

Prairie Resources

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West Prairie-Marsh Nature Preserve Trail Guide. College of DuPage, 1995. [hard copy & pdf available]

College of DuPage. "Free Tours This Summer of COD's 30-Year-Old Russell R. Kirt Prairies."

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Images and video:

A variety of photographs of the prairie areas on campus are available in the archive. Scans of images may be requested.

A short video clip of the controlled prairie burn that took place April 17, 2015 is available.