

NATIVE PLANT RESOURCES

Useful Books

Gardening with Native Plants of the Pacific Northwest by Arthur R. Kruckeberg, U W Press

Grow Your Own Native Landscape by Michael Leigh, booklet from WSU Cooperative Extension

Native Plants in the Coastal Garden by April Pettinger, White Cap Books, Vancouver, B.C.

Landscaping for Wildlife in the Pacific Northwest by Russell Link, Wa state Dept. Fish & Wildlife

Plants of the Pacific Northwest Coast by Jim Pojar & Andy MacKinnon, Lone Pine Pub., Redmond

Winter in the Woods by Erica Guttman & Rod Thurman, WSU Cooperative Extension

Propagation of Pacific Northwest Native Plants by Rose, Chachulsky, Haase, OSU Press, Corvallis

Encyclopedia of Northwest Native Plants by Kathleen Robson, Timber Press

Right Plant, Right Place by Nicola Ferguson (deals also with non-native plants), Simon & Schuster

Bringing Nature Home by Douglas W. Tallamy

Real Gardens Grow Natives by Eileen M. Stark

Basic Design Concepts for Sustainable Landscapes by VanDerZanden, Ann Marie, OSU Press, EC1533

Sunset Western Landscaping by Brenzel, Kathleen Norris, Sunset Books Inc.

Native Plant Nurseries

plantnative.org is a website listing many native plant nurseries.

I have listed several from Olympia

Black Lake Organic, 4711 Black Lake Blvd. SW (360-786-0537),

Fairmeadow Nursery, 3110 Libby Rd. NE(360-570-8296),

Boulevard Nursery, 2021 Boulevard Rd. SE (360-352-1728), generally have good selections.

Fairie Herb Gardens (360-754-9249) usually carry interesting native & waterwise perennials and some woody plants.

Places to view native plant landscaping

The Chase Garden and Nursery, Orting, WA, gives guided tours, chasegarden.org

Point Defiance Park has a wonderful Native Plant Garden located in Tacoma

Bloedel Reserve The region's largest NW forest garden, Bainbridge Island, WA (360-842-7631)

Lakewold Gardens is a small arboretum in the Lakewood area www.lakewoldgardens.org

Tumwater Falls State Park, 110 Deschutes Way, Tumwater WA. Beautiful falls and native plants.

Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street, Bellevue, WA. A must see if possible.

Other Resources

Master Gardener Foundation of Grays Harbor & Pacific Counties, pnwmg.org or contact a local master gardener.

Washington Native Plant Society (WNPS), [website www.wnps.org](http://www.wnps.org), 206-527-3210

Native Plant Salvage, www.nativeplantsalvage.org This is the Thurston Co. plant salvage org.

UW Burke Herbarium, <http://biology.burke.washington.edu/herbarium/imagecollection.php>

Maritime Pacific Northwest Gardening, www.rainyside.com a nice native plant section

WA Natural Heritage Program www.dnr.wa.gov/natural-heritage-program rare and endangered plants 360-902-1661

PNW Native Wildlife Gardening, www.tardigrade.org gardening for wildlife with native plants

King County native landscape sample plans <https://green2.kingcounty.gov/gonative/Plan.aspx?Act=list>

WA Department of Fish & Wildlife, landscaping for wildlife <http://wdfw.wa.gov/living/landscaping/index.html>

Washington Native Plant Society, categorized plant lists <http://www.wnps.org/landscaping/herbarium/index.html>

A Home Gardener's Guide to Soils and Fertilizers <http://cru.cahe.wsu.edu/CEPublications/EM063E/EM063E.pdf>

Basic Design Concepts for Sustainable Landscapes

<https://catalog.extension.oregonstate.edu/sites/catalog/files/project/pdf/ec1533.pdf>

Plant sales

King County native bareroot plant sale, March, 2017 (preorders begin November 1st)

<http://www.kingcd.org/programs-native-walk-up-sale.htm>

Pierce County native plant sale, March, 2017 (be sure to preorder, they sell out fast!)

<http://piercenativeplantsale.com/walk-up-sale/>

Lawyer Nursery annual public sale (some natives)

<http://www.nurserystocksale.com/olympia-sale/>

Washington Native Plant Society plant sales

http://www.wnps.org/chapter_info/chapter_sales.html