

Priorslee Wildlife Site

Botanical Survey – 5th July 2007

The Friends of Priorslee Lake would like to thank the Shropshire Wildlife Trust and in particular the Botanists who helped in compiling the following Report.

Footpath along North Bank

Taxon Latin Name	Taxon Common Name
<i>Acer campestre</i>	Field Maple
<i>Agrostis stolonifera</i>	Creeping Bent
<i>Lapsana communis</i>	Nipplewort
<i>Lathyrus pratensis</i>	Meadow Vetchling
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Perennial Rye-Grass
<i>Lotus pedunculatus</i>	Large Bird's-Foot-Trefoil
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i>	Gipsywort
<i>Mentha aquatica</i>	Water Mint
<i>Mercurialis perennis</i>	Dog's Mercury
<i>Myosotis scorpioides</i>	Water Forget-Me-Not
<i>Ophrys apifera</i>	Bee Orchid
<i>Persicaria maculosa</i>	Redshank
<i>Petasites hybridus</i>	Butterbur
<i>Stachys sylvatica</i>	Hedge Woundwort
<i>Symphoricarpos albus</i>	Snowberry
<i>Taraxacum officinale</i> agg.	Dandelion
<i>Trifolium dubium</i>	Lesser Trefoil
<i>Trifolium pratense</i>	Red Clover
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover
<i>Tussilago farfara</i>	Colt's-Foot
<i>Urtica dioica</i>	Common Nettle
<i>Veronica beccabunga</i>	Brooklime
<i>Veronica serpyllifolia</i>	Thyme-Leaved Speedwell
<i>Viburnum opulus</i>	Guelder-Rose
<i>Vicia cracca</i>	Tufted Vetch
<i>Vicia hirsuta</i>	Hairy Tare
<i>Vicia sativa</i>	Common Vetch
<i>Vulpia bromoides</i>	Squirrel-Tail Fescue
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed Canary-Grass
<i>Phleum pratense</i>	Timothy
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Ribwort Plantain
<i>Plantago major</i>	Greater Plantain
<i>Poa annua</i>	Annual Meadow-Grass
<i>Poa nemoralis</i>	Wood Meadow-Grass
<i>Poa trivialis</i>	Rough Meadow-Grass
<i>Populus alba</i>	White Poplar
<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	Curled Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pectinatus</i>	Fennel Pondweed
<i>Prunus avium</i>	Wild Cherry
<i>Prunus spinosa</i>	Blackthorn
<i>Quercus robur</i>	Pedunculate Oak
<i>Ranunculus acris</i>	Meadow Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus repens</i>	Creeping Buttercup
<i>Centaureum erythraea</i>	Common Centaury
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	Common Mouse-Ear
<i>Chaerophyllum temulum</i>	Rough Chervil
<i>Chamerion angustifolium</i>	Rosebay Willowherb

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<i>Circaea lutetiana</i>	Enchanter's-Nightshade
<i>Cirsium arvense</i>	Creeping Thistle
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle
<i>Cornus sanguinea</i>	Dogwood
<i>Corylus avellana</i>	Hazel
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Hawthorn
<i>Cynosurus cristatus</i>	Crested Dog's-Tail
<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>	Cock's-Foot
<i>Dactylorhiza fuchsii</i>	Common Spotted-Orchid
<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>	Tufted Hair-Grass
<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i> agg.	Male Fern
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	Canadian Waterweed
<i>Epilobium ciliatum</i>	American Willowherb
<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i>	Great Willowherb
<i>Epilobium montanum</i>	Broad-Leaved Willowherb
<i>Equisetum arvense</i>	Field Horsetail
<i>Festuca rubra</i> agg.	Red Fescue
<i>Filipendula ulmaria</i>	Meadowsweet
<i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	Ash
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers
<i>Geranium dissectum</i>	Cut-Leaved Crane's-Bill
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb-Robert
<i>Geum urbanum</i>	Herb Bennet
<i>Rhinanthus minor</i>	Yellow-Rattle
<i>Rosa arvensis</i>	Field Rose
<i>Rosa canina</i> agg.	Dog Rose
<i>Rubus fruticosus</i> agg.	Bramble
<i>Rumex obtusifolius</i>	Broad-Leaved Dock
<i>Rumex sanguineus</i>	Wood Dock
<i>Salix alba</i>	White Willow
<i>Salix cinerea</i>	Grey Willow
<i>Salix fragilis</i>	Crack Willow
<i>Salix viminalis</i>	Osier
<i>Sambucus nigra</i>	Elder
<i>Senecio jacobaea</i>	Common Ragwort
<i>Silene dioica</i>	Red Campion
<i>Solanum dulcamara</i>	Bittersweet
<i>Sonchus arvensis</i>	Perennial Sow-Thistle
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	Smooth Sow-Thistle
<i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	Rowan
<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i>	Water-Plantain
<i>Allium ursinum</i>	Ramsons
<i>Alnus glutinosa</i>	Alder
<i>Angelica sylvestris</i>	Wild Angelica
<i>Anthriscus sylvestris</i>	Cow Parsley
<i>Apium inundatum</i>	Lesser Marshwort
<i>Apium nodiflorum</i>	Fool's Water-Cress
<i>Arctium minus</i>	Lesser Burdock
<i>Arrhenatherum elatius</i>	False Oat-Grass
<i>Artemisia vulgaris</i>	Mugwort
<i>Bellis perennis</i>	Daisy
<i>Betula pendula</i>	Silver Birch
<i>Brachypodium sylvaticum</i>	False-Brome

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<i>Calystegia silvatica</i>	Large Bindweed
<i>Carex otrubae</i>	False Fox-Sedge
<i>Carex pendula</i>	Pendulous Sedge
<i>Glechoma hederacea</i>	Ground-Ivy
<i>Hedera helix</i>	Ivy
<i>Heracleum sphondylium</i>	Hogweed
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>	Yorkshire-Fog
<i>Hypericum tetrapterum</i>	Square-Stalked St. John's-Wort
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	Cat's-Ear
<i>Ilex aquifolium</i>	Holly
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Iris
<i>Juncus articulatus</i>	Jointed Rush
<i>Juncus bufonius</i> agg.	Toad Rush agg.
<i>Juncus conglomeratus</i>	Compact Rush
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush
<i>Juncus inflexus</i>	Hard Rush

West bank between RICOH and Lake

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<i>Achillea millefolium</i>	Yarrow
<i>Agrimonia eupatoria</i>	Agrimony
<i>Agrostis canina</i>	Velvet Bent
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<i>Tragopogon pratensis</i>	Goat's-Beard
<i>Trifolium dubium</i>	Lesser Trefoil
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Juncus inflexus	Hard Rush
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Leontodon autumnalis	Autumnal Hawkbit
Leucanthemum vulgare	Oxeye Daisy
Lolium perenne	Perennial Rye-Grass
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