

July - Garden Plant of the Month

Lots of invertebrate activity in the garden this month.



Nicotiana - popular with moths. Flowers give off a lovely scent in evening/at night.

Buddleia - also known as Butterfly Bush. Shown here with a Painted Lady butterfly.



Purple toadflax - extremely popular with bees, especially bumblebees. Shown here with a Garden Bumblebee - *Bombus hortorum*.

Lavender - much loved by honey bees

Also - fruit crops, especially raspberries and tomatoes. Bumblebees help to give you bigger crops through 'buzz pollination'.

