



Questionable Trivia!

Answer Sheet

1. Define these habitats

Wetland

Year-round or seasonally filled with water; can vary in soil type and vegetation

Oak Savannah

Oak is the dominant tree, includes many grass and wildflower species grown in open area

Riparian Forest

Forested or woody area next to a body of water such as a river or stream

2. What is the difference between a wetland, bog, and a fen?

A wetland is an umbrella term for a habitat that is year-round or seasonally filled with water; bogs and fens are types of wetlands. Bogs are formed from precipitation only, while fens receive most of its water from a ground source.

3. What causes beavers to build their dams?

Beavers are triggered to build dams when they hear running water. The dams stop the flow of water so they can build their lodge.

4. What is a tree filled with great blue heron nests called?

Rookery

5. What is the most common bat found on the Refuge?

Little Brown Bat

6. What is the definition of an ecosystem?

An ecosystem is a complex of living and interacting organisms and their environment.

7. What is the official bird of Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge?

Common yellowthroat

8. What is the only marsupial that can be found in North America (and on the Refuge)?

The opossum, who is also a non-native species