

# Membership

# Member Benefits

# MONTANA NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY



Yellow Lady's-slipper (*Cypripedium parviflorum*)

“...to preserve, conserve, and study Montana's native plants and plant communities.”

Join online at [mtnativeplants.org](http://mtnativeplants.org) or complete the form below:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_





Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

- Individual — \$30
- Family — \$50
- Business/Organization — \$75
- Living Lightly/Student — \$20
- Lifetime (Individual Only) — \$1000 (one-time payment)
- Paper *Kelsey*a Fee\* — \$10

\*Add \$10 if you wish to receive a paper copy of our newsletter, *Kelsey*a, otherwise, a digital version will be delivered via email.

An additional donation to MNPS helps support conservation action, educational programs, and botanical research. Donors will receive acknowledgement of their contribution in the spring issue of *Kelsey*a. You can select from the following giving categories:

-   *Kelsey*a — \$50
-   Bitterroot — \$100
-   Lupine — \$250
-   Ponderosa Pine — \$1000
- Other— \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to:  
Montana Native Plant Society  
PO Box 8783, Missoula, MT 59807-8783

- Check if you wish your donation to be anonymous
- Check if you wish to be contacted for volunteer opportunities

- ☼ Learn about Montana's native plants and plant communities through chapter presentations, workshops, and field trips led by friendly, knowledgeable people.
- ☼ Receive the quarterly newsletter *Kelsey*a containing articles on the biology, natural history, and cultivation of native plants. Read about conservation actions taken by MNPS.
- ☼ Participate in annual membership meetings held at various locations around the state with workshops, field trips, and informative speakers.
- ☼ Become part of a network of native plant lovers and enthusiasts across the state.



Members are welcome to affiliate with any chapter. Please select your chapter affiliation:

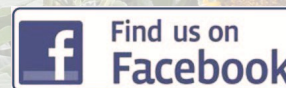
- Artemisia** (Yellowstone, Golden Valley, Musselshell, Rosebud, Treasure, Big Horn, Carbon, & Stillwater Counties)
- Calypso** (Beaverhead, Deer Lodge, Silver Bow, & parts of Jefferson and Madison Counties)
- Clark Fork** (Granite, Mineral, Missoula, Powell, Ravalli, & parts of Lake Counties)
- Flathead** (Flathead, northern Lake, and northeast Lincoln Counties)
- Kelsey** (Lewis & Clark, Cascade, Pondera, Teton, Chouteau, Judith Basin, Meagher, Broadwater, & parts of Jefferson and Powell Counties)
- Maka Flora** (Richland, Roosevelt, McCone, Sheridan, Daniels, Dawson, Prairie, Wibaux, Custer, Fallon, Powder River, & Carter Counties)
- Valley of Flowers** (Gallatin, Park, Sweet Grass, & parts of Madison Counties)
- Eastern-at-Large** (Glacier, Toole, Liberty, Hill, Blaine, Phillips, Valley, Garfield, Petroleum, Fergus, & Wheatland Counties)
- Western-at-Large** (Sanders & parts of Lincoln Counties)

Membership in MNPS is on an annual basis, March 1<sup>st</sup> to February 28<sup>th</sup>. Memberships processed before November 1<sup>st</sup> will expire the following February 28<sup>th</sup>. Memberships processed after October 31<sup>st</sup> will expire February 28<sup>th</sup> of the year after.

# About the Montana Native Plant Society

- ☼ The goals of the Montana Native Plant Society are to preserve, conserve, and study the native plants and plant communities of Montana and inform the public about the value of native flora.
- ☼ MNPS addresses native plant related issues and topics in plant conservation, research, education, and landscaping.
- ☼ MNPS is a volunteer non-profit organization chartered in 1987. Today we have more than 900 members. Membership is open to individuals, families, businesses, and organizations within and outside Montana.
- ☼ Members can affiliate themselves with a local chapter or become an Eastern or Western member-at-large.

Visit us at [mtnativeplants.org](http://mtnativeplants.org) for scheduled field trips, information on landscaping with native plants, and past issues of our newsletter, *Kelseya*.



## Our Mission in Action The Montana Native Plant Society...

- ☼ Provides funding for projects that further the understanding and conservation of native plants
- ☼ Works independently and with other conservation groups to advocate for plant conservation on public lands
- ☼ Supports and encourages native plant conservation and restoration on private lands
- ☼ Sponsors conferences to help inform land managers and the public about conserving biological diversity
- ☼ Compiles information on threatened plant species and specific geographic areas of conservation value
- ☼ Offers resources for landscaping with native plants and holds native plant sales



Skunkcabbage (*Lysichiton americanus*)

Pincushion Cactus (*Coryphantha missouriensis*)