

Whimsical Wild Wednesday

July 8th, 2026
"JOIN US in JULY!!"

As always, for FIVE YEARS of Wild Wednesdays, Click [HERE!!](#)

We have SO MANY interactive things going on this month! Thank you, Dawn, for all these awesome fliers, and to Dotty and the hosts for the detailed descriptions! Hope to see you at any or ALL of these events!!
Yippeeeeeeee!!!

Sara's Garden Walk

Friday, July 10, 2026, 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm (Central Time) Sara's Garden, 5115 Hamilton Blvd, Sioux City, IA, 51108

Join Us at Sara's Garden Walk where there is a mix of garden habitats including petite woodlands with Sweet Cicely, Smooth Solomon Seal, Virginia Water Leaf, Snowberry, and Ivory Sedge.

There is a shady rain garden with Marsh Marigold, Swamp Rose Mallow, Cardinal Flowers, Sedges and other moist or shade-loving plants.

In another area there is a small stumpery with some Ferns that are continuing to expand and behind the stumpery Yellow Jewel Weed grows naturally. These three gardens are backed by the Perry Creek bank.

In the front yard, there are sunny areas with native plants such as Liatris, Prairie Rose, Michigan Lily, Coneflowers, Coreopsis, Prairie Clover, Wild Indigo, and Sedges. On the side of the house there are more shade-loving plants including Columbine. There is also a non-native herb garden and small vegetable garden.

Host: Sara Price

Morningside University's Cargill Outdoor Classroom Educational Prairie

Saturday, July 18, 2026, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm (Central Time)

Rosen Ag Center, Morningside University, 1800 Sioux Trail, Sioux City, IA 51106

Two and a half years since its establishment, the Cargill Outdoor Classroom Educational Prairie has served as a wildlife oasis at Morningside University. The prairie's creation stems from the University's mission of lifelong learning and dedication to ethical leadership and civic responsibility. Through extensive research, self-grown and transplanted natives, and routine maintenance, the Educational Prairie has integrated itself within the agriculture department

as a model student-led project. In its current state, over two dozen native species of local ecotype are present within the hillside garden, with various blooms throughout the summer and fall. The Educational Prairie is the product of community support that aims to provide learning opportunities for all students alike, in the hopes of sharing the collective benefit of native plants in the greater Siouxland area. Host: Jose Lopez



**WILD ONES SUMMER
GARDEN WALKS**

**BSA Troop 208 Native
Prairie Garden
Sat., July 18**



FREE
EVENT

**SERTOMA PARK, 3233
SINGING HILLS
BLVD., SIOUX CITY**

10AM - 1 PM

Troop 208 Native Prairie Garden

**Saturday, July 18, 2026, 10:00 am –
1:00 pm (Central Time)
Sertoma Park, 3233 Singing Hills
Blvd., Sioux City, IA 51106**

This garden is the result of an eagle project done by a member of Troop 208 in Sioux City. The garden is located at Sertoma Park and features a variety of prairie plants endemic to the Loess Hills. This site was picked because it had a wonderful opportunity to educate the public about the benefits and beauty of native plants. It is also a good example of how a native plant garden looks in its infancy.

**Host: Noah Elder, Eagle Scout,
Troop 208**

**Hilltop Garden Walk and Summer
Plant Sale**

**Saturday, July 25, 2026, 10:00 am –
1:00 pm (Central Time)
2801 S. Cecelia Street, Sioux City,
IA 51106**

Tom & Cheri Stewart have created an ever-expanding, backyard native garden paradise that is both beautiful and ecologically significant. In 2022, Stewart's Hilltop Garden was awarded Sioux City's Yard-of-the-Year.

Come walk through the gardens and enjoy the pollinators who are also visiting! Then relax on a garden bench while enjoying some refreshments.

Or shop the native plant sale at the Hilltop Garden and pick up a few natives for your own yard. Proceeds from the plant sale go towards funding native plant gardens and educational programs in the Siouxland region.

Hosts: Tom & Cheri Stewart

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**Hilltop Garden and
Native Plant Sale
Sat., July 25**



**NATIVE PLANTS
FOR SALE**

**PROCEEDS GO
TO WILD ONES**

FREE
GARDEN
WALK

**2801 S. CECELIA ST.,
SIOUX CITY**

10AM - 1 PM

Wishing you a MONTH filled with "Joining Us in JULY!"



Click below for details of ALL the upcoming Local and National events!!

Upcoming Events

- **Sara's Garden Walk**

Jul 10th, 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

- **Morningside Garden Walks**

Jul 18th, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

- **Free National Webinar: How to Talk to
Your Neighbors (and Your HOA) About
Your Garden with Lorraine Johnson**

Hosted by Wild Ones National

Jul 22nd, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

- **Summer Plant Sale and Hilltop Garden
Walk**

Jul 25th, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

- **Vermillion Garden Walks**

Aug 8th, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

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