This Week in the Whittier Pollinator Garden

Week of June 5th, 2017

A snapshot of what's happening in the garden this week.

A Project of the Whittier Eco-Ambassadors

The Monarchs have arrived. Students observed what appears to be a monarch egg on the underside of a milkweed leaf. A wide variety of insects feed on milkweed and goldenrod. Evening Primrose (Oenothera Fruticosa) puts on a show. And monarchs can be seen fluttering around the garden.



Second graders found a butterfly in the garden.



Our last week for lovely irises in bloom.



Many insect species are feeding in the garden, including this one. What kind of bug could this be?



Common Milkweed, <u>Asclepias Syriaca</u>, plays host to many tiny eggs.



More insects! This black one lunching on Goldenrod. What species could it be??? Do you know? Let us know!



And on the underside of the milkweed leaf, a tiny white egg. Monarch????



Evening Primrose, <u>oenothera fruticosa</u>