

### 3 B Garden

This is a native garden so the plants are resistant to disease, hardy, deer resistant, require minimum maintenance and have survived in this climate for decades.

Culvers Root *Veronicastrum virginicum* grows 4-7' and has white spires of flowers

Sedum Autumn Joy *Hylotelephium* grows 2' and has pink flowers

Blazing Star *Liatris spicata* grows 2-4' with white spikes of flowers

Bee Balm *Monarda didyma* grows 3-4' attracts pollinators with pink flowers

Queen of the Prairie *Fillipendula rubra* grows 4-5' with airy pink flowers

Nannyberry *Viburnum lentago* grows 15-18' has white flat clusters of flowers with fall berries

Black-eyed Susan *Rudbeckia hirta* grows 2-3' with yellow/orange flowers

Common milkweed *Asclepias syriaca* grows 2-4' with pink flowers (crucial to monarchs)

Swamp milkweed *Asclepias incarnata* grows 4-5' with pink flowers (crucial to monarchs)

Butterfly weed *Asclepias tuberosa* grows 2-3' with bright orange flowers

Coneflower (*Echinacea purpurea*) grows 2-3' with purple/pink flowers (seeds provide food for birds)

**Quiz: What does 3 B mean?**