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Smut Germ Impact:

+2 days to grasses

(+1 to Others)

Duration: 2 rounds

Climate Change

Droughts will increase, making life tough for seeds.

If you have at least 2 bacterial endophytes, then proceed. If none, then discard card and draw again.

Bacteria help, but help the most in drier habitats.

Germ Impact: Roll Die

Odd: -3 days Forest & Arid

Even: -1 Alpine & Riparian

Climate Change

Quick freezes events will increase, making life tough for seeds.

If you have at least 2 fungal endophytes, then proceed. If none, then discard card and draw again.

Fungi help, but help woody species more.

Germ Impact: Roll Die

Odd: -3 days woody species

Even: -1 herbaceous species

Climate Change

Wildfires will increase, making life tough for seeds in ash soils.

If you have at least 2 fungal endophytes, then proceed. If none, then discard card and draw again.

Fungi help seeds in ash soils by helping roots to grow longer to find water and nutrients.

Germ Impact: -3 days

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