Weekly Wild Wednesday

What A Week of "Seed Sowing Adventures!!"

Easy Native Perennials from Seed: January is the Time, Snow & All

No grow lights or special equipment needed!





What a week of seed sowing! We did some Winter Seed Sowing like the video above from Wild Seed Project, and also like Mt.

Cuba taught us as well!

Sara did some seeding on the Friends of Stone Park Pocket Prairie as well, thanks Sara!

All these seeds will teach us patience-- as some take many years to germinate or grow

above ground! Wow!

Prairie Moon showed us exactly how to plan our seeding processes with their awesome Germination guides for each kind of seed

we purchased!

At the 'Wild Mess In Progress' we put out the seeds in pots JUST BEFORE our snow started falling,

> great timing! Thanks, Nature! **Grow Wild, tiny** seeds!

We planted 26 different Keystone Species!







GERMINATION CODES

FOR NATIVE PLANTS

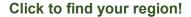






S0-What IS a **Keystone Species** of plant for your area? The awesome video above From Doug Tallamy and the **National Wildlife** Federation-- and the corresponding website and charts

on these links will help you plan **YOUR Keystone Garden!**



This one is the Great Plains Area with a specific link to that region, 9! →

And we are still working on our Iowa Prairie Plants, one at a time, by pencil coloring and repeating their information!





	Plant Genus Quercus	Sample of Common Species (not all encompassing) But ook (Quercus macrocarpa), Post ook (Quercus stellato), ill ookjack ook (Quercus moritandica)	# Caterpillar Species that Use this as a Host Plant	If of Patter Specialist See species that Rely on this Plant	
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	Sex.60	tiver birch (tetuis rigra), paper birch (tetuis paperline)	gr W		
	Popular	Eastern coltonwood (Papulus deltoides)	w w		
	Airson	tag sider (Alnus serulata)	or W	8	
	Afoku	Pysirie crahappie (Malus isensis)	60 W		
	Caya	Shagbork hickory (Carya oveta), Biltemut hickory (carya conditoresis)	151 W		
	Acer	Box elder (Acer negando), Silver maple (Acer tacchorinam)	m W		
Shrubs	Safe	Peachieal willow (solix arrygdaloides), Sandbor willow (talk interior)	201 😿	# (P)	
	Hoccinium	Sparkleberry (Voccinium entoneum), Deerberry (Voccinium stomineum)	m W		
	C/vysarhamnus	Ralabitbrush (Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus)		s 🕸	
	Ericomenia	Rubber ralphitbrush (Ericameria nauseasa)		** (P)	
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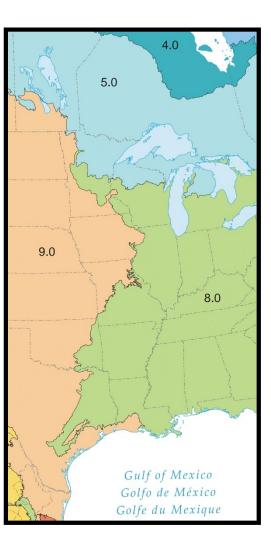
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Behala	birch	691
Populus	aspen cottonwood popiar	199
Alrus	older	161
Value	oppie	762
Caryo	hickory	#13
Vocolnium	blueberry, cronberry deerberry	701
Acar	mople	995
Nes	pine	595
Ulmus	eim	MF
tokle	larch	11
Cartanea	chestruit	- 9
Trugo	hernlock	11
TURO	basswood	
Cronovgus	hawthern	50
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Nubus	blackberry, respicery	11
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Abire	fir	25
Corplus	hosel	76
None	spruce	.00
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Solidaga	goldenrod	82
Amalonchier.	serviceberry	47
Dorrani	doment	46



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Oxindelia	gumwood	u	
Solidago	golderrod	58	
Chrysothemnus	rabbitbrush	sz	
dutierreals	snokeweed	50	
Neterotheca	goldenester	10	
lymphyotrichum	gater	- 65	
Evicomenia	goldenbush	97	
viwbesing	wingstern	39	
Rudbeckia	block eyed susen	11	
Cholum	thiatie	30	
Inigerom	fleatione	80	
Machawanthera	tansyester	11	
Оспеорой	tickseed	28	
toleya	desert morigoid	85	
Senecio	regwort	22	
holix	willow	20	
Dollardia	blenketflower	- 9	
Oldens	beggartick	- 44	
secome	geidenbush	15	
Baccharis	beecheris	11	
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Artrogolus	mikvetch	- a	
Chrysopols	galderater	- 9	
Dalea	prairie clover	a	
resioneris	goldereye	12	
Vernonia	ironweed	0	
Neviopeis	Neliopsis	11	
Denothera	evening primose	**	
minimissism	sneezeweed	10	





We are so grateful! What a gift!

Dianne sent us some Prairie Dock seeds from her own personal prairie to try at The Wild Mess in Progress, and also to put into the Seed Library!







← Laura and the Tallgrass Prairie Center are hosting Benjamin Vogt January 27th at 4PM! Register by clicking photo!

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Gardener
has free
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And below, Mary Gardiner shows us beneficial insects and the plants that support them, to help with YOUR seed selections!





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