



Education Trailer

2025

2025 in Review

The education trailer continues to be an asset to Grow Wild's mission of creating an educated and informed community of land stewards.

In 2025, our trailer travelled all around southwest MT. From Big Sky, to Manhattan, to all the way in the Ruby Valley. From rainy spring days teaching under the shelter of the trailer to balmy summer evenings spent at the Big Sky Farmers Market engaging visitors and locals, our trailer continues to invite curiosity everywhere it goes. It even plays a part in our annual native plant sale!

With nearly every inch of available space filled, we're continually improving our existing educational tools, ensuring that information is up to date and relevant to the communities we serve.



41 events



3,133 miles



782 kids



1,113 adults



The education trailer at GCD's annual Summer Stewards program!

"Over the past several years, Grow Wild has been an esteemed partner in our annual Summer Stewards program, along with other events such as the Manhattan Farmers Market.

When their education trailer rolls in, kids and adults alike are curious to see what it's all about and enthused to learn! **The impact that trailer has on the Gallatin Valley is incredibly immense.** GCD is grateful to have Grow Wild as a reliable conservation partner, to learn from their resources, and to simply be around their infectious energy."

—**Bea McNamara** Education & Outreach Director,
Gallatin Conservation District

History

Everywhere you look are graphics educating you on topics like terrestrial and aquatic invasive species, clean recreation practices like Clean.Drain.Dry. and PlayCleanGo, and wildscaping practices.

Partner and funder logos have a special spot on the back for all to see while we're traveling on the road!



543 kids • 1,129 adults

2023

2,733 miles • 39 events

1,165 kids • 1,770 adults



2024

3,945 miles • 44 events

We added a ceiling graphic of Montana's five vegetation zones that highlights keystone species, native pollinators, and interactions between trophic levels.

We also installed a display case of handcrafted paper wildflowers and weeds—including aquatic invasive species!

