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Time to trade screen time for green time at Principia School's 7th Annual BioBlitz, a free event happening on May 1 and 2. Dig into the abundance of life that flourishes across Principia's campus, alongside scientists from the Saint Louis Zoo and the Missouri Department of Conservation.

Younger students will also get the unique chance to work with college-level students studying natural history from Principia College. BioBlitz is an unforgettable opportunity for families, students, scientists, and outdoor enthusiasts of every kind to gather and celebrate the natural beauty that surrounds us.

Curiosity leads the way while discoveries unfold in real time—all while enjoying festive face painting, hayrides, twilight bat-netting, stargazing, s'mores, crafts, and the good company of fellow nature lovers.

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FROM SUNRISE TO STARGAZING, HERE'S HOW TO PLAN YOUR WEEKEND OF DISCOVERY:

FRIDAY, MAY 1

Reserved for School Groups:
8 a.m.–3 p.m.

Students from Principia and area schools will spread out across campus to observe, explore, and document their discoveries.

Open to the Public:
3:30–5 p.m. and 7–10 p.m.

Afternoon activities include snacks, exploration, turtle tracking, and hayrides. At 7 p.m., enjoy s'mores and stargazing, bat netting, and insect discovery.

SATURDAY, MAY 2

Open to the Public:
6:30 a.m.–Noon

Early risers can start the day with birding at 6:30 a.m., followed by donuts, juice, and coffee at 8 a.m. The morning continues with hands-on scientific surveying, nature crafts, and STEM activities for all ages. Be sure to stop by the Plant Sale hosted by Principia School Sustainability students, offering vegetable, herb, and native plant seedlings.

Register today for BioBlitz:

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