

Viburnum x burkwoodii

Viburnum x burkwoodii is an evergreen shrub in the Adoxaceae family.

It is a cross between *V. carlesii* and *V. utile* grown for it's strongly scented flowers.

The name Burkwoodii refers to the 19th century hybridisers, Arthur and Albert Burkwood.

Growing to 2.5 m tall and broad with glossy dark green oval leaves on branching stiff stems which colour up during Autumn.

The sweetly scented flowers arrive in spring followed by red fruits ripening to black.

Burkwoodii is very hardy and requires only moderate pruning and is suitable for oriental garden designs as well as informal screens, pots, large planters, and borders.



Family: Adoxaceae

Genus: *Viburnum*

Species: *Viburnum x burkwoodii* cross between *V. carlesii* and *V. utile*

Common name: Burkwood Viburnum

Origin: Garden origin

Location in GBG: In two places in the 19th Century Garden (see map).

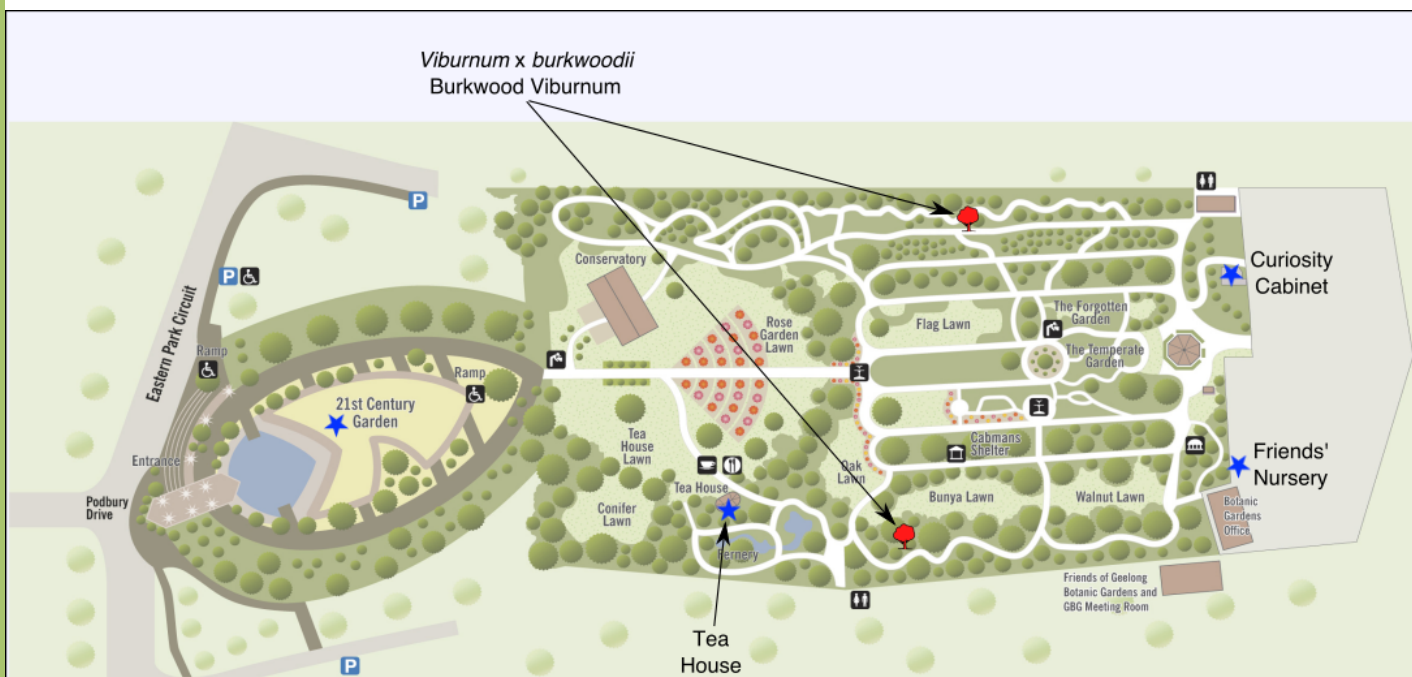
Time of flowering: Spring.

Meanings of its name:

burkwoodii for the hybridisers, Arthur and Albert Burkwood.

Reference

Wikipedia article on *Viburnum x burkwoodii*, en.wikipedia.org



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