

# SPRING 2017 EVENTS

## Ecology and Geology of the Raritan River- April 8th, 2017

Join Rutgers geologists at Johnson Park in New Brunswick to learn about the geology of the Rutgers campuses and Raritan River. Explore the ecology of Rutgers during a boat ride along the banks of the old Raritan.

## Fossil Hunting- May 6th, 2017

Find your own fossils on a guided trip to the Big Brook Preserve in Colts Neck, NJ with Rutgers University geologists. This site is famous for its prolific marine fossils.

-Registration for all field trips can be found under the events section on our website at [geologymuseum.rutgers.edu](http://geologymuseum.rutgers.edu)



## Late Nights

Held on the first **Wednesday** of each month. Come to the museum to enjoy activity stations for children and adults alike from 4 pm-8 pm. All Late Nights are free and no pre-registration is required.

<b>Feb 1<sup>st</sup> 2017</b>	<i>Anthropology</i>	Come and discover how Anthropologists study the changes in humans and culture through time.
<b>March 1<sup>st</sup> 2017</b>	<i>Biodiversity</i>	This event will focus on the evolution of our ancestors and you will discover how species have changed over time!
<b>April 5<sup>th</sup> 2017</b>	<i>Earthquakes and Volcanoes</i>	Come explore some of the most explosive features and Earth shaking events on the planet!
<b>May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2017</b>	<i>Oceans</i>	Catch a wave with us and learn all about ocean mechanisms and secrets held beneath its surface!

## Birthday Parties

If your child has a love for dinosaurs, fossils, mummies, or minerals, then celebrate their next birthday at the Rutgers Geology Museum. We offer geologic themed birthday parties for children ages 5 and older, which can be booked on weekends.

Choose from one of the two packages:

- Standard Party- Includes two arts & crafts activities and scavenger hunt
- Paint Along Party- Includes a 1.5 hour step-by-step guided instruction of a natural history themed painting and scavenger hunt (This party can also be booked for adults on select nights).

Parties can be booked for any of the following times slots.

- Saturday- 2 pm to 4 pm
- Sunday- 11 am to 1 pm or 2 pm to 4 pm.

