

GEER 2021 Everglades Trivia | Welcome Social

- For two years prior to its dedication as a national park, 400,000 acres of what is now Everglades National Park was the
 - Royal Palm State Park
 - Everglades National Wildlife Refuge**
 - Everglades Wilderness Area
 - Tropical Everglades Recreation Area
- Which of the follow is true about the Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge?
 - It was established in 1951 under the authority of the Migratory Bird Conservation Act of 1929
 - It is a national wildlife refuge overlaid mostly on state-owned land
 - Its impoundments were created to attract ducks for duck hunters
 - The Strazzulla Marsh on the east side of the refuge is part of the refuge
 - All of the above**
- Which person was responsible for making the first major efforts to drain Lake Okeechobee to the Caloosahatchee River in the late 1880s?
 - Napolean Bonaparte Broward
 - Henry Flagler
 - Guy Bradley
 - Hamilton Disston**
 - Tom Watson
- During planning and design of the Central and Southern Flood Control Project in the early 1950s, they predicted the population of the project area to be 2,000,000 by the year 2000. What was the actual population of that area by 2000 (approximate numbers)?
 - 2,000,000
 - 4,000,000
 - 7,000,000**
 - 10,000,000
 - 15,000,000
- The Everglades is the only place in the world where
 - there is a pronounced wet and dry season
 - alligators and crocodiles co-exist**
 - Burmese pythons occur
 - land subsidence is a major problem
 - sawgrass grows
- Which of these attractions is NOT within the boundaries of Everglades National Park?
 - Loop Road Educational Center**
 - Long Pine Key
 - Gumbo Limbo Trail
 - Flamingo Visitor Center
 - West Lake
- The relative sea level rise at Key West over the past 100 years has been ___ ft.
 - 0.51
 - 0.65
 - 0.82**
 - 1.10
 - 1.58
- Which palm is not native to Florida?
 - Paurotis palm
 - Cabbage palm
 - Buccaneer palm
 - Coconut palm**
 - Dwarf palmetto palm
- In what year did the major hurricane occur that killed more than 2,500 people around Lake Okeechobee?
 - 1913
 - 1928**
 - 1933
 - 1947
 - 1954
- Which of the following algae is not likely to cause a harmful algae bloom!
 - Desmids**
 - Microcystis
 - Anabaena
 - Cylindrospermopsis
 - Dinoflagellates