

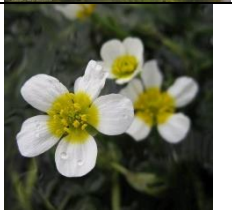
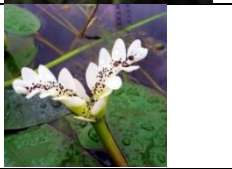



**Wild about Wildfowl – Water plant list June 2019**

Spike Water Milfoil – <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	Oxygenator	Oxygenators oxygenate the water, remove nitrates and provide a habitat for fish fry, dragon fly larva and other aquatic creatures.	
Water Starwort – <i>Callitriche stagnalis</i>	Oxygenator	When courting, male Great Crested Grebe present gifts of oxygenating plants to the female.	
Water Crowfoot - <i>Renunculus aquatilis</i>	Emergent	Emergent plants grow in shallow water and on pond banks. They are important for dragon flies and damsel flies.	
Water Hawthorn – <i>Aponogeton distachyos</i>	Floating	Scented blooms. Blooms for several months	
Frogbit – <i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i>	Floating	May not do well as it prefers chalky water	
Brooklime – <i>Veronica beccabunga</i>	Marginal	The Brooklime is a creeping edging plant. Dragonfly use the plant as an egg laying site; its larvae use the stems to climb out of the water. It is a hardy plant that is native to Europe.	