## **Weeds & Clubroot**

Weeds can serve as a host for Clubroot. Infected weeds will contribute to the life cycle of the pathogen and produce new resting spores. Below are the most common weed species of the prairies in which clubroot can be present. Control of these weeds is critical in order to reduce disease risk.



**Brassica kaber**Wild Mustard



**Thlaspi arvense**Stinkweed, Penny cress, Frenchweed



**Descurainia sophia**Flixweed, Tansy mustard



Capsella bursa-pastoris
Shepherd's Purse

Other weeds species that are susceptible to clubroot include: perennial rye grass, horseradish, white mustard, western wallflower, pepperwort, marsh cress, creeping yellow cress, false flax, camelina, tumbling mustard, and hedge mustard.