



Fox Hill Gardens

Nursery & Landscaping



Plants for Wet Areas: Herbaceous

Wet areas can pose significant problems for growing many plants, including grass. However, with the right plant palette, these areas can be great opportunities mini-riparian zones. Wet spots can give your yard a unique look; in addition, water sources often attract wildlife.

FOR SUN/PART SHADE

- Bluestar** - *Amsonia hubrichtii* (N)
- Swamp Milkweed** - *Asclepias incarnata* (N)
- New England Aster** - *Aster novae-angliae* (N)
- Joe-Pye Weed** - *Eupatorium fistulosum* (N)
- Queen-of-the-Prairie** - *Filipendula rubra* (N)
- Helen's Flower** - *Helenium autumnale* (N)
- Daylily** - *Hemerocallis*
- Blue Flag Iris** - *Iris versicolor* (N)
- Cardinal Flower** - *Lobelia cardinalis* (N)
- Great Blue Lobelia** - *Lobelia siphilitica* (N)
- Bee Balm** - *Monarda didyma* (N)
- Black-Eyed Susan** - *Rudbeckia fuldiga*
- Spiderwort** - *Tradescantia andersoniana*

FOR SHADE

- Monkshood** - *Aconitum carmichaelii*
- Bugbane** - *Actaea racemosa* (N)
- Ladies Mantle** - *Alchemilla mollis*
- Jack-In-The-Pulpit** - *Arisaema triphyllum* (N)
- Astilbe** - *Astilbe hybrids*
- Bugloss** - *Brunnera macrophylla*
- Turtlehead** - *Chelone spp.* (N)
- Bleeding Heart** - *Dicentra spectabilis*
- Hosta** - *Hosta hybrids*
- Ligularia** - *Ligularia spp*
- Virginia Bluebells** - *Mertensia virginiana* (N)
- Solomon's Seal** - *Polygonatum biflorum*
- Foamflower** - *Tiarella cordata* (N)

GROUNDCOVERS

- Sweet Woodruff** - *Galium odoratum*
- Lilyturf** - *Liriope spp*
- Creeping Jenny** - *Lysimachia nummularia*
- Mukdenia** - *Mukdenia rossii*
- Pachysandra** - *Pachysandra spp.*
- Blue Eyed Grass** - *S. angustifolium* (N)

FERNS

- Maidenhair Fern** - *Adiantum pedatum* (N)
- Ostrich Fern** - *Matteuccia struthiopteris* (N)
- Sensitive Fern** - *Onoclea sensibilis* (N)
- Cinnamon Fern** - *Osmunda cinnamomea* (N)
- Interrupted Fern** - *Osmunda claytoniana* (N)
- Royal Fern** - *Osmunda regalis* (N)

GRASSES

- Japanese Sweet Flag** - *Acorus gramineus*
- Feather Reed Grass** - *Calamagrostis spp.*
- Sedges** - *Carex spp.*

WATER PLANTS

- Canna Lily** - *Canna hybrids*
- Yellow Flag Iris** - *Iris pseudocorus*
- Rush** - *Juncus spp* (N)
- Pickerel Rush** - *Pontaderia cordata*
- Arrowhead** - *Sagittaria latifolia* (N)
- Lizard Tail** - *Saururus cernuus*