

# BugBlitz 2016

**Barataria Preserve/Jean Lafitte  
National Historical Park & Preserve**

Friday, May 6 **FREE**



## Be a scientist for a day!

Join scientists, expert naturalists, researchers, and National Park Service rangers on a BugBlitz Expedition to explore, discover, and count all of the bugs we can find! Learn about the important roles that dragonflies, beetles, and other bugs play in Louisiana's wetlands through exhibits, hands-on activities, and music at the Biodiversity University Science & Nature Festival 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Throughout the day, learn about insects, weather, and more through presentations by scientists, expert naturalists, and researchers (no registration required; complete schedule online by Wednesday, April 20).

### SCHOOL/HOME SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS

- Pre-K—2nd grade: Sign up to attend the festival. Registration now underway.
- 3rd—12th grade: Sign up to attend the festival and/or to join a morning BugBlitz Expedition. Registration now underway.

### EVERYBODY ELSE (SCOUT GROUPS, FAMILIES, INDIVIDUALS, ETC.)

- Attend the festival (no registration required).
- Sign up for an expert-led BugBlitz Expedition. Expedition times 1:00-2:30 p.m. and 2:30-4:00 p.m.; registration begins Tuesday, April 12.

For information, for curriculum material, and to sign up  
[www.nps.gov/jela](http://www.nps.gov/jela)

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