

Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy

Audubon at Home - Resource Materials 2020

Publications and Online Databases

Download or buy publications or search publications and data bases on line

Digital Atlas of Virginia Flora

<http://vaplantatlas.org>

Native Plants for Northern Virginia

www.plantnovanatives.org

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center Native Plant Database

<http://www.wildflower.org/plants>

Native Plants for Wildlife Habitat and Conservation Landscaping: Chesapeake Bay Watershed

Published by: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

<https://www.fws.gov/chesapeakebay/bayscapes/bsresources/bs-nativeguides.html>

Illinois Wildflower (provides great faunal associations)

www.illinoiswildflowers.info

Master Gardeners of Northern Virginia

www.mgnv.org (click on tried and true plants)

Ernst Seeds

Native plant seeds and planting guides

<http://www.ernstseed.com/contact-us/catalog>

Common Native Trees of Virginia

Published by: Virginia Dept. of Forestry – download PDF

http://www.dof.virginia.gov/infopubs/Native-Tree-ID-spreads_2016_pub.pdf

Common Native Shrubs and woody vines of Virginia, Identification Guide,

Virginia Department of Forestry, 2014 – Download PDF

http://www.dof.virginia.gov/infopubs/Native-Shrub-ID-spreads_2016_pub.pdf

Plant Invaders of Mid-Atlantic Natural Areas, 4th ed.

Published by: National Park Service and U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service – Download PDF

<http://www.nps.gov/plants/alien/pubs/midatlantic>

Note: includes native alternatives for each invasive species

Mistaken Identity: Invasive plants and their Native Look-Alikes – Download PDF

<http://bit.ly/2DKiUVn>

Missouri Botanical Garden – Plant Finder

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/plantfinder/plantfindersearch.aspx>

Wildlife

Mammals

www.penguinrandomhouse.com/books/119968/national-audubon-society-field-guide-to-north-american-mammals-by-national-audubon-society/

A Guide to the Frogs and Toads of Virginia

<http://www.shopdgif.com/product.cfm?uid=1928838&context=&showInactive=N> or search

http://www.virginiaherpetologicalsociety.com/amphibians/frogsandtoads/frogs_and_toads_of_virginia.htm

A Guide to the Snakes of Virginia

<http://www.shopdgif.com/product.cfm?uid=1928837&context=category&showInactive=N>

http://www.virginiaherpetologicalsociety.com/reptiles/snakes/snakes_of_virginia.htm

The Reptiles and Amphibians of Washington, DC Metropolitan Area

Out of Print. Under Revision

Salamanders of Northern Virginia

http://www.virginiaherpetologicalsociety.com/amphibians/salamanders/salamanders_of_virginia.htm

Butterflies of Virginia

<http://www.butterflysocietyofva.org>

<http://www.virginia.edu/blandy/clarkecountylandusesurvey/butterflyguide.pdf>

Virginia Insects and Bugs - Identification

<http://www.insectidentification.org/insects-by-state.asp?thisState=Virginia>

All about birds-Cornell Lab of Ornithology

<http://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/search>

Turtles of Virginia

www.virginiaherpetologicalsociety.com

Spiders

www.penguinrandomhouse.com/books/119967/national-audubon-society-field-guide-to-insects-and-spiders-by-national-audubon-society/

Bees: An Identification and Native Plant Forage Guide

Heather Holm, Pollination Press, Minnetonka, MN, 2017, www.pollinationpress.com

Books

Nature's Best Hope: A new Approach to Conservation that Starts In Your Yard

Douglas Tallamy, Workman Publishing, 2020

The Pollinator Victory Garden

Kim Eierman, Quarry Books, 2020

Bringing Nature Home: How Native Plants Sustain Wildlife in our Gardens,

Douglas Tallamy, Timber Press, 2007

The Living Landscape,

Rick Darke & Douglas Tallamy, Timber Press, 2014

Field Guide to Butterflies of Loudoun County,

Nicole Hamilton, Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy, 2012-currently out of print

Attracting Native Pollinators,

Xerces Society Guide, Storey Publishing, 2011

Planting for Wildlife in Northern Virginia,

Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy, 2019

Wild Garden Manual

Earth Sangha, Link: <http://bit.ly/2sjN3cH>

Pollinators of Native Plants,

Heather Holm, Pollinator Press, 2014

Attracting Beneficial Bugs to Your Garden,

Jessica Walliser, Timber Press, 2014

Planting in a Post-Wild World

Thomas Raine & Claudia West, Timber Press, 2015

Garden Revolution

Larry Weaner, Thomas Christopher, Timber Press, 2016

The Humane Gardener – Nurturing a Backyard Habitat for Wildlife

Nancy Lawson, Princeton Architectural Press, New York, 2017, www.papress.com

Plant Groups

Information about native plants, field trips and other learning events

Virginia Native Plant Society

www.vnps.org

Loudoun County Master Gardeners

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<http://loudouncountymastergardeners.org/>