# Honey Myrtle - Melaleuca thymifolia



- Small shrub (1-2 metres tall), produces beautiful purple flowers which are great for attracting native bees, butterflies and nectar eating birds.
- Low maintenance plant
- Great for shrubberies, potting or as a low growing hedge

#### Soil preference:

- Likes loamy, sandy or clay soils.

#### **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Requires little watering and can tolerate some frost and drought

# Sunlight/shade:

- Plant in sunny/lightly shaded location

# Native Daisy - Brachyscome multifida



- Ideal for growing in pots and rockeries.
- Produces beautiful purple flowers.
- Flowers all year round and is low maintenance
- Ground cover plant that is highly adaptable

#### Soil preference:

- Plant in clay, sandy or loamy soil
- Can tolerate dry, well drained and moist soil

#### **Drought/frost tolerant:**

Tolerates light frost

#### Sunlight/shade:

- Plant in Sunny/light shade/half shade location

# Yellow Buttons - Chrysocephalum apiculatum



- An evergreen ground cover with beautiful silvery grey foliage
- Lots of golden yellow button flowers through the year
- Good for massed planting, rockeries and containers

#### Soil preference:

- Loamy, sandy loam, clay loam and poor soil

# **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Drought resistant, tolerates light frost

#### Sunlight/shade:

- Sunny or light shade

# Native Sarsaparilla – Hardenbergia violacea



- A tough and low maintenance climber
- Has spectacular displays of purple flowers from spring through summer
- Great for home gardens and landscaping

#### **Soil Preference:**

- Plant in sandy, loamy or clay soil

#### **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Drought tolerant once established, not frost tolerant

#### Sunlight/shade:

- Sunny, light shade

# Gossamer Wattle – Acacia floribunda



- A fast-growing dense shrub or small tree with fine, long foliage
- Has massed displays of yellow flowers during early
- Makes an excellent screening plant or wind break

# Soil preference:

- Tolerates a range of soils including heavy clay soils

# **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Drought and frost tolerant

# Sunlight/shade:

- Full sun or partial shade

# Rosemary Grevillea – Grevillea rosmarinifolia



- A low, dense mounding shrub with scarlet flowers over an extended period
- The green prickly needle-like foliage is perfect for providing habitat for birds
- Very low maintenance plant

#### Soil preference:

- Likes loamy, sandy or clay loam soils

# **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Drought resistant and tolerates heavy frost

# Sunlight/shade:

- Sunny or light shade

# Hairpin Banksia – Banksia spinulosa



- An attractive large shrub to small tree, 1 to 3 metres tall
- Long flowering period from autumn to spring
- Great for attracting nectar eating wildlife, the spiny leaves provide shelter for other native birds

### Soil preference:

- Plant in sandy, loamy or clay soil

# **Drought/frost tolerant:**

- Drought resistant, tolerates light frost

# Sunlight/shade:

- Sunny or light shade