

MARCH 2022



FRANKLIN SMART YARDS

Partnering with UT/TSU Extension



Upcoming Events

Rainwater Collection - Williamson County Public Library (Virtual)

MARCH 7 @ 1:00PM

Harpeth River Cleanup Day!

MARCH 14

Tennessee Tree Day

MARCH 19

Watering Effectively & Efficiently

The central purpose of an irrigation system is to provide adequate water for plant needs, so the discussion on irrigation basics should begin with plants. All plants have different watering needs, depending on species, season and the environment. Choosing plants that are native to our environment and knowing the signals that a plant needs water, are just two ways gardeners can irrigate efficiently!

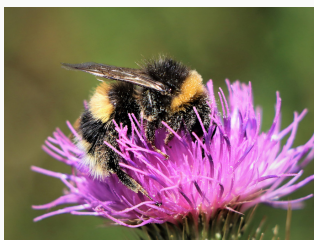
Seasonal Highlights

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Wildlife

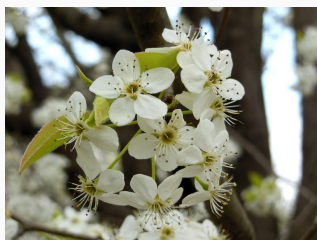
Common Invasive

Native Alternative



NATIVE BEES

4,000+ Species



BRADFORD PEAR

Pyrus calleryana



EASTERN REDBUD

Cercis canadensis

Useful Resources

Proper Tree Planting

Smart Yard of the Month



MCKENDRICK YARD

Incorporating native plants that support desired wildlife earns you two inches towards your Tennessee Smart Yard! These Stokes asters, purple coneflower, and butterfly milkweed attract butterflies and support a variety of pollinating insects.

