

Buckeye Lady Beetle Blitz 2016

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Native lady beetle populations are steadily declining while exotic lady beetle species are on the rise. The Buckeye Lady Beetle Blitz program tracks these changes to determine the cause and severity of native lady beetle losses.

Join us for the kick off of Lady Beetle Blitz a citizen science research project. Attendees will be trained by Ohio State Entomologist Dr. Mary Gardiner and OSU Extension educators on how to properly identify between native and exotic lady beetle species and the importance of native natural enemies.

The information given during this workshop will prepare willing volunteers with the skills needed to become citizen scientists aiding in the data collection process for Buckeye Lady Beetle Blitz. Come be a part of the discovery and learn about Ohio native Lady Beetles.

Friday
May 6th 2016
8am-12pm
RSVP by May 1st

Location: 100 Fairground Road, Xenia, Ohio, 45385

Cost: \$20 includes hand lens, food and refreshments

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