

Join VNPS!

Members of the Virginia Native Plant Society enjoy the natural world and support efforts to preserve Virginia's native plants. Ranging in age from student to senior, VNPS members include professional botanists, knowledgeable amateurs, and many who are just beginning to learn about our flora. All are welcome.

Membership includes:

- ☘ *Sempervirens*, a quarterly newsletter; *The Leaf Letter*, an occasional online newsletter; and your Chapter newsletter.
- ☘ Invitation to the **VNPS Annual Meeting**, hosted by one of our chapters and offering outstanding speakers and diverse native habitats.
- ☘ Invitation to the **Annual Workshop**, offering high-quality educational opportunities.
- ☘ An **Opportunity** to be active in your community through chapter activities including programs, field trips, plant identification, propagation, landscaping, and conservation projects.

VNPS members may join one chapter at no charge or may be a member at large. Nonvoting memberships in additional chapters are \$5 each.

Other contributions are tax deductible in accordance with IRS regulations.

In 2012, the **Flora of Virginia Project** published the *Flora of Virginia*, the first complete modern manual of the plants of the commonwealth. In 2017 the Flora Project released a mobile app with all the contents of the print version and new data, photographs, and range maps. VNPS has pledged to support this continuing project and encourages members and chapters to give it financial support. More information is available at floraofvirginia.org, or write to P.O. Box 512, Richmond, VA 23218, or call 804-371-5561.

About the Society

The Virginia Native Plant Society, founded in 1982 as the Virginia Wildflower Preservation Society, is a nonprofit organization of individuals who share an interest in Virginia's native plants and habitats.

The Society and its Chapters seek to further the appreciation and conservation of this priceless heritage through programs such as:

- ☘ **The Wildflower of the Year**, spotlighting a native plant and its habitat with a colorful and informative brochure.
- ☘ **The Native Plant Site Registry**, designed to recognize natural areas in Virginia that have exemplary plant communities.
- ☘ An online **Calendar of Events** listing field trips, workshops, and native-plant sales statewide.
- ☘ A competitive **Research Grant Program**, supporting well-defined projects whose results can be evaluated and that address VNPS goals and mission. See VNPS.org for more information.

The VNPS website, at www.vnps.org, offers the Society's mission and conservation statements, programs, Chapter information, a blog, and links of interest. Members also enjoy the Society's engaging Facebook page.

Publications such as nursery source information, invasive plant lists, and brochures can be found on the website or requested from the VNPS office.

In all it does, the Virginia Native Plant Society emphasizes respect for the natural environment.

A VNPS financial statement is available upon request from the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.



**VIRGINIA NATIVE
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Virginia Native Plant Society

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and Wild Places*

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Individual \$30 Family \$40 Student \$15

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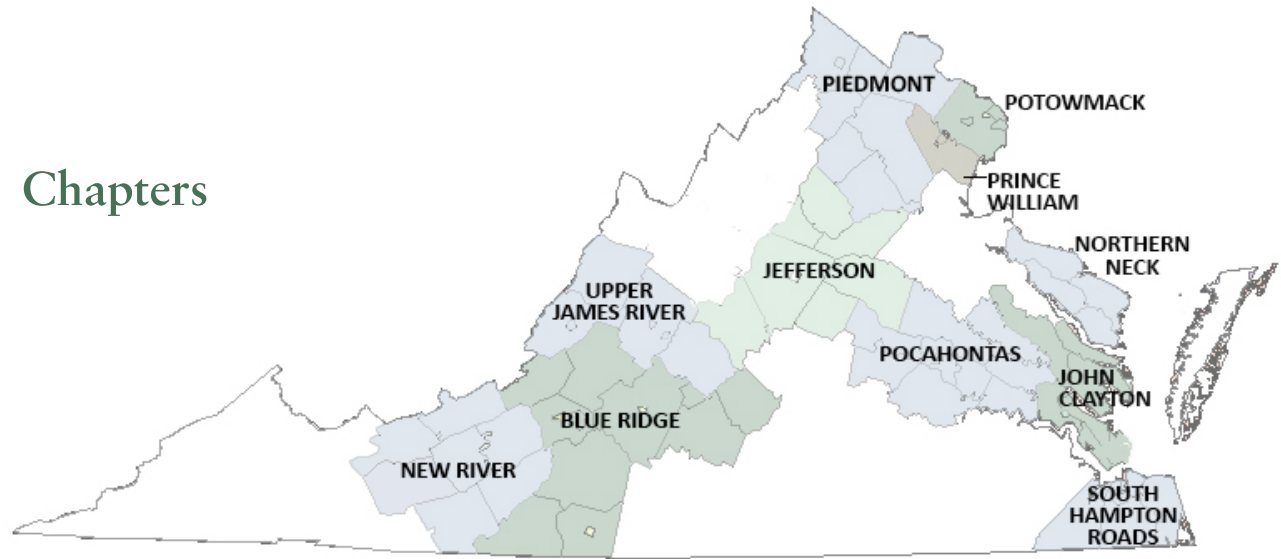
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Chapters



Blue Ridge Wildflower Society

Counties of Appomattox, Bedford, Botetourt, Campbell, Craig, Franklin, Henry, Patrick, and Roanoke; cities of Roanoke and Lynchburg

Jefferson Chapter

Counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa, Madison, Nelson, and Orange; city of Charlottesville

John Clayton Chapter

Counties of Gloucester, James City, Mathews, Middlesex, York, and southern King and Queen; cities of Hampton, Newport News, Poquoson, and Williamsburg

New River Chapter

Counties of Bland, Carroll, Floyd, Giles, Montgomery, Pulaski, and Wythe; city of Radford

Northern Neck Chapter

Counties of Lancaster, Northumberland, Richmond, and Westmoreland

Piedmont Chapter

Counties of Clarke, Culpeper, Fauquier, Frederick, Loudoun, Rappahannock, and Warren; city of Winchester

Pocahontas Chapter

Counties of Charles City, Chesterfield, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, King William, New Kent, and Powhatan; city of Richmond

Potowmack Chapter

Counties of Arlington and Fairfax; cities of Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church

Prince William Wildflower Society

Prince William County; cities of Manassas and Manassas Park

South Hampton Roads Chapter

Cities of Chesapeake, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, and Virginia Beach

Upper James River Chapter

Counties of Allegheny, Amherst, Bath, and Rockbridge; cities of Lexington and Buena Vista