Showy Milkweed
*Asclepias speciosa*

Photographer: Dalene LaMont

- **Plant Type:** Perennial
- **Flower Color:** Pink
- **Flowering Time:** June to August
- **Height:** 2-4 feet
- **Width:** feet
- **Exposure:** Sun-part shade
- **Water Req.:** Dry - no water once established, unless severe drought
- **Habitat Value:** Monarch Butterfly

**Comments and Maintenance:**
Spreads by underground shoots. Is host to Monarch butterflies as well as many other colorful insects.