

# Weekly Wild Wednesday

October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025

What a Week of "STREET cleaning & SEED Saving!"

## Siouxland non-profit keeps city clean

Tyler Euchner

Keeping the Environment Clean



Ravine Park Street and Creek Cleaning is SO rewarding!! We start out clean with the park and streets disgusting, and then we end up disgusting with the Ravine, trails, and streets CLEAN!!

← Marcie did a fabulous job with the interview! Click for link!

[SIOUX CITY, Iowa \(KCAU\)](#) — In an effort to keep Sioux City looking clean, a local non-profit spent their Sunday afternoon picking up trash in a wooded area.



Here's the Clean Before, →  
And below is the Not-So-Clean After!  
Thank you to everyone who helped with this worthwhile work!!  
Thanks, Elisa, for the great 'after' photo!



OK—it's just above and beyond (or below and in the Ravine Creek) to go get a whole, muddy, heavy, cumbersome TIRE!!

Teamwork is the way to get the job done JOYFULLY!  
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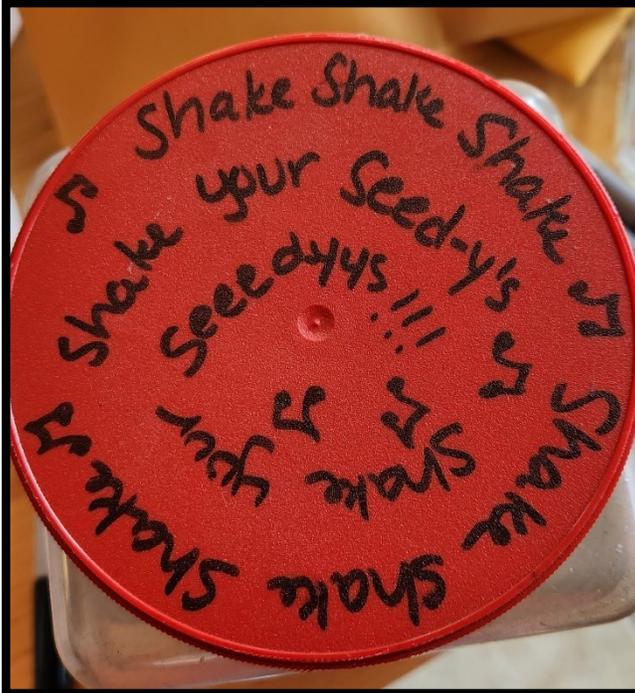
Lilly found a Tennis Racket and a Baseball!! She put them to instant use! Danielle and Jimmy completed their team in this selfie!! →

We had a FABULOUS and DELICIOUS FEAST after cleaning up-- but do you think ANY of us remembered to snap a photo? THAT is TRULY having fun!!





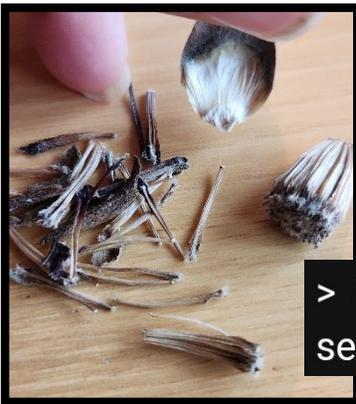
We are ALL in flat out, full on SEED PROCESSING for the Loess Hills Wild Ones Seed Library housed at the Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center! It is really rewarding!!



← You get to Shake Shake Shake— or SMASH (above) out your frustrations if you have any, and do some dancing while you're at it!

The turkeys (above the arrow) are waiting for the falling chaff!

They rush in and gobble up any leftovers and hopefully poop them into stratified and fertilized droppings in the pastures!



← You have to text-- or email-- the experts in this field a LOT!!!!

(Sorry, Dr. Zales!)



> So do I have this right--the one I am holding has a seed, and the rest are chaff?

Correct, only the yellow outer flowers are fertile

And you end up with THIS!!!



Yippeeee!!!



The BULK seeds stayed covered EVERY MINUTE that they were not downstairs! That spot is temperature controlled- and a light free environment-- that will be home 'till packaged and taken to the Seed Library!

Below, packaging can be done in front of your favorite football game! Or while Bird Watching! Or at a festive gathering with likeminded friends!!

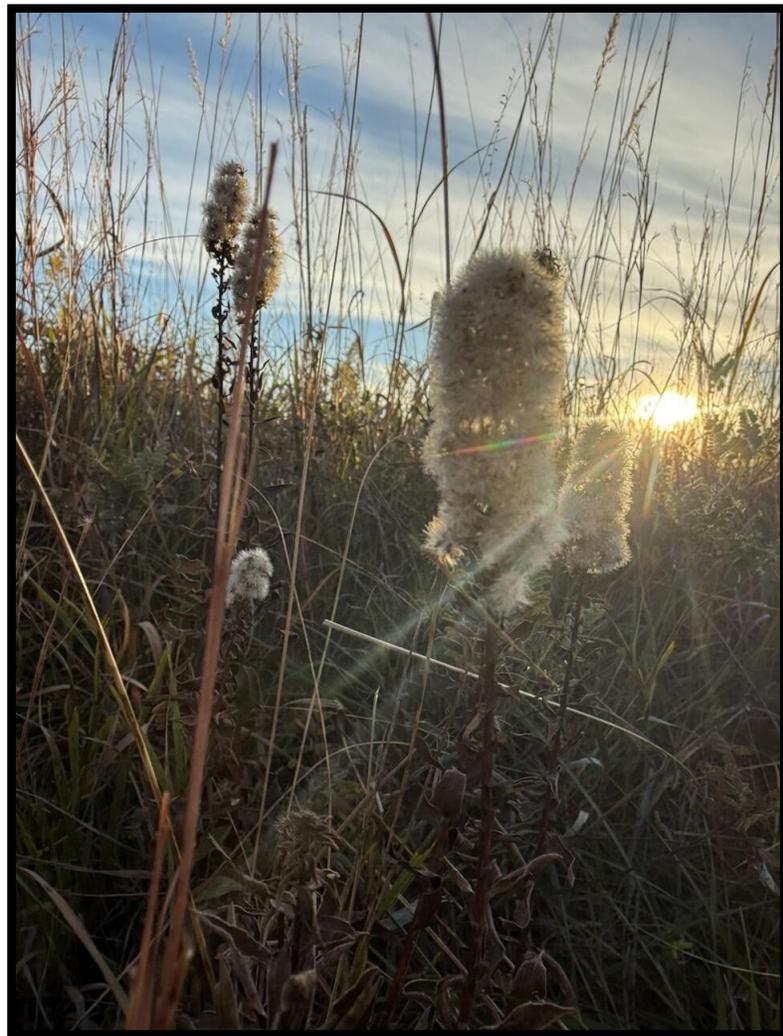


I spent the morning collecting seeds . So much Sneezweed!

← AAAAANNNDddd---Just when you are patting yourselves on the back for a JOB WELL DONE, and sadly regretting that Bulk Seed Processing is over already, you get this WELCOMED TEXT from Marcie!!!

In the meantime, you go for a HIKE or look out a WINDOW!

Laaassttt ONE!!!  
Palm Sedge!!



Found today north of Yankton. Crazy!

Thanks, Coral, (Pasque Flower) Dawn, (Showy Goldenrod) and Ruth (Virginia Creeper)



*Wishing you a week filled with "Clean Parks and Seed Saving!"*

