

**25th Annual
SHRUB & SEEDLING SALE
April 29, 30 & May 1, 2016**

**NEW LOCATION:
TANGER OUTLETS IN WESTBROOK!!**



Olympia Beekeepers Association

**Connecticut River Coastal
Conservation District, Inc.**

We are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote the sound use and management of natural resources. The Annual Shrub and Seedling Sale is our main fundraising event. All proceeds are used for conservation, environmental education, and technical assistance programs. At our sale this year we are pleased to offer a large and varied collection of Connecticut native plants. See inside for descriptions of our great selections, and make sure to pre-order to secure your choices. Limited numbers of extra plants will be available at the sale.

**FEATURED THIS YEAR—HUMMINGBIRD SPECIAL & BUTTERFLY SPECIAL
BOXED GROUPS OF COLORFUL PLANTS TO ATTRACT
HUMMINGBIRDS AND BUTTERFLIES TO YOUR YARD!**



Sale location donated generously by
Westbrook Tanger Outlets

- ❖ **ORDERS DUE: April 8, 2016**
- ❖ **PICK-UP DATES:** Friday & Saturday, April 29 & 30 2016, 10:00 AM - 3:30 PM and Sunday, May 1, 2016, 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM
- ❖ **NEW LOCATION: Tanger Outlets**, 314 Flat Rock Place, Westbrook, CT. Take I-95 to Exit 65, turn left at Flat Rock Place. Follow signs to store B 135.
- ❖ Cash or check only - sorry, no refunds.
- ❖ Order early to ensure best selection.
- ❖ We make every effort to provide you with the plants of your choice - if we need to make a substitution we will contact you to confirm.
- ❖ Questions? Call us at (860) 346-3282 or email ctrivercoastal@conservect.org
- ❖ A reminder with directions and pick up times will be sent before the sale.
- ❖ Immediate planting is recommended for all bare root stock! Plants are healthy and viable when picked up on sale days. If you cannot pick up your plants during the sale, we will care for them, but cannot guarantee their survival.

PICK-UP DATES & ORDERING INFORMATION

Connecticut River Coastal Conservation District, Inc.
deKoven House, 27 Washington Street
Middletown, CT 06457
Phone: (860) 346-3282 / FAX: (860) 346-3284
www.conservect.org/ctrivercoastal



Learn more about sale offerings
at CONSERVECT.ORG/
CTRIVERCOASTAL
Photos, descriptions, links to
informative websites and more!

Think Local! Plant Natives! CRCCD's 25th Annual Shrub and Seedling Sale

We are pleased to offer a large collection of excellent native plants, edibles and pollinator friendly choices. For more information about the sale, including pictures and detailed descriptions of all plants, visit us at CONSERVECT.ORG/CTRIVERCOASTAL

SHRUBS, GROUND COVERS AND EDIBLES

Common Name Botanical Name 'cultivar'	Size at maturity	Exposure/ Habitat	Bloom Color/ Time	Description
American Hazelnut <i>Corylus americana</i>	10-16' t 8-13' w	Sun to PS; Well-drained	Brown & Red March to April	Small tree-like shrub, also known as American Filbert, with showy flowers, tasty nuts, good fall color. Attracts wildlife for cover and nesting. CT E
Asparagus <i>Asparagus officinalis</i> 'Purple Passion'	3-4' t 1-1.5' w	Sun; Well-drained		Unique deep burgundy color, succulent with mild, nutty flavor when cooked. Yields for 15+ years. Productive, disease-resistant. Sold in 10-packs. E
Azalea, Swamp <i>Rhododendron viscosum</i>	8-10' t 6-8' w	Sun to PS; Wet to Moist	White; June to July	Abundant spicy, clove-scented white blooms and red-orange fall foliage. Tolerates some drought. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds. CT RG P
Bearberry <i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>	6-12" t 15" w	Sun to PS; Dry	White; Spring	Very low growing evergreen ground cover. Red berries and bronze foliage in fall add winter interest. Low maintenance! CT RG DR P
Blackberries <i>Rubus</i> 'Triple Crown', Thornless	3-5' t & w	Sun to PS; Moist	White; Summer	Known for flavor, productivity, vigor! Semi-erect, thornless; large sweet fruit in summer. Hardy, disease resistant. Sold in bundles of 5 canes. E P
Blueberry, highbush (sets of 3) <i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>	6-12' t & w	Sun to PS; Moist	Pink-white; Spring to Summer	Abundant edible berry producer! Foliage turns yellow-red-burgundy in fall, bark is red or yellow-green in winter. Sold in sets of 3, one of each variety (early, mid-season, late blooming). CT RG E P
Blueberry, lowbush <i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>	12" t 3' w	Sun to PS; Moist	White; May	Showy flowers produce small flavorful berries mid-summer. Glossy leaves turn red-burgundy in fall. Excellent for naturalizing! CT RG E P
Bunchberry <i>Cornus canadensis</i>	6-8" t 2-3' w	PS to Shade; Cool, Moist	White; June to July	Excellent ground cover. Showy white bracts surround delicate flowers in spring; vivid coral red berry clusters in late summer; and burgundy fall foliage. Prefers cool, acidic soils. Tough and cold-hardy. Attracts wildlife. CT E P
Cranberry, Creeping <i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>	6-12" t 3-4' w	Sun to PS; Moist	Light pink; Mid-summer	Spreading, low growing evergreen. Good as a ground cover; roots from stems. Edible red berries in the fall. Very hardy. CT RG E
Creeping Juniper <i>Juniperus horizontalis</i>	4-6" t 8-10' w	Sun; Moist to Dry		Compact evergreen ground cover with flat, trailing branches. Intense silver-blue foliage turns light purple in winter. Drought, salt tolerant. CT DR
Elderberry <i>Sambucus canadensis</i> 'Adams'	8-10' t & w	Sun to PS; Avg. to Moist	White; June	Dense round form with deep green foliage. Profuse flowers provide nectar for pollinators. Purple fall fruit attracts birds and other wildlife, and also good for jam and wine! CT RG DR E P
Grape, Concord <i>Vitis</i> 'Concord Seedless'	4-10' t 8-10' w	Sun; Avg.	White; Mid-Spring	Easy to grow, vigorous climbing vines produce flavorful sweet seedless grapes. Grow on trellis or arbor. Good fresh, or for juice and jelly. E
Honeysuckle, Bush <i>Diervilla lonicera</i> 'Copper'	3-4' t 4-5' w	Sun; Dry to Avg.	Yellow; June to July	Small, honeysuckle-like shrub with coppery-red leaves turning deep green; showy bell-shaped nectar-filled flowers; and fall capsule-like fruit, a songbird favorite. Tolerates poor, sandy or rocky soils. CT DR P
Hydrangea, Smooth <i>Hydrangea arborescens</i> 'Annabelle'	3-5' t 4-6' w	PS; Well-drained	White; Summer	Long-blooming, with low growing rounded form. Showy blooms are source of nectar, attract butterflies; plants provide cover for birds. CT DR P
Inkberry <i>Ilex glabra</i> 'Shamrock'	3-5' t & w	Sun to PS; Wet to Moist	White; May to June	Excellent evergreen with compact habit and lustrous dark green foliage. Ideal for low hedge or grouping. CT DR RG
Mountain Laurel <i>Kalmia latifolia</i> (various cultivars)	5-12' t & w	PS to Sun; Moist	Pink-white; May to July	The CT State Flower! Slow growing, very hardy evergreen with striking showy clustered flowers. Good for mass planting and borders. CT P
Paw Paw <i>Asimina triloba</i>	15-25' t 15-25' w	Sun to PS; Moist	Brown-Purple; April to May	Tropical taste in your yard! This shrub-like tree has large fragrant flowers, long tapered leaves, and showy oblong, yellow-green banana-flavored fruit. Flowers are a magnet for butterflies; fruit is a wildlife favorite. CT RG E P
Raspberry <i>Rubus idaeus</i> 'Joan J'	3-4' t & w	Sun to PS; Moist	White; Sum. & Fall	High-yielding, thornless, everbearing primocane with large firm flavorful fruits. Ripens Aug-Sept. Easy to grow and hardy. Sold in bundles of 5 canes.
Red Chokeberry <i>Aronia arbutifolia</i> 'Brilliantissima'	6-10' t 3-5' w	Sun to PS; Dry to Moist	White; May	Fragrant spring flowers, intense red fall foliage, and bright red berries that persist in winter. Attracts birds; good for jams. CT RG DR E
Red Mulberry <i>Morus rubra</i>	35-50' t 35-40' w	Sun to PS; Moist	Green; April to June	Medium-sized tree with showy, sweet, juicy fruits. Berries are good fresh, and in jams and wines. Attracts butterflies and birds. Great for naturalizing in understory or woodland border. Tolerates drought. CT E P
Red Osier Dogwood <i>Cornus sericea</i> 'Bailey'	9-10' t 6-10' w	Sun to PS; Moist to Dry	White; Summer	Stunning red stems in winter; good fall color. Fragrant flowers give way to showy white berries. Hardy and adaptable. Great for massing. CT DR RG P
Rosebay Rhododendron <i>Rhododendron maximum</i> 'Roseum'	8-12' t & w	PS to Shade; Moist	Lavender-Pink; June to July	Very hardy, well-branched, rounded form, with large, showy flower globes. Great for naturalizing or groupings, or as a specimen plant. CT RG P
Steeplebush <i>Spiraea tomentosa</i>	2-4' t 3-5' w	Sun to PS; Avg. to Moist	Pink-lavender; July to Sept.	Rounded form, with handsome dark green foliage, showy flower spires, and gold-aurum fall color. Attracts butterflies and bees; birds feed on fruits; provides cover and nesting for wildlife. CT RG P
Strawberries <i>Fragaria ananassa</i> 'Jewel'	6-10" t 8-16" w	Sun; Moist	White; May	Compact grower with excellent flavor. Great for fresh eating or freezing. Disease-resistant, cold hardy. Ripens in June. Sold in bundles of 25. E
Summersweet <i>Clethra alnifolia</i> 'Hummingbird'	2-3' t & w	PS to Shade; Moist	White; July	Compact variety with glossy foliage, showy fragrant flower spikes. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds. Good for borders, massing. CT DR RG P
Winterberry, female and male <i>Ilex verticillata</i> 'Jolly Red' & 'Male'	6-10' t & w	Sun to PS; Moist to Dry	White; June	Deciduous holly good for naturalizing. Persistent bright red berry clusters on females provide visual interest and wildlife food in winter. CT DR RG
Wintergreen, Christmas <i>Gaultheria procumbens</i>	6" t 3-4' w	Shade to PS; Moist	White; Spring-Summer	Dense, hardy, shade-loving evergreen ground cover. Excellent fall/winter red-tinged, dark green foliage, and red edible berries. CT DR E

FLOWERING PERENNIALS — CULINARY HERBS — FERNS — GRASSES

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Bee Balm <i>Monarda didyma</i> 'Pink Lace'	12-16" t 18-23" w	Sun to PS; Moist to Avg.	Pink; July to Sept.	Compact perennial with fragrant foliage, and pale pink blooms with darker centers. Perfect for borders. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds. CT DR P
Black-eyed Susan <i>Rudbeckia fulgida</i> 'Goldsturm'	24-36" t 18-24" w	Sun; Well-drained	Orange-Yel.; June to Sept.	Multi-branching, with long-blooming daisy-like flowers. Drought tolerant. Use for borders, naturalizing, cutting. Attracts butterflies, birds. CT DR P
Cardinal Flower <i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	24-36" t 18-24" w	Sun to PS; Moist	Red; July to Sept.	Spectacular plant, with long-blooming brilliant red tubular flowers. Good for pond, stream edges. Attracts hummingbirds, butterflies. CT RG DR P
Coneflower <i>Echinacea purpurea</i> 'Virgin'	18-24" t 12-18" w	Sun; Well-drained	White; June to Aug.	Compact, upright, and long-blooming! Fragrant rays surround green center cone. Drought and heat tolerant. Attracts butterflies, birds. CT DR P
Obedient Plant <i>Physostegia virginiana</i> "Vivid"	12-24" t 12-18" w	Sun to PS; Average	Rose-Pink; June to Sept.	Compact, clump-forming habit. Showy spikes of snapdragon-like flowers bloom through summer. Attracts hummingbirds, butterflies. CT RG DR P
Tickseed <i>Coreopsis</i> 'Moonbeam'	15-18" t 18-22" w	Sun; Average	Pale Yellow; June to Sept.	Long-blooming compact yellow flowers with darker yellow center. Good accent plant, for cutting. Tolerates drought. Attracts butterflies. CT DR P
Lavender <i>Lavandula angustifolia</i> 'Munstead'	2' t 1-2' w	Sun to PS; Average	Purple; June to Sept.	Aromatic silvery-gray vegetation topped in summer with stems of showy fragrant flowers. Attracts butterflies. Use in cooking, sachets. DR E P
Oregano <i>Origanum vulgare</i> 'Italian'	18-24" t & w	Sun; Dry	White to Pink; Summer	Flavorful, aromatic and popular for cooking. High in antioxidants; useful for relieving headaches, coughs. Drought tolerant. DR E P
Rosemary <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i>	3-5' t & w	Sun; Average	Blue; June to Aug.	Shrub-like, with fragrant needle-like evergreen leaves used in cooking, sachets, aromatic oils. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds. DR E P
Sage <i>Salvia officinalis</i> 'Tricolor'	15-18" t & w	Sun; Wet to dry	Lavender-Blue; June to Aug.	Shrubby form, aromatic variegated evergreen foliage, long flower spikes. Attracts butterflies. Use in cooking, potpourri. Drought tolerant. DR E P
Thyme <i>Thymus vulgaris</i> 'French'	6-12" t 12-18" w	Sun to PS; Dry	Lilac to Pink; June to Aug.	Highly aromatic and easy to grow. Attracts butterflies. Use for edging, ground cover, cooking, teas, potpourri. Drought tolerant. DR E P
Christmas Fern <i>Polystichum acrosticoides</i>	3' t 10" w	PS to Shade; Moist, acidic		Adaptable fern with glossy, dark green fronds, silvery fiddleheads in spring. Evergreen foliage provides winter interest. Drought tolerant. CT DR
Switch Grass <i>Panicum virgatum</i> , 'Ruby Ribbons'	3-4' t 2-3' w	Sun to PS; Moist to Dry	Aug. to Oct.	Soft blue-green foliage turns dramatic deep wine-red in summer. Airy flowerheads, showy seed heads provide added interest. CT DR RG

BARE ROOT TREE SEEDLINGS

Common Name Botanical Name 'cultivar'	Size at maturity	Exposure/ Habitat	Description
Douglas Fir (4 yr, 12-24") <i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i>	90' t	Sun; Moist	Moderate to rapid growth. Short, soft, blue-green needles. Excellent Christmas trees. Not for dry or poorly drained sites. Native to west coast of U.S. DR
Eastern Red Cedar (3 yr, 10-20") <i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	40-50' t	Sun; Average to dry	Fast growing pyramid-shape evergreen with flat needles. Gray to red-brown bark of ornamental interest. Good for screen or hedge. CT DR
Eastern White Pine (3 yr, 7-15") <i>Pinus strobus</i>	60-80' t	Sun to PS; Dry to moist	Rapid grower (10-14" per year) with soft 3-5" needles. Very versatile. Use as an ornamental, Christmas tree or windbreak. CT DR
White Spruce (3 yr, 8-16") <i>Picea glauca</i>	130' t	Sun; Moist	Fast growth, very hardy compact tree with short, 1" long, 4-sided, stiff, pointed blue-green needles. Good for Christmas trees or ornamental. CT DR

HUMMINGBIRD SPECIAL CT natives. Bring a vivid splash of hummingbird attracting nectar-rich blooms to your yard! Selection of 4 shrubs (quart size pots) and 12 perennials (plugs), packaged in a rustic pine box. Shrubs: Buttonbush (*Cephalanthus occidentalis*); Summersweet (*Clethra alnifolia*); Trumpet Honeysuckle (*Lonicera sempervirens*); Steeplebush (*Spiraea tomentosa*). Perennials: Columbine (*Aquilegia canadensis*); Common Milkweed (*Asclepias syriaca*); Wild Indigo (*Baptisia tinctoria*); White Turtlehead (*Chelone glabra*); Swamp Rose Mallow (*Hibiscus moscheutos*); Great Blue Lobelia (*Lobelia siphilitica*); Purple Wild Bergamot (*Monarda fistulosa*); Hairy Beard Tongue (*Penstemon hirsutus*); Wild Solomon's Seal (*Polygonatum biflorum*); Narrowleaf Mountain Mint (*Pycnanthemum tenuifolium*); Hyssop Skullcap (*Scutellaria incana*); Forked Blue Curly (*Trichostema dichotomum*). Selection subject to change. For more information go to conservect.org/ctrivercoastal.

BUTTERFLY SPECIAL CT natives. Attract beautiful butterflies to your wildlife garden with a rainbow of flowers! Selection of 4 shrubs (quart size pots) and 12 perennials (plugs), packaged in a rustic pine box. Shrubs: Summersweet (*Clethra alnifolia*); Gray Dogwood (*Cornus racemosa*); Shrubby St. John's-Wort (*Hypericum prolificum*); Swamp Rose (*Rosa palustris*). Perennials: Common Yarrow (*Achillea millefolium*); Wild Indigo (*Baptisia tinctoria*); Lanceleaf Coreopsis (*Coreopsis lanceolata*); Hyssop-leaf Boneset (*Eupatorium hyssopifolium*); Wood Geranium (*Geranium maculatum*); Purple-headed Sneezeweed (*Helenium flexuosum*); Hairy Bush-clover (*Lespedeza hirta*); Meadow Blazing Star (*Liatris ligulistylus*); Monkey Flower (*Mimulus ringens*); Brown-eyed Susan (*Rudbeckia triloba*); Little Bluestem (*Schizachyrium scoparium*); Wild Stonecrop (*Sedum ternatum*). Selection subject to change. For more information go to conservect.org/ctrivercoastal.

COLLINS ORGANIC COMPOST 40-pound bags of premium quality soil amendment made from fully composted leaf and cow manure (NO odor!). Rich in organic matter, slow-release nutrients, and beneficial microbes. Improves soil fertility, drainage, texture and moisture holding ability. The perfect soil builder for many uses, including residential gardens and lawns. Approved for use in organic production! From Collins Powder Hill Farm in Enfield.

THE ORGANIC LAWN CARE MANUAL by Paul Tukey Get Your Lawn Off Drugs! This book is full of practical tips to establish a lush, healthy green lawn, safe for people, pets and our earth. "The most extensive guide to lawn care ever published."

FERTILIZER TABLETS Slow release 2-year fertilizer for evergreen and hardwood seedlings, trees and shrubs. Long-lasting tablets are not water soluble but depend on action of soil bacteria to convert nutrients into a plant usable form. Place one tablet near (not touching) roots during planting.

K E Y	EXPOSURE	HABITAT	E = Edible fruit/plant/flower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Planting info provided at pick-up. ♦ Select plants based on exposure and habitat requirements. ♦ The District cannot guarantee plant survival.
	Sun = 6 hours direct sun per day	Dry = dry, well drained	CT = Connecticut native species	
	Part sun (PS) = a few hours of direct sun	Average = avg. moisture, well drained	DR = Deer resistant	
	Shade = good or low light, little/no direct sun	Moist = rich fertile, well-drained	P = Pollinator plant	
		Wet = moist most of year	RG = Good choice for a Rain Garden	

CRCCD 2016 SHRUB & SEEDLING SALE ORDER FORM

SHRUBS, GROUND COVERS, EDIBLES	QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
AMERICAN HAZELNUT 3 gal. \$28		
ASPARAGUS (bare root) 10 crowns \$12		
AZALEA, Swamp 2 gal. \$26		
BEARBERRY 1 gal. \$15		
BLACKBERRIES (bare root) 5 canes \$20		
BLUEBERRY, highbush 1 gal. each/set of 3 \$35		
BLUEBERRY, lowbush 1 gal. \$14		
BUNCHBERRY 1 gal. \$20		
CRANBERRY, Creeping 1/2 gal. \$11		
CREeping JUNIPER 2 gal. \$12		
ELDERBERRY 3 gal. \$30		
GRAPE, Concord Seedless 2 gal. \$24		
HONEYSUCKLE 2 gal. \$26		
HYDRANGEA 2 gal. \$26		
INKBERRY 2 gal. \$24		
MOUNTAIN LAUREL 2 gal. \$25		
PAW PAW 1 gal. \$18		
RASPBERRIES (bare root) 5 canes \$15		
RED CHOKEBERRY 2 gal. \$25		
RED MULBERRY LIMITED QTY 2 gal. \$20		
RED OSIER DOGWOOD 3 gal. \$29		
ROSEBAY RHODODENDRON 2 gal. \$29		
STEEPLEBUSH 2 gal. \$25		
STRAWBERRIES (bare root) 25 plants \$10		
SUMMERSWEET 2 gal. \$24		
WINTERBERRY, female 2 gal. \$22		
WINTERBERRY, male 2 gal. \$22		
WINTERGREEN 1 gal. \$12		
TOTAL Shrubs, Ground Covers, Edibles		

PERENNIAL FLOWERS & HERBS	QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
BEE BALM 5 pint pot \$6		
BLACK-EYED SUSAN 5 pint pot \$6		
CARDINAL FLOWER 5 pint pot \$6		
CONEFLOWER 5 pint pot \$6		
OBEDIENT PLANT 5 pint pot \$6		
TICKSEED 5 pint pot \$6		
LAVENDER 3.5"pot, 1 for \$5; any 5 herbs, \$20		
OREGANO 3.5"pot, 1 for \$5; any 5 herbs, \$20		
ROSEMARY 3.5"pot, 1 for \$5; any 5 herbs, \$20		
SAGE 3.5"pot, 1 for \$5; any 5 herbs, \$20		
THYME 3.5"pot, 1 for \$5; any 5 herbs, \$20		
TOTAL Perennial Flowers & Herbs		

FERNS & GRASSES	QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
CHRISTMAS FERN 5 pint \$10		
SWITCH GRASS 1 gal. \$12		
TOTAL Ferns & Grasses		

EVERGREEN TREE SEEDLINGS	QUANTITY
25 bare root seedlings of same type per bundle	
DOUGLAS FIR, 4-yr.	
EASTERN RED CEDAR (Native), 3-yr.	
EASTERN WHITE PINE (Native), 3-yr.	
WHITE SPRUCE (Native), 3-yr.	
TOTAL # of Seedling Bundles	
<i>Price per bundle: \$30; any 4 or more, \$25 each</i>	
TOTAL \$ Evergreen Tree Seedlings	

16 PLANTS IN PINE BOX	QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
HUMMINGBIRD SPECIAL \$42		
BUTTERFLY SPECIAL \$42		

FERTILIZER - COMPOST - MANUAL	TOTAL \$
COLLINS ORGANIC COMPOST 40 lb. bag \$9	
2-YEAR FERTILIZER TABS Bag of 25 \$5	
ORGANIC LAWN CARE MANUAL \$15	

Cost of Order: \$ _____ (total all boxes)

Round up for Conservation!!! \$ _____
(Donations to CRCCD are tax-deductible)

TOTAL Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TOWN _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

(H#) _____ (cell#) _____

EMAIL _____

YES! I/we would like to volunteer at the Shrub Sale
(we will contact you in April to confirm date & time)

Make check payable and send this order form to:
 CT River Coastal Conservation District (CRCCD)
 27 Washington Street, deKoven House
 Middletown, CT 06457

Orders MUST be received by APRIL 8, 2016

Help us get organized...please note where you got this order form

- Mail (brochure only) Mail (with CRCCD Newsletter)
 Internet Library/Town Hall Other: _____



**Please send in this order form,
and keep a copy for your records!**

**DON'T FORGET...NEW LOCATION IN
WESTBROOK AT TANGER OUTLETS!!**