

Seeding Possibilities where play shapes ecology

“Seeding Possibilities: Where Play Shapes Ecology” invites visitors to explore opportunities across its landscape. It offers an immersive experience, blending guerrilla gardening tactics and playful engagement with structures inspired by garden elements like pavilions, lanterns, or parterres. The garden evolves through these interactions, constantly reshaped by uncertainties and movements. Empowered to interact with the garden’s designed structures, visitors become active participants by receiving a small ball with native flowering species seeds and soil covered by natural dye-dried powders. Through playing, they disperse these seed splash balls, actively contributing to the future ecological makeup of the site.

This interplay of elements randomizes seeding outcomes, emphasizing the interconnectedness of the garden’s various facets and opening new possibilities that foster innovation in its dynamic state of emergence.

Collaboration among visitors leads to an intricate tapestry of possibilities, manifesting instantaneously as the powders on the seed bombs splash and latently through the seeds’ growth. This showcases the complexity inherent in the evolving design. The garden is a testament to resilience, capable of withstanding disturbances while growing and evolving.

Planting Plant

Schizachyrium scoparium
Little bluestem



consultancy/support from Cornell guide for 'playful plants team for the use of safe plants suited to the Quebec region climatic zone and recommendations for planting and care

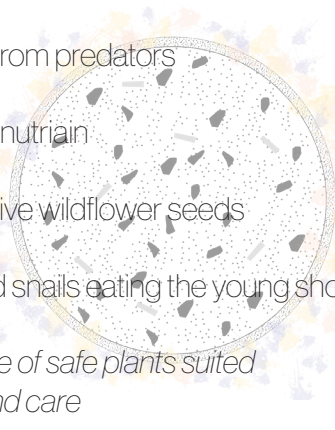
Seed Splash Ball

clay: protect seeds from predators

peat-free compost: nutrient

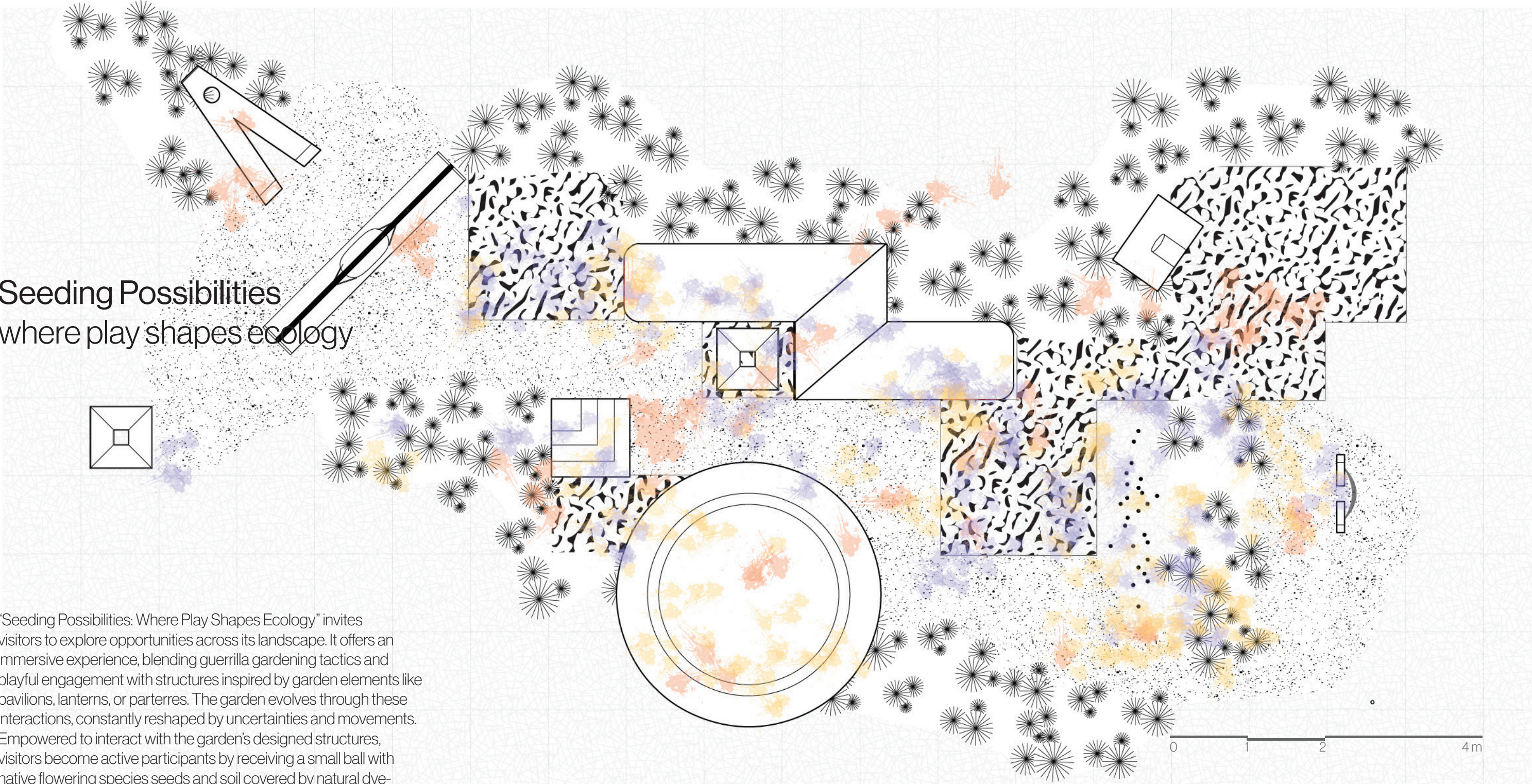
seeds: collected native wildflower seeds

chilli: deter slugs and snails eating the young shoots

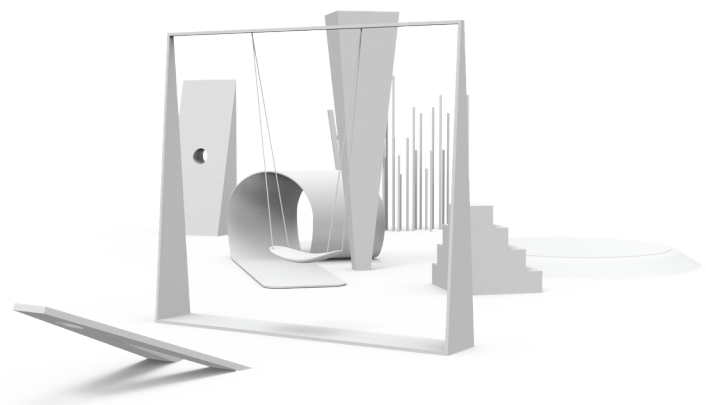


Plants for Seed Splash

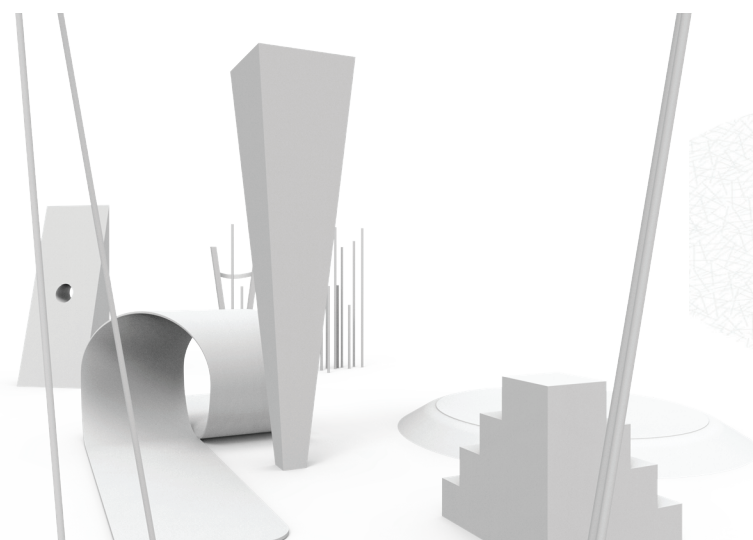
- *Fragaria vesca* Wild Strawberry
- *Achillea millefolium* Common Yarrow
- *Aquilegia canadensis* Eastern Red Columbine
- *Lupinus perennis* Wild Lupine
- *Anemone canadensis* Canada Anemone
- *Iris versicolor* Common Yarrow
- *Aquilegia canadensis* Northern Blue Flag Iris
- *Gaultheria hispidula* Creeping Snowberry
- *Campanula rotundifolia* Harebell



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