



## Scavenger Hunt For Younger Guests - On the Boardwalk

*Welcome to the Exxon Mobil Bayou Boardwalk. Take a stroll all the way around the Boardwalk and use these activities as a guide to learn more about our Bellingrath Bayou.*

- Look at the tall plants growing on each side of the entrance to the Boardwalk. These are bamboo plants. Guess how many feet tall they are. How are these plants different from others in the garden?
- Look at the water mark stick in the water and write down how deep the water is.
- Have someone read the first informational panel (sign) to you. What was the original name of Bellingrath Gardens and Home?
- Look for animals in the water. What do you see?
- Look for birds in the water and in the air. Have someone show you the sign about birds and tell you about them.
- How do the birds catch fish in the water?
- Look at the plants in the water. Tell how they are different from the plants in the gardens.
- Describe 2 different kinds of fish in the water. About how big are they? How are they alike and how are they different?
- Do you see any other kinds of animals as you walk along the Boardwalk? If so, tell someone about them. Name the animals you see.
- Why do you think this river is called Fowl River? Ask someone if you do not know.
- Draw something that you saw when you were on the boardwalk. (Use the back of this paper if you need to.)