

BIRDING HOTSPOTS

Port Arthur
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Birders Welcome in Port Arthur!

We're Texas, so we have to brag.

Sea Rim State Park, Sabine Woods and Pleasure Island are some of Port Arthur's birding hot spots, drawing nature lovers from around the world. Our shore birds and migrating beauties are in the 600+ count of species recorded in Texas.

Get your "life birds" along the Gulf of Mexico and abundant marshes in the path of both the Central and Mississippi flyways. Look for shore birds, water birds that include our pink Roseate Spoonbill and colorful warblers.



Our upper coastal Southeast Texas setting on the Gulf of Mexico and Louisiana border boasts an oil-rich shipping and transit history tied to Pleasure Island, the Intracoastal Waterway, Sabine Lake and the Port of Port Arthur. Museum of the Gulf Coast will fill you in on our maritime and oil history and music and sports personalities from Janis Joplin to Jimmy Johnson. Look for more visitor information in the back of this book and at **visitportarthurtx.com**

Now, let's talk birds!!!



PLEASURE ISLAND, PORT ARTHUR

UTC 022

LATITUDE 29.84664

LONGITUDE -93.94647

WHERE From Houston | East on I-10;
East on Texas 73; South on Hwy 82
across MLK Bridge to Pleasure Island

From Orange | West on 73; South on
Hwy 82 across MLK Bridge to Pleasure
Island

From Beaumont | South on 69; West
on 73; S on Hwy 82 across MLK Bridge
to Pleasure Island

CONTACT pleasureislandtx.com

SITE SPECS: Pleasure Island adventures begin with a drive over the soaring Martin Luther King bridge. Enjoy a boardwalk stroll then catch views of sailboats at Pleasure Island Marina, by Port Arthur Yacht Club. While on the island, get a load of Big Arthur- the massive crane that unloads ships at Port of Port Arthur. Try disc golf, fish from a pier and enjoy a picnic.

LOOK FOR: Extensive marshes and mudflats attract shorebirds, ducks, gulls and terns. Loons come in winter, usually near Levee Road on Sabine Lake side. Catch Bufflehead; Red-Breasted Mergansers; Northern Shoveler; Blue and Green-Winged Teal; Gadwall; Pintail, Wigeon; Ruddy Ducks; Neotropic Cormorants in any season; American Avocets in winter; Spotted Sandpiper on rocks of Sabine Lake side of both Levee Roads in winter; and American Pipits along roads.



CHRISTINE SOHLINGER VALENTINE







SABINE WOODS

UTC 026

LATITUDE 29.69803 ★ **LONGITUDE** -93.94786

WHERE Texas 87. At the 4-way stop in Sabine Pass, turn right to continue on Texas 87. The woods are 4.2 miles from the stop signs.

CONTACT goldentriangleaudubon.org

SITE SPECS: This chenier ridge, or oak mott, is internationally famous for spring and fall migrations attracting thousands of migrant birds and their fans. Texas Ornithological Society owns the sanctuary and the Golden Triangle Audubon Society lovingly maintains it. Entrance fee/donation requested.

There is some parking, a covered picnic area, scattered benches and a seasonal portable restroom.

Sabine Woods is considered one of the most productive “first landing” migrant stop-overs along the entire Texas Coast for spring and fall migration. Hundreds of hummingbirds swarm lantana thickets in early fall. Large oaks, ponds, mulberry trees and thick growth provide a protected stopping point on the coast for neotropical migrants.

KEEP EYES OUT FOR: Warblers, Vireos, Grosbeaks, Flycatchers, Thrushes, Tanagers and Orioles are common visitors from late March through mid-May, and, in lesser numbers, from early September through late October. The grassy areas often produce Blue Grosbeaks and Indigo Buntings. Swallows, often including Northern Rough-winged Swallows, may be common in April.

Yellow-crowned and Black-crowned Night-Herons and Green Herons are common migrants. White-tailed Kites, often noisily obvious, have fledged young in early September and Groove-billed Anis have been spotted in November-December.

Other visitors: Downy Woodpeckers, Stilts, Egrets, Ibis, Mottled Ducks.

BE PREPARED: The mosquito population can be high after mid-May, especially in wet years. By summer and fall, visitors should be prepared to encounter Deer Flies. Venomous Cottonmouth snakes live in the woods, too.



SEA RIM STATE PARK

UTC 027

LATITUDE 29.67672 ★ **LONGITUDE** -94.04399

WHERE 19335 S. Gulfway Drive; Texas 87

CONTACT tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sea.rim
409.971.2559

SITE SPECS: Gulf meets marsh with 5 miles of natural beach, boardwalks, a marsh unit with three levels of paddling trails and camping areas. Get your shorebirds here!

Several gull and tern varieties dine along the shore line and the Gambusia Nature Trail leads explorers through tall grasses hosting birds, gators and other wildlife.

KEEP EYES OUT FOR: Piping and Snowy Plovers; Red Knots; Reddish Egrets in fall and early winter; migrant shorebirds such as Pectoral, Stilt and Spotted Sandpipers; Brown Pelicans; American Avocets and flocks of ducks.

THINGS TO DO: Stroll the Gambusia Nature Trail with an eye out for birds, crabs and alligators. This boardwalk offers grass and cane vistas as walkers hear the roar of the Gulf of Mexico. Comb the beach for shells, surf and marsh fish, swim, snap photos from the West Dune Boardwalk and rent a kayak (or bring your own) to paddle three levels of marshland trails. The “easy” trail is 1.79 miles and the advanced trail is 9.59 miles.



FACILITIES: Enjoy primitive camping along the beach; one of 15 campsites with utilities or in the park cabin that sleeps up to 6. The park's camping raft is a unique experience for adventurers wanting to sleep on a tent floating on the water two miles into the marsh. No license required to fish in the park.

Daily admission; primitive camping, floating tent raft, 6-person cabin and RV fees; kayak/canoe rental fees. Call 512.389.8900 for camping reservations. Picnic tables, RV hookups, kayak rental, tackle loaner program, restrooms, boardwalk, rinse-off showers.



McfADDIN NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

UTC 028

LATITUDE 29.66842 ★ LONGITUDE -94.07183

DIRECTIONS Texas 87, about 12 miles from Sabine Pass, past Sabine Woods and Sea Rim State Park entrance.

CONTACT fws.gov/refuge/mcfaddin/

SITE SPECS: This refuge is part of the Texas Chenier Plain Refuge Complex, which includes Texas Point and Anahuac National Wildlife Refuge. It is managed for duck hunters and offers 5 miles of interior roads to provide wildlife viewing and access to boat ramps, fishing piers and observation platforms. The road to Clam Lake guides birders to waterfowl in winter. Access seasonally limited. Restrooms.

LOOK FOR: Wading birds and shore birds are seen in the marsh. From September through March, ducks may be seen in Clam Lake or in ponds and ditches on either side of the road. Mottled Ducks breed in these marshes. Look for Clapper and King

Bitterns
Bitterns
Eastern
in the sum-
Sparrows in
Sparrows year
Salt
Texas
in

Rails, especially in the spring; Least
nesting in marshes and American
over wintering. Ibis, Herons;
Kingbirds and Orchard Orioles
mer; Savannah
winter; Seaside
round. Check
Cedars along
87 for migrants
season; beach
may pro-
duce gulls,
terns and
shorebirds;
White-
tailed
Kites and
Crested Caracara.

The refuge has documented 285 bird species at various times in the year, including year-round residents such as Mottled Ducks.



DAVE ROBERTS



TEXAS POINT NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

UTC 025

LATITUDE 29.70869 ★ **LONGITUDE** -93.92133

WHERE Texas Point is on Texas 87 between Sabine Pass and Sea Rim State Park, before Sabine Woods. Sea Rim's address is 19335 Texas 87.

CONTACT tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/wildlife/wildlife-trails/utc/sabine.loop

SITE SPECS: Trees offer rest for migrating birds at this notable sit. A short, paved walk makes Texas Point an easy “quick look” that can be especially rewarding during migration. Rails, wrens and sparrows congregate in marsh-bordering “stunted woods.” White-tailed Kites, Painted Buntings and Orchard Orioles breed in the area, and it’s a short hop to Sabine Woods, Sea Rim State Park and McFaddin Wildlife Refuge.





DANA NELSON

SABINE PASS BATTLEGROUND STATE PARK

UTC 024

LATITUDE 29.73361 ★ **LONGITUDE** -93.89447

WHERE 6100 Dowling Road in Sabine Pass.

CONTACT thc.texas.gov/historic-sites/sabine-pass-battleground-state-historic-site

SITE SPECS: This historic site also features a monument to Lt. Richard Dick Dowling and his unit for action during the Civil War. Historical information dots this waterside park which is open daily. There is developed camping available at the site. Restroom, benches.

LOOK FOR: Least Bitterns, White and White-faced Ibis, Roseate Spoonbills, Clapper Rails, Com- Yellow-throats, and Seaside In spring look for migrant land Warblers, Tanagers, Bun- and Orioles). In winter through



mon Sparrows. birds (Vireos, tings, Grosbeaks late spring, cordgrass marshes bordering roads support numbers of Nelson's Sharptailed and Seaside Sparrows. Visit this park on the way to nearby Sabine Woods, Sea Rim State Park and McFaddin National Wildlife Refuge.

J.D. MURPHREE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

UTC 029

LATITUDE 29.88914 ★ **LONGITUDE** -94.03442

WHERE 2710 Texas 73, Port Arthur

CONTACT tpwd.state.tx.us/wma ★ 409.736.2551



SITE SPECS: This wetlands is part of the Texas Chenier Plain, the westernmost geologic delta of the Mississippi River. Open for day use. Follow a nature trail near headquarters to get an up-close look at this marsh area's residents.

This tract along the Great Texas Coastal Birding Trail hosts Brown Pelicans, sea turtles, muskrat, nutria, armadillo, rice rat, bobcat, river otters, swamp rabbits, alligators, etc.

LOOK FOR: Least Bitterns, Roseate Spoonbill, Purple Gallinule and various waterfowl.





LOWER NECHES WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA AND BAILEY'S FISH CAMP

UTC 021

LATITUDE 30.0105 ★ **LONGITUDE** -93.84561

WHERE Travel south on FM 1442 to TX 73/87 (FM 1442 eventually will swing east before intersecting with TX 87). Continue south on TX 73/87 to Lake St. Travel south on Lake St. to the Lower Neches WMA observation platform and Bailey's Fish Camp. The TPWD observation platform is located approximately 1.5 miles from TX 73/87, and overlooks a broad expanse of coastal marsh. Continue south from the observation platform (the road surface will eventually become shell) to Bailey's Fish Camp and Sabine Lake.

SITE SPECS: Day use only; entrance fee/donation may be required. Shallow marsh and ponds; waterfowl and shore birds. Set your scope on herons, egrets, spoonbills, waterfowl and shorebirds massing in this area. The Bailey's area is shallow marsh and ponds and best in winter and early spring for waterfowl. If ponds, influenced by wind and tide, are low, Osprey, Cormorants and Anhinga may be present.



TAYLOR BAYOU

UTC 030

LATITUDE 29.82894 ★ **LONGITUDE** -94.22489

WHERE Go west on Texas 73 to Boondocks Road. Travel north on Boondocks Road to the South Fork of Taylor Bayou, in Jefferson County.

CONTACT tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/wildlife/wildlife-trails/utc/sabine-loop

SITE SPECS: Bird along main right of way. Property bordering Taylor Bayou is private. Please do not trespass. Taylor Bayou, and the riparian woodlands that border the stream, represent an isolated sliver of the Big Thicket that has inched toward the coast. Many of the eastern woodland birds that inhabit the Pineywoods are present along the bayou.



LOOK FOR: Thousands of shore birds in this riparian woodland each spring; keep an eye for fields that have been recently flooded. Eastern woodland birds of the Pineywoods are present. Northern Parulas and Yellow-throated, Prothonotary, Swainson's, Kentucky, and Hooded Warblers all breed in the general vicinity.



SHANGRI LA BOTANICAL GARDENS & NATURE CENTER

UTC 001A

LATITUDE 30.103122 ★ **LONGITUDE** -93.752099

WHERE 2111 West Park Ave., Orange

CONTACT starkculturalvenues.org/shangrilagardens/

SITE SPECS: This award-winning center in Orange includes several gardens, educational settings and a state-of-the-art Heronry Blind. Sneak a peek at some of the 17 species that migrate to 15-acre Ruby Lake, which sees 5,000 birds annually. There is no admission charge for access to these scenic, interactive gardens.

LOOK FOR: Herons, Great Egrets, Roseate Spoonbills, Anhingas, Cormorants, Wood Ducks, etc.

CATTAIL MARSH AT TYRRELL PARK AND WETLANDS EDUCATION CENTER

UTC 019

LATITUDE 30.02489 ★ **LONGITUDE** -94.14867

WHERE Cattail Marsh and the educational center are at the rear of Tyrrell Park, 6088 Babe Zaharias Drive in Beaumont.

CONTACT beaumonttexas.gov/departments/parks-recreation/ ★ goldentriangleaudubon.org/focus-areas/cattail-marsh/

SITE SPECS: The Golden Triangle Audubon Society meets at the park's garden center. The marsh and Wetlands Educational Center are at the park's rear. The Magnolia Garden Club operates this elevated center with a wrap-around view of bird-filled Cattail Marsh. A boardwalk and gazebo allow birders to get in the middle of a wetlands and a few feet from the birds. The area features diked cells, open shallow water and mudflats. The city of Beaumont operates Tyrrell Park, with a nature center, botanical gardens, conservatory, golf course, stables and areas for picnicking.

LOOK FOR: Purple Gallinule, waterfowl, pelicans, Roseate Spoonbill, doves, Ibis, blackbirds, etc. Magnolia Garden Club presents the Wetlands Center, opened in 2018.

Cattail Marsh's 900 acres offers more than 8 miles of levee gravel roads for hiking and nature photography along the banks of Hildebrandt Bayou and Willow Marsh Bayou. Look for more than 250 species of birds annually. The education center features an upstairs classroom with roll-up doors, air conditioning, a restroom and a handicapped-accessible lift.





T.J. SENTERS



DANA NELSON



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ANAHUAC NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

UTC 049

LATITUDE 29.610450 ★ **LONGITUDE** -94.438480

WHERE 4017 F.M. 563, Anahuac

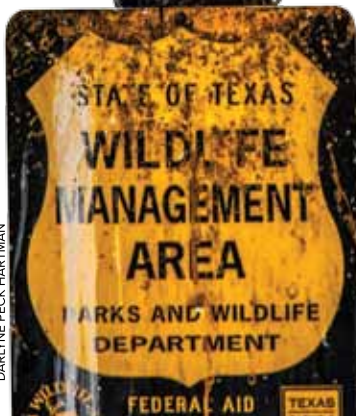
CONTACT fws.gov/refuge/Anahuac/visit/plan_your_visit.html

SITE SPECS: Walking trail and auto tour loop. Acres of freshwater and salt-water marshes provide you opportunities to see shorebirds, raptors, waterfowl, and all seven species of North American rail.

LOOK FOR: The Woodlot Trail provides a little-known secret to birders seeking migrating neotropical songbirds including the Prothonotary Warbler, and Shoveler's Pond will take you on a drive with alligators, rails, and waterfowl alike. Drive the auto tour loop, sit in a wildlife blind, or walk a trail to get beautiful views of local and visiting birds all with the backdrop of amazing sunrises and sunsets of the bay.



DARLYNE PECK HARTMAN



BIRDY LINKS and additional sites:

Here are some of many tourism and bird-loving groups offering web sites/social media outlets to keep you current:

- ★ Golden Triangle Audubon Society
- ★ Texas Birding
- ★ Texas Ornithological Society
- ★ Friends of Anahuac National Refuge
- ★ Sea Rim State Park, Texas Parks and Wildlife
- ★ Big Thicket National Preserve
- ★ Ben J. Rogers Regional Visitors Bureau
- ★ Beaumont Convention & Visitors Bureau



More coastal birding sites:

ANAHUAC

- ★ Wallisville Lake Project **UTC 042**
- ★ White Memorial Park **UTC 042**
- ★ Trinity River Recreationa/Visitor Center **UTC 043**
- ★ JJ Mayes Wildlife Trace **UTC 043A**
- ★ Trinity River Waterbird Rookery **UTC 0438**
- ★ Hugo Point Park **UTC 043C**
- ★ Anahuac Pumping Station **UTC 044**
- ★ Fort Anahuac Park **UTC 045**
- ★ Double Bayou Park **UTC 046**
- ★ Anahuac National Wildlife Refuge **UTC 049**

LUMBERTON/KOUNTZE

- ★ Big Thicket National Preserve **UTC 015**
- ★ Gore Store Road and Turkey Creek **UTC 016**
- ★ Roy E. Larsen Sandyland Sanctuary **UTC 017**
- ★ Village Creek State Park **UTC 018**

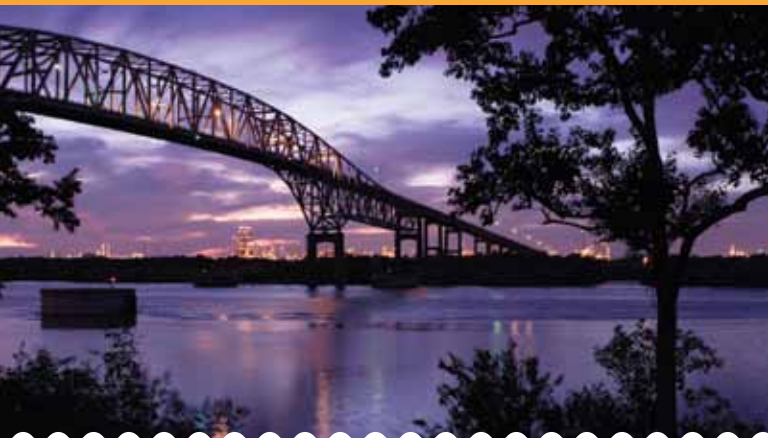
VIDOR AND ORANGE

- ★ Claiborne West Park **UTC 020**
- ★ Blue Elbow Swamp-Tony Houseman Wildlife Management Area **UTC 001**

Birding sites with a “**UTC**” designation are part of the Upper Texas Coastal section of the Great Texas Wildlife Trails, a Texas Parks and Wildlife program that highlights 920 of the best wildlife-viewing sites throughout Texas. www.tpwd.texas.gov/wildlifetrails



After you've seen the birds, enjoy more adventures at Museum of the Gulf Coast, Pompeian Villa and our Faith Trail. Go to **visitportarthurtx.com** for dinner and lodging inspiration. Here's a few things to know and do:



Arthur Stilwell's "Brownies"

Founder Arthur Stilwell claimed "Brownies" from dreams and the "spirit world" revealed detailed plans for his city. He drained swamps, dredged a canal from Sabine Lake to the Gulf of Mexico and pushed his Kansas City,

Pittsburgh and Gulf Coast railroad down from the North, based on "brownie" advice.

Port Arthur became a city and port in the late 1890s. Stilwell ran out of funds and hit up John "Bet-a-Million Gates," a wheeler-dealer. Soon all that remained of his interest was his first name as Port Arthur. In 1901 Spindletop blew in 10 miles north in Beaumont and ushered in the "black gold" oil boom.

Sabine Pass, a Port Arthur annex 14 miles to the south, is where Sam Houston laid out a town in 1836. Dick Dowling fronted the Battle of Sabine Pass in 1863, where Confederates bested Union gunboats with courage and a few cannons.





Port Arthur Info

Port Arthur is home to Mardi Gras of Southeast Texas, savory Cajun flavors and live music.

MUSEUM OF THE GULF COAST

Explore the region's oil and maritime history and area notables in music, arts and sports. Featured personalities include Janis Joplin, The Big Bopper, Tex Ritter, Robert Rauschenberg, Jimmy Johnson, Bum Phillips, Johnny Winter, Edgar Winter and Tracy Byrd.



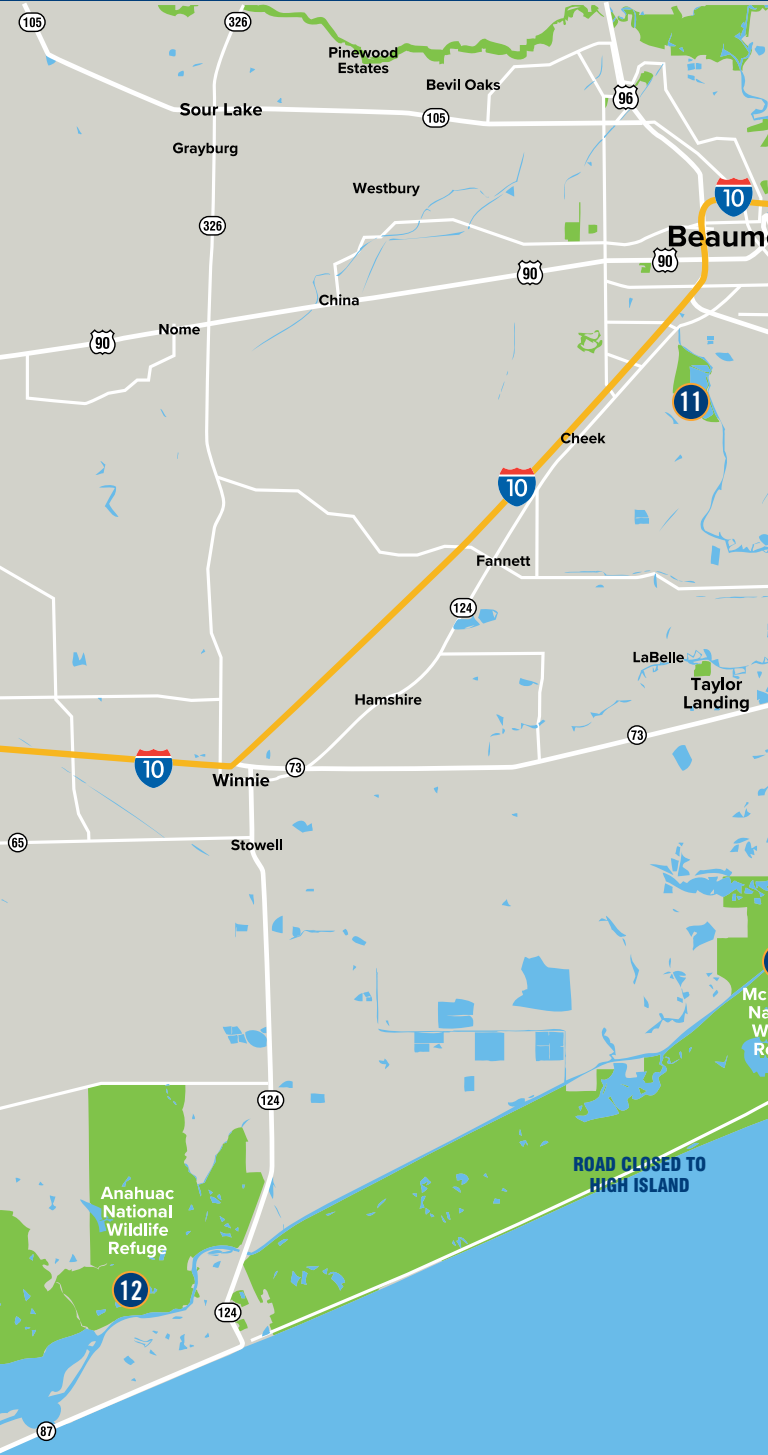
POMPEIIAN VILLA | This historical pink house was home to a barbed.wire king.

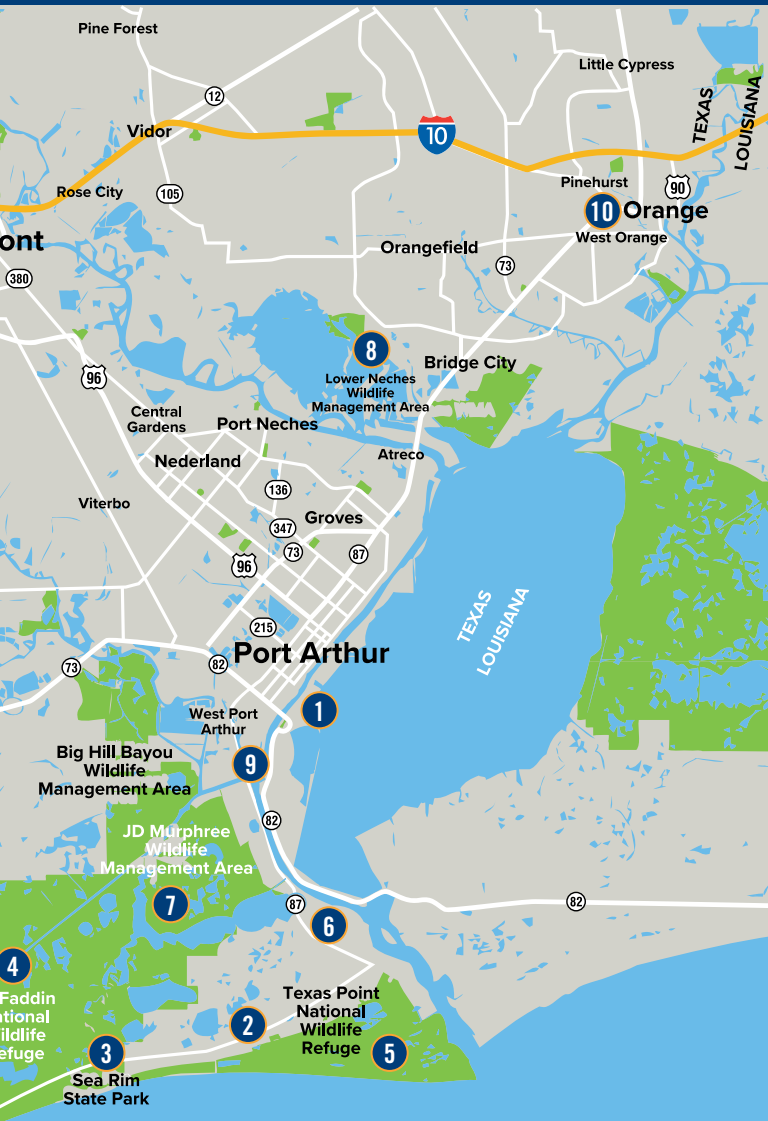


PLEASURE ISLAND | The Pleasure Island Bridge Half Marathon in fall gets hundreds of runners spanning the bridge. This 18.5 mile long man-made body of land extends from the mouth of the Neches River on the northwest to the Sabine Causeway on the southeast and is surrounded by Sabine Lake and the Sabine Neches Intracoastal Waterway.



SOUTHEAST TEXAS BIRDING CHECK LIST





1. Pleasure Island
2. Sabine Woods
3. Sea Rim State Park
4. McFaddin National Wildlife Refuge
5. Texas Point National Wildlife Refuge
6. Sabine Pass Battleground State Park
7. J.D. Murphree Wildlife Management Area
8. Lower Neches Wildlife Management Area and Bailey's Fish Camp
9. Taylor Bayou
10. Shangri La Botanical Gardens & Nature Center
11. Cattail Marsh at Tyrrell Park and Wetlands Center
12. Anahuac National Wildlife Refuge

SABINE WOODS AREA BIRDING CHECK LIST

	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL		WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL
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<input type="radio"/> Virginia Rail	VR	R		VR	<input type="radio"/> Eastern Wood.Pewee		C	R	C
<input type="radio"/> Sora	VR	U		VR	<input type="radio"/> Yellow-bellied Flycatcher		R	C	U
<input type="radio"/> Purple Gallinule		R			<input type="radio"/> Acadian Flycatcher		C	U	U
<input type="radio"/> Common Gallinule	U	U	U	U	<input type="radio"/> Willow/Alder (Trails) Flycatcher		R	R	U
<input type="radio"/> American Coot	R	R		VR	<input type="radio"/> Least Flycatcher	VR	U	C	C
<input type="radio"/> Sandhill Crane	VR			VR	<input type="radio"/> Eastern Phoebe	A	U		C
<input type="radio"/> Black-necked Stilt	VR	U	U	R	<input type="radio"/> Vermilion Flycatcher	VR	VR		VR
<input type="radio"/> American Avocet		VR	VR	VR	<input type="radio"/> Ash-throated Flycatcher		VR		R
<input type="radio"/> Black-bellied Plover		VR		VR	<input type="radio"/> Great Crested Flycatcher		C	C	C
<input type="radio"/> Semipalmated Plover	VR	VR		VR	<input type="radio"/> Great Kiskadee	R	R	R	R
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<input type="radio"/> Whimbrel		R			<input type="radio"/> Western Kingbird	VR	R	VR	VR
<input type="radio"/> Long-billed Curlew		VR		VR	<input type="radio"/> Eastern Kingbird		A	C	U
<input type="radio"/> Stilt Sandpiper		VR			<input type="radio"/> Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	R	U	U	U
<input type="radio"/> Dunlin		VR			<input type="radio"/> Fork-tailed Flycatcher		X		X

A ABUNDANT: Should see, a common species which is very numerous
B COMMON: Should see, almost certain to be seen in correct habitat
U UNCOMMON: May be seen, present but not certain to be seen

R RARE: May see, seen only a few times during season
VR VERY RARE: Not to be expected, seen at irregular intervals, not every year
X VAGRANT: Not to be expected, less than 5 records

	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL
<input type="radio"/> Loggerhead Shrike	C	C	C	C
<input type="radio"/> Black-capped Vireo		X		
<input type="radio"/> White-eyed Vireo	U	C	U	C
<input type="radio"/> Bell's Vireo		VR		R
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<input type="radio"/> Cassin's Vireo				X
<input type="radio"/> Blue-headed Vireo	C	C		C
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<input type="radio"/> Warbling Vireo		U	VR	U
<input type="radio"/> Red-eyed Vireo		C	U	C
<input type="radio"/> Yellow-green Vireo		VR	VR	
<input type="radio"/> Black-whiskered Vireo		R		
<input type="radio"/> Blue Jay	A	A	A	A
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<input type="radio"/> Fish Crow	VR	U	R	VR
<input type="radio"/> Northern Rough-winged Swallow	VR	U	R	U
<input type="radio"/> Purple Martin	R	C	U	R
<input type="radio"/> Tree Swallow	A	A	R	U
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<input type="radio"/> Carolina Chickadee	R	R	R	R
<input type="radio"/> Tufted Titmouse	VR	VR	VR	VR
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<input type="radio"/> Brown Creeper	U	R		U
<input type="radio"/> House Wren	C	U		C
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<input type="radio"/> Sedge Wren	U	U		U
<input type="radio"/> Marsh Wren	R	R	R	R
<input type="radio"/> Carolina Wren	R	R	R	R
<input type="radio"/> Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	A	C	C	A
<input type="radio"/> Golden-crowned Kinglet	C	R		U
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<input type="radio"/> Eastern Bluebird	R	VR	VR	R
<input type="radio"/> Veery		C		R
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<input type="radio"/> Swainson's Thrush		C	VR	U
<input type="radio"/> Hermit Thrush	C	U		U
<input type="radio"/> Wood Thrush	VR	C		U
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<input type="radio"/> Cedar Waxwing	U	U	VR	R
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<input type="radio"/> Worm-eating Warbler		C	U	U
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<input type="radio"/> Palm Warbler	U			U
<input type="radio"/> Pine Warbler	C	VR		U
<input type="radio"/> Yellow-rumped Warbler	C	C		U
<input type="radio"/> Yellow-throated Warbler	VR	U	U	U

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<input type="radio"/> Black-throated Gray Warbler		VR		R
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<input type="radio"/> Seaside Sparrow	VR	VR	VR	VR
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<input type="radio"/> Blue Grosbeak	VR	C	U	U
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<input type="radio"/> Bullock's Oriole		X		X
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<input type="radio"/> Rusty Blackbird	X	X		X
<input type="radio"/> Common Grackle	U	A	C	C
<input type="radio"/> Boat-tailed Grackle	C	C	C	C
<input type="radio"/> Great-tailed Grackle	A	A	A	A
<input type="radio"/> Evening Grosbeak		X		
<input type="radio"/> House Finch		VR		VR
<input type="radio"/> Pine Siskin		VR		VR
<input type="radio"/> American Goldfinch	C	R		R
<input type="radio"/> House Sparrow	VR	VR	VR	VR



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