

In 1985 Maclay Gardens State Park agreed to set aside a portion of the Park for the planting of native trees and wildflowers by the Magnolia Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society. The resulting Native Plant Arboretum showcases species of the rich hardwood forests found on slopes in this portion of Florida where southern evergreen woody species mingle with their northern deciduous counterparts at the limits of their respective ranges.

Plants Flowering in Maclay Gardens Native Plant Arboretum

July – October

Key to July-Oct Map (*=available from nurseries; R - listed as rare by state; RR -listed as rare by state and Federal government)

map #	common name	scientific name	life form	family	range	habitat in Florida	where to see in natural setting
1	Flyr's Brickellbush* (R)	<i>Brickellia cordifolia</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	AL, GA, and FL panhandle	borders of hardwood forests	
2	Leavenworth's Goldenrod	<i>Solidago leavenworthii</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	NC, SC ,GA; all FL except w. panhandle	forest openings	
3	Blue mist flower *	<i>Conoclinium coelestinum</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	midwest and eastern U.S.; throughout FL	forest openings	
4	Northern spiderlily*	<i>Hymenocallis occidentalis</i>	perennial herb	Amaryllis family (Amaryllidaceae)	eastern U.S.; FL panhandle	wet hardwood forests	Elinor Klapp-Phipps Park
5	Brown-eyed Susan* (R)	<i>Rudbeckia triloba</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	midwest and eastern U.S.; north FL	calcareous forest openings	
6	Giant ironweed	<i>Vernonia gigantea</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	TX to NY; north and central FL	floodplains	Torrey State Park
7	Frostweed	<i>Verbesina virginica</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	TX to PA; all FL	forest openings	
8	Firebush*	<i>Hamelia patens</i>	evergreen shrub	Madder family (Rubiaceae)	WI to S. Am.; central and south Florida	hardwood forests	
9	Beautyberry *	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	deciduous shrub	Mint family (Lamiaceae)	southeastern US; north FL	openings in pine-oak woods	Maclay Gardens State Park
10	Pinnate Prairie Coneflower*	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	eastern U.S. and Canada; FL panhandle	limestone outcrops	Florida Caverns State Park
11	Florida scrub skullcap	<i>Scutellaria arenicola</i>	perennial herb	Mint family (Lamiaceae)	GA and peninsular FL	dry sandy scrubs	
12	Horsemint	<i>Monarda punctata</i>	perennial herb	Mint family (Lamiaceae)	eastern U.S. and Canada;throughout FL	openings in hardwood forests	Maclay Gardens State Park
13	Snow squarestem*	<i>Melanthera nivea</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	southeastern US; throughout FL	openings in pine-oak woods	Maclay Gardens State Park
14	Georgia aster	<i>Aster georgianum</i>	perennial herb	Aster family (Asteraceae)	southeastern U.S.; FL panhandle	openings in hardwood forests	



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2. Leavenworth's Goldenrod



3. Blue Mistflower



4. Northern Spiderlily



5. Brown-eyed Susan



6. Giant Ironweed



7. Frostweed



8. Firebush



9. Beautyberry



10. Prairie Coneflower



11. Scrub Skullcap



12. Horsemint



13. Snow Squarestem



14. Georgia Aster

