



THE DESIGNER BED

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'DEER PROOF GARDEN'

“Is there such a thing as a Deer Proof garden? Clearly this depends on the setting and how adventurous and daring the local deer are.

It is not always either desirable or possible to have a tall fence to keep out the local deer. It is best instead to grow plants they are less likely to eat.

This garden therefore has been designed with recommended deer proof plants in mind. It has a focal point of Ribes King Edward VII underplanted with colourful Primulas.

This central area is linked to three separate obelisks which add height and are planted with deer proof climbers, Lonicera, Kerria and Clematis. The terracotta pots add a different element to the design as well as highlighting individual plants of two Phormiums and a Cornus.

Shrubs provide evergreen structure and symmetry and the barked area is underplanted with a variety of recommended deer proof plants, all chosen for their different heights and textures.”

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THE PLANTING LIST

SHRUBS

Choisy ternata (Mexican Orange Blossom)

Cornus sanguinea 'Anny's Winter Orange' (Dogwood)

Cytisus x praecox 'Apricot Gem' (Broom)

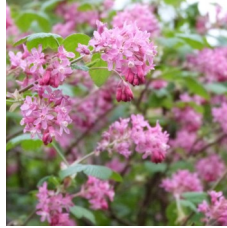
Cytisus x boskoopii 'La Coquette' (Broom)

Kerria japonica 'Pleniflora'

Phormium 'Red Sensation'

Phormium 'Yellow Wave'

Ribes 'King Edward VII' (Flowering Currant)



CLIMBERS

Clematis montana 'Pink Perfection'

Lonicera periclymenum 'Graham Thomas' (Honeysuckle)

SEASONAL

Primula various (Polyanthus)

Primula 'Cottage Cream' (Primrose)



PERENNIALS

Ajuga reptans 'Braunherz' (Bugle)

Ajuga reptans 'Burgundy Glow' (Bugle)

Euphorbia characias wulfenii

Euphorbia characias 'Glacier Blue'

Monarda 'Cambridge Scarlet' (Bee Balm)

Monarda 'Prairienacht' (Bee Balm)

Nepeta x faassenii 'Kit Kat' (Catmint)

Pulmonaria 'Silver Bouquet'

Thalictrum flavum supsp glaucum (Meadow Rue)

Vinca minor 'Elisa' (Lesser Periwinkle)

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