

# Build a Bug House

Come learn all about the bugs that call Eden Mill home. Then build a bug house to take with you for ground beetles, solitary bees and lacewings - your helpful garden bugs!



**Friday, July 13, 2018**

**2 - 3 p.m.**

**Your bug habitat will include:**

**Twigs, sticks & stems for ground beetles -** Beetles chomp away at many of the pests that hinder our crops, including aphids and carrot root fly larvae.

**Bamboo canes for solitary bees -** Solitary bees are important pollinators; they gather pollen to provide their nests with food for their brood.

**Straw, dried grass or rolled up cardboard for lacewings -** Lacewings eat aphids, mites, scale insects, caterpillars and many other pests that can kill plants.

**Ages: 4+**

*Adult supervision required*

**Cost: \$15 per person**

**Eden Mill Nature Center**

1617 Eden Mill Road, Pylesville

***Registration is required; must pre-register by June 29, 2018. Children must be accompanied by an adult for the duration of the program.***