Edible Wild Plants in Eastern Kansas

Made for Prairiewood & UFM in collaboration with Sue Maes & Terry Olson

Prairiewood Open Trail Days are Sundays 4-8pm 1484 Wildcat Creek Rd. Manhattan, KS 66503

Best Harvested in March - May



Lamb's Quarter Edible: Young Leaves



Wavy-leaf Thistle*
Edible: Young Leaves



Chickweed* Edible: Leaves



Cleavers*
Edible: Leaves



Curly Dock*
Edible: Young Leaves



Dandelion* Edible: Leaves, flowers



Garlic Mustard* Edible: Leaves



Plantain* Edible: Young Leaves



Prairie Spiderwort*
Edible: Young Shoots



Wild Violet*
Edible: Flowers



Watercress* Edible: Young Leaves



Prairie Parsley*
Edible: Flowers, leaves



Antelope Horn Edible: Early pods



Wood Sorrel*
Edible: Flowers

Best Harvested in June



Wild Strawberry* Edible: Fruit



Juniper/Red Cedar Edible: Berries



New Jersey Tea Edible: Leaves for tea



Wild Onion Edible: Leaves, flowers, bulbs



Ground Plum Edible: Fruit



Wild Camomile Edible: Flowers for tea



Mullein Edible: Leaves, flowers for tea. Medicinal treatment for wounds



Echinacea* Edible: Leaves, flowers for tea



Bee Balm/Bergamot* Edible: Leaves, flowers for tea



Gooseberry* Edible: Fruit



Joe Pye Weed* Edible: Leaves, flowers for tea



Mulberry* Edible: Fruit



Prickly Pear Cactus* Edible: Fruit, pads



Red Clover*
Edible: Flowers



Breadroot Scurf Pea* Edible: Roots

Best Harvested in July - September



Prairie RoseEdible: Rosehips for tea



Wild Plum Edible: Fruit



Sumac Edible: Seeds for tea



Wild Blackberry* Edible: Fruit



Burdock*
Edible: Leaves



Elderberry* Edible: Fruit



Hackberry* Edible: Fruit



Jerusalem Artichoke* Edible: Roots



Paw Paw* Edible: Fruit



Wild Raspberry* Edible: Fruit



Wild Grape* Edible: Fruit