

Prairie Seed Mixes and Rain Barrels

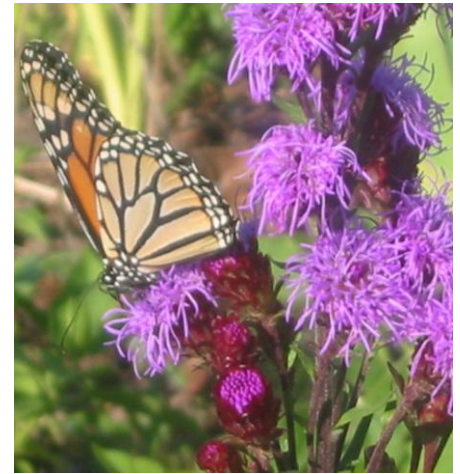
Bird and Butterfly Mix (\$35)

Description: Attract birds, butterflies and hummingbirds to your yard with the colors and smells of a beautiful native wild-flower garden! This perennial mix is formulated for most soil conditions and includes an assortment of spring-, summer- and fall-blooming species. Several short native grass species are also included to reduce weed competition, enhance wildlife value and maintain a pleasing appearance after flowers have bloomed.

Species: *25 species of wildflowers:* Lead Plant • Smooth Blue Aster • New England Aster • Canada Milk Vetch • Prairie Coreopsis • Rattlesnake Master • Early Sunflower • Round-Headed Bush Clover • Meadow Blazing Star • Wild Bergamot • Purple Prairie Clover • Prairie Cinquefoil • Button Blazing Star/Rough Blazing Star • Showy Goldenrod • Butterflyweed • Culvers Root • Golden Alexanders • Canada Anemone • Silky Aster • Prairie Blazing Star • Narrow-Leaf Purple Coneflower • Mountain Mint • Riddell's Goldenrod • Ohio Spiderwort • Hoary Vervain

5 species of grasses: Big Bluestem • Side Oats Grama • Canada Wild Rye • Little Bluestem • Indian Grass

Quantity: Sold in ¼ lb. bags (covers approx. 1,200 square feet)



Native Prairie Mix (\$50)



Description: Reduce the time, cost and environmental impact of maintaining a large lawn by going native! Two choices are available this year, one for wet soil conditions and the other for dry growing areas. These perennial grass/wildflower mixes are perfect for creating high-quality wildlife habitat that adds color, beauty and texture to your landscape. They contain colorful wildflowers and attractive tall prairie grasses that provide food and nesting cover for wildlife, birds and insects. These mixes require half a day or more of direct sun and will provide a parade of color through summer and fall.

Species: **DRY SITE MIX - 15 species of native wildflowers/native grasses**
(2 options) Includes Smooth Blue Aster, Canada Milk Vetch, Prairie Coreopsis, Rattlesnake Master, Early Sunflower, Wild Bergamot, Purple Prairie Clover, Prairie Cinquefoil, Stiff Goldenrod, Hoary Vervain, Big Bluestem, Side Oats Grama, Canada Wild Rye, Little Bluestem and Indian Grass. Adapts to variety of soil conditions, endures drought conditions.

WET SITE MIX - 15 species of native wildflowers/native grasses
Includes New England Aster, Showy Tick Trefoil, Rattlesnake Master, Maximillian's Sunflower, Early Sunflower, Cup Plant, Stiff Goldenrod, Blue Vervain, Ironweed, Golden Alexanders, Big Bluestem, Canada Wild Rye, Virginia Wild Rye, Little Bluestem and Indian Grass. Adapts to variety of soil conditions, tolerates moist and wet conditions.

Quantity: Sold in 2.3 pound bags (covers up to 1/4 acre)

Tallgrass Prairie Mix (\$25)

Description: Like the native prairie mix, this is another option for restoring some of your high-maintenance lawn to a low-cost, natural landscape. The beauty and versatility of these natural grasses are in demand now more than ever for everything from erosion control to wildlife habitat. In fall, these grasses turn gold, red and bronze, and stand straight throughout the winter, capturing snow and providing critical nesting cover. Once established, you'll enjoy your native prairie for years to come, decades with minimal maintenance, knowing you are doing your part to help protect our environment!

Species: *6 species of grasses:* Big Bluestem • Side Oats Grama • Canada Wild Rye • Virginia Wild Rye • Little Bluestem • Indian Grass

Quantity: Sold in 2.3 pound bags (covers 1/4 acre)



55-Gallon Rain Barrel (\$75)



Description: Collecting rainfall from your roof helps reduce stormwater runoff and conserves our water resources. Last year alone, the Scott SWCD sold 225 of these attractive, plastic brown barrel rain catchers. Although rain barrels have been around for centuries, people are now encouraged more than ever to use them as a way to protect our lakes and rivers while saving money on water bills. Perfect for watering your plants and washing your windows and vehicles.

Includes: Barrel and all parts are included, and ready to assemble in minutes. Maintenance information is also included with each barrel.

Quantity: 1 each; holds 55 gallons



For More Information:

To receive an order form and additional details on this year's program, Call the Scott SWCD office in Jordan at (952) 492-5425, or visit us at www.scottswcd.org for photos and specifics.

**Customer order pickup will take place in late April 2012
at the Scott County Fairgrounds in Jordan.**