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This past week I continued doing some yard work and landscaping. It was difficult to get out throughout the week because we had rain showers thrown about. Although, I was able to get out on Friday and Sunday to get some work done.

This week, I continued on the yard. I finally got my dry day on Friday to paint the shed. I went in with a small chip brush to get the edges by the trim. I then painted the rest with a roller. I didn't realize how much paint I was going to need but it turned out I had just enough to cover the shed and I think it turned out great.

Since we moved in, there has been a section of our yard that struggles to grow grass . We have tried so many different ways of getting the grass to grow and to eval. So, instead of wasting money and time, we are converting it into a fire pit area. We are planning on laying crushed stone and building a fire pit out of wall blocks.

The first step to making the fire pit is to level the ground and lay the crushed stone. On Sunday, I spent the day churning the soil and spreading it out to even out the ground. My plan was to tamp the soil to make a base layer, but it started to rain. I hope to have decent weather this week so I have time to work on it.

