

## Bee ready for summer:

After an amazing weekend of Jubilee celebrations with many outdoor activities taking place, why not capture that outdoor feeling with more time in the garden or your outdoor space.

There is still time to plant Summer flowering wildflowers to attract Bees, Moths and Butterflies to the garden, and adding a variety of flower shapes and colours is ideal to attract a range of insects and wildlife to your outdoor space.

With the current weather of sunshine and showers, it's still a great time for planting. The soil is warming, which allows plants to quickly establish, and rain water is the best addition to get plants off to a good start.

Here are our top recommendations to help attract pollinators to your garden:



**Buy Red clover now** 



**Buy Birdsfoot trefoil now** 



**Buy Teasel now** 

## Wow with wildflower colour:

### Field poppies in 9cm pots: Papaver rhoeas

Pops of colour are great for the Outdoor living space- our Field poppies are just forming buds and coming into flower - fabulous for a patio container by the BBQ, a grassland area to add that splash of colour or planted throughout a border



Poppy field 2021

**Buy Poppy now** 

#### Corn marigolds in 9cm pot: Glebionis segetum

The golden Corn marigold adds a burst of colour to a border, or is ideal in a garden meadow surrounded by grasses or other meadow wildflowers. It is a tall annual, that can flower through to early Autumn, so great for pollinators across the seasons.

After flowering, let the Corn marigold self seed allowing the seeds to drop so they can germinate next Spring.



Corn marigold

**Buy Corn marigold now** 

# Wildflowers for foraging:

Many wildflowers have a history of culinary or medicinal use, and as the trend

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## Here's a few ideas to start;

Wild strawberry - the tiny fruits have an intense strawberry flavourRed clover - the flowers are great in saladsMeadowsweet - use the flowers as an aromatic flavouring.Yarrow - add the young leaves to saladsWild marjoram - a popular herb

# Nursery news:



Wildflowers may be purchased direct from the nursery together with a wonderful mix of Herbaceous perennials and Ornamental grasses. The peat free Herbaceous perennials are really coming into their own as we move into early Summer and the retail area is often buzzing with pollinators enjoying the changing range of flowers providing nectar.

The nursery is open to customers Wednesday - Saturday from April - October, so if you are travelling to the South West this summer why not pop in and see us. We are always pleased to welcome new customers to our nursery. Check out the nursery website for directions and opening details

#### www.bloomingwild.co.uk

Why not follow The Blooming Wild Nursery on our social media too. There is now an Instagram page, in addition to Facebook, so you can keep up to date with the Blooming Wild story.



### Wildflowers online at PlantWild:

Our website is frequently updated, as stock becomes established and ready for planting.

If you are looking for something specific, just get in touch and we will let you know our availability.

In the meantime why not check out our whole wildflower range for Summer planting.

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# Happy Gardening from The PlantWild Team

We enjoy working with every customer, however large or small their garden or planting area may be.

As a family based business, we grow and supply wildflowers for gardens, community areas and businesses

throughout the UK

We look forward to welcoming you back to PlantWild this Summer



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