardens

Wildflowers

Aconitum uncinatum	Blue monkshood
Agastache scrophulariaefolia	Purple giant hyssop
Anaphalis margaritacea	Pearly everlasting
Anemone canadensis	Canada anemone
Anemone quinquefolia	Wood anemone
Aquilegia canadensis	Wild columbine
Arisaema triphyllum	Jack-in-the-pulpit
Asarum canadense	Wild ginger
Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly weed
Asclepias syriaca	Milkweed
Aster divaricata	Wood aster
Aster ericoides	Heath aster
Aster novae-angliae	New England aster
Aster oblongifolius	Aster - 'October Skies' cultivar
Baptisia australis	Blue false indigo
Camassia leichtlinii, C. quamash	Camass
Cassia hebecarpa	Wild senna
Chelone lyonii	Turtlehead
Cimicifuga racemosa	Bugbane, Black cohosh
Convallaria majalis	Lily of the valley <i>[some debate about native status]</i>
Coreopsis verticillata	Thread leaf tickseed
Dicentra eximia	Wild bleeding heart
Dodecatheon meadia	Shooting star
Echinacea purpurea	Purple coneflower
Eupatorium coelestinum	Perennial ageratum
Eupatorium purpureum	Joe pye weed
Eupatorium rugosum	White snakeroot
Geranium maculatum	Wood geranium
Hedyotis caerulea	Bluets
Heliopsis helianthoides	Summer sundrops
Heuchera americana	Alumroot
Hibiscus palustris/moscheutos	Rose mallow
Iris cristata	Dwarf crested iris
Jeffersonia diphylla	Twinleaf
Liatris spicata	Blazing star
Lobelia cardinalis	Cardinal flower
Lobelia siphilitica	Great blue lobelia
Mertensia virginica	Virginia blue bells
Monarda didyma	Beebalm
Penstemon digitalis	Beardtongue - 'Husker Red' cultivar
Phlox divaricata	Woodland phlox
Phlox carolina	Miss Lingard garden phlox
Phlox paniculata	Garden phlox, summer phlox
Phlox stolonifera	Creeping phlox

Wildflowers continued...

Phlox subulata	Moss pink
Physostegia virginiana	Obedient plant
Polemonium reptans	Jacob's ladder
Polygonatum biflorum	Solomon's seal
Porteranthus = Gillenia stipulatus	Bowman's root, American ipecac
Rudbeckia fulgida	Eastern coneflower
Rudbeckia hirta	Black-eyed Susan
Rudbeckia laciniata	Cutleaf coneflower
Salvia lyrata	Cancer weed, lyre-leaf sage, wild sage
Silene caroliniana	Wild pink
Sisyrinchium angustifolium	Blue-eyed grass
Solidago canadensis	Goldenrod; <i>[many more species exist]</i>
Thalictrum dasycarpum	Meadow rue
Thalictrum dioicum	Early meadow rue
Tiarella cordifolia	Foamflower, 'Brandywine' cultivar
Tiarella wherryi	Wherry's foamflower
Tradescantia virginiana	Spiderwort
Viola sororia, cucullata, et al	Common, meadow, marsh violet <i>[NJ state flower]</i>
Uvularia grandiflora	Big merry bells
Zizia aurea	Golden alexander

Shrubs

Aronia arbutifolia	Red chokeberry
Aronia melanocarpa	Black chokeberry
Calycanthus floridus	Eastern sweetshrub
Ceanothus americanus	New Jersey tea
Clethra alnifolia	Sweet pepperbush
Cornus alternifolia	Pagoda dogwood, Pigeonberry
Cornus racemosa	Grey dogwood
Cornus sericea	Red osier dogwood, Yellow twig dogwood
Euonymus americanus	Strawberry bush
Fothergilla gardenii	Dwarf fothergilla
Hydrangea arborescens	Smooth hydrangea
Hydrangea quercifolia	Oakleaf hydrangea
Ilex glabra	Inkberry holly
Ilex verticillata	Winterberry holly
Itea virginica	Virginia sweetspire
Lindera benzoin	Spicebush
Sambucus canadensis	Common elderberry
Physocarpus opulifolius	Ninebark
Rhododendron viscosum	Swamp azalea
Rhus aromatica	Fragrant sumac
Vaccinium corymbosum	Blueberry
Viburnum acerfolium	Maple-leaved viburnum
Viburnum dentatum	Arrowwood viburnum
Viburnum prunifolium	Blackhaw
Viburnum trilobum	American cranberrybush

Vines

Ampelopsis quinquefolia	Virginia creeper
Campsis radicans	Trumpet vine, Trumpet creeper
Lonicera sempervirens	Trumpet honeysuckle
Wisteria frutescens	American wisteria

Trees

Amelanchier canadensis	Serviceberry, Shadbush
Cercis canadensis	Redbud
Chamaecyparis thyoides	Atlantic white cedar
Cornus florida	Florida dogwood
Hamamelis virginiana	American witch hazel
Ilex opaca	American holly
Juglans nigra	Black walnut
Juniperus virginiana	Eastern red cedar
Magnolia virginiana	Sweet bay magnolia
Nyssa sylvatica	Black tupelo
Oxydendron arboreum	Sourwood
Prunus serotina	Wild black cherry
Quercus rubra	Northern red oak
Quercus palustris	Pin oak
Tilia americana	American linden, 'Redmond' cultivar

Ferns

Adiantum pedatum	Maidenhair fern
Athyrium asplenoides	Ladyfern
Dennstaedtia punctilobula	Hayscented fern
Dryopteris marginalis	Marginal wood fern
Matteuccia struthiopteris	Ostrich fern
Polystichum acrostichoides	Christmas fern
Onoclea sensibilis	Sensitive fern
Osmunda cinnamomea	Cinnamon fern
Osmunda regalis	Royal fern

Grasses, Sedges

Carex nigra	Black sedge
Panicum virgatum	Switch grass

Total species in 4/2010 survey: 120

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