

List of References and Guides for Landscaping in the Pinelands

General Titles for Information & Reference

Jenkins, V. J. 1994. The Lawn: A History of an American Obsession. Smithsonian Institution Press, Washington, DC. *This delightful book documents in great detail the who, how, when and why Americans succumbed to the lawn mania we know today.*

Rock Garden Quarterly. Bulletin of the North American Rock Garden Society, Volumes 1 through 55. *A helpful resource for smaller, special plants. Many native of our area have been described in this society's publication.*

Restoration & Management Notes. A bulletin publication of the Society of Ecological Restoration, University of Wisconsin Press. *This twice yearly document provides timely advice on how to projects for landscape restoration. Informative abstracts and full length articles written for a wide audience makes this a valuable source for larger landowners with natural landscape designs.*

Fine Gardening. A popular magazine published bimonthly by Taunton Press, Newtown, CT. *This magazine is a must for avid gardeners looking for new plants, techniques and design. Large glossy full color format makes subtle gardening points come to life.*

American Nurseryman. The trade journal for growers, landscapers and garden center retailers. Published by American Nurseryman Publishing Co., Washington, DC. *This monthly provides up to date testing results for field trials and other helpful information. An informative series on many different plants and plant types provides sources for hard to find species.*

General Plant Guides for Selection and Culture

Beckett, K.A. 1981. Growing Hardy Perennials. Croom Helm Publishing, London, England, UK. *An informative text on growing requirements for a wide variety of perennial plants.*

Brown, G.E. 1972. The Pruning of Trees, Shrubs and Conifers. Timber Press, Portland, OR. *The definitive manual on the art of cutting your plants.*

Horst, R.K. 1979. Westcott's Plant Disease Handbook. Fourth Edition. An AVI Book, Published by Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., NY. *A good text to identify bacterial, fungi or viral problems in your garden. Cross-referenced by disease and plant.*

Jaynes, Richard A. 1997. Kalmia: Mountain Laurel and Related Species. Timber Press, Portland, OR. *The authoritative book on the genus for identification and culture.*

MacKenzie, D.S. 1989. Complete guide to perennial ground covers. Prentice-Hall, Inc. Englewood Cliffs, NJ. *Alphabetical listing of commonly used general ground covers. Includes some of the Pineland natives.*

Natural Resource Group. 1993. Native Species Planting Guide for New York City and Vicinity. City of New York, Parks and Recreation. *This recent publication covers many of our common plants with habit, habitat, and culture requirements.*

New Jersey Nursery and Landscape Association. 1994. Perennials for Outdoor Living. *A limited listing of enjoyable perennial tolerant of most of NJ. Includes a couple of our natives.*

Schnell, Donald E. 2002. Carnivorous Plants of the United States and Canada. 2nd Edith. Timber Press, Portland, OR. *A taxonomic, distribution and habitat requirement text that's geared to identification but helpful with useful information about the growing needs of our unusual plants.*

Shelton, T. and B. Hamilton. 1995. Landscaping for Water Conservation. Rutgers Cooperative Extension, NJ Agricultural Experiment Station. *This publication provides important guidelines for reducing water consumption within our landscaped settings. Many native and adaptable species are discussed.*

Stearn, William T. 1966. Botanical Latin. 4th Edition 2nd Reprinting 1996. Timber Press, Portland, OR. *A great help to understand the technical language often found in the plant literature.*

Steffek, E.F. 1983. The New Wildflowers and How to Grow Them. The Timber Press, Portland, OR. *This is a how to book for many of our common wild plants.*

Taylor, K.S. and S.F. Hamblin. 1963. Handbook of Wildflower Cultivation. Collier Books, MacMillan Press, NY. *An old but reliable source of basic growing information.*

USDA. 1989. Conservation Plants for the Northeast. Soil Conservation Service. *This pamphlet suggests a number of native and alien plants for wildlife and soil protection.*

Pinelands Documents

Boyd, Howard P. 1991. A Field Guild To The Pine Barrens Of New Jersey: Its Flora, Fauna, Ecology and Historic Sites. Plexus Publishing, Inc., Medford, NJ. *A wonderful account of our native species, covering all of the common plants described in this course.*

Buchholtz, K. and R.E. Good. 1982. Compendium of New Jersey Pine Barren Literature. Division of Pineland Research, Center for Coastal and Environmental Studies, Rutgers University, NJ. *An annotated bibliography of all Pineland documents written up to 1982.*

McCormick. 1970. The Pine Barrens: A Preliminary Ecological Inventory. Report 2., New Jersey State Museum. *Lists many native plants and animals of the Barrens.*

Peel, B.A. 1980. The Pine Barrens: A Bibliography. Report 4., New Jersey State Museum. *A listing of Pine Barren literature.*

Pinelands Commission. 1989. Landscaping with Pinelands Plants. A guide to Nurseries that sell Pinelands Vegetation. *Self explanatory, updates available periodically.*

Juelg, G. Russell. 2002. New Jersey Pinelands Threatened and Endangered Species. A Pinelands Preservation Alliance Publication, Pemberton, NJ. *This new accounting of our protected species that provides every conceivable raking and a good illustration with pictures for each species.*