



Calvert County Master Gardener

You are invited to enjoy a stroll through the gardens surrounding the Community Resources Building using this complimentary guide. Visit our native plant displays throughout the year to learn about our Chesapeake Bay-friendly landscapes.

To learn more about the programs and activities of the Calvert County Master Gardeners

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For brochures and information about becoming a Master Gardener, requesting a Bay-Wise yard visit or other information, contact:

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The lower gardens are not accessible to all, but can be viewed from the public sidewalk on Duke Street.

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These gardens have been Bay-Wise certified to demonstrate storm water runoff control, pollinator and wildlife support, and planting wisely while adding beauty to urban Prince Frederick.

For more information about the Bay-Wise program for your own property, contact:

www.extension.umd.edu/baywise

Demonstration Gardens

Self-guided Walking Tour

Garden Tour

Parking

Duke Street

Stormwater Management Pond

Welcome
to the
Garden
Tour



Community Resources
Building

1 Driveway Entry Garden

Butterfly Milkweed, Carolina Jasmine, magenta Redbud blooms & Sundrops greet you in spring followed by Black-eyed Susan, Goldenrod, Ornamental Grasses, Summersweet and Beautyberry shrubs.



Butterfly Milkweed
Asclepias tuberosa

2 Sensory Garden

A raised stone bed of plants will appeal to your five senses: edible herbs and fragrant flowers with unusual textures attract buzzing bees, birds and butterflies. A bench is provided for your contemplation.



Honeysuckle Vine
Lonicera sempervirens

3 Main Entry Gardens

Step up or use the ramp from Duke Street to hot, dry hillside landscapes of Ninebark, Sumac, Yucca, New Jersey Tea and Inkberry. Beardtongue, Tickseed, False Indigo, Moss Phlox & Lyre-leaf Sage flourish.



Beardtongue
Penstemon digitalis

4 Meadow

Step down from Duke Street to Purple Coneflower, Monarda and Golden Alexanders. Sweetspire and Indian Currant flank a Dogwood tree. Note the Baywise Certification Sign for all gardens onsite.



Purple Coneflower
Echinacea purpurea

5 Rain Garden

A temporary wet pond collects stormwater. Herbaceous emergents include Blue Flag Iris and Rose Mallow Hibiscus. Blue Mistflower blooms on the edges. Nearby rainbarrels collect rooftop rainwater.



Blue Flag Iris
Iris versicolor

6 Winterberry Wetland

Along the boardwalk against the hillside see Deciduous Holly Winterberry, Red Twig Dogwood and Strawberry Bush. Iris, Cardinal Flower, Sensitive Fern, White Wood Aster and Sedges spread below.



Winterberry
Ilex verticillata

7 Pond Edge Bed

Stormwater Pond Buttonbush, Cattails and Bald Cypress trees grow with wet-tolerant Marsh Mallows and grasses.



Pink Rose Mallow
Hibiscus moscheutos

8 Butterfly Wetland

Along the boardwalk on the woodland side are pollinator plants Mallow, Joe-Pye Weed, Elderberry, Boneset and New York Ironweed. Rushes, Sedges and Switchgrass flourish in wet soil.



Joe-Pye Weed
Eupatorium dubium

Significant Trees: a. American Holly b. Southern Magnolia c. River Birch d. Bald Cypress e. Fringe Trees f. Sweet Bay Magnolia g. Black Gum h. White Oak i. Red Bud j. Sweet Gum k. Eastern Red Cedar Grove