

## Shrub and Tree Descriptions - Spring 2023

Shrubs	Common Name	Scientific Name	Price	Bloom Time	Light Requirements	Flower Color and Notes	Height in Feet	Fruit, Nut, and Wildlife Value
	Allegheny Serviceberry 3g	<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>	\$24	Late April - May	Part-sun	White flowers; can tolerate clay soil and black walnut	15-25' H 15'-25' W	Large flowers; excellent red fall color; purple fruits attract birds in summer
	Black Chokeberry 5g	<i>Aronia melanocarpa</i>	\$24	May	Full Sun to Part-shade	Small clusters of white flowers in mid-spring; prefers moist to wet soil; dark green foliage turns deep red in fall; slow grower	5'-8' H 3'-5' W	Fruit is eaten by birds in mid to late winter
	New Jersey Tea 3g	<i>Ceanothus americanus</i>	\$24	Late June to early August	Full Sun to Part-shade	White flowers; prefers full sun and well-drained soil, but tolerates some shade; slow grower	3' H	Attracts pollinators; fixes nitrogen in nodules in the roots, adding nutrients to the soil
	Common Buttonbush 5g	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	\$24		Full Sun to Part-shade	White flowers; prefers moist to wet soil; moderate growth rate	8' H 8' W	Nectar attracts butterflies (such as the tiger swallowtail) and hummingbirds. Attracts over 24 species of birds (including robin, kingbird and towhee). Nutlets persisting through winter attract birds.
	Pagoda Dogwood 5g	<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	\$24	June	Full Sun to Part-shade	Flowers; oval shape; tolerates shade	20' H 15' W	Attracts butterflies, Game birds, Small mammals, Song birds, and Water birds
	Silky Dogwood 5g	<i>Cornus amomum</i>	\$24	May to June	Full Sun to Part-shade	White, flat-topped flowers; moderate grower; prefers moist, well-drained soil; tolerant of clay; tolerant of black walnut; can be thicket forming	8' H & W	Fruit is loved by small birds and waterfowl
	Red Osier Dogwood 5g	<i>Cornus sericea</i>	\$24	May to June	Full Sun to Part-shade	White flowers; prefers moist well-drained soil to wet soil; can tolerate clay soil; fast grower	18' H	Fruit and twigs are used by several species, such as robins, cedar waxwings, rabbits, and deer. Provides dense cover for a large number of wildlife species. Red stems add winter color.
	Bush Honeysuckle 5g	<i>Diervilla lonicera</i>	\$24	July-August	Full Sun to Part-shade	Yellow flowers; tolerates dry soil and clay; can be thicket forming	3'-5' H & W	Attracts hummingbirds and butterflies
	Common Witchhazel 3g	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	\$24	Late October	Full Sun to Full-shade	Yellow flowers; tolerant of road salt and clay soil, this is a great specimen plant, or for naturalized landscape; slow grower	10' H	Seeds are eaten by a number of species of birds. Serves as a host plant for the larvae of the spring azure butterfly.
	Winterberry 5g	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	\$24	June - July	Full Sun to Part-shade	Greenish-white flowers on new growth; need male & female plants to pollinate; tolerates clay and wet soil	3'-12' H & W	Showy fruit in the winter attracts birds
	Common Ninebark 3g	<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	\$24	Late May to Late June	Full Sun	White flower clusters; red seed membranes are attractive in late summer; can tolerate clay soil and black walnut	9' H	Good nectar and pollen source; dry seeds possibly eaten by game birds; twigs provide browse for deer; good cover for birds
	Early Wild Rose 3g	<i>Rosa blanda</i>	\$24	April - May	Full Sun	Fragrant, pink flowers; prune after flowering; tolerates dry, Alkaline, and clay soils; suckering shrub; fast grower	4'-5' H	Attracts bees and other pollinators; bright, red berry (rose hip)
	Black Elderberry 5g	<i>Samucus canadensis</i>	\$24	June and July	Full Sun to Part-shade	White, fragrant flowers; tolerant of clay soil and black walnut	9' H	Purple berries may be used for jam or in muffins
	Nannyberry 5g	<i>Viburnum lentago</i>	\$24	May - June	Full Sun to Part-shade	White flower; arching branches; prefers dry, moist, well-drained soil; spreads by suckers; black walnut tolerant; moderate grower	15' H 6'-12' W	Edible berries consumed by birds and mammals, including humans. Caterpillar and larva host to the spring azure butterfly. Edible berries. Prune after flowering to maintain size and shape.
	Black-haw Viburnum 5g	<i>Viburnum prunifolium</i>	\$24	May - June	Full Sun to Part-shade	White, fragrant flower clusters; tolerates most sites; large shrub, but can be pruned to a single trunk small tree; flowers on old wood, so prune after flowering; grows with black walnut	15' H 8'-12' W	Provides food and shelter to many bird species
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	Shagbark Hickory 2g	<i>Carya ovata</i>	\$24		Full Sun to Part-shade	Not commonly found in nurseries; attractive bark in all seasons; prefers moist, well-drained soil; tolerant of black walnut	60-80' H 30-50' W	Edible nuts attract songbirds, cavity-nesting birds, game birds, migrant birds, and small mammals
	Oak - White 3g	<i>Quercus alba</i>	\$24		Full Sun	State tree of Illinois; prefers well-drained soil; tolerant of black walnut; Red, brown fall leaves	80' H	Acorns attract migrant birds, small mammals (like squirrels), game birds, and game mammals; squirrel nesting sites
	Oak - Bur 3g	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	\$24		Full Sun	Large leaves; round shape; good tree for urban sites; tolerant of clay soil	60' H 50' W	Large acorns attract birds and small mammals
	Oak - Red 3g	<i>Quercus rubra</i>	\$24		Full Sun to Part-shade	Prefers moist, well-drained soil; tolerant of clay and sandy soil; russet to bright red leaves in fall; tolerant of black walnut	60-75' H	Acorns attract birds and small mammals
	Black Willow 3g	<i>Salix nigra</i>	\$24		Full Sun to Part-shade	Fast-growing, tolerates wet sites and black walnut	50' H	Benefits bees and butterflies; attracts nesting birds; browsed by deer
	Linden/Basswood 5g	<i>Tilia americana</i>	\$24	June	Full Sun to Part-shade	Prefers moist, well-drained soil; tolerates alkaline and clay soil, yellow, fragrant flowers in June; moderate growth rate; tolerant of black walnut	60-80' H 30-60' W	Songbirds and blue jays eat the seeds and use the dense canopy for shelter