Artist in Residence Material List Second Notice:

The Garden Club is ready to accept your donations! Drop off begins Tuesday, April 4, 2:30-3:30 out back in the garden area. Please call Jess Willard or Judy Keefe and let them know what and when you will be dropping materials off. THANK-YOU!

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with

Artist in Residence Cynthia Robinson

Cynthia Robinson will be here in May working with the Readiness, first and second grade students in our Natural Playground. Cynthia has presented us with a material list with the hopes that we can collect these materials and have them available for the residency, which begins on May 4. Donations can be dropped off in the garden area behind the school from 2:30-3:30 on the following Tuesdays: April 4, April 11 and April 18. The Garden Club students will be there to accept your donations. Please call and let the school know when you are dropping off materials. If these times do not work for you or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call less Willard at 487-2211 ext. 319 or Judy Keefe at 487-2211 ext. 346.

Thank you in advance for your support of the arts at New Boston Central School. We will be sending out a schedule of the dates and times the artist will be working with the classes if you think you may be able to volunteer during the residency.

List of Materials

All materials should be dry

These materials will stay in the space, so they should not be "favorite" or "special" items that children will want back

Cones

Pine cones Hemlock cones

Rocks

Small rocks (maximum 2 inches wide)

Small flat rocks for red thread trail idea- one per participating student-maximum 3 inches wide

Found on/near dead trees- please do not take off live trees!

Birch bark Hemlock bark Small sticks- no longer than 1 foot

Misc.

Acorns
Sunflower seeds
Pine needles
Small stumps
Dried grasses
Dried flowers
Shells

Small roots

Leaves- variety

Through specific donors:

Live plants in soil in container
Baby trees
Small bushes
Flower seeds
Soil
Large stumps
Moss

Perennials – drought resistant and part shade, some examples include: Yarrow, hosta, grasses (sedges and ornamental), baptisia, iris, allium, coneflowers, sedum, liatris, geranium sanguineum, asters, coreopsis, rudbeckia, salvia.