



Sage Advice from the Roundhouse....

Natives for POOLSIDE

The plants chosen for the poolside landscape must meet specific criteria. In addition to being beautiful, they mustn't be overly messy, nor should they be too attractive to stinging insects. A drought tolerant poolscape of mixed native plants is an appropriate way to add softness, texture and beauty to your backyard oasis. The native plants listed below, with their unique grey-green, fragrant foliage, and subtle flowers are perfect choices for the poolside landscape.

Groundcover

Arctostaphylos 'Emerald Carpet,' Manzanita
Artemisia pycnocephala "David's Choice"
Baccharis 'Twin Peaks,' Dwarf Coyote Bush
Salvia 'Tera Seca,' Black Sage

Low Shrubs

Arctostaphylos cruzensis, Manzanita
Arctostaphylos 'John Dourley', Manzanita
Arctostaphylos 'Howard McMinn', Manzanita
Rhamnus 'Little Sur', Coffeeberry
Salvia greggii, Autumn Sage

Perennials

Galvezia speciosa, Island Bush Snapdragon
Heuchera hybrids, Coral Bells
Iris douglasiana, Douglas Iris
Lobelia laxiflora, Mexican Lobelia Bush
Muhlenbergia rigens, Deergrass
Nasella species, Needlegrass
Nolina parryi, Beargrass
Oenothera, Evening Primrose
Penstemon spectabilis, Showy Penstemon
Verbena lilacina, Lilac Verbena
Zauschneria californica, California Fuschia

Large Shrubs

Artemisia tridentata, Big Basin Sagebrush
Dendromecon harfordii, Island Bush Poppy
Myrica californica, Pacific Wax Myrtle
Rhus integrifolia, Lemonadeberry
Rhus ovata, Sugarbush