

OKANAGAN RANGE ECOZONE

# Help bring butterflies home to your garden

Native wildflowers are adapted to local climate and soils and require less care and watering once established. They provide sugar-filled nectar and protein-rich pollen for beneficial insects like local butterflies and wild bees. This regional native plant list includes wildflowers for the *Okanagan Range ecozone*, which includes: **Keremeos** and **Hedley**. Always try to find local sources for native plants.



Common Yarrow



Snow Buckwheat



Blanketflower



Common Name	Botanical Name	Height	Flower Colour	Flower Season	Sun	Soil	Pollinators	Butterfly Host Plant
Common Yarrow	<i>Achillea Millefolium</i>	0.75m	White-pink	April – July	Sun	Dry	Bees, beetles, butterflies	X
Pearly Everlasting	<i>Anaphalis Margaritacea</i>	Up to 0.9m	White & yellow	June – July	Sun to partial shade	Dry to moist	Bees, butterflies	
Red, Sitka, or Western Columbine	<i>Aquilegia Formosa</i>	Up to 0.5m	Orange-red sepals; yellow inner petals	March – April	Sun to partial shade	Normal to moist	Bees, butterflies, hummingbirds	
Showy Milkweed	<i>Asclepias Speciosa</i>	Up to 1m	Pinkish-purple	May – June	Sun	Dry	Butterflies, hummingbirds	X
Harebell, Bluebell	<i>Campanula Rotundifolia</i>	0.1-0.8m	Purple	June – Sept	Sun to partial shade	Dry to moist	Bees, hummingbirds	
Snow Buckwheat	<i>Eriogonum Niveum</i>	0.3m	White to pinkish	Aug – Sept	Sun	Dry	Bees, butterflies	
Yellow Bells	<i>Fritillaria Pudica</i>	0.02-0.1m	Dark yellow	March – April	Sun	Dry	Bees, other insects	
Blanketflower	<i>Gaillardia Aristata</i>	0.2-0.7m	Yellow to orange	May – Oct	Sun	Dry	Bees, beetle (soft-winged flower beetle <i>Listrus senilis</i> ), butterflies	
Golden-Aster	<i>Heterotheca Villosa</i>	0.1-0.5m	Yellow	July – Oct	Sun	Dry	Bees, other pollinators	
Large-Fruited Desert Parsley	<i>Lomatium Macrocarpum</i>	0.12-50m	White or purplish-white	March – May	Sun	Dry	Bees, beetles, butterflies, flies	
Long-Flowered Bluebell	<i>Mertensia Longiflora</i>	0.05-0.25m	bBlue	Mar – May	Sun to partial shade	Dry to moist	Bees	
Little Penstemon	<i>Penstemon Procerus</i>	Up to 0.25m	Deep blue lavender	June – Aug	Sun	Dry	Bees, butterflies, flies, hummingbirds	
Silver-Leaf Phacelia	<i>Phacelia Hastata</i>	Up to 0.5m	White	April – May	Sun	Dry to moist	Bees	
Lance-Leaved Stonecrop	<i>Sedum Lanceolatum</i>	0.05-0.25m	Yellow	Late June – July	Sun	Dry	Bees, other insects	
Canada Goldenrod	<i>Solidago Canadensis</i>	0.3-1.65m	Gold	Aug – Oct	Sun	Dry to moist	Bees, other insects	X