

BLACKACRE MAMMALS
(20 species)

ORDER MARSUPIALIA

Opossums: Dideiphilidae

_____ Opossum (*Didelphus virginiae*)

ORDER INSECTIVORA

Moles: Talpidae

_____ Eastern Mole
(*Scalopus aquaticus*)

Shrews: Soricidae

_____ Short-tailed Shrew
(*Blarina brevicauda*)

ORDER CHIROPTERA*

Insect-Eating Bats: Vespertilionidae

_____ Little Brown Bat
(*Myotis lucifugus*)

ORDER LAGOMORPHA

Rabbits: Leporidae

_____ Eastern Cottontail
(*Sylvilagus floridanus*)

ORDER RODENTIA

Squirrels: Sciuridae

_____ Eastern Chipmunk
(*Tamias striatus*)
_____ Groundhog (*Marmota monax*)
_____ Gray Squirrel
(*Sciurus carolinensis*)

Beavers: Castoridae

_____ American Beaver
(*Castor canadensis*)

New World Rats and Mice: Cricetidae

_____ White-footed Mouse
(*Peromyscus leucopus*)
_____ Meadow Vole
(*Microtus pennsylvanicus*)
_____ Muskrat (*Ondatra zibethicus*)

Old World Rats and Mice: Muridae

_____ House Mouse (*Mus musculus*)

ORDER CARNIVORA

Dog Family: Canidae

_____ Coyote (*Canis latrans*)
_____ Gray Fox
(*Urocyon cirereoargenteus*)
_____ Red Fox (*Vulpes vulpes*)

Raccoon Family: Procyonidae

_____ Raccoon (*Procyon lotor*)

Weasel Family: Musrelidae

_____ Long-tailed Weasel
(*Mustela frenata*)
_____ Striped Skunk
(*Memphitis memphitis*)

ORDER ARTIODACTYLA

Deer: Cervidae

_____ White-tailed Deer
(*Odocoileus virginianus*)

* There is at least one more species of bat at Blackacre. Larger bats than the Little Brown have been seen flying about the preserve, but a species determination has not yet been made.

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