

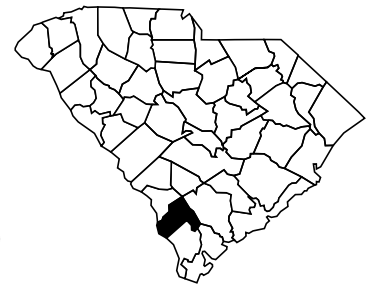
Hampton County:

Bordering on the Savannah River, this predominantly rural county is a major agricultural and timber production area.

Sites Visited:

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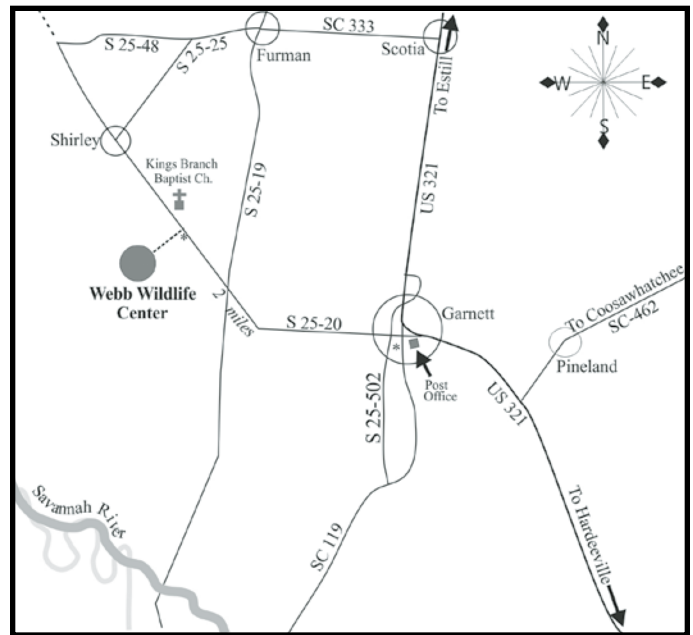
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Even after seven hours, SCAN members could not get enough of Webb WMA, one of the richest natural areas in the State. Nineteen of us, including several first-timers, spent a glorious day scrambling to absorb as much as possible of the diverse habitats that encompasses the site. We began by observing several endangered Red-cockaded Woodpeckers, which were nesting in pines towering over a savanna with Hooded Pitcher Plants, Ladies'-tresses Orchids, Pineland Dischoriste, and other noteworthy forbs. Our next stop was a Little Blue Heron rookery, where Purple Gallinules sauntered along the margin of a pond full of Lotus with its "salt shaker" seed pods laying about. Next we found an oxbow lake long ago cut off from the Savannah River, lined with massive Bald Cypresses, many with knees taller than we were. A pair of amorous Yellow Rat Snakes were trying to be as discreet as possible, so we obliged them after a short look! Lastly, we entered a cathedral of majestic oaks, elms, maples, and hickories, and with time running out reluctantly rejoined the "real world." Places like Webb may leave you thinking it's the other way around.

Directions: From Columbia, the most direct route is US 321 South. After you pass the little towns of Estill and Scotia, you will come to Garnett, which is little more than a crossroads. Turn right onto Road S25-20. Follow this road just over two miles, and you will see the entrance to Webb on the left. Follow the entrance road to the signs for the office, lodge, etc. Go to the lodge (two-story house) and park in the lot beside it.

Those who come by way of I-95 can take the Coosawhatchie exit and follow SC 462 to US 321, then go north on US 321 to Garnett. From there take S25-20, and follow directions above.



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LICHENS

Lecidea russula
Cladina subtenuis
Cladonia cristatella
Cladonia peziziformis
Pertusaria copiosa
Pertusaria texana
Haematomma persoonii
Lecanora caesiurubella prolifera
Bulbothrix goebelii
Hypotrachyna livida
Parmelina minarum
Parmotrema michauxianum
Parmotrema perforatum
Parmotrema tinctorum
Flavoparmelia caperata
Rimelia reticulata
Ramalina americana
Usnea strigosa
Buellia caloosensis
Physcia aipolia
Physcia americana

Heterodermia albicans
Pyxine caesiopruinosa
Ochrolechia africana
Trypethelium mastoideum
Chrysothrix candelaris

FLORA

Cinnamon Fern
Osmunda cinnamomea
Bracken
Pteridium aquilinum
Netted Chain Fern
Woodwardia areolata
Virginia Chain Fern
Woodwardia virginica
Resurrection Fern
Pleopeltis polypodioides michauxiana
Slash Pine
Pinus elliottii elliottii
Spruce Pine
Pinus glabra
Longleaf Pine
Pinus palustris
Eastern Red Cedar
Juniperus virginiana virginiana

Pond-cypress <i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Swamp Chestnut Oak <i>Quercus michauxii</i>	American Wisteria <i>Wisteria frutescens</i>	Wild Olive <i>Osmanthus americanus</i>
Bald-cypress <i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Water Oak <i>Quercus nigra</i>	Southern Water-milfoil <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i>	Pineland Dyschoriste <i>Dyschoriste oblongifolia</i>
Dwarf Palmetto <i>Sabal minor</i>	Willow Oak <i>Quercus phellos</i>	Common Water-purslane <i>Ludwigia palustris</i>	Cross-vine <i>Bignonia capreolata</i>
Duckweed <i>Lemna perpusilla</i>	Post Oak <i>Quercus stellata</i>	Meadow-beauty <i>Rhexia</i> sp.	Trumpet-creeper <i>Campsis radicans</i>
Common Rush <i>Juncus effusus solutus</i>	Live Oak <i>Quercus virginiana</i>	Flowering Dogwood <i>Cornus florida</i>	Northern Catalpa <i>Catalpa speciosa</i>
Creeping Rush <i>Juncus repens</i>	River Birch <i>Betula nigra</i>	Southern Swamp Dogwood <i>Cornus stricta</i>	Wahlenbergia <i>Wahlenbergia marginata</i>
Sedge <i>Carex typhina</i>	American Hornbeam <i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Water Tupelo <i>Nyssa aquatica</i>	Buttonbush <i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>
Baldwin Spikerush <i>Eleocharis baldwinii</i>	Alligator-weed <i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i>	Blackgum <i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	Common Elderberry <i>Sambucus canadensis</i>
Giant Cane <i>Arundinaria gigantea</i>	Ladies'-eardrops <i>Brunnichia ovata</i>	Possum-haw <i>Ilex decidua decidua</i>	Small-leaf Viburnum <i>Viburnum obovatum</i>
Lesser Quaking Grass <i>Briza minor</i>	Waterpepper <i>Persicaria hydropiperoides</i>	American Holly <i>Ilex opaca opaca</i>	Silverling <i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>
Italian Rye-grass <i>Lolium perenne aristatum</i>	Hooded Pitcherplant <i>Sarracenia minor minor</i>	Sebastian-bush <i>Ditrysinia fruticosa</i>	Common Roundleaf
Southern Water Grass <i>Luziola fluitans fluitans</i>	Primrose-leaf Violet <i>Viola primulifolia</i>	Peppervine <i>Ampelopsis arborea</i>	Eupatorium <i>Eupatorium rotundifolium</i>
Spanish-moss <i>Tillandsia usneoides</i>	Passionflower <i>Passiflora incarnata</i>	Virginia-creeper <i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	Blackroot <i>Pterocaulon pycnostachyum</i>
Catbrier <i>Smilax bona-nox</i>	Eastern Cottonwood <i>Populus deltoides deltoides</i>	Fox Grape <i>Vitis labrusca</i>	FAUNA
Spring Ladies'-tresses <i>Spiranthes vernalis</i>	Swamp Cottonwood <i>Populus heterophylla</i>	Muscadine <i>Vitis rotundifolia rotundifolia</i>	Rabid Wolf Spider <i>Rabidosa rabida</i>
Lizard's-tail <i>Saururus cernuus</i>	Black Willow <i>Salix nigra</i>	Orange Milkwort <i>Polygala lutea</i>	Green Lynx Spider (juvenile, egg) <i>Peucetia viridans</i>
Virginia Snakeroot <i>Endodeca serpentaria</i>	Coastal Sweet Pepperbush <i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	Red Maple <i>Acer rubrum</i>	Lone Star Tick <i>Amblyomma americanum</i>
Yellow Lotus <i>Nelumbo lutea</i>	Coastal Fetterbush <i>Eubotrys racemosa</i>	Winged Sumac <i>Rhus copallinum</i>	Short-winged Green Grasshopper <i>Dichromorpha viridis</i>
Broadleaf Pondlily <i>Nuphar advena</i>	Staggerbush <i>Lyonia mariana</i>	Poison Oak <i>Toxicodendron pubescens</i>	Spur-throated Grasshopper <i>Melanoplus</i> sp.
White Water-lily <i>Nymphaea odorata odorata</i>	Azalea <i>Rhododendron</i> sp.	Eastern Poison Ivy <i>Toxicodendron radicans radicans</i>	Black Carpenter Ant <i>Camponotus pennsylvanicus</i>
Water-shield <i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	Sparkleberry <i>Vaccinium arboreum</i>	Devil's-walking-stick <i>Aralia spinosa</i>	Lovebug <i>Plecia nearctica</i>
Marsh Clematis <i>Clematis crispa</i>	Creeping Blueberry <i>Vaccinium crassifolium</i>	Rattlesnake-master <i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>	Common Green Darner <i>Anax junius</i>
Sycamore <i>Platanus occidentalis occidentalis</i>	Elliott's Blueberry <i>Vaccinium elliotii</i>	Swampforest Milkweed <i>Asclepias perennis</i>	Blue Dasher <i>Pachydiplax longipennis</i>
Sweet Gum <i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	Deerberry <i>Vaccinium stamineum</i>	Spinypod <i>Matelea</i> sp.	Cabbage White (butterfly) <i>Pieris rapae</i>
Water-elm <i>Planera aquatica</i>	American Persimmon <i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Climbing Dogbane <i>Trachelospermum difforme</i>	Cloudless Sulphur <i>Phoebis sennae eubule</i>
American Elm <i>Ulmus americana</i>	American Snowbell <i>Styrax americanus</i>	Horse-nettle <i>Solanum carolinense carolinense</i>	Little Yellow (butterfly) <i>Eurema lisa</i>
Mockernut Hickory <i>Carya alba</i>	Virginia-willow <i>Itea virginica</i>	Carolina Ponyfoot <i>Dichondra carolinensis</i>	Sleepy Orange (butterfly) <i>Eurema nicippe</i>
Water Hickory <i>Carya aquatica</i>	Parsley Hawthorn <i>Crataegus marshallii</i>	Phlox <i>Phlox carolina</i>	Pearl Crescent (butterfly) <i>Phyciodes tharos</i>
Common Wax-myrtle <i>Morella cerifera</i>	Green Hawthorn <i>Crataegus viridis</i>	Smooth Phlox <i>Phlox glaberrima</i>	Common Buckeye <i>Junonia coenia</i>
Scarlet Oak <i>Quercus coccinea</i>	Black Cherry <i>Prunus serotina serotina</i>	Beautyberry <i>Callicarpa americana</i>	Horace's Duskywing <i>Erynnis horatius</i>
Running Oak <i>Quercus elliotii</i>	Wild Indigo <i>Baptisia</i> sp.	Common Skullcap <i>Scutellaria integrifolia</i>	Whirlabout (skipper butterfly) <i>Polites vibex</i>
Southern Red Oak <i>Quercus falcata</i>	Butterfly Pea <i>Clitoria mariana mariana</i>	Southern Beardtongue <i>Penstemon australis</i>	Black-bordered Lemon Moth <i>Thioptera nigrofimbria</i>
Bluejack Oak <i>Quercus incana</i>	Coral Bean <i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Swamp-privet <i>Forestiera acuminata</i>	Southern Cricket Frog <i>Acris gryllus</i>
Laurel Oak <i>Quercus laurifolia</i>	Honey Locust <i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	Water Ash <i>Fraxinus caroliniana</i>	Southern Leopard Frog <i>Lithobates sphenoccephala</i>
Overcup Oak <i>Quercus lyrata</i>	Pencil-flower <i>Stylosanthes biflora</i>	Chinese Privet <i>Ligustrum sinense</i>	Green Anole <i>Anolis carolinensis</i>
	Goat's-rue <i>Tephrosia spicata</i>		

Broadhead Skink
Eumeces laticeps
Rat Snake
Pantherophis obsoleta
Anhinga; Snakebird
Anhinga anhinga
Little Blue Heron
Egretta caerulea
Great Egret
Casmerodius albus
White Ibis
Eudocimus albus

Purple Gallinule
Porphyryla martinica
Turkey Vulture
Cathartes aura
Black Vulture
Coragyps atratus
Wild Turkey
Meleagris gallopavo
Mourning Dove
Zenaida macroura
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Coccyzus americanus

Chimney Swift
Chaetura pelagica
Red-headed Woodpecker
Melanerpes erythrocephalus
Red-cockaded Woodpecker
Picoides borealis
Eastern Kingbird
Tyrannus tyrannus
Great Crested Flycatcher
Myiarchus crinitus
Eastern Wood-pewee
Contopus virens
Eastern Phoebe
Sayornis phoebe
Blue Jay
Cyanocitta cristata
American Crow
Corvus brachyrhynchos
Fish Crow
Corvus ossifragus
Carolina Wren
Thryothorus ludovicianus
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Poliophtila caerulea
Eastern Bluebird
Sialia sialis
Gray Catbird
Dumetella carolinensis

Northern Mockingbird
Mimus polyglottos
Brown Thrasher
Toxostoma rufum
White-eyed Vireo
Vireo griseus
Yellow-throated Vireo
Vireo flavifrons
Prothonotary Warbler
Protonotaria citrea
Northern Parula
Parula americana
Yellow-breasted Chat
Icteria virens
Northern Cardinal
Cardinalis cardinalis
Eastern Towhee
Pipilo erythrophthalmus
Red-winged Blackbird
Agelaius phoeniceus
Common Grackle
Quiscalus quiscula
Orchard Oriole
Icterus spurius
Summer Tanager
Piranga rubra
Wild Pig
Sus scrofa



(Clockwise starting top left.)

Pickerelweed, *Pontederia cordata*, by Kim McManus.

Hooded Pitcherplant, *Sarracenia minor minor*, by Kim McManus.

Summer Tanager, *Piranga rubra*, by Kim McManus.

