



Butterfly Magnets

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Butterflies prefer plants with blooms in red, yellow, orange and purple. Choose plants for a succession of bloom and plant them in full sun. Many native plants are excellent sources of nectar.

Provide a shallow dish for water and some flat rocks, butterflies need to warm up before they can soar and like to bask in the sun. Avoid insecticides whenever possible.

Perennial

Achillea	(Yarrow)	Hemerocallis	(Daylilies)
Asclepias	(Butterfly Weed)	Lavendula	(Lavender)
Aster		Liatis	(Gay Feather)
Astrantia	(Masterwort)	Lilium	(Lilies)
Aquilegia	(Columbine)	Lupinus	(Lupines)
Delphinium	(Del. Elatum)	Malva	(Hollyhocks)
Echinacea	(Coneflower)	Monarda	(Bee Balm)
Echinops	(Thistle)	Rudbeckia	(Bl-eyed Susan)
Eupatorium	(Joe Pye Weed)	Salvia	
Gaillardia	(Blanket Flower)	Scabiosa	(Pincushion)

Annuals

Datura	Marigolds	Penta	Tithonia
Fuschia	Nasturtiums	Petunia	Verbena
Impatiens	Nicotiana	Salvia	Zinnias
Lantana	Pineapple sage	Sunflowers	

Vines

Campsis radicans	(Trumpet vine)	Lonicera	(Honeysuckle)
Cardinal vine		Mandevilla	
Clematis vine		Morning Glory	
Hyacinth vine		Scarlet Runner	

Shrubs

Buddleia	(Butterfly Bush)	Spiraea	
Caryopteris	(Blue Mist Shrub)	Syringa	(Lilac)
Clethra	(Summersweet)	Viburnum	
Daphne		Weigelia	
Hibiscus	(Rose of Sharon)		