



BioBlitz 08

Calling all Team Leaders

Register for New Biodiversity Survey event Now!

NatureKeepers is seeking volunteer Team Leaders with expertise in a range of scientific areas to assist the event participants in learning about what is living in their own parks and gardens.

To coincide with Biodiversity Month, **National Parks Association of NSW's NatureKeepers Program** is launching a new Sydney-based flagship event called **BioBlitz'08**.

BioBlitz'08 will be a free annual community event. The activity will take place in the major parks and open spaces within the City of Sydney over the course of 24 hours. It will attract hundreds of local community members to participate in a fun, friendly, educational hands-on exploration of the city's plants and animals and their environments.

The participant's all day discoveries will be compiled and made publicly available, helping to make a significant contribution to the City's understanding of the state of its urban biodiversity.

Our aim is to raise awareness within the general community about the importance of protecting, restoring and exploring biodiversity in our local environment and to provide ways for people to get involved.

WHEN: Sunday 28 September 2008

WHERE: Designated 'City of Sydney' parks

WHAT EXPERTISE: **BOTANY BIRDS MAMMALS FROGS**

REPTILES WATER SOIL INVERTIBRATES

If **YOU** would like to be part of making this important inaugural event a success, **REGISTER NOW!!**

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