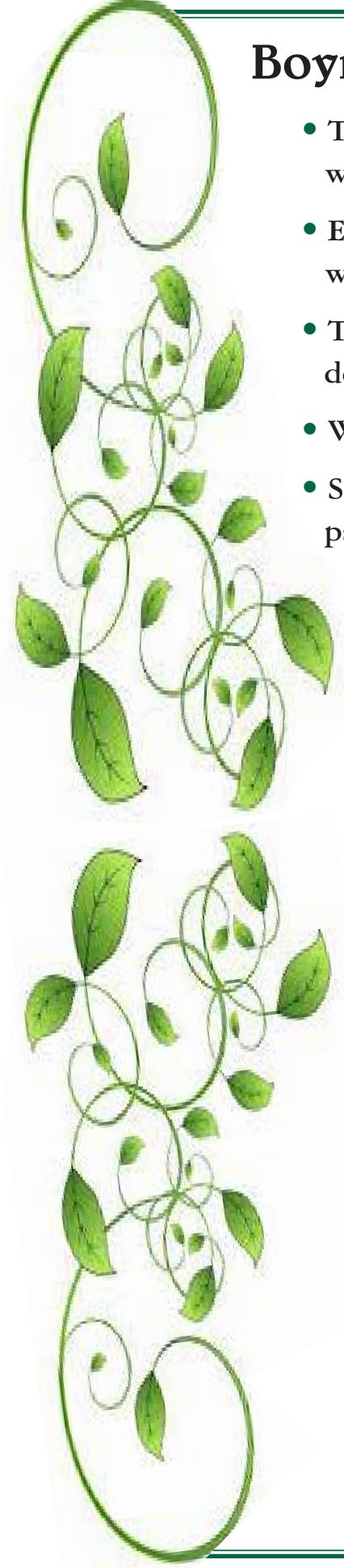




Boyne River Nature Area Treasure Hunt

- There are seven signs going along the pathway in the lower wetland part of the Nature Area.
- Each sign shows pictures and descriptions of a different wetland plant located somewhere inside the Nature Area.
- To be part of the Treasure Hunt, find each sign, read the description and then look for the plant.
- When you find it, take its photo.
- Send the photo to the Friends of the Boyne River's Facebook page, we will show your plant photo and the date you took it.

★ There are two signs with pictures of wetland flowers. If it is spring, you can find the flowers. At any other time of the year, you might find the berries/fruit or just look for the leaves. If you find the plant's leaves, you are a budding botanist!

Importance of Wetlands

The purpose of the Boyne River Nature Area Treasure Hunt is to call attention to the importance of wetlands in our environment.

- Wetlands are habitats for amphibians, fish, birds and mammals.
- Fish use wetlands for food, cover, spawning and as a nursery.
- Deer, elk, bear and other wildlife use wetlands for food and shelter.
- Wetlands are water purifiers by absorbing pollutants.
- They prevent erosion, reduce flood damage and help the environment by sequestering carbon.

*Thank you for visiting and we hope you enjoy the Treasure Hunt
Friends of the Boyne River*