

**New Smyrna Beach Garden Club
2000 Turnbull Bay Rd.
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168**

Application for Certified Butterfly Garden

Thank you for your interest in our Butterfly Gardening Program. A Garden Club Member will contact you to schedule a date and time to certify your garden. A donation of \$25 to the New Smyrna Beach Garden Club will be collected when your garden is certified. In addition, you will receive a certificate and sign identifying your garden as a Certified Butterfly Garden. There is more information about plant requirements on this application.

Name of Applicant: _____

Address of Applicant: _____

Phone Number: _____ Date: _____

Email Address: _____

For additional information, please email:

Mary Heasley: heasleyhome@aol.com

Sue Schwulst: sue.schwulst@gmail.com

Send the completed application to one of the emails above.

Certification Status

Date application received: _____

Date Garden Certified: _____

Garden Certified by: _____

Donation Collected: _____

Butterflies observed during visit: _____

Plant Requirements

Garden must have a minimum of 20 plants, in the following 2 Categories:

A. **Host Plants** provide food for butterfly caterpillars. Your garden needs a cluster of 5 Milkweed plants including native varieties plus host plants for 2 other butterfly species. Examples include Passion Vine, Cassia, Fennel, Citrus, Coontie, Oak Tree etc. Please list.

1. Milkweed (minimum of 5 plants) _____

2. Other host plants _____

B. **Nectar Plants** have flowers that provide nectar as food for adult butterflies. Your garden should have at least 5 different kinds of flowering plants. Examples include Penta, Salvia, Porterweed, Plumbago, Buddleia, Lantana, Bottlebrush, Firebush, Zinnia, Black Eyed Susan, Jatropha, Chaya.

Please list your nectar plants.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

The above plants are recommendations for Zone 9B/10A. There may be other plants in your garden that qualify as host or nectar plants. If possible, select Florida native plants. Please send this application to Mary Heasley or Hope Jenkins.

Mail form to NSBGC Butterfly Cert. Comm PO Box 1648 NSB, FL 32168-1648