



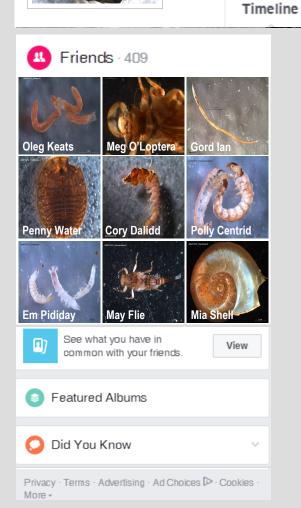
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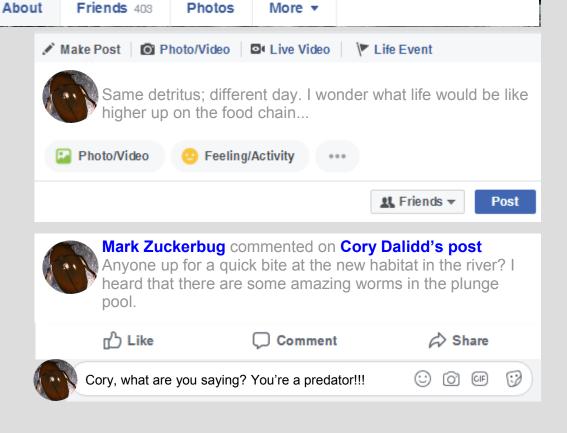












What will you choose? Virtual facebug life or the real thing

at the Twenty-third Annual

BUG NIGHTS!

Since 1995, volunteers including anglers, students, teachers, paddlers, and many others interested in the health of the Upper Merrimack River and general river ecology began learning about these fascinating creatures and what they tell us about river conditions. Your work as a citizen scientist helps determine the health of the Upper Merrimack watershed. Training is free, fun, and a great way to spend quality time with family and friends as well as an opportunity to make new acquaintances. No clicking, tapping, or cyberstalking—just "liking" real live dead bugs.

Upper Merrimack Monitoring Program Bug Nights 2018 sessions are held on most Wednesdays from mid-February through mid-May at St. Paul's School. Sessions begin at 6:00 PM. Laboratory exit is 9:00 PM sharp. An instructional training and refresher class will be conducted

during the first session on ♥ February 14, 2018 ♥.

Refresher and additional training will be provided at each session. All equipment and alcohol (denatured preserving alcohol only) are provided—just bring yourself and a friend.

Be sure to check www.MerrimackRiver.org to be sure that we are in session that evening.





Directions to St. Paul's School from Interstate 93: Take I-89 north from Concord to exit 2 to Clinton Street. At the end of the ramp turn right onto Clinton Street. Follow signs and take left onto Langley Parkway. Continue to end to intersection of Pleasant Street (across from Concord Hospital). Turn left onto Pleasant Street. After about half a mile, turn left onto Dunbarton Road at the St. Paul's School sign. Take your first left after the barn (as soon as you enter the grounds) on the left, and use the large lot across from the Lindsay Center for Mathematics and Science. Enter the building at the center door off the small parking lot. The Ecology Lab is Room 123 on the right. The doors remain locked throughout the evening. Please tap on the laboratory window if you arrive a bit late.

STORM AND OTHER CANCELLATIONS POSTED at MerrimackRiver.org.