

Saturday, June 24

Howell Pollinator EcoBlitz - FREE

Discover the beauty, importance and effects of pollinators like bees, flies and butterflies. And while you're at it, help scientists better understand these vital insects. Teams of participants will either learn about and photograph bumble bees using Bumble Bee Watch or they will use the iNaturalist app on their smartphone or tablet to identify many kinds of pollinators.

The hour-long excursions begin at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12:30 p.m., and 1:30 p.m. Each time includes both a Bumble Bee Watch team and a Find Your Pollinators team.

Register

Register as a participant or volunteer at oregonmetro.gov/calendar. For more information call 503-813-7505 or email volunteer@oregonmetro.gov

Cost: Free; advanced registration required

Ages: Middle school, high school and adults

Level of difficulty: Easy

Accessibility: Easy, flat field area

Howell Territorial Park 13901 NW Howell Park Road, Portland

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