

# Invasive Weed Pull

**Join the fight against invasive plant species – attend an Invasive Weed Pull event to learn how to identify and remove invasive plant species from Lethbridge’s natural areas!**

Invasive Weed Pull events help to protect the natural biodiversity of our region. We encourage our community to participate so can effectively deploy an ‘Early Detection, Rapid Response’ for prohibited noxious weeds in our river valley. Specifically, Invasive Weed Pull events target spotted knapweed and diffuse knapweed.

No pre-registration necessary, simply meet at the designated location on the corresponding date/time. We provide gloves, bags, and orientation so you know what to look for!

Please note, weed pull events may involve strenuous physical activity.

## Weedy Wednesdays\*

Do your part to protect our local biodiversity on the third Wednesday of every month from May to August! Visit the locations below anytime between 6-8pm to get an orientation and supplies, then help us minimize the impacts of prohibited noxious weeds.

*\*Cleanups are subject to change according to recommended COVID-19 safety measures.*

- May 19 – Coulee Climb at Helen Schuler
- June 16 – Elizabeth Hall Wetlands
- July 14 – Galt Museum
- August 18 – Coulee Climb at Helen Schuler

Certificates are available upon request. This is especially helpful for high school students looking to get volunteer hours!

Remember – read the **safety information**, and follow the latest recommendations set out by public health officials regarding COVID-19.

**All cleanups must adhere to the ‘Organizing a Solo, Household, or Small Team Cleanup’ Guidelines.**

Invasive Weed Pulls are made possible through partnerships with B93, Country 95, Alberta Ecotrust Foundation, Alberta Conservation Association, Lethbridge Parks, Friends of the Helen Schuler Nature Centre Society, and the City of Lethbridge.

For more information on River Valley Conservation programs in Lethbridge:

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