

"Pollinator Paradise" Garden at Chatham Mills

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225 species, 85% of them native to North Carolina

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| Common Name | Scientific Name | Origin |
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| Perennial Flowers | | |
| Yarrow | <i>Achillea millefolium</i> 'Moonshine' | NC |
| Yarrow | <i>Achillea millefolium</i> 'Paprika' | NC |
| Anise hyssop | <i>Agastache</i> x 'Blue Fortune' | hybrid of U.S. native |
| Licorice hyssop | <i>Agastache rupestris</i> | southwest U.S. |
| Small-leaf white snakeroot | <i>Ageratina aromatica</i> | NC |
| Nodding onion | <i>Allium cernuum</i> | NC |
| Fringed bluestar | <i>Amsonia ciliata</i> | NC |
| Arkansas bluestar | <i>Amsonia hubrichtii</i> | Arkansas, Oklahoma |
| Bluestar | <i>Amsonia tabernaemontana</i> | NC |
| Bluestar | <i>Amsonia tabernamontana</i> 'Storm Cloud' | NC |
| Tall anemone | <i>Anemone virginiana</i> | NC |
| Pussytoes | <i>Antennaria plantaginifolia</i> | NC |
| Eastern wild columbine | <i>Aquilegia canadensis</i> | NC |
| Golden columbine | <i>Aquilegia chrysantha</i> | southwest U.S. |
| Clasping milkweed | <i>Asclepias amplexicaulis</i> | NC |
| Poke milkweed | <i>Asclepias exaltata</i> | NC |
| Pinewoods milkweed | <i>Asclepias humistrata</i> | NC |
| Swamp milkweed | <i>Asclepias incarnata</i> | NC |
| Purple milkweed | <i>Asclepias purpurascens</i> | NC |
| Common milkweed | <i>Asclepias syriaca</i> | NC |

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| Butterfly weed | <i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> | NC |
| Redring milkweed | <i>Asclepias variegata</i> | NC |
| Whorled milkweed | <i>Asclepias verticillata</i> | NC |
| Green milkweed | <i>Asclepias viridis</i> | central and southern U.S. |
| Dwarf Tartarian aster | <i>Aster tataricus</i> 'Jin Dai' | exotic |
| Wild indigo | <i>Baptisia</i> x 'Carolina Moonlight' | NC |
| Wild indigo | <i>Baptisia</i> x 'Purple Smoke' | NC |
| White wild indigo | <i>Baptisia alba</i> | NC |
| Wild indigo | <i>Baptisia alba</i> x <i>sphaerocarpus</i> | NC |
| Dwarf wild indigo | <i>Baptisia minor</i> | NC |
| Downy wood mint | <i>Blephilia ciliata</i> | NC |
| Carolina doll's daisy | <i>Boltonia caroliniana</i> | NC |
| Bush's poppy mallow | <i>Callirhoe bushii</i> | central U.S. |
| Fringed poppy mallow | <i>Callirhoe digitata</i> | central U.S. |
| Prairie poppy mallow | <i>Callirhoe involucrata</i> | central U.S. |
| Pink turtlehead | <i>Chelone lyonii</i> | NC |
| Maryland golden aster | <i>Chrysopsis mariana</i> | NC |
| Field thistle | <i>Cirsium discolor</i> | NC |
| Curlyheads | <i>Clematis ochroleuca</i> | NC |
| Wild ageratum/mistflower | <i>Conoclinium coelestinum</i> | NC |
| Palmleaf thoroughwort | <i>Conoclinium greggii</i> | southwest U.S. |
| Lobed tickseed | <i>Coreopsis auriculata</i> | NC |
| Lanceleaf tickseed | <i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i> | NC |
| Swamp tickseed | <i>Coreopsis palustris</i> 'Summer Sunshine' | NC |
| Tickseed | <i>Coreopsis pubescens</i> 'Sunshine Superman' | NC |
| Tall tickseed | <i>Coreopsis tripteris</i> | NC |
| Whorled tickseed | <i>Coreopsis verticillata</i> | NC |
| Wild oregano | <i>Cunila origanoides</i> | NC |
| White prairie clover | <i>Dalea candida</i> | central & southern U.S. |
| Purple prairie clover | <i>Dalea purpurea</i> | central & southern U.S. |
| Pale purple coneflower | <i>Echinacea pallida</i> | NC |
| Purple coneflower | <i>Echinacea purpurea</i> (+ various cultivars) | NC |

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| Robin's plantain | <i>Erigeron pulchellus</i> | NC |
| Rattlesnake master | <i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i> | NC |
| Boneset | <i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i> | NC |
| Roundleaf thoroughwort | <i>Eupatorium rotundifolium</i> | NC |
| Flowering spurge | <i>Euphorbia corollata</i> | NC |
| White wood aster | <i>Eurybia divaricatus</i> | NC |
| Coastal plain joe-pye weed | <i>Eutrochium dubium</i> | NC |
| Purple joe-pye weed | <i>Eutrochium purpureum</i> 'Little Red' | NC |
| Lanceleaf blanketflower | <i>Gaillardia aestivalis</i> 'Burgundy' | NC |
| Lanceleaf blanketflower | <i>Gaillardia aestivalis</i> 'Grape Sensation' | NC |
| Beeblossom | <i>Gaura lindheimeri</i> 'Belleza Dark Pink' | Texas |
| Beeblossom | <i>Gaura lindheimeri</i> 'Summer Breeze' | Texas |
| Wild geranium | <i>Geranium maculatum</i> | NC |
| Hardy geranium | <i>Geranium</i> 'Dilys' | exotic |
| Hardy geranium | <i>Geranium</i> 'Rozanne' | exotic |
| Mountain Indian-physic | <i>Gillenia trifoliatus</i> | NC |
| Common sneezeweed | <i>Helenium autumnale</i> | NC |
| Purple-head sneezeweed | <i>Helenium flexuosum</i> | NC |
| Swamp sunflower | <i>Helianthus angustifolius</i> 'Mellow Yellow' | NC |
| Oxeye daisy | <i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i> 'Summer Nights' | NC |
| Red rose mallow | <i>Hibiscus coccineus</i> | NC |
| Velvet mallow | <i>Hibiscus grandiflorus</i> | NC |
| Quaker ladies | <i>Houstonia caerulea</i> | NC |
| Stiff-leaf aster | <i>Ionactis linarifolius</i> | NC |
| Seashore mallow | <i>Kosteletzkya virginica</i> | NC |
| White-flowered seashore mallow | <i>Kosteletzkya virginica</i> 'Immaculate' | NC |
| Tall blazing star | <i>Liatris aspera</i> | NC |
| Slender blazing star | <i>Liatris cylindracea</i> | mid-west U.S. |
| Blazing star | <i>Liatris ligulistylis</i> | mid-west U.S. |
| Dwarf gayfeather | <i>Liatris microcephala</i> | NC |
| Shaggy blazing star | <i>Liatris pilosa</i> | NC |
| Prairie blazing star | <i>Liatris pycnostachya</i> | mid-west U.S. |

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| Nieuwland's blazing star | <i>Liatris scariosa</i> var. <i>nieuwlandii</i> | northeastern U.S. |
| Gayfeather | <i>Liatris spicata</i> | NC |
| White gayfeather | <i>Liatris spicata</i> 'Alba' | NC |
| Scaly blazing star | <i>Liatris squarrosa</i> | NC |
| Appalachian blazing star | <i>Liatris squarrulosa</i> | NC |
| Cardinal flower | <i>Lobelia cardinalis</i> | NC |
| Longleaf lobelia | <i>Lobelia elongata</i> | NC |
| Downy lobelia | <i>Lobelia puberula</i> | NC |
| Great blue lobelia | <i>Lobelia siphilitica</i> | NC |
| Piedmont Barbara's buttons | <i>Marshallia obovata</i> var. <i>obovata</i> | NC |
| Partridge-berry | <i>Mitchella repens</i> | NC |
| Wild bergamot | <i>Monarda bradburiana</i> | central & southern U.S. |
| Lemon bee balm | <i>Monarda citriodora</i> | southern U.S. |
| White bergamot | <i>Monarda clinopodia</i> | NC |
| Bee balm | <i>Monarda fistulosa</i> 'Claire Grace' | NC |
| Spotted bee balm | <i>Monarda fruticulosa</i> | Texas |
| Purple bergamot | <i>Monarda media</i> | NC |
| Eastern horsemint | <i>Monarda punctata</i> | NC |
| Sundrops | <i>Oenothera berlandieri</i> 'Siskiyou' | southwest U.S. |
| Southern sundrops | <i>Oenothera fruticosa</i> | NC |
| Biennial beeblossom | <i>Oenothera gaura</i> | NC |
| Prairie goldenrod | <i>Oligoneuron album</i> | NC |
| Wild quinine | <i>Parthenium integrifolium</i> | NC |
| Foxglove beardtongue | <i>Penstemon digitalis</i> 'Husker Red' | NC |
| Hairy beardtongue | <i>Penstemon hirsutus</i> | NC |
| Small's beardtongue | <i>Penstemon smallii</i> | NC |
| Fernleaf phacelia | <i>Phacelia bipinnatifida</i> | NC |
| Narrow-leaf Carolina phlox | <i>Phlox carolina</i> spp. <i>angusta</i> | NC |
| Woodland phlox | <i>Phlox divaricata</i> 'Tika' | NC |
| White moss phlox | <i>Phlox nivalis</i> 'Snowdrift' | NC |
| Garden phlox | <i>Phlox paniculata</i> 'Delta Snow' | NC |
| Garden phlox | <i>Phlox paniculata</i> 'Jeana' | NC |

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| Downy phlox | <i>Phlox pilosa</i> | NC |
| Obedient plant | <i>Physostegia virginiana</i> | NC |
| Narrowleaf silkgrass | <i>Pityopsis graminifolia</i> | NC |
| Mexican hat | <i>Ratibida columnifera</i> | NC |
| Orange coneflower | <i>Rudbeckia fulgida</i> | NC |
| Black-eyed susan | <i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> | NC |
| Green-head coneflower | <i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i> | NC |
| Brown-eyed susan | <i>Rudbeckia triloba</i> | NC |
| Carolina wild petunia | <i>Ruellia caroliniensis</i> | NC |
| Azure blue sage | <i>Salvia azurea</i> | NC |
| Mealycup sage | <i>Salvia farinacea</i> 'Victoria Blue' | southwest U.S. |
| Lyreleaf salvia | <i>Salvia lyrata</i> | NC |
| Nettleleaf sage | <i>Salvia urticifolia</i> | NC |
| Late figwort | <i>Scrophularia marilandica</i> | NC |
| Hoary skullcap | <i>Scutellaria incana</i> | NC |
| Large-flower skullcap | <i>Scutellaria integrifolia</i> | NC |
| Sedum | <i>Sedum spurium</i> 'Dragon's Blood' | exotic |
| Tall sedum | <i>Sedum</i> x 'Autumn Joy' | exotic |
| Woodland stonecrop | <i>Sedum ternatum</i> | NC |
| Toothed whitetop aster | <i>Sericocarpus asteroides</i> | NC |
| Narrow-leaf whitetop aster | <i>Sericocarpus linifolius</i> | NC |
| Wild pink/sticky catchfly | <i>Silene caroliniana</i> | NC |
| Fire pink | <i>Silene virginica</i> | NC |
| Starry rosinweed | <i>Silphium asteriscus</i> | NC |
| Cup plant | <i>Silphium perfoliatum</i> | NC |
| Blue-eyed grass | <i>Sisyrinchium angustifolium</i> | NC |
| White goldenrod | <i>Solidago bicolor</i> | NC |
| Bluestem goldenrod | <i>Solidago caesia</i> | NC |
| Slender goldenrod | <i>Solidago erecta</i> | NC |
| Early goldenrod | <i>Solidago juncea</i> | NC |
| Gray goldenrod | <i>Solidago nemoralis</i> | NC |
| Sweet goldenrod | <i>Solidago odora</i> | NC |

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| Small's goldenrod | <i>Solidago pinetorum</i> | NC |
| Rough-leaf goldenrod | <i>Solidago rugosa</i> 'Fireworks' | NC |
| Goldenrod | <i>Solidago shortii</i> 'Solar Cascade' | NC |
| Showy goldenrod | <i>Solidago speciosa</i> | NC |
| Wand goldenrod | <i>Solidago stricta</i> | NC |
| Indian pink | <i>Spigelia marilandica</i> | NC |
| Dwarf betony | <i>Stachys minima</i> | exotic |
| Stokes' aster | <i>Stokesia laevis</i> 'Divinity' | NC |
| Stokes' aster | <i>Stokesia laevis</i> 'Peachie's Pick' | NC |
| Eastern silvery aster | <i>Symphotrichum concolor</i> | NC |
| Blue wood aster | <i>Symphotrichum cordifolium</i> | NC |
| Heath aster | <i>Symphotrichum ericoides</i> 'Snowflurry' | NC |
| Georgia aster | <i>Symphotrichum georgianum</i> | NC |
| Large-flowered American aster | <i>Symphotrichum grandiflorum</i> | NC |
| Smooth aster | <i>Symphotrichum laeve</i> 'Bluebird' | NC |
| New England aster | <i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i> | NC |
| New England aster | <i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i> 'Purple Dome' | NC |
| New England aster | <i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i> 'September Ruby' | NC |
| Aromatic aster | <i>Symphotrichum oblongifolium</i> 'October Skies' | NC |
| Aromatic aster | <i>Symphotrichum oblongifolium</i> 'Raydon's Favorite' | NC |
| Skyblue aster | <i>Symphotrichum oolentangiense</i> | NC |
| Clasping American aster | <i>Symphotrichum patens</i> | NC |
| Frost aster | <i>Symphotrichum pilosum</i> | NC |
| Walter's aster | <i>Symphotrichum walteri</i> | NC |
| Goatsrue | <i>Tephrosia virginiana</i> | NC |
| Skunk meadowrue | <i>Thalictrum revolutum</i> | NC |
| Carolina lupine | <i>Thermopsis villosa</i> | NC |
| Foamflower | <i>Tiarella cordifolia</i> 'Running Tapestry' | NC |
| Spiderwort | <i>Tradescantia</i> x 'Purple Profusion' | NC |
| Ohio spiderwort | <i>Tradescantia ohioensis</i> | NC |
| Garden heliotrope | <i>Valeriana officinalis</i> | northern U.S. |
| Blue vervain | <i>Verbena hastata</i> | NC |

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| Hoary vervain | <i>Verbena stricta</i> | NC |
| Yellow crownbeard | <i>Verbesina occidentalis</i> | NC |
| Stemless ironweed | <i>Vernonia acaulis</i> | NC |
| Giant ironweed | <i>Vernonia gigantea</i> 'Purple Pillar' | NC |
| Threadleaf ironweed | <i>Vernonia lettermannii</i> | OK, AR |
| Ironweed | <i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i> | NC |
| Speedwell | <i>Veronica umbrosa</i> 'Georgia Blue' | exotic |
| Culver's root | <i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i> | NC |
| Adam's needle | <i>Yucca filamentosa</i> 'Golden Sword' | NC |
| Heartleaf golden alexander | <i>Zizia aptera</i> | NC |
| Golden alexander | <i>Zizia aurea</i> | NC |
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| Perennial Herbs | | |
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| Chives | <i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> | exotic |
| Lesser calamint | <i>Calamintha nepeta</i> | exotic |
| Georgia savory | <i>Clinopodium georgianum</i> | NC |
| Bronze fennel | <i>Foeniculum rubrum</i> | exotic |
| Grosso lavender | <i>Lavendula x intermedia</i> 'Grosso' | exotic |
| Spanish lavender | <i>Lavandula stoechas</i> 'Anouk' | exotic |
| Catmint | <i>Nepeta</i> 'Walker's Low' | exotic |
| Greek oregano | <i>Origanum vulgare</i> | exotic |
| Ornamental oregano | <i>Origanum</i> 'Herrenhausen' | exotic |
| Ornamental oregano | <i>Origanum</i> 'Rosenkuppel' | exotic |
| Ornamental oregano | <i>Origanum</i> 'Pilgrim' | exotic |
| Appalachian mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum flexuosum</i> | NC |
| Mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum incanum</i> | NC |
| Loomis' mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum loomisii</i> | NC |
| Short-toothed mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum muticum</i> | NC |
| Southern mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum pycnanthemoides</i> | NC |
| Narrow-leaf mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum tenuifolium</i> | NC |
| Whorled mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum verticillatum</i> | NC |

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| Virginia mountain mint | <i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i> | NC |
| Rosemary | <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> 'Tuscan Blue' | exotic |
| Rue | <i>Ruta graveolens</i> | exotic |
| Thyme | <i>Thymus vulgaris</i> | exotic |
| Society garlic | <i>Tulbaghia violacea</i> | exotic |
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| Vines | | |
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| Climbing aster | <i>Ampelaster carolinianus</i> | NC |
| Groundnut | <i>Apios americana</i> | NC |
| Woolly Dutchman's pipe | <i>Aristolochia tomentosa</i> | NC |
| Spurred butterfly-pea | <i>Centrosema virginianum</i> | NC |
| Anglepod | <i>Gonolobus suberosus</i> | NC |
| Honeysuckle | <i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> 'Cedar Lane' | NC |
| Honeysuckle | <i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> 'John Clayton' | NC |
| Honeysuckle | <i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> 'Major Wheeler' | NC |
| Passion flower | <i>Passiflora incarnata</i> | NC |
| Yellow passionflower | <i>Passiflora lutea</i> | NC |
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| Trees and Shrubs | | |
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| Bottlebrush buckeye | <i>Aesculus parviflora</i> | NC |
| Apple serviceberry | <i>Amelanchier x grandiflora</i> 'Autumn Brilliance' | hybrid of two NC natives |
| Dwarf indigo bush | <i>Amorpha herbacea</i> | NC |
| American beautyberry | <i>Callicarpa americana</i> | NC |
| New Jersey tea | <i>Ceanothus americanus</i> | NC |
| Buttonbush | <i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i> | NC |
| Redbud | <i>Cercis canadensis</i> 'Flamethrower' | NC |
| Redbud | <i>Cercis canadensis</i> 'Ruby Falls' | NC |
| White fringetree | <i>Chionanthus virginicus</i> | NC |
| Pepperbush | <i>Clethra alnifolia</i> 'Ruby Spice' | NC |
| Dwarf fothergilla | <i>Fothergilla</i> 'Mount Airy' | NC |

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| Oak-leaf hydrangea | <i>Hydrangea quercifolia</i> | NC |
| Shrubby St. John's Wort | <i>Hypericum frondosum</i> 'Sunburst' | NC |
| Possumhaw | <i>Ilex decidua</i> | NC |
| Inkberry/Winterberry | <i>Ilex glabra</i> | NC |
| Virginia sweetspire | <i>Itea virginica</i> | NC |
| Spicebush | <i>Lindera benzoin</i> | NC |
| Eastern ninebark | <i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i> 'Diablo' | NC |
| Staghorn sumac | <i>Rhus typhina</i> 'Tiger Eye' | NC |
| Blueberry | <i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> | NC |
| Possumhaw viburnum | <i>Viburnum nudum</i> | NC |
| Blackhaw viburnum | <i>Viburnum prunifolium</i> | NC |
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| Grasses | | |
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| Splitbeard bluestem | <i>Andropogon ternarius</i> | NC |
| Purple lovegrass | <i>Eragrostis spectabilis</i> | NC |
| Eastern bottlebrush grass | <i>Elymus hystrix</i> | NC |
| Pink muhly grass | <i>Muhlenbergia cappilaris</i> | NC |
| Pink muhly grass | <i>Muhlenbergia cappilaris</i> 'Pink Flamingo' | NC |
| Switchgrass | <i>Panicum virgatum</i> 'Northwind' | NC |
| Little bluestem | <i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i> 'Blue Heaven' | NC |
| Little bluestem | <i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i> 'The Blues' | NC |
| Prairie dropseed | <i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i> | NC |