

FLOWERS CHRISTOPHER WILSON PLANTED IN NOVEMBER 2025

- **Linwood Beach embankment** (where FSPP took down the oriental bittersweet) — a few tight plantings, covered over with the leaf litter for protection, not staked. The plants in this area might need pruning to allow the new natives to grow
 - *Pycnanthemum muticum* (clustered mountain mint)
 - *Monarda fistulosa* (wild bergamot)
 - *Veronicastrum virginicum* (Culver's root)
- **Linwood Beach shore, very southern end**
 - *Helenium autumnale* (sneezeweed)
 - *Conoclinium coelestinum* (blue mistflower)
 - I also want to add a few American *Senna* plants, which are endangered in MA, but I need to scarify the seeds first
- **Bed 1 south end**
 - *Chasmanthium latifolium* (inland sea oats) running down the slope, one stripe peg
 - *Pycnanthemum tenuifolium* (narrow-leaved mountain mint), in front of the stump, two stripe peg
 - *Symphyotrichum novae* (New England aster), around the stump, three stripe peg
- **Bed 2 south end** — did a clustered planting in a bare area beneath the big willow tree
 - *Ratibida pinnata* (gray-headed coneflower), three stripe peg
 - *Desmodium canadense* (showy tick trefoil), two stripe peg
 - *Conoclinium coelestinum* (blue mistflower), for understory cover, one stripe peg
- **Two shoulder spaces around north beach** — didn't peg these so as not to draw attention
 - South side — very sandy construction fill
 - *Solidago sempervirens* (seaside goldenrod)
 - *Penstemon digitalis* (foxglove beardtongue), might be a stretch, but supposedly tolerates sandy soil
 - North side — misjudged the tree here, and planted seeds that might be too sun-loving for the site, but we'll see
 - *Panicum virgatum* (switchgrass), in back for structure
 - *Eupatorium hyssopifolium* (hyssop-leaved thoroughwort)

- *Penstemon digitalis* (foxglove beardtongue)
- **Open block by the ramp where the fragrant sumac didn't take** — seeded this whole space, may not have used enough seed, recovered with organic material already there, still need to stake this and put up your little fence to keep people off
 - *Vernonia noveboracensis* (New York Ironweed), in back, five stripe peg
 - *Pycnanthemum muticum* (clustered mountain mint), central main "shrub, four stripe peg
 - *Schizachyrium scoparium* (little bluestem), low clumping grasses to ward off people and provide contrast
 - *Symphiotrichum oblongifolium* (aromatic aster), low-lying, colorful accent flower
 - *Setaria parviflora* (knotroot bristlegrass), accent grass in a few spots
- **North of ramp, over wall** — very compacted, rocky ground, heavy shade, clearly a lot of people walk on this slope; trying a few experiments with what will grow here
 - *Solidago caesia* (blue-stemmed goldenrod)
 - *Symphiotrichum ontarionis* (Ontario aster)
 - *Chasmanthium latifolium* (inland sea oats), also good for erosion control, three stripe peg
- **Very far north space abutting pond**
 - This is where Christopher wants to try get ferns propagated with the spores he collected of Christmas fern (which we already have elsewhere) and some marginal wood fern. That will happen at the very end of winter. He'd love to see more ferns all over! Such a good shade plant.