

# Victoria Glades (Nature Conservancy Side)

October 6, 2025

	BOTANICAL NAME (with genus pronunciation)	FAMILY [CC] = <a href="#">Coefficient of Conservatism</a>	COMMON NAME ☼ = Flowering / 🍂 = Fruiting
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Agalinis skinneriana</i></a> (agg-uh-LY-niss)	Orobanchaceae (Lamiales) [CC7]	Pale Agalinis ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Allium stellatum</i></a> (AL-ee-um)	Amaryllidaceae [CC6]	Autumn Onion ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Amorpha canescens</i></a> (a-MOR-fuh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC8]	Leadplant
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Asclepias verticillata</i></a> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae (Gentianales) [CC2]	Whorled Milkweed 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Asclepias viridiflora</i></a> (uh-SKLEE-pee-us)	Apocynaceae (Gentianales) [CC7]	Green Flower Milkweed 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i></a> (boo-tuh-LOO-uh)	Poaceae (Chloridoideae subfamily) [CC7]	Sideoats Grama 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Buchnera americana</i></a> (book-NEER-uh)	Orobanchaceae (Lamiales) [CC10]	Bluehearts ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Clematis fremontii</i></a> (kleh-MATT-iss)	Ranunculaceae [CC10]	Fremont's Leatherflower 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Cornus florida</i></a> ( <i>Benthamidia florida</i> ) (KOR-nuss)	Cornaceae [CC5]	Flowering Dogwood 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Cornus obliqua</i></a> (KOR-nuss)	Cornaceae [CC5]	Blue-Fruited Dogwood
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Croton capitatus</i></a> (KROE-ton)	Euphorbiaceae (Malpighiales) [CC0]	Woolly Croton / Hogwort 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Croton monanthogynus</i></a> (KROH-ton)	Euphorbiaceae (Malpighiales) [CC2]	Prairie Tea / One-Seed Croton 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Dalea purpurea</i></a> (DAY-lee-uh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC8]	Purple Prairie Clover 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Eupatorium altissimum</i></a> (yoo-puh-TOR-ee-um)	Asteraceae (Eupatorieae tribe) [CC3]	Tall Boneset 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Euphorbia corollata</i></a> (yoo-FOR-bee-uh)	Euphorbiaceae (Malpighiales) [CC3]	Flowering Spurge ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Frangula caroliniana</i></a> (FRANG-goo-luh)	Rhamnaceae [CC6]	Carolina Buckthorn / Indian Cherry 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Gentiana puberulenta</i></a> (jen-chee-AY-nuh)	Gentianaceae [CC9]	Downy Gentian ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Helenium autumnale</i></a> (heh-LEE-nee-um)	Asteraceae (Helenieae tribe) [CC5]	Autumn Sneezeweed ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Hypericum sphaerocarpum</i></a> (hy-PAYR-i-kum)	Hypericaceae [CC5]	Round-Fruited St. John's Wort 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Liatris cylindracea</i></a> (ly-AY-triss)	Asteraceae (Eupatorieae tribe) [CC7]	Cylindric or Dwarf Blazing Star 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Linum sulcatum</i></a> (LY-num)	Linaceae (Malpighiales) [CC5]	Grooved Yellow Flax ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Physocarpus intermedius</i></a> (fy-so-KARR-pus)	Rosaceae [CC5]	Midwest Ninebark
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Pycnanthemum verticillatum</i></a> ( <i>P. pilosum</i> ) (pik-NANN-thuh-mum)	Lamiaceae (Nepetoideae subfamily) [CC5]	Whorled Mountainmint 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Quercus marilandica</i></a> (KWERK-us)	Fagaceae [CC4]	Blackjack Oak
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Rudbeckia missouriensis</i></a> (rood-BECK-ee-uh)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC6]	Missouri Coneflower 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i></a> (shih-ZACK-ree-um) or (shih-zuh-KY-ree-um)	Poaceae (Panicoideae subfamily) [CC5]	Little Bluestem 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Senna marilandica</i></a> (SENN-uh)	Fabaceae (Caesalpinioideae subfam) [CC4]	Maryland Senna 🍂
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i></a> (SILL-fee-um)	Asteraceae (Heliantheae tribe) [CC5]	Prairie Dock
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Solidago gattingeri</i></a> (so-lid-DAY-go)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC10]	Gattinger's Goldenrod ☼

<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Solidago nemoralis</i></a> (so-lid-DAY-go)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC2]	Gray or Old Field Goldenrod ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Solidago rigida</i></a> (so-lid-DAY-go)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC5]	Stiff Goldenrod ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Sorghastrum nutans</i></a> (sor-GAS-strum)	Poaceae (Panicoideae subfamily) [CC4]	Indian Grass
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Spiranthes magnicamporum</i></a> (spy-RAN-theez)	Orchidaceae [CC7]	Great Plains Ladies' Tresses ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Spiranthes ovalis</i></a> (spy-RAN-theez)	Orchidaceae [CC8]	Oval Ladies' Tresses 🍄
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i></a> (spor-O-bo-lus)	Poaceae (Chloridoideae subfamily) [CC6]	Prairie Dropseed 🍄
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Stenaria (Houstonia) nigricans</i></a> (sten-AYR-ee-uh)	Rubiaceae [CC5]	Diamondflowers ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Symphotrichum ericoides</i></a> (SIMM-fee-o-TRY-kum)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC5]	White Heath Aster ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Symphotrichum lateriflorum</i></a> (SIMM-fee-o-TRY-kum)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC3]	Calico Aster ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Symphotrichum oblongifolium</i></a> (SIMM-fee-o-TRY-kum)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC6]	Aromatic Aster ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Symphotrichum oolentangiense</i></a> (SIMM-fee-o-TRY-kum)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC7]	Skyblue Aster ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Symphotrichum sericeum</i></a> (SIMM-fee-o-TRY-kum)	Asteraceae (Astereae tribe) [CC9]	Silky Aster ☼
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Tephrosia virginiana</i></a> (teff-RO-see-uh)	Fabaceae (Faboideae subfamily) [CC5]	Goat's Rue
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#"><i>Trichostema coeruleum</i></a> formerly <i>T.brachiatum</i> (try-KOSS-teh-muh / kor-OO-lee-um)	Lamiaceae [CC4]	Glade Blue Curls / False Pennyroyal ☼

## NOTES

**WHERE WE WALKED:** From the parking lot we entered the “Nature Conservancy” property at the marked trailhead. After walking through the woods for a while we crossed over to the glade. Once on the glade we mostly walked near the edge of the woods where the diversity was greatest. The treeline took us northward in a counter-clockwise curve to a dry creek, which we followed eastward back to the swinging metal gate of the parking lot.

## PHOTOS:

Both Kathy Bildner and Ted MacRae have shared their photos with us on our Google Drive ([HERE](#)). And as a bonus on the same Google Drive, Ted has written a play-by-play account of our morning in his inimitable style.

## PARTICIPANTS:

There were 14 of us botanists on this toasty-for-October morning, who are (in alphabetical order): Prem Barton, Renee Benage, Kathy Bildner, Jerry Castillon, Wayne Clark, June Jeffries, HD Key, Michael Laschober, Ted MacRae, Len Meier, Burt Noll, John Oliver, Kathy Thiele, and Laura Yates.