



RIDDLE 1

My uses are many, as you may know,
I live in wetlands where water may flow.

I am quite good cooked or eaten raw too,=
My sword-like leaves collect lots of dew.

My brown, spiky flowers
perched up, oh so tall,
Looks kind of like cotton
once summer turns to fall.

What wetland plant am I?

T A C T I L A



RIDDLE 2

I stand in the forest
with green leaves and rough bark,
Some places you'll find me
are in wetlands and parks.

In springtime my buds
are sticky – beware,
When having a picnic,
sit down with great care.

What tree am I?

A B L M A S

L O P P R A



RIDDLE 3

I'm the only tree in Alberta
with needles that shed,
When the weather gets cold
they turn yellow and red.

I grow lots of places,
but wetlands are one,
I like poorly drained soil
and lots of bright sun.

What tree am I?

C A H R L



RIDDLE 4

My roots love to grow
in lands that are wet,
A marsh bank or fen
would be a good bet.

I may look like tall grass
but you must understand,
My stem has three edges;
just feel with your hand.

What wetland plant am I?

E S D E G



RIDDLE 5

We can make pulp and paper
from this kind of tree,
The farther North that you travel,
the more you will see,

My needles are square
and with bark- brownish gray,
My strong fresh scent smells
like Christmas day.

What tree am I?

P R C U E S



RIDDLE 6

I grow on the edges
of wetlands and streams,
Moose, muskrat and deer
like to eat me it seems.

I have lots of branches;
sometimes I'm a shrub,
I can grow fuzzy catkins
that are soft when they're rubbed.

What shrub am I?

O W L L I W