

## 2003 ICEC Service Learning Minigrants

County	Name of Project	Project Contact	Grade(s)
Emmet	<b>A Return in time to Estherville</b> They will plant & care for prairie grass and flowers around the Estherville Welcome sign. They will also put birdhouses and bat houses in the area.	Paula Sorensen Community Christian School 31 Grandview Dr. Estherville, IA 51334	Presch – 8 <sup>th</sup>
Emmet	<b>Armstrong-Ringsted Beautification Project</b> They plan to beautify the communities by building welcome signs and then planting flowers and shrubs.	Matt Berninghaus Armstrong-Ringsted Comm. School 600 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Armstrong, IA 50514	HS
Webster	<b>Keep Fort Dodge Beautiful Litter Index Survey</b> Youth members of Keep Fort Dodge Beautiful will perform a Letter Index Survey to assess litter pollution and blighted areas in their community.	Nick De Angelis Community Action Network 802 Kenyon Rd. Fort Dodge, IA 50501 (Fort Dodge Senior High & Saint Edmond High)	HS
Dickinson	<b>Bluebird Houses for Spring Run</b> The Terril HS Advanced Biology class will make bluebird houses and place them around the Dickinson County area.	Marc Benedict Terril Community School 101 S. School Street Terril, IA 51364	HS
Cass	<b>Earth Day 2003</b> The 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade and FFA students will plant trees around the community.	Kay Stork Anita Community School 1000 Victory Park Road Anita, IA 50020	2 <sup>nd</sup> & FFA
Decatur	<b>Wood Duck Nest Boxes for Decatur County</b> We will construct 24 wood duck nest boxes for the wildlife area in the county.	Gene Olsen Central Decatur HS 1201 NE Popular Leon, IA 50114	HS
Bremer	<b>Go with the Flow: A Stream Monitoring Project</b> We plan to collect stream data on three local streams and submit the data to the DNR IOWATER program.	Patricia Fox Waverly-Shell Rock Senior HS 1405 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave. SW Waverly, IA 50677	HS
Winneshiek	<b>Finding Frogs</b> We will study & survey the local frog population to see if there are any deformed frogs in NE Iowa.	Rachel Sandhorst Pleasant Valley Home School Association 2082 State Hwy. 9 Decorah, IA 52101	11 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>

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Jones	<b>Maintaining the Monticello Old Railroad Trail</b> We plan to restore and expand the Old Railroad trail that connects to the high school campus.	John Black Monticello High School 850 East Oak St. Monticello, IA 52310	HS
Jones	<b>What's the Difference</b> We plan to test the water in two different watersheds. They will include Kitty Creek and Silver Creek	John Black Monticello High School 850 East Oak St. Monticello, IA 52310	HS
Jones	<b>Breen Prairie</b> We plan to improve the Breen Prairie which is outside of Monticello on Highway 38 north.	John Black Monticello High School 850 East Oak St. Monticello, IA 52310	HS
Jones	<b>The Realization of Trails</b> We plan to create trail pamphlets to be used by the 5 <sup>th</sup> grade. We will also do a survey to see how many teachers know about the trails.	John Black Monticello High School 850 East Oak St. Monticello, IA 52310	5 <sup>th</sup> & HS
Buchanan	<b>Cleaning Up Our Oelwein Environment</b> The students will clean up the litter along railroad tracks around our school and leads to downtown. The mayor and council are trying to bring new businesses and industries to our town.	Mrs. Ubben Sacred Heart Elementary 601 First Ave. SW Oelwein, IA 50662	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup>
Boone	<b>Backyard Birdfeeding</b> Our project is in three parts. We will compare birdfeeding stations; make recycled feeders at home; help maintain feeding station at school; and make edible birdfeeding ornaments for the Iowa Arboretum.	Mary Clark United Community School 1284 U Ave. Boone, IA 50036	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Ringold	<b>Fogle Lake Butterfly Garden</b> Fogle lake is a new lake on the edge of Diagonal. It has walking trails used by adults and children. We plan to design and build a butterfly garden in an area along the walking trail.	Sue Mobley Diagonal Elementary School 403 West Second Diagonal, IA 50845	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup>

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