



PHILADELPHIA ORCHARD PROJECT

POPCORE 4: Orchard and Food Forest Design RESOURCES

[POP YouTube Channel](#): See various playlists including [a tour of the POP Learning Orchard](#) and orchard care by season

[PHOG](#) (Philadelphia Orchard google group): Receive POP Tips on food forest care and notices of educational opportunities via email

[POPHarvest](#): Learn more about our efforts to harvest and educate about abundant but overlooked city fruit; Join the [POPHarvest Google group](#)

[POP Blog](#): Search the POP blog by keyword/topic for a variety of in-depth resources

[POP Resource page](#): Search the POP resource page by keyword/topic for a variety of in-depth resources on recipes, plant info sheets, lesson plans and more

[Orchard Partner Stories 2020](#): Read our 2020 Orchard Stories for reflections from POP Partners on the 2020 growing season and how orchards impacted their communities

POP Land Acknowledgement:

[Community Agreement and Land Acknowledgement](#)

Creating a Basemap:

Draftscapes: [Create a Landscape Design Basemap from Googlemaps](#)

Milkwood: [Permaculture Design Process: Making a Basemap](#)

Orchard Design:

PSU: [Planning and Planting an Orchard](#)

Permaculture News: [Four Things for an Orchard](#)

Agriculture for Engineers: [Layout and Planting Methods](#)

Albemarle Ciderworks: [Starting an Apple Orchard from Scratch](#)

Food Forests and Eco-Orchards:

[Intro To Urban Eco-Orchards](#)

[Philadelphia Food Forests](#)

[NPR: Food For Thought Spotlight on Urban Food Forests featuring POP](#)

[A Trip to Hundred Fruit Farm](#)

Favorite POP Eco-Orchard Plants:

[POP Food Forest Plant List](#)

[Unusual Fruits for Philly Orchards](#)

[Food Forest Perennials for Floral Design](#)

[POP Plant Spotlight Blog Posts](#)

[POP Plant Info Sheets](#)

Pollinator Plants:

[Importance of Pollinator Gardens](#)

[Penn State Master Gardeners' Pollinator Garden Brochure Guide](#)

[POP Pollinator Blog Posts](#)

[POP Pollinator Resources & Lesson Plans](#)

Soil-Building Plants & Strategies:

[Soil-Building and Nutrient-Accumulating Plants](#)

[All Nitrogen Fixers are not Created Equal](#)

[Soil-Building: Sheetmulching](#)

[Organic Soil Amendments 101](#)

Fruit tree pollination:

[Apple Pollination Chart](#)

[European Pear Pollination Chart](#)

[Asian Pear Pollination Chart](#)

[Plum Pollination Chart](#)

Plant Sourcing:

Local:

[POP \(Phila\)](#)

[Greensgrow \(Phila\)](#)

[Primex Garden Center \(Glenside\)](#)

[Tree Authority \(Perkasie\)](#)

[Pitspone Farm \(NJ\)](#)

Mail Order:

[White Oak \(PA\)](#)

[Cummins \(NY\)](#)

[St Lawrence \(NY\)](#)

[Edible Landscaping \(VA\)](#)

[Planting Justice \(CA\)](#)

[Raintree \(WA\)](#)

[Burnt Ridge \(WA\)](#)

Planting:

[TreePhilly Planting and Care Guide](#)

Community Organizing:

[Community Organizing Toolkit](#)

Recommended books:

Creating a Forest Garden, Martin Crawford

Edible Forest Gardens, Dave Jacke & Eric Toensmeier

Gaia's Garden, Toby Hemenway

The Holistic Orchard, Michael Phillips

Growing Fruit Naturally, Lee Reich