



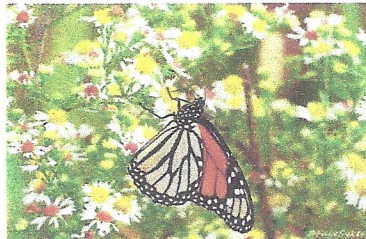
WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE SUGARLANDS VISITOR CENTER POLLINATOR GARDEN

1. Q: What's the purpose of a Pollinator Garden?
A: To ensure pollinators have a food supply, habitat, nesting areas & shelter for offspring.
2. Q: What type of plants do you find in the Pollinator Garden?
A: See attached map and plant list for those in the Sugarlands Visitor Center Pollinator Garden.
3. Q: Who are the pollinators?
A: Insects (bees, wasps, ants, beetles, flies, butterflies, moths); Birds (hummingbirds, orioles); Mammals (squirrels, chipmunks, deer mice); Wind.
4. Q: How do the pollinators help the plants?
A: They help plants reproduce by moving pollen from one flower to another, fertilizing the plant.
5. Q: How do the plants help the pollinators?
A: They provide nectar and pollen, food for the pollinators and their young.
6. Q: What are some of the dangers to the pollinators?
A: Habitat destruction, pesticides, disease, invasive species, climate changes.
7. Q: What would happen to food supplies if there were no pollinators?
A: Food supplies for humans, animals, and other species would be greatly reduced.
8. Q: What things can we do to help pollinators and pollinator plants?
A: Plant native plants, reduce use of chemical pesticides, preserve natural habitat.



A short, fun quiz to test what you learned

1. From the list below, choose two (2) pollinators. _____ & _____
2. What's the purpose of the Pollinator Garden? (Choose two) _____ & _____
3. Name three (3) plants in the Pollinator Garden. _____, _____, & _____
4. How do the pollinators benefit from pollinating the plants? _____
5. What insect benefits the most from milkweed? _____
6. What would happen to food supplies for humans and animals without pollinators? _____
7. Name two (2) things we can do to help pollinators? _____ & _____



CHOOSE FROM THESE ANSWERS

a. Bees	f. To increase survival of plants, insects, other animals	k. Monarch butterfly
b. Beauty	g. Black-eyed Susan	l. Preserve natural habitat
c. Butterflies	h. Would be greatly reduced	m. Provides a food source
d. Blueberry	i. Put bird feeders and water sources in our yards and gardens	n. Ironweed
e. Milkweed	j. Reduce use of chemical pesticides	

Answer guide: 1. a, c & k, 2. b & f, 3. d, e, g, & n, 4. m, 5. k, 6. h, 7. i, j, & l