

Alfalfa County Murk Thirtle Program & Weevil Roundup

Wednesday, <u>May 12, 2021</u>
9:00 - 11:00 AM, Jet Mini Mart *Jet, Oklahoma Tommy Puffinbarger Alfalfa County Extension Educator*

Musk thistle is a noxious weed and state law requires landowners to control it in such a way as to not allow it to go to seed. Integrated management of thistle can be chemical, mechanical and biological.

The success of all control measures include best management practices with the proper selection and timing of a chemical application, mowing or digging or releasing a natural enemy such as musk thistle head weevil.

Area landowners will have an opportunity to help themselves with the eradication of musk thistle Wednesday May 12, 2021. Participants will meet at the Jet Mini-Mart at 9:00am. From there the group will travel to collection sites to roundup weevils.

Those participating in the collection will need to bring leather gloves. Containers for weevils and collection nets will be available for participants to use.

To sign up for the collection or for more information, call the Extension Office at **580-596-3131**.



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Participants are encouraged to maintain at least 6 feet spacing. If this spacing cannot be maintained with people outside your household, you should wear a mask.

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