



SOUTHERN WOODS PLANT NURSERY



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Info 24: ATTRACTING WILD & EXOTIC BIRDS INTO YOUR GARDEN (DARFIELD & INLAND CANTERBURY)

<i>Acca sellowiana</i>	Feijoa	Flowers & Fruit from April – June
<i>Aristotelia serrata</i>	Wineberry	Berries in summer
<i>Aristotelia</i> 'Jessie Cockburn'		Red/purple berries in autumn
<i>Aristotelia</i> 'Kingsley Butler'		Red berries in autumn
<i>Aristotelia</i> 'Abigail Gordon'		Red berries in autumn
<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>	Shad Bush	Berries eaten green in December
<i>Callistemon</i> spp	Bottle Brush	Flowers
<i>Chaemaecytis palmensis</i>	Tree Lucerne	Foliage for wood pigeons
<i>Coprosma</i> spp.	Lucida, propinqua, robusta	Berries in Feb-April. Nectar in November
<i>Cordyline australis</i>	Cabbage Tree	Fruit in Jan-April. Nectar in November
<i>Cornus capitata</i>	Himalayan Strawberry Tree	Autumn fruit
<i>Cornus mas</i>		Red berries
<i>Corokia</i> spp		Berries from March to Autumn
<i>Crataegus jonesiae</i>	Hawthorn	Large red berries in autumn
<i>Cotoneaster</i>		Red berries from March to May
<i>Eucalyptus</i> spp	Gum	See below
<i>Fuchsia excorticata</i>	Native fuchsia	Fruit from January to March
<i>Grevillea</i> 'Victoria'		Flowers mid May to September
<i>Griselinia littoralis</i>	Broadleaf	Flowers and fruit
<i>Hebe</i> spp		Flowers. Also attract butterflies
<i>Hoheria angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved Lacebark	For habitat
<i>Kunzea ericoides</i>	Kanuka	For habitat
<i>Leptospermum scoparium</i>	Manuka	For habitat
<i>Malus</i> spp	Fruit trees	Crab Apple
<i>Muehlenbeckia complexa</i>		Flowers and berries late spring to summer. Great for bees too.
<i>Olearia avicenniaefolia</i>	Mountain ake ake	Nectar & insects late summer
<i>Phormium tenax</i>	Flax	Fruit Jan-March. Nectar Dec-Jan
<i>Pittosporum eugenoides</i>	Lemonwood	Fruit March-June. Nectar Sept-Dec
<i>Pittosporum tenuifolium</i>	Kohuhu	Fruit Feb-June. Nectar Oct-Jan
<i>Plagianthus regius</i>	Ribbonwood	For habitat
<i>Podocarpus totara</i>	Totara	Berries
<i>Pseudopanax arboreus</i>	Five Finger	Berries early spring. Fruit Feb-May
<i>Pyracantha</i> spp		Orange & red berries autumn-winter
<i>Sophora</i> 'Dragons Gold'	Kowhai	Flowers mid May-Sept
<i>Sophora microphylla</i>	South Island Kowhai	Nectar Sept-Nov
<i>Sophora tetraptera</i>	North Island Kowhai	Nectar Sept-Nov
<i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	Rowan	Red berries in May
<i>Sorbus hupehensis</i>	Rowan	Pink berries July-August
<i>Telopea</i> spp	Warratah	Flowers in October

NOTE

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Not all plant material is necessarily for flowers and berries. Plants create leaf litter that encourages insects, worms, slugs etc for feed for fantails, robins etc to feed on.

Supplementary feed for feeding birds are:

Sugar water, bird feeders (fat), fat & seed in pine cones, wild bird seed mix, fruit (stewed apples, bananas, citrus, kiwifruit), wet bread.

Eucalyptus spp - flowering times for continuity are:

Baby Blue	Flowers Sept-Nov
Coccifera	Flowers Jan-Feb
Gregsoniana	Flowers Nov-Dec
Leucoxyton 'Rosea'	Flowers May-Sept
Rodwayi	Flowers March-June
Stellulata	Flowers April-Oct
Viminalis	Flowers Jan-May
Youmanii	Flowers in winter