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Don't Worry. Bee Happy on National Honeybee Day!

Where would we be without the honeybee? Celebrate this wondrous insect with free activities and paid crafts for kids and adults at Green Spring Gardens on Saturday, August 20, 2016.

Meet a beekeeper, see the inside of a beehive, learn a bee dance, join a bee scavenger hunt and learn how bees are important to our food supply. You can get tips on growing a pollinator garden and purchase your own pollinator starter garden.

One craft ticket allows you to make a garden marker, roll a beeswax candle, sample floral honey and more. Advance registration for a craft ticket is recommended. The ticket cost is \$12 per person.

The event runs from 10 a.m. to noon and is designed for participants age seven to adult.

Green Spring Gardens is located at 4603 Green Spring Rd., Alexandria, Va. For more information, call 703-642-5173 or visit <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/greenspring/>.

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