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- 2 VT Bug Zoo: Tarantulas 🦋
- 3 The Amazing World of Virology
- 4 Crawly Critter Connection 🦋
- 5 Mosquito Genetics
- 6 VT Bug Zoo: Decomposers 🦋
- 7 Virginia Tech Science Festival
- 8 Build a Bug & Bug Thumbprint Pins
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- 10 Pesticide Safety & the Public

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- 2 VT Bug Zoo: Desert Species/Dry Biomes 🧚
- 3 Ancient Fossil Insects & Minerals
- 4 Exploring Dung: A Dung Beetle Experience 🥍
- 5 Ticks in Virginia
- 6 Magnificent Millipedes 🌋
- 7 Millipedes Make Marvelous Medicine 🥍
- 8 Cracking the Creek Code 398
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- 4 Forest Insects: Old Friends & New Faces
- 5 Bugged by Invasions
- 6 How to Make a Pollinator Garden
- 7 Backyard Bug Feast
- 8 Bed Bug & Urban Pest Information Center 💏



Hokie BugFest October 18, 2025 • 10am-3pm Squires Student Center

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Virginia Tech Pesticide Programs

Virginia Tech Department of Entomology

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Virginia Tech College of Agriculture & Life Sciences

Virginia 4-H Virginia Tech Giving Day Novonesis

Macaroni Kid, New River Valley

EXHIBITS

Outside the Commonwealth Ballroom & At-Large

- Earn Your Junior Entomologists Certificate! Virginia Tech Entomology
- **Bug Library** Montgomery-Floyd Regional Library
- Bug-Themed Stories! Storytime with Joelle, 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. in the Squires Atrium
- SAFE Break Zone: Supporting Autism Friendly Environments Virginia Tech Autism Clinic and Center for Autism Research
- **Ted E. Bear the Therapy Dog** Andy Overbay, Smyth County Extension
- **Summer the Therapy Dog** Nina Templeton

Inside the Commonwealth Ballroom

All Hokie BugZoo Exhibits & Doodle Tables – Virginia Tech Entomology

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- 1 Using Geospatial Tools to Battle Invasive Pests Slow the Spread, Virginia Tech Entomology
- **3 The Amazing World of Virology** Auguste Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 4 Crawly Critter Connection: Insects, Tarantulas, & Bug-Eaters Mill Mountain Zoo, Roanoke, VA
- 5 Mosquito Genetics Sharakhov and Sharakhova Labs, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 7 Virginia Tech Science Festival Center for Educational Networks and Impacts, Virginia Tech
- 8 Build a Bug & Bug Thumbprint Pins Fralin Life Sciences Institute, Virginia Tech 9 4-H Insect Collection Contest Entries Virginia 4-H and Virginia Tech Entomology
- 10 Pesticide Safety & the Public Virginia Tech Pesticide Programs, Virginia Tech Entomology

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- 1 Insect Diversity Virginia Museum of Natural History, Martinsville, VA
- 3 Ancient Fossil Insects & Minerals Virginia Tech Museum of Geosciences
- 4 Exploring Dung: A Dung Beetle Experience SOVeg Lab, School of Plant and Environmental Sciences, Virginia Tech
- 5 Ticks in Virginia Ticks in Virginia and Radford University, Dept. of Health and Healthcare Leadership
- 6 Magnificent Millipedes Marek Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 7 Millipedes Make Marvelous Medicine Mevers Lab, Department of Chemistry, Virginia Tech
- 8 Cracking the Creek Code: Live Aquatic Invertebrates / Descifrando el Código del Arroyo:

Exhibición de invertebrados acuáticos vivos – Aquatic Entomology Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology

ROW D

- 1 Friendly Neighborhood Ants Yang Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 3 Jump Into the Bugverse Virginia 4-H
- 4 Mosquitoes: The Good, Bad, & Ugly! Eastwood, Lahondère, and Vinauger Labs, Departments of Entomology and Biochemistry, Virginia Tech
- 5 Busy as a Bumblebee: Live Bumblebee Hive Montgomery Cty. Extension and NRV Master Gardeners
- **6 Entomology Students Serving Virginia** W.B. Alwood Society, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 7 Alwood Society Bug-Themed Fundraiser W.B. Alwood Society, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 8 Accessible Beekeeping & Pollination Station Accessible Beekeeping and Virginia Tech Bee Group
- 9 Buzzy Brains: Flies in Neuroscience Agrawal Lab, School of Neuroscience, Virginia Tech
- 11 Virginia's Office of Pesticide Services Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
- 12 Spineless Wonders of Virginia Virginia Institute for Invertebrates
- 14 Insect Pathology Novonesis, Biotechnology Research, Salem, VA

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- 1 Bug Bits: Insect Adaptations Fruit Entomology Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 2 Wildlife Ambassadors Meet & Greet Southwest Virginia Wildlife Center, Roanoke, VA
- 3 Forest Entomology & Biological Control Salom Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology 4 Forest Insects: Old Friends & New Faces Invasive Species Collaborative, Virginia Tech
- 5 Bugged by Invasions: Soundscapes & Shifting Food Webs Endriss Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology
- 6 How to Make a Pollinator Garden Virginia Native Plant Society, New River Chapter
- 7 Backyard Bug Feast Virginia Master Naturalists, New River Valley Chapter
- 8 Virginia Tech Bed Bug & Urban Pest Info Center Miller Lab, Virginia Tech Entomology