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Start Fishin’
FLORIDA - Ten Thousand Islands
DESCRIPTION:
Ten Thousand Islands National Wildlife Refuge is located between Marco Island and Everglades City, Florida.

LOCAL ATTRACTIONS:
The Marsh Trail and Observation Tower provide easy public access and wildlife viewing to visitors of the Refuge. This 2.2 mile round trip trek follows the only access trail found on the refuge. The first 1/4 mile of the trail is paved, the rest being a wide gravel road. The two-story observation tower includes benches and the first level is handicap accessible.

WARNINGS:
Please use caution when walking the trails. Bring plenty of water, insect repellent, and sunscreen. Please do not leave valuables in your car and allow time to return to your vehicle and leave the refuge before the entrance gate closes at sunset. Pet are permitted when contained on a 6’ leash. Do not hike or jog alone. Keep small children under supervision and close at hand. Do not feed any wildlife. There are no facilities on the islands.
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A spinning reel in the 5000 to 7000 size paired with a medium-heavy rod is a great all-purpose outfit for tarpon fishing. The reel should be fully sealed to guard against corrosive saltwater and have a strong, smooth drag to quickly tame your quarry. 50-pound test braided line is the standard for tarpon, and you'll want to have plenty on the spool—250 to 300 yards.

FISHING TIP:
The Tarpon is a large thick-bodied fish generally silver in color other than its back.

FISHING ETHICS:
Tarpon can only be fished recreationally in Florida. The majority of recreational anglers practice catch and release since the fish is not considered to be of any food value. However, anglers can possess them for trophy purposes at the cost of $50 per tag. Without this tag, possession is illegal.

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WEATHER

EVERGLADES CITY
WEATHER

72 °F
overcast clouds

TODAY'S TIDES

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RECENT DATA  as of 11/5/2021 9:06PM
Local Time

Water Level: 1.73 ft above MLLW
Next Tide: 12:06AM,

Water Temperature: 78.6°F
Fisherman Joe
2 days ago

The water is super murky in this area from algae recently.

Fisherman Jack
10:58AM

Is it still there?

Fisherman Jake
11:00AM

I went out there earlier today and I didn’t notice anything out of the ordinary.

Fisherman Jake
11:01AM

Please do not eat the fish from this area if you are visiting, the algae is harmful to human.