

## Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge, East Entrance

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Ixia and Sea Oat Chapters – Florida Native Plant Society

Suwannee Canal to Chesser Prairie – Guided Boat Ride (access limited due to very low water)  
 Swamp Island Drive to Chesser Island-Boardwalk-Owls Roost Tower – dirve/hike

Plants Casually Observed/Identified:

Family	Scientific Name	Common Name
Aceraceae	<i>Acer rubrum L.</i>	Red Maple
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex cassine L.</i>	Dahoon
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex glabra (L.) A. Gray</i>	Bitter Gallberry
Araceae	<i>Orontium aquaticum L.</i>	Gloden Club, Neverwet
Araceae	<i>Peltandra sagittifolia (Mich.)Mor</i>	White Arrow Arum, Spoonflower
Arecaceae	<i>Sabal palmetto (Walt.) Lodd.ex.</i>	Cabbage Palm
Arecaceae	<i>Serenoa repens (W. Bartram)Sm</i>	Saw Palmetto
Asteraceae	<i>Baccharis halimifolia L.</i>	Groundsel Tree
Asteraceae	<i>Bidens mitis (Michx.) Sherff</i>	Small Fruit Begger Ticks
Asteraceae	<i>Carphephorus corymbosus (Nutt.)</i>	Coastal Plain Chaffhead
Asteraceae	<i>Conoclinium coelestinum L.</i>	Blue Mistflower
Asteraceae	<i>Eupatorium capillifolium (Lam)</i>	Dogfennel
Asteraceae	<i>Helenium amarum (Raf.) H. Rock</i>	Spanish Daisy
Asteraceae	<i>Mikania scandens (L.) Wild.</i>	Climbing Hempvine
Asteraceae	<i>Pityopsis graminifolia (Michz.) Nutt</i>	Narrowleaf Silkgrass
Asteraceae	<i>Pluchea rosea R.K. Godfrey</i>	Rosy Camphorweed
Blechnaceae	<i>Woodwardia virginica (L.) Sm.</i>	Virginia Chain Fern
Bromeliaceae	<i>Tillandsia usneoides (L.)</i>	Spanish Moss
Caprifoliaceae	<i>Sambucus nigra (L.)</i>	Elderberry
Cornaceae	<i>Nyssa sylvatica biflora Walt.</i>	Swamp Tupelo, Blackgum
Cyrillaceae	<i>Cyrilla racemiflora L.</i>	Titi, Swamp Cyrilla
Ericaceae	<i>Leucothoe racemosa (L.)</i>	Swamp Doghobble, Fetterbush
Ericaceae	<i>Lyonia ligustrina (L.) DC.</i>	Maleberry
Ericaceae	<i>Lyonia lucida (Lam.) K. Koch</i>	Fetterbush, Hurrah Bush
Ericaceae	<i>Pieris phillyreifolius (Hook.) Small</i>	Fetterbush (vine)*
Ericaceae	<i>Vaccinium myrsinites Lam.</i>	Shinny Blueberry
Eriocaulaceae	<i>Eriocaulon spp.</i>	Pipewort, Hatpins
Eriocaulaceae	<i>Lachnocaulon spp.</i>	Bogbutton

Fagaceae	<i>Quercus laurifolia</i> Michx.	Swamp Laure Oak
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus nigra</i> L.	Water Oak
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus virginiana</i> Mill.	Live Oak
Iridaceae	<i>Iris hexagona</i> Walter.	Prarie Iris, Dixie Iris
Lauraceae	<i>Persea borbonia</i> (L.) Spreng.	Red Bay
Lentibulariaceae	<i>Pinguicula</i> spp.	Butterworts
Lentibulariaceae	<i>Utricularia</i> spp.	Bladderworts
Lythraceae	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i> (L.) Ell.	Swamp Loosestrife
Nymphaeaceae	<i>Nuphar lutea</i> (L.)	Spatterdock, Yellow Pondlilly
Nymphaeaceae	<i>Nymphaea odorata</i> Sol.	American White Waterlilly
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus elliottii</i> Engelm.	Slash Pine
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus palustris</i> Mill.	Longleaf Pine
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus serotina</i> Michx.	Pond Pine
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus taeda</i> L.	Loblolly Pine
Poaceae	<i>Andropogon</i> spp.	Broomsedges
Poaceae	<i>Aristida</i> spp.	Threeawn, Wiregrass
Poaceae	<i>Arundinaria gigantea</i> (Walt.)Walt. EX Muhl.	Giant Cane
Poaceae	<i>Panicum hemitomom</i> Schultes	Maidencane
Poaceae	<i>Phyllostachys aurea</i> Carriere ex C. Riviee	Yellow Bamboo, Golden Bamboo
Poaceae	<i>Sacciolepis indica</i> (L.) Chase.	India Cupscale
Salicaceae	<i>Salix</i> spp.	Willow (Carolina/Black)
Sarraceniaceae	<i>Sarracenia minor</i> Walt.	Hooded Pitcher Plant
Sarraceniaceae	<i>Sarracenia pisttancina</i> Michx.	Parrot Pitcher Plant
Saururaceae	<i>Saururus cernuus</i> L.	Lizard's Tail, Water Dragon
Smilacaceae	<i>Smilax laurifolia</i> L.	Bamboo Vine; Laurel Greenbriar
Sphagnaceae	<i>Sphagnum</i> L.	Shpagnum Moss
Taxodiaceae	<i>Taxodium ascendens nutans</i> (Ait.) Sweet.	Pond Cypress**
Xyridaceae	<i>Xyris</i> spp.	Yelloweyed Grass (various spp.)

\**P. phillyreifolius* not listed in App. IV (Plant List) ONWR Comprehensive Management Plan

\*\**T. ascendens nutans* considered by some authorities to be adaptive form of *T. distichum*

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