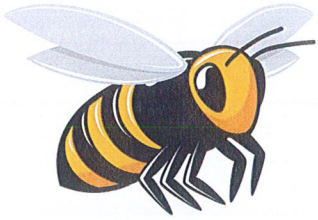


NO MOW MAY

FOR OUR THREATENED POLLINATORS
Flowers/Bees/Butterflies

Brookfield Conservation
Commission Project!



Letting flowers bloom on your lawn in the month of May provides a vital source of nectar for bees & other insects. 80% of all flowering plants are pollinated by insects.

In May the early flowers are so important to them. Dandelions, Clover and Bee Balm all help the insects until more flowers bloom. They are beneficial plants that attract bees & butterflies!



***Section off a piece of your lawn for the month of May, don't mow it!
Build a Scaremow and post it on social media to help our pollinators!***

**Create a
Scaremow**



No Mow May!!

Making a Scaremow for your garden is a fun way of getting your kids involved with "No Mow May" and spreading the word to your neighbors. You can construct yours with plant pots, old clothes and other things you might have laying around the house.

Google "Make a Scaremow" for inspiration.

Be sure to post your Scaremow to social media including Brookfield CT Business & Happenings, and send a picture to our Conservation Commission using Brookfield Town Hall's website: brookfieldct.gov

Remember "Don't mow and they will come!"

Pick up your "No Mow May" yard sign at our Earth Day Celebration, April 24, 2021 @ 2 pm – Gurski Farm – 26 Obtuse Hill Road or contact Cheryl at cdepoi@yahoo.com or Julie at blickjulie@att.net to arrange for pickup.

Any questions? Contact the Conservation Commission through the town website.