

Butterfly Garden _{at} Lime Kiln Allev Park

Located at the foot of Federal St., bordered by Black's Creek, Lime Kiln Alley Park is one of our City's hidden gems. You can walk the trail through the seasons; see birds and other wildlife, picnic, and even fish the changing tides of the creek. In 2013 a beautiful "Butterfly Garden" was designed and constructed with local volunteers. It features native plants that provide habitat and food for insects, birds and local fauna.



The Bordentown City Environmental Commission has created a native plant demonstration at the Bordentown Library on Union St. and a butterfly garden at Lime Kiln Alley. Visitors will be able to see a variety of perennial wildflowers, grasses and shrubs that are native to New Jersey, and learn about why they are good choices for landscaping plants in their backyards.

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Native Plants of New Jersey

At the Bordentown Library Demonstration Garden & Lime Kiln Alley Butterfly Garden





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Benefits of Native Plants

- Help save the botanical heritage of our region
- Reduce your watering costs
- Reduce the time and money you spend on maintenance
- Reduce or eliminate the need to spray pesticides
- Reduce or eliminate the need to add fertilizers to your soil
- Attract native species of birds and butterflies
- Cultivate a garden at one with the land on which you live.



Native Perennials













Also...

- Sweet Azalea
- Wild Columbine
- New England Aster
- New York Fern
- Foxglove Beard Tongue
- Blackeyed Susan