

# LEMON CREEK WILDFLOWER PRESERVE

## Exploration Day Schedule - February 8, 2025

Time	Event 2025	Location	Leader	Length
8:00	"Early Bird" Birding Walk	Parking Lot Kiosk	Mike Wiesensee Leslie Brown	1+ Hr
8:30	Exhibits Open	Meadow	LBC Staff	4 Hrs
8:30	Refreshments Begin	Meadow Picnic Area	LBC Team Chefs	4 Hrs
8:45	Talk: Englewood Orchid Society	Meadow Classroom	Jami Grass-Hess	30 Min
8:45	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Joe Gallagher	45 Min
9:00	Short Nature Walk: The Preserve Habitats	Parking Lot Kiosk	Bob Cooper	45 Min
9:00	Longer Nature Walk: Choosing Plants for Restoration	Parking Lot Kiosk	Dr. Bill Dunson	1.5 Hr
9:15	Meet the Experts: Gardening for Butterflies	Butterfly Garden	Maura Qualls. Ann Weaver	30 Min
9:15	Talk: Seagrass and Lemon Bay	Meadow Classroom	Kate Rose	30 Min
9:15	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Coke Wilson	45 Min
9:45	Demonstration: Vertical Oyster Gardens	LBC Baywatch Exhibit	Diane Coll	30 Min
9:45	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Joe Gallagher	45 Min
10:00	Nature Walk: Florida Butterflies in the Preserve	Parking Lot Kiosk	Jayne Dean Charlie Woodruff	1 Hr
10:15	Talk: Keep Charlotte Beautiful	Meadow Classroom	Rhonda Harvey	30 Min
10:15	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Coke Wilson	45 Min
10:45	Talk: Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserves	Meadow Classroom	Jack Wallace	30 Min
10:45	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Joe Gallagher	45 Min
11:00	Nature Walk: The Preserve Ecosystem	Parking Lot Kiosk	Dr Mary Davis Bobbi Rodgers	1+ Hr
11:15	Talk: Charlotte Harbor Environmental Center	Meadow Classroom	Toome Shaatial	30 Min
11:15	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Coke Wilson	45 Min
11:30	Nature Walk: Introduction to Wildflower Preserve	Parking Lot Kiosk	Paul Townsend	45 Min
11:45	Talk: Juvenile Tarpon Research	Meadow Classroom	Malcolm Collingwood	30 Min
11:45	Start: Handicap Golf Cart Tour	Parking Lot Kiosk	Joe Gallagher	45 Min
12:30	Exhibits Close	Meadow	LBC Staff	