

# Vascular Plants of Chumash Park, Simi Valley, California

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Botanical Name	Common Name	Habit	Family
<i>Achyraea mollis</i>	Blow-wives	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Agoseris heterophylla</i> var. <i>heterophylla</i>	Mountain Dandelion	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Ambrosia psilostachya</i>	Western Ragweed	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Amsinckia menziesii</i> var. <i>menziesii</i>	Common Fiddleneck	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Apium graveolens</i> *	Celery	PH	Apiaceae
<i>Artemisia californica</i>	California Sagebrush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Artemisia douglasiana</i>	Mugwort	PH	Asteraceae
<i>Astragalus trichopodus</i> var. <i>phoxus</i>	Antisell Milkvetch	PH	Fabaceae
<i>Avena barbata</i> *	Slender Wild Oat	AG	Poaceae
<i>Baccharis pilularis</i>	Coyote Brush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Bowlesia incana</i>	Bowlesia	AH	Apiaceae
<i>Brickellia californica</i>	California Brickellbush	S	Asteraceae
<i>Bromus diandrus</i> *	Ripgut Brome	AG	Poaceae
<i>Bromus hordeaceus</i> *	Soft Chess	AG	Poaceae
<i>Bromus madritensis</i> ssp. <i>rubens</i> *	Red Brome	AG	Poaceae
<i>Camissonia californica</i>	Mustard Primrose	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Centaurea melitensis</i> *	Tocalote	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Clarkia</i> sp.	Farewell-to-Spring	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Clarkia purpurea</i> var. ?	Purple Clarkia	AH	Onagraceae
<i>Crassula connata</i>	Sand Pygmy-weed	AH	Crassulaceae
<i>Cryptantha muricata</i>	Forget-Me-Not	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Datura wrightii</i>	Jimson Weed	AH	Solanaceae
<i>Dichelostemma capitatum</i> ssp. <i>capitatum</i>	Blue Dicks	PG	Themidaceae
<i>Dudleya lanceolata</i>	Lanceleaf Live-forever	PH	Crassulaceae
<i>Eriodictyon crassifolium</i> var. <i>nigrescens</i>	Thickleaf Yerba Santa	S	Boraginaceae
<i>Eriogonum elongatum</i>	Slender Buckwheat	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> var. <i>foliolosum</i>	Leafy California Buckwheat	S	Polygonaceae
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i> *	Redstem Filaree	AH	Geraniaceae
<i>Eucrypta chrysanthemifolia</i> var. <i>chrysanthemifolia</i>	Eucrypta	AH	Boraginaceae
<i>Filago californica</i>	California Filago	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Galium angustifolium</i> ssp. <i>angustifolium</i>	Chaparral Bedstraw	S	Rubiaceae
<b><i>Gilia angelensis</i></b>	<b>Los Angeles Gilia</b>	<b>AH</b>	<b>Polemoniaceae</b>
<i>Gnaphalium bicolor</i>	Bicolored Everlasting	BH	Asteraceae
<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	Toyon	S	Rosaceae
<i>Hirschfeldia incana</i> *	Summer Mustard	BH	Brassicaceae
<b><i>Juglans californica</i> ssp. <i>californica</i></b>	<b>Southern California Black Walnut</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>Juglandaceae</b>
<i>Keckiella cordifolia</i>	Heartleaf Penstemon	S	Veronicaceae
<i>Lamarckia aurea</i> *	Goldentop	AG	Poaceae

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<i>Leptodactylon californicum</i> ssp. <i>californicum</i>	Prickly Phlox	S	Polemoniaceae
<i>Lessingia filaginifolia</i> var. ?	California Cudweed-aster	PH	Asteraceae
<b><i>Linanthus dianthiflorus</i></b>	<b>Ground Pink</b>	<b>AH</b>	<b>Polemoniaceae</b>
<b><i>Lotus heermanii</i> var. <i>heermanii</i></b>	<b>Heerman Lotus</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>Fabaceae</b>
<i>Lotus scoparius</i> var. <i>scoparius</i>	Deerweed	S	Fabaceae
<i>Lotus strigosus</i> var. <i>strigosus</i>	Strigose Lotus	AH	Fabaceae
<i>Lupinus bicolor</i> ?	Miniature Lupine	AH	Fabaceae
<i>Malosma laurina</i>	Laurelleaf Sumac	S	Anacardiaceae
<i>Marah macrocarpus</i> var. <i>macrocarpus</i>	Cucamonga Man-root	PV	Cucurbitaceae
<i>Marrubium vulgare</i> *	White Horehound	PH	Lamiaceae
<i>Medicago polymorpha</i> *	Burclover	AH	Fabaceae
<i>Melica imperfecta</i>	Coast Melic Grass	PG	Poaceae
<i>Mimulus longiflorus</i> var. <i>longiflorus</i>	Sticky Bush Monkeyflower	S	Phrymaceae
<i>Mirabilis californica</i>	California Wishbone Bush	S	Nyctaginaceae
<b><i>Muhlenbergia rigens</i></b>	<b>Deer Grass</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Poaceae</b>
<i>Nassella pulchra</i>	Purple Needlegrass	PG	Poaceae
<b><i>Pectocarya linearis</i> ssp. <i>ferocula</i></b>	<b>Linear Comb-bur</b>	<b>AH</b>	<b>Boraginaceae</b>
<i>Pellaea andromedifolia</i> var. <i>andromedifolia</i>	Coffee Fern	PF	Pteridaceae
<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i> var. <i>triangularis</i>	Goldenback Fern	PF	Pteridaceae
<i>Phacelia ramosissima</i>	Branching Phacelia	PH	Boraginaceae
<b><i>Plantago erecta</i></b>	<b>California Plantain</b>	<b>AH</b>	<b>Veronicaceae</b>
<i>Polypodium californicum</i>	California Polypody	PF	Polypodiaceae
<i>Pterostegia drymarioides</i>	Fairy Mist	AH	Polygonaceae
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i> var. <i>agrifolia</i>	Coast Live Oak	T	Fagaceae
<i>Quercus lobata</i>	Valley Oak	T	Fagaceae
<b><i>Ribes indecorum</i></b>	<b>White-flowered Currant</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>Grossulariaceae</b>
<i>Rumex crispus</i> *	Curly Dock	PH	Polygonaceae
<i>Salix lasiolepis</i> var. <i>lasiolepis</i>	Arroyo Willow	T	Salicaceae
<i>Salvia leucophylla</i>	Purple Sage	S	Lamiaceae
<i>Sambucus mexicana</i>	Blue Elderberry	S	Adoxaceae
<i>Schismus barbatus</i> *	Arabian Grass	AG	Poaceae
<i>Selaginella bigelovii</i>	Bigelow Spike-rush	PF	Selaginellaceae
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i> *	Common Groundsel	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Sisymbrium orientale</i> *	Eastern Mustard	AH	Brassicaceae
<i>Solanum xantii</i> var. <i>xantii</i>	Chaparral Nightshade	S	Solanaceae
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> *	Common Sow-thistle	AH	Asteraceae
<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>	Poison Oak	PV	Anacardiaceae
<i>Typha domingensis</i>	Narrowleaf Cattail	PG	Typhaceae

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<i>Vulpia myuros</i> var. <i>myuros</i> *	Rattail Fescue	AG Poaceae
<i>Yucca whipplei</i> ssp. <i>cespitosa</i>	Clumping Our Lord's Candle	S Agavaceae
<i>Zauschneria californica</i> var. <i>californica</i>	California Fuchsia	PH Onagraceae

Notes: Scientific nomenclature follows Hickman (1993 - *The Jepson Manual*). Common names follow Abrams and Ferris (1960 - *Illustrated Flora of the Pacific States*), Niehaus and Ripper (1976 - *A Field Guide to Pacific States Wildflowers*), and DeGarmo (1980 - *California List of Scientific and Common Plant Names*). Plants in **bold** are rare in California or Ventura County.

Plant Family assignment follows the Angiosperm Phylogeny Group 1998 (<http://www.mobot.org/MOBOT/research/APweb/>).

An "\*" indicates non-native species which have become naturalized or persist without cultivation.

A "+" indicates ornamental or agricultural plant species that are actively cultivated.

Growth habit definitions:

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