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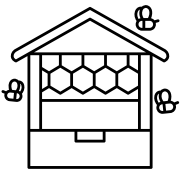


Ridgefield National
Wildlife Refuge

at Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge, Carty Unit

For All People in the Community! Enjoy free snacks, dive back into learning, and celebrate this beautiful corner of the earth we live on.

 **NEW!**
11/14
10-11:30am



Mason Bees Unwrapped: The Art & Science of Cocoon Harvesting

Discover the fascinating world of native Mason bees with Master Gardener and Master Melittologist Anne Bulger. Learn why these gentle pollinators are so valuable, explore their unique life cycle, and find out what is hidden inside their nesting tubes. Anne will demonstrate how to harvest and clean Mason bee cocoons—an important step in helping reduce pests and diseases while supporting healthy bee populations through the fall and winter. Whether you're just getting started or already hosting Mason bees, you'll leave with practical tips and a greater appreciation for these remarkable native pollinators.

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Location: Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge Community Nature Center | 28908 NW Main AVE, Ridgefield, WA

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