

# Weekly Wild Wednesday

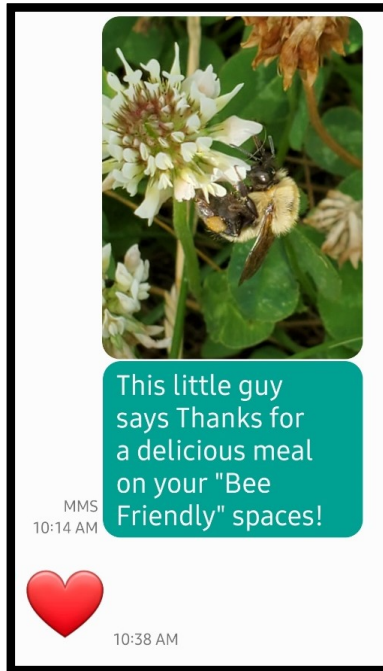
June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021

*What a BEE-autiful week!*



**It's working! This Hummingbird Moth and the Monarch Caterpillar are both right beside a concrete driveway and stairs!**

**Nature CAN use Urban spaces!**



This little guy says Thanks for a delicious meal on your "Bee Friendly" spaces!

MMS  
10:14 AM



10:38 AM



**And next door to "The Flower House", Ashley's Bee Friendly Lawn helped this bumble bee survive! Grow Ashley! Find what you need, Nature!**



**Paul "Made this space a LOT Better" in Sertoma Park.**

**The aggressive Red Cedars were smothering the Native Plants in this high quality Remnant Prairie! Go Paul! With a hand saw!**







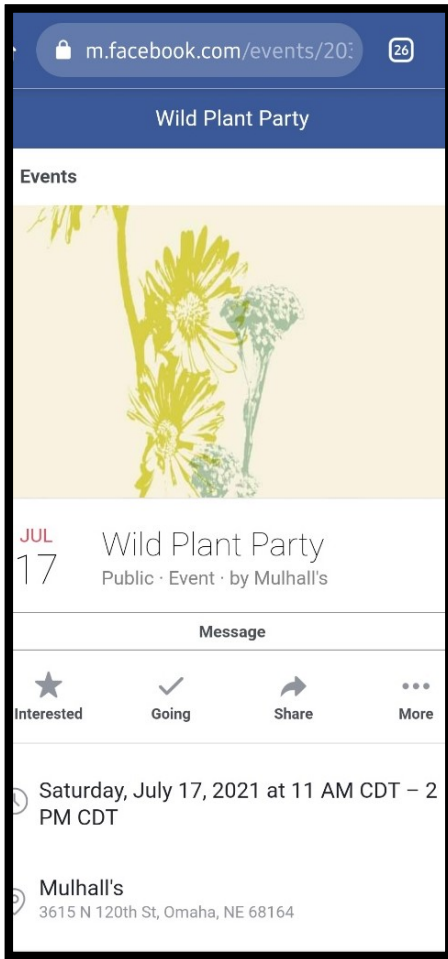
Friends of Stone Park hosted the First Day of Summer Hike, guided by Eric. Dawn helped us to spot plants and insects along the hike! Here were some of our many sightings!



Can you see the Red Scarlet Cup, Sweet Cicely, Bottle Brush grass in bloom, Porcupine Grass seed, American hophorn bean tree, Carolina Delphinium?

And does anyone know this moth's (?) identification?





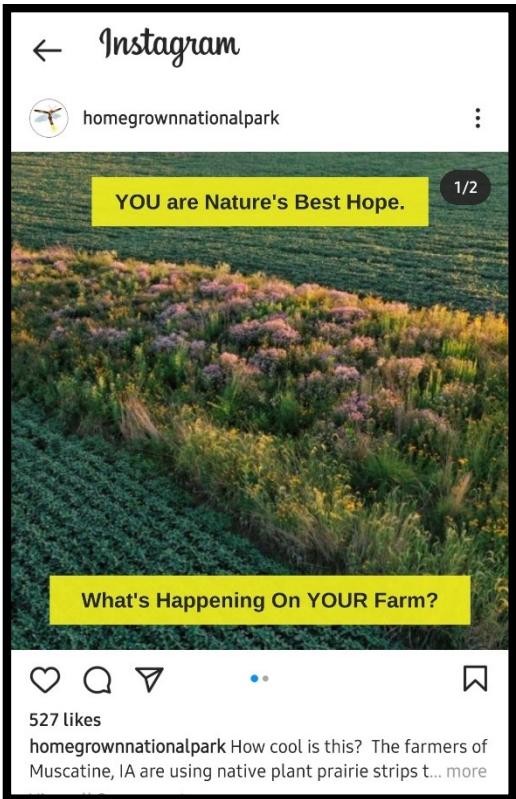
**Mark your calendars for July 17<sup>th</sup>, and drive to Omaha to support Native Plants in OUR area! Mulhalls is hosting a Wild Plant Party!**

**The speakers look really interesting!**

**Grow Mulhalls!**

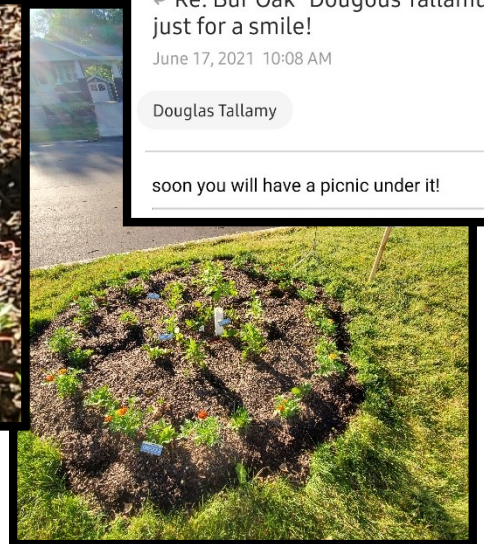
Visit with the folks from Bellevue Native Plant Society. And stop in at our mini-seminar series for a quick introduction on the basics to help you get started!

- Mini-Seminar Series
- 11:00-11:15  
What's the Deal with Native Plants?  
Nathan Duffy, Midwest Natives Nursery
- 11:30-11:45  
Getting Started with a Native Planting  
Ethan Anderson, Mulhall's
- 12:00-12:15  
Favorite Wildflowers from Our Collection  
Claire Harsh, Mulhall's
- 12:30-12:45  
Planting to Welcome the Birds  
Bob Ewing, Mulhall's
- 1:00-1:15  
Planting for the Butterflies  
Scott Evans, Nebraska Extension
- 1:30-1:45  
Understanding Insects in Your Garden  
Scott Evans, Nebraska Extension



"Dougous Tallamus" the Bur Oak is growing like crazy!  
Hope this photo comes thru ok.  
Kind Regards, Ruth 🌻🦋🌿

↩ Re: Bur Oak "Dougous Tallamus"-- just for a smile!  
June 17, 2021 10:08 AM  
Douglas Tallamy  
soon you will have a picnic under it!



**← Michelle from Homegrown National Park gave a shout out to the Muscatine, Iowa Farmers on Instagram! And the Bur Oak is growing! Looking forward to that picnic, Doug!**

*Wishing you a week filled with 'Growing' Successes!*



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