
Placer Nature Center

Plant List

Lichens

Foliose Lichens

<i>Umbilicaria phaea</i>	Umbilicaria
<i>Xanthoparmelia</i> sp.	Rock-shield

Fruticose Lichens

<i>Cladonia fimbriata</i>	Trumpet lichen
<i>Evernia prunastri</i>	Evernia

Ferns and Allies

Polypodiaceae

<i>Polypodium calirhiza</i>	Polypody
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Pteridaceae

<i>Pellaea mucronata</i> subsp. <i>mucronata</i>	Bird's-foot fern
<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i> subsp. <i>triangularis</i>	Goldback fern

Selaginellaceae

<i>Selaginella hansenii</i>	Spike-moss
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Gymnosperms

Cupressaceae

<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>	Incense cedar
<i>Hesperocyparis</i> sp.	Cypress
<i>Juniperus occidentalis</i>	Western juniper
<i>Sequoiadendron giganteum</i>	Giant sequoia

Pinaceae

<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>	Pacific ponderosa pine
<i>Pinus sabiniana</i>	Gray pine
<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> var. <i>menziesii</i>	Douglas-fir

Angiosperms - Dicots

Anacardiaceae

<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>	Western poison-oak
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Apiaceae (Umbelliferae)

* <i>Anthriscus caucalis</i>	Bur-chervil
<i>Daucus pusillus</i>	Rattlesnake weed
<i>Perideridia kelloggii</i>	Kellogg's yampah
<i>Sanicula bipinnata</i>	Poison sanicle
<i>Sanicula bipinnatifida</i>	Purple sanicle
<i>Sanicula crassicaulis</i>	Gamble weed
* <i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Venus' needle
* <i>Torilis arvensis</i>	Field hedgeparsley

* Indicates a non-native species

Apocynaceae

Asclepias cordifolia
Asclepias fascicularis

Purple milkweed
Narrow-leaf milkweed

Aristolochiaceae

Aristolochia californica

California pipevine

Asteraceae (Compositae)

Achillea millefolium
Agoseris retrorsa
**Anthemis cotula*
Artemisia douglasiana
Baccharis pilularis subsp. *consanguinea*
Calycadenia truncata
**Carduus pycnocephalus* subsp. *pycnocephalus*
**Centaurea solstitialis*
**Chondrilla juncea*
Cirsium occidentale var. *californicum*
Ericameria arborescens
Erigeron canadensis
Eriophyllum lanatum
Holocarpha virgata subsp. *virgata*
**Hypochaeris glabra*
**Hypochaeris radicata*
**Leontodon saxatilis*
**Logfia gallica*
Madia elegans
Madia gracilis
Madia subspicata
**Matricaria discoidea*
Micropus californicus var. *californicus*
Pseudognaphalium californicum
**Senecio vulgaris*
**Silybum marianum*
**Soliva sessilis*
**Taraxacum officinale*
**Tragopogon dubius*
**Tragopogon porrifolius*
Wyethia angustifolia

Common yarrow
Spear-leaf agoseris
Mayweed
California mugwort
Coyote brush
Rosin weed
Italian thistle
Yellow starthistle
Skeleton weed
California thistle
Goldenfleece
Horseweed
Woolly sunflower
Virgate tarweed
Smooth cat's-ear
Rough cat's-ear
Long-beaked hawkbit
Narrowleaf cottonrose
Common madia
Slender tarweed
Foothill tarweed
Pineapple-weed
Cottontop
California everlasting
Common groundsel
Milk thistle
Field burrweed
Common dandelion
Yellow salsify
Common salsify
Narrowleaf mules ears

Berberidaceae

Berberis aquifolium var. *aquifolium*

Oregon-grape

Boraginaceae

Amsinckia menziesii
Cryptantha intermedia var. *intermedia*
Eriodictyon californicum
Nemophila maculata
Pectocarya pusilla
Plagiobothrys fulvus var. *campestris*
Plagiobothrys nothofulvus

Common fiddleneck
Cryptantha
Yerba santa
Fivespot
Little pectocarya
Fulvous popcornflower
Rusty popcornflower

Brassicaceae (Cruciferae)

Athysanus pusillus

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<i>*Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherd's purse
<i>Cardamine oligosperma</i>	Few-seed bitter cress
<i>*Hirschfeldia incana</i>	Short-podded mustard
<i>Lepidium oblongum</i>	Wayside peppergrass
<i>*Raphanus sativus</i>	Wild radish
<i>*Sisymbrium officinale</i>	Hedge mustard
<i>Thysanocarpus curvipes</i>	Lacepod
Caprifoliaceae	
<i>Lonicera interrupta</i>	Chaparral honeysuckle
<i>Symphoricarpos mollis</i>	Creeping snowberry
Caryophyllaceae	
<i>*Cerastium glomeratum</i>	Mouse-ear chickweed
<i>*Petrorhagia dubia</i>	Grass-pink
<i>*Silene gallica</i>	Windmill-pink
<i>*Spergularia rubra</i>	Ruby sand-spurrey
<i>*Stellaria media</i>	Common chickweed
Celastraceae	
<i>*Maytenus boaria</i>	Mayten tree
Convolvulaceae	
<i>Calystegia occidentalis</i>	Morning-glory
<i>*Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Bindweed
Crassulaceae	
<i>Crassula connata</i>	Sandy pygmy-weed
Cucurbitaceae	
<i>Marah oreganus</i>	Coast man-root
Ericaceae	
<i>Arctostaphylos viscida</i>	Whiteleaf manzanita
Euphorbiaceae	
<i>Chamaesyce serpyllifolia</i> subsp. <i>serpyllifolia</i>	Thyme-leafed spurge
<i>Euphorbia spathulata</i>	Spatulate spurge
Fabaceae (Leguminosae)	
<i>Acmispon americanus</i> var. <i>americanus</i>	Spanish-clover
<i>Acmispon brachycarpus</i>	Colchita
<i>Acmispon parviflorus</i>	Hill lotus
<i>*Lathyrus hirsutus</i>	Caley pea
<i>Lathyrus sulphureus</i> var. <i>sulphureus</i>	Sulphur pea
<i>Lupinus albifrons</i>	Silver lupine
<i>Lupinus bicolor</i>	Miniature lupine
<i>Lupinus nanus</i>	Sky lupine
<i>*Medicago polymorpha</i>	California burclover
<i>Trifolium ciliolatum</i>	Foothill clover
<i>*Trifolium dubium</i>	Little hop clover
<i>*Trifolium hirtum</i>	Rose clover
<i>*Trifolium incarnatum</i>	Crimson clover
<i>Trifolium microcephalum</i>	Small-headed clover
<i>*Trifolium subterraneum</i>	Subterranean clover
<i>Trifolium willdenovii</i>	Tomcat clover

* <i>Vicia sativa</i>	Common vetch
* <i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>nigra</i>	Narrow-leaved vetch
* <i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>sativa</i>	Spring vetch
* <i>Vicia villosa</i>	Winter vetch
Fagaceae	
<i>Quercus douglasii</i>	Blue oak
<i>Quercus kelloggii</i>	California black oak
<i>Quercus wislizeni</i> var. <i>wislizeni</i>	Interior live oak
<i>Quercus x morehus</i>	Oracle oak
Gentianaceae	
<i>Cicendia quadrangularis</i>	Timwort
Geraniaceae	
* <i>Erodium botrys</i>	Broad-leaf filaree
* <i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Red-stem filaree
* <i>Erodium moschatum</i>	White-stem filaree
* <i>Geranium dissectum</i>	Cut-leaf geranium
* <i>Geranium molle</i>	Dove's-foot geranium
Hypericaceae	
* <i>Hypericum perforatum</i> subsp. <i>perforatum</i>	Klamathweed
Lamiaceae (Labiatae)	
* <i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Deadnettle
* <i>Marrubium vulgare</i>	Horehound
<i>Monardella villosa</i>	Coyote mint
<i>Scutellaria californica</i>	California skullcap
<i>Scutellaria tuberosa</i>	Blue skull-cap
Limnanthaceae	
<i>Limnanthes alba</i> subsp. <i>alba</i>	White meadowfoam
Linaceae	
* <i>Linum bienne</i>	Flax
* <i>Linum usitatissimum</i>	Common flax
Malvaceae	
<i>Sidalcea hartwegii</i>	Hartweg's checker-mallow
Montiaceae	
<i>Calandrinia ciliata</i>	Red maids
<i>Claytonia parviflora</i>	Miner's lettuce
<i>Claytonia perfoliata</i>	Miner's lettuce
Myrsinaceae	
* <i>Anagalis arvensis</i>	Scarlet pimpernel
Myrtaceae	
* <i>Eucalyptus</i> sp.	Eucalyptus
Onagraceae	
<i>Clarkia purpurea</i>	Winecup clarkia
<i>Epilobium torreyi</i>	Brook spike-primrose
Orobanchaceae	
<i>Castilleja attenuata</i>	Valley tassels

<i>Castilleja densiflora</i> subsp. <i>densiflora</i>	Owl's-clover
<i>Castilleja lineariloba</i>	Owl's-clover
<i>Triphysaria eriantha</i>	Butter-and-eggs
Papaveraceae	
<i>Eschscholzia californica</i>	California poppy
Phrymaceae	
<i>Mimulus guttatus</i>	Common monkeyflower
Plantaginaceae	
<i>Keckiella breviflora</i> var. <i>breviflora</i>	Keckiella
* <i>Kickxia elatine</i>	Sharppoint fluvellin
<i>Penstemon heterophyllus</i> var. <i>purdyi</i>	Penstemon
<i>Plantago erecta</i>	Plantain
* <i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	English plantain
Polemoniaceae	
<i>Gilia capitata</i>	Globe gilia
<i>Leptosiphon bicolor</i>	Bicolored linanthus
<i>Leptosiphon ciliatus</i>	Whisker brush
<i>Navarretia intertexta</i> subsp. <i>intertexta</i>	Needle-leaved navarretia
<i>Navarretia pubescens</i>	Downy navarretia
Polygonaceae	
* <i>Rumex acetosella</i>	Sheep sorrel
* <i>Rumex crispus</i>	Curly dock
* <i>Rumex pulcher</i>	Fiddle dock
Primulaceae	
<i>Dodecatheon hendersonii</i>	Mosquito bills
Ranunculaceae	
<i>Delphinium hansenii</i> subsp. <i>hansenii</i>	Hansen's larkspur
* <i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	Spiny-fruit buttercup
<i>Ranunculus occidentalis</i>	Western buttercup
Rhamnaceae	
<i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i> var. <i>cuneatus</i>	Buck brush
<i>Frangula californica</i> subsp. <i>tomentella</i>	Hoary coffeeberry
<i>Rhamnus ilicifolia</i>	Hollyleaf redberry
Rosaceae	
<i>Aphanes occidentalis</i>	Western lady's-mantle
<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	Toyon
<i>Rosa californica</i>	Califronia rose
* <i>Rubus armeniacus</i>	Himalayan blackberry
Rubiaceae	
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Goose grass
* <i>Galium parisiense</i>	Wall bedstraw
<i>Galium porrigens</i> var. <i>tenu</i>	Climbing bedstraw
* <i>Sherardia arvensis</i>	Field madder
Salicaceae	
<i>Populus fremontii</i> subsp. <i>fremontii</i>	Fremont cottonwood
<i>Salix laevigata</i>	Red willow

<i>Salix lasiandra</i> var. <i>lasiandra</i>	Pacific willow
<i>Salix lasiolepis</i>	Arroyo willow
Sapindaceae	
<i>Aesculus californica</i>	California buckeye
Saxifragaceae	
<i>Lithophragma campanulatum</i>	Woodland star
<i>Lithophragma</i> sp.	Woodland star
<i>Micranthes californica</i>	California saxifrage
Scrophulariaceae	
<i>Scrophularia californica</i>	California figwort
* <i>Verbascum thapsus</i>	Woolly mullein
Simaroubaceae	
* <i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Tree of heaven
Solanaceae	
<i>Solanum xanti</i>	Nightshade
Ulmaceae	
* <i>Ulmus pumila</i>	Dwarf Asiatic elm
Valerianaceae	
<i>Plectritis ciliosa</i>	Long-spur plectritis
Viscaceae	
<i>Arceuthobium campylopodum</i>	Western dwarf mistletoe
<i>Phoradendron serotinum</i> subsp. <i>tomentosum</i>	Oak mistletoe

Angiosperms -Monocots

Agavaceae	
<i>Chlorogalum pomeridianum</i> var. <i>pomeridianum</i>	Soap plant
Araceae	
<i>Lemna</i> sp.	Duckweed
Cyperaceae	
<i>Carex praegracilis</i>	Clustered field-sedge
<i>Carex</i> sp.	Sedge
<i>Cyperus eragrostis</i>	Tall flatsedge
Iridaceae	
<i>Iris macrosiphon</i>	Iris
<i>Sisyrinchium bellum</i>	Blue-eyed grass
Juncaceae	
<i>Juncus bufonius</i>	Toad rush
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft rush
<i>Juncus occidentalis</i>	Slender rush
<i>Juncus xiphioides</i>	Iris-leaved rush
<i>Luzula comosa</i> var. <i>comosa</i>	Common wood-rush
Liliaceae	
<i>Calochortus albus</i>	White globe lily
<i>Calochortus monophyllus</i>	Yellow mariposa lily

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Calochortus superbus

Fritillaria micrantha

Superb mariposa lily

Brown bells

Poaceae (Gramineae)

**Aegilops triuncialis*

**Aira caryophylla*

**Andropogon virginicus* var. *virginicus*

**Avena barbata*

**Avena fatua*

**Briza maxima*

**Briza minor*

**Bromus diandrus*

**Bromus hordeaceus*

**Bromus madritensis* subsp. *madritensis*

**Bromus madritensis* subsp. *rubens*

**Cynodon dactylon*

**Cynosurus echinatus*

**Elymus caput-medusae*

Elymus glaucus

Elymus multisetus

Elymus triticoides subsp. *triticoides*

Festuca microstachys

**Festuca myuros*

**Hordeum marinum* subsp. *gussoneanum*

**Hordeum murinum*

**Lolium multiflorum*

Melica californica

Muhlenbergia rigens

Nassella pulchra

**Poa annua*

**Poa bulbosa* subsp. *vivipara*

Poa secunda subsp. *secunda*

Poa sp.

Barbed goatgrass

Silver European hairgrass

Broomsedge bluestem

Slender wild oat

Wild oat

Quaking grass

Small quaking grass

Ripgut grass

Soft chess

Spanish brome

Red brome

Bermudagrass

Hedgehog dogtail

Medusahead

Blue wildrye

Big squirreltail

Creeping wildrye

Small fescue

Rattail fescue

Mediterranean barley

Wall barley

Italian ryegrass

California melic

Deergrass

Purple needlegrass

Annual bluegrass

Bulbous bluegrass

Pacific bluegrass

Bluegrass

Tecophilaeaceae

Odontostomum hartwegii

Hartweg's odontostomum

Themidaceae

Brodiaea elegans subsp. *elegans*

Dichelostemma capitatum subsp. *capitatum*

Dichelostemma congestum

Dichelostemma multiflorum

Dichelostemma volubile

Triteleia bridgesii

Triteleia hyacinthina

Triteleia laxa

Harvest brodiaea

Blue dicks

Forktoothed ookow

Wild hyacinth

Twining brodiaea

Bridges' brodiaea

White brodiaea

Ithuriel's spear

Typhaceae

Typha angustifolia

Narrow-leaved cattail