

Don Robinson S.P. – Sandstone Trail

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NOTE: this is NOT a species list of the entire Sandstone Trail. This is a special list of the flowering (and fruiting) plants we found along the beautifully floriferous *paved* trail, including the parking and patio areas.

	BOTANICAL NAME (with genus pronunciation)	FAMILY [CC] = Coefficient of Conservatism	COMMON NAME ☼ = Flowering / 🍇 = Fruiting
☐	<i>Amorpha canescens</i> (a-MOR-fuh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC8]	Leadplant ☼
☐	<i>Apocynum cannabinum</i> (uh-POSS-i-num)	Apocynaceae [CC3]	Dogbane ☼
☐	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae [CC5]	Butterflyweed ☼
☐	<i>Asclepias verticillata</i> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae [CC2]	Whorled Milkweed ☼
☐	<i>Asclepias viridiflora</i> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae [CC7]	Green Flower Milkweed ☼
☐	<i>Asclepias viridis</i> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae [CC5]	Green Milkweed / Antelopehorn 🍇
☐	<i>Astragalus canadensis</i> (uh-STRAGG-uh-luss)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC6]	Canada Milkvetch ☼
☐	<i>Baptisia leucophaea</i> (bap-TIZZ-ee-uh)	Fabaceae [CC7]	Cream Wild Indigo 🍇
☐	<i>Boehmeria cylindrica</i> (bo-MEER-ee-uh)	Urticaceae [CC4]	False Nettle ☼
☐	<i>Bromus commutatus</i> (BRO-mus)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [introduced]	Meadow Brome / Hairy Chess 🍇
☐	<i>Bromus inermis</i> (BRO-mus)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [introduced]	Smooth Brome 🍇
☐	<i>Bromus japonicus</i> (BRO-mus)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [introduced]	Japanese Brome 🍇
☐	<i>Calystegia sepium</i> (kal-leh-STEE-jee-uh)	Convolvulaceae [CC1]	Hedge Bindweed ☼
☐	<i>Carex frankii</i> (CARE-x)	Cyperaceae [CC2]	Frank's Sedge ☼
☐	<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i> (kor-ee-OPP-sis)	Asteraceae (Coreopsidae tribe) [CC5]	Lanceleaf Coreopsis ☼
☐	<i>Coreopsis palmata</i> (kor-ee-OPP-sis)	Asteraceae (Coreopsidae tribe) [CC7]	Stiff Coreopsis ☼
☐	<i>Dactylis glomerata</i> (DACK-till-iss)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [introduced]	Orchardgrass 🍇
☐	<i>Dalea candida</i> (DAY-lee-uh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC8]	White Prairie Clover ☼
☐	<i>Dalea purpurea</i> (DAY-lee-uh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC8]	Purple Prairie Clover ☼
☐	<i>Daucus carota</i> (DOW-kuss)	Apiaceae [introduced]	Wild Carrot / Queen Anne's Lace ☼
☐	<i>Echinacea simulata</i> (ek-in-NAY-shuh)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC7]	Glade Coneflower (yellow pollen) ☼
☐	<i>Elymus glabriflorus</i> (ELL-uh-muss)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [CC4]	Southeastern Wild Rye ☼ (bud)
☐	<i>Elymus hystrix</i> (ELL-uh-muss)	Poaceae (Pooideae subfamily) [CC4]	Bottlebrush Wild Rye ☼
☐	<i>Erigeron strigosus</i> (er-RIJ-er-on)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC3]	Daisy Fleabane ☼
☐	<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i> (er-RIN-jee-um)	Apiaceae (Apiioideae subfamily) [CC8]	Rattlesnake Master ☼ (bud)
☐	<i>Euphorbia corollata</i> (yoo-FOR-bee-uh)	Euphorbiaceae [CC3]	Flowering Spurge ☼
☐	<i>Galium concinnum</i> (GAY-lee-um)	Rubiaceae [CC4]	Shining Bedstraw ☼

☐	<i>Geranium carolinianum</i> (jr-RAY-nee-um)	Geraniaceae [CC0]	Carolina Geranium 🌱
☐	<i>Glandularia canadensis</i> (gland-yoo-LAYR-ee-uh)	Verbenaceae [CC5]	Rose Verbena 🌸
☐	<i>Helianthus hirsutus</i> (hee-lee-ANN-thus)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC4]	Hairy Sunflower 🌸 (developing bud)
☐	<i>Hyloidesmum glutinosum</i> (hy-lo-DEZZ-mum)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC3]	Pointed-Leaf Tick Trefoil 🌸
☐	<i>Hypericum sphaerocarpum</i> (hy-PAYR-i-kum)	Hypericaceae [CC5]	Round-Fruited St. John's Wort 🌸
☐	<i>Ipomoea purpurea</i> (eye-po-MEE-uh)	Convolvulaceae [garden]	Common Morning Glory 🌸
☐	<i>Iris domestica</i> (EYE-riss)	Iridaceae [introduced]	Blackberry Lily 🌱
☐	<i>Leucanthemum vulgare</i> (loo-KANN-thuh-mum)	Asteraceae (Anthemideae tribe) [introduced]	Oxeye Daisy 🌸
☐	<i>Lysimachia lanceolata</i> (ly-seh-MAH-kee-uh)	Primulaceae (Ericales) [CC4]	Lanceleaf Loosestrife 🌸
☐	<i>Medicago lupulina</i> (med-ih-KAY-go)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [introduced]	Black Medick 🌸
☐	<i>Melilotus albus</i> (mell-ih-LOH-tuss)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [introduced]	White Sweetclover 🌸
☐	<i>Monarda bradburiana</i> (mo-NARR-duh)	Lamiaceae [CC5]	Bradbury's Beebalm 🌱
☐	<i>Orbexilum onobrychis</i> (or-BEX-ill-um)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC7]	French Grass 🌸
☐	<i>Oxalis stricta</i> (oks-AL-iss)	Oxalidaceae [CC0]	Upright Yellow Wood-Sorrel 🌸
☐	<i>Parthenium integrifolium</i> (par-THEEN-ee-um)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC6]	Wild Quinine 🌸
☐	<i>Pedimelum tenuiflorum</i> (ped-ee-o-MEE-lum)	Fabaceae [CC8]	Scurfy Pea 🌸
☐	<i>Persicaria longiseta</i> (pr-seh-KAYR-ee-uh)	Polygonaceae [introduced]	Long-Bristled Smartweed 🌸
☐	<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> (plan-TAY-go)	Plantaginaceae [introduced]	English Plantain 🌸
☐	<i>Plantago rugelii</i> (plan-TAY-go)	Plantaginaceae [CC0]	Rugel's Plantain 🌸 (buds)
☐	<i>Prunella vulgaris</i> (pru-NELL-uh)	Lamiaceae (Nepetoideae subfamily) [CC1]	Self-Heal 🌸
☐	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i> (ruh-TIBB-i-duh)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC4]	Gray-Headed Coneflower 🌸
☐	<i>Rhus glabra</i> (ROOS)	Anacardiaceae [CC1]	Smooth Sumac 🌱
☐	<i>Rosa carolina</i> (RO-zuh)	Rosaceae [CC4]	Carolina Rose 🌱
☐	<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i> (ROO-bus)	Rosaceae [CC4]	Common Blackberry 🌱
☐	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> (rood-BECK-ee-uh)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC1]	Black-Eyed-Susan 🌸
☐	<i>Ruellia humilis</i> (roo-ELL-ee-uh)	Acanthaceae [CC3]	Hairy Wild Petunia 🌸
☐	<i>Rumex crispus</i> (ROO-mex)	Polygonaceae [introduced]	Curly Dock 🌱 (developing)
☐	<i>Sanicula canadensis</i> (suh-NICK-yoo-luh)	Apiaceae [CC3]	Black Snakeroot 🌱
☐	<i>Sanicula odorata</i> (suh-NICK-yoo-luh)	Apiaceae [CC2]	Clustered Black Snakeroot 🌱
☐	<i>Scirpus pendulus</i> (SKR-pus)	Cyperaceae [CC5]	Nodding Bulrush 🌱
☐	<i>Scutellaria ovata</i> (skoo-teh-LAYR-ee-uh)	Lamiaceae [CC5]	Heartleaf Skullcap 🌸
☐	<i>Silphium integrifolium</i> (SILL-fee-um)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC4]	Rosinweed 🌸 (bud developing)
☐	<i>Solanum carolinense</i> (so-LAY-num)	Solanaceae [CC0]	Carolina Horsenettle / Evil Tomato 🌸

☐	<i>Taenidia integerrima</i> (teh-NIDD-ee-uh)	Apiaceae [CC6]	Yellow Pimpernel 🌱
☐	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i> (tar-AX-uh-kum)	Asteraceae (Cichorieae tribe) [introduced]	Dandelion 🌼
☐	<i>Teucrium canadense</i> (TOO-kree-um)	Lamiaceae (Ajugoideae subfamily) [CC2]	Germander 🌼
☐	<i>Torilis arvensis</i> (tor-RILL-iss)	Apiaceae [introduced]	Hedge Parsley 🌼
☐	<i>Tragopogon dubius</i> (truh-GOPP-o-gonn)	Asteraceae (Cichorieae tribe) [introduced]	Yellow Salsify (SAL-sih-fee) 🌼
☐	<i>Trifolium repens</i> (try-FOH-lee-um)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [introduced]	White Clover 🌼
☐	<i>Verbascum blattaria</i> (vr-BASS-kum)	Scrophulariaceae [introduced]	Moth Mullein 🌼
☐	<i>Verbesina helianthoides</i> (vr-beh-SEE-nuh)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC5]	Yellow Crownbeard 🌼
☐	<i>Vernonia missurica</i> (vr-NO-nee-uh)	Asteraceae (Vernonieae tribe) [CC5]	Missouri Ironweed 🌼 (buds)

NOTES

(This is another “trying-to-catch-up” week, so there are no notes or descriptions of our Monday adventure. Hopefully by Fall we’ll be caught-up and able to resume providing more than just lists of species and participants.)

PHOTOS: Kathy Bildner has shared some beautiful photos of our walk. You can find them on our Google Drive [HERE](#).

PARTICIPANTS:

There were 19 of us botanists today, who are (in alphabetical order):

Kathy Bildner, Steve Bizub, Jerry Castillon, Wayne Clark, Christine Ellis, Ann Esswein, Karen Gabbert, HD Key, Michael Laschober, Ted MacRae, Burt Noll, John Oliver, David Steinmeyer, Rich Thoma, Mark and Deb Tolcou, George Van Brunt, plus two visiting staff members Tommy and Kyle.