

# Friends of the ROUGE

# Spring Bug Hunt

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Do you ever wonder about what lives in the river besides fish and turtles? Come to our 2025 Spring Bug Hunt and see for yourself the amazing variety of aquatic insects, crayfish, snails and clams that make up the bottom of the river food chain. Volunteers visit sites throughout the headwaters of the Rouge watershed and search for aquatic invertebrates. The presence or absence of these streambed creatures gives us valuable data on the quality of the river water and overall habitat.



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Saturday, April 12, 2025

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Meet at Schoolcraft College Vistatech  
Center 18600 Haggerty Rd, Livonia, MI  
48152

## Registration Open Until Full

No prior experience needed, but registration is required.

Children eight and older are welcome when  
accompanied by a participating adult. Groups of six or  
less can sign up together.

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