

Plants of the Marsh

Cattails

Broadleaf Cattail

Typha latifolia



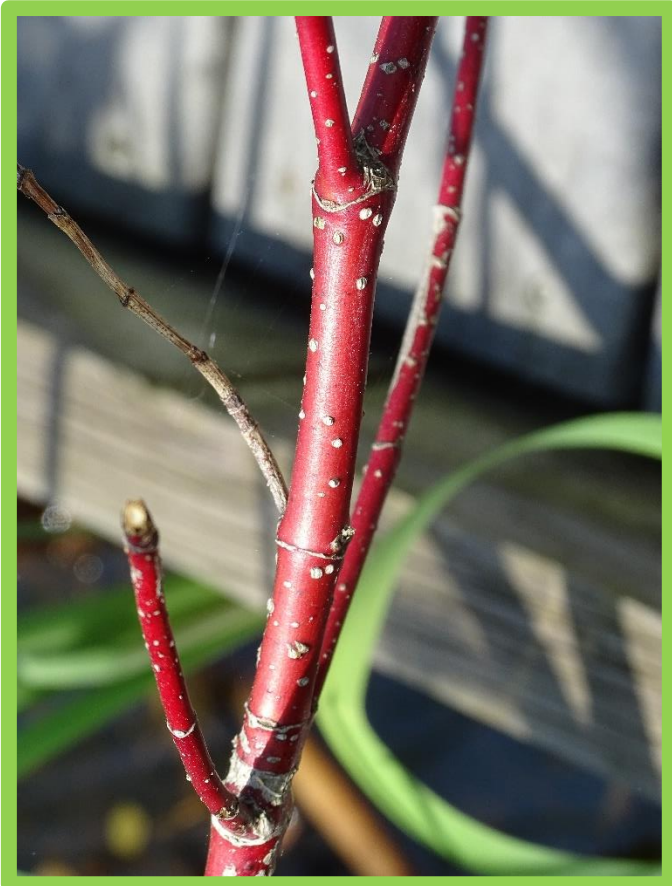
Roles in the Marsh

- Provide protection from wind and weather
- Provide a great hiding space
- The rhizomes (roots) make a tasty snack
- Filter the water and remove harmful chemicals keeping the water clean

Plants of the Marsh

Dogwood

Red-Osier Dogwood



Cornus sericea

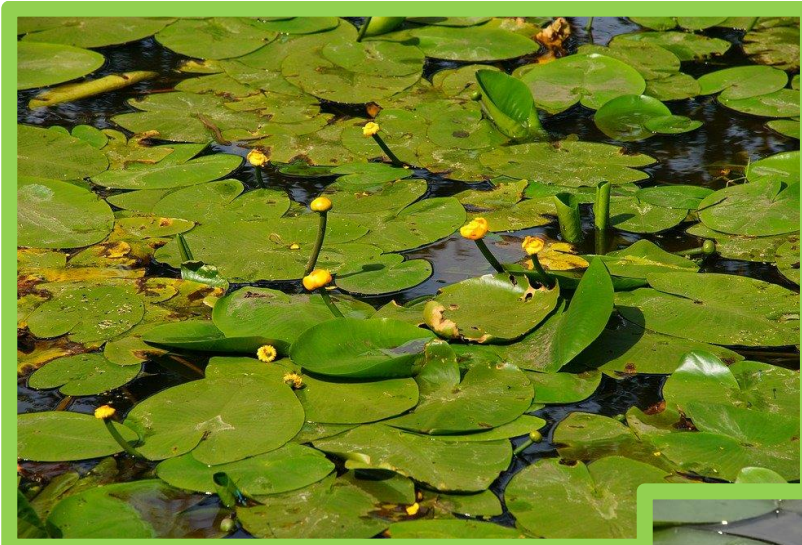


Roles in the Marsh

- Provide protection from wind and weather and predators
- Provide room for building a nest
- Produce flowers with lots of nectar for insects
- Produce berries in the fall

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Lily pads



Yellow Pond Lily
Nuphar variegata



White Water Lily
Nymphaea odorata

Roles in the Marsh

- Provide protection from wind and weather
- Provide a great hiding place
- Produce flowers with lots of nectar for insects

Plants of the Marsh

Cedar Tree

Eastern White Cedar

Thuja occidentalis



Roles in the Marsh

- Provide protection from wind and weather
- Provide a safe hiding place
- Produce cones for seed-eating animals

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Willow Tree

Willow Trees

Salix sp.



Roles in the Marsh

- Provide protection from wind and weather and predators
- Provide a safe hiding place and room for nests
- Produce leaves for plant-eating animals