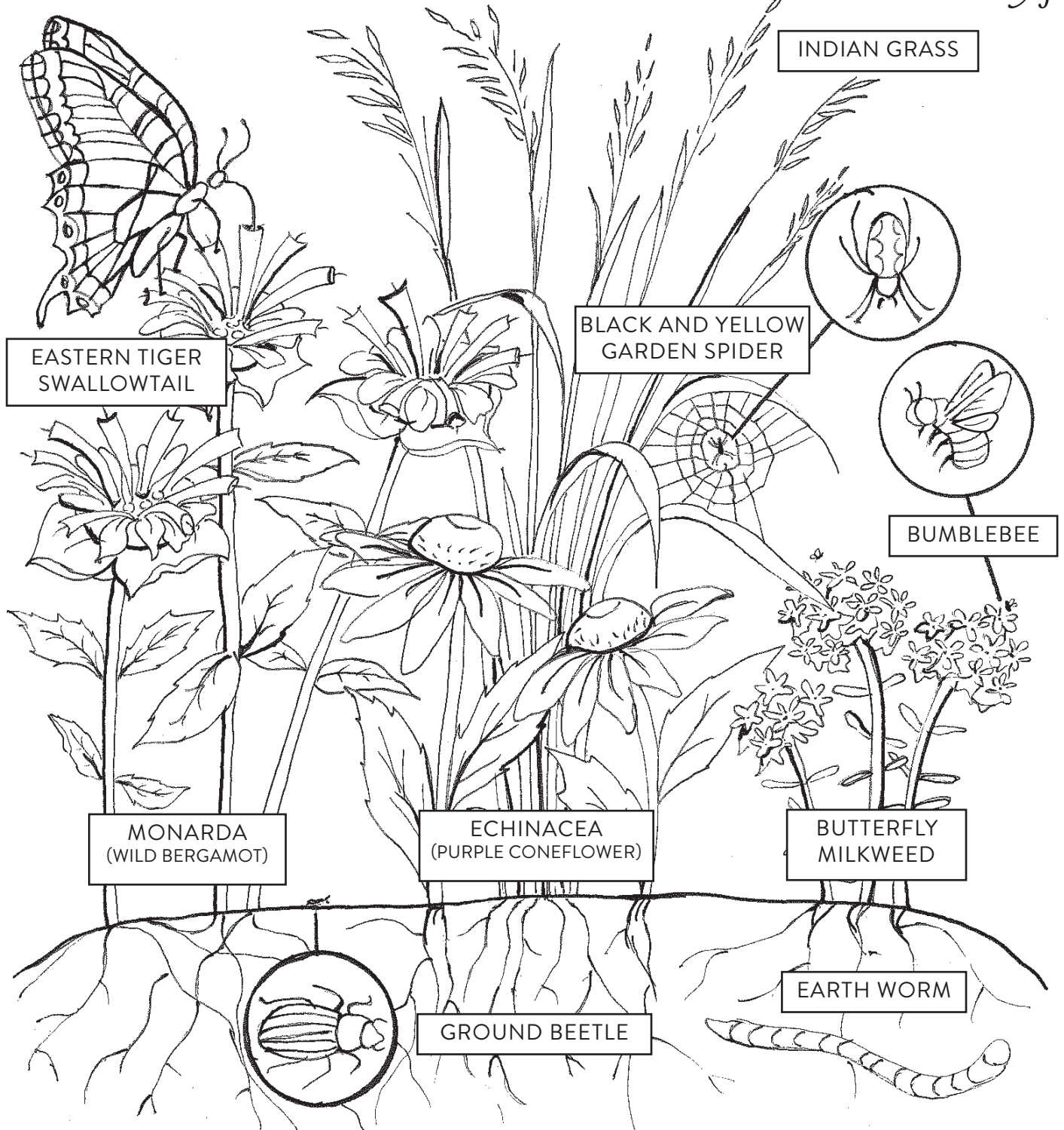


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# BEETLE BANK

*at hawthorne valley farm*



A beetle bank is an elevated bed in a vegetable field which is planted with native perennial grasses and wildflowers. It serves as a habitat for predatory ground beetles and other insects, which provide natural pest control in the vegetable beds. We'd love to share your completed coloring page! **Please send a photo of your colorful Beetle Bank to [info@hawthornevalley.org](mailto:info@hawthornevalley.org)** and we will share it on our Instagram @hawthornevalley.