THE BASICS

Piedmont Arts is reimagining a portion of its grounds to create the Pollinator Path, an accessible community space for the appreciation of art and nature.

The path will feature an ADA-compliant pathway lined by native plants that promote pollination and support local wildlife and raised flower beds for an Adopt-a-Bed program. Art classes and school tours will find inspiration amongst the native flora and fauna.

With support from Harvest Foundation,
Beegins With You Foundation,
Prillaman Landscape Dimensions, the
YMCA, Virginia Museum of Natural
History, Bee City, Martinsville Garden
Club and Garden Study Club, and other
community organizations, the Project
Hope Pollinator Trail will be a source of
community pride for future generations.







Piedmont Arts

215 Starling Avenue Martinsville, VA 24112 Admission Free

Hours

Tuesday – Saturday: 10 am – 5 pm

Closed Sundays, Mondays, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day Check holiday hours at PiedmontArts.org

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Get Social









Pollinator Path

Let's Grow Together



VISION + MISSION

Native Pollinator Trail

The Pollinator Path will be ADA compliant, community focused, and surrounded by native pollinators that support local wildlife.



With help needed planting native species, maintaining the raised beds and creating artwork, there are a variety of ways for the community to play a role in building this community space.

Arts + Education

In addition to land stewardship, the path will create many opportunities for community events, arts programs, and science education programs.



STAGES



Planning

Piedmont Arts has taken great care in planning the path and selecting native plants. A community interest meeting will be held to discuss construction plans and to schedule work days.



Planting

Work days on the path will include building raised beds, tilling land, planting seeds and creating signage and artwork.

The first phase of must be completed by June 2023.



Growth

Plans are in the works to connect the Pollinator Path with the Silver Bell Trail — part of the Dick and Willie Passage — making the trail a larger part of the community and link Piedmont Arts to our Starling neighbors.



FAQS

What's the budget?

Piedmont Arts has received a \$9,000 grant from the Harvest Foundation, along with donations of time, resources and money.

How will the plants be sourced?

Plants will be provided by Prillaman Landscaping and other local plant suppliers who are dedicated to biodiversity and land stewardship.

How can I get involved?

- Donate time, resources or money
- Join the committee
- Attend project work days
- Get the word out on social media
- Anything else you can think of!