

Identification – Shrub Mix

Buddleia davidii (Butterfly Bush)



The Butterfly Bush, a fast growing shrub ideal for most sites as long it has sun and well drained soil. The long, heavy flowering heads transform the bush and make a stunning display attracting bees and butterflies. It can grow up to a height of 3 metres.

Rosa canina (Dogrose)



Rosa canina is a variable scrambling rose species native to Europe, including Britain it thrives on most soil but happy with heavy clay, wet soils. The general habitats it is found are hedges, scrub, woodland and roadsides. It produces delicate pink or white flowers during the summer followed by red rosehips in autumn that last through to winter.

Sambucus nigra (Elder)



Elder is a short lived, sometimes scruffy looking deciduous shrub which can be found growing in woodlands, hedgerows and scrub. The flat topped heads of white flowers are followed by dark purple fruits hanging in clusters. Elder will grow well on most soils and seeds itself readily.

Viburnum opulus (Guelder Rose)



Viburnum opulus is commonly known as guelder rose or snowball tree. This deciduous shrub with heads of globular lace cap type flowers that change from pale green to creamy white. The leaves are colour richly in autumn followed by bunches of red berries.