

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
MUSEUM

Darwin Discovery Day

February 13th, 2011 1-5 pm

**Evolution in Action:
Science, curiosity and
Charles Darwin's birthday!**

**Join us for FREE hands-on
discovery and fun!**

Featuring...

- Interesting and unusual specimens from the MSU Museum's natural science collections.
- Live critters with the MSU Herpetology Club and MSU Museum's naturalist, Jim Harding.
- Tours of the MSU Museum's "Bug Room," where beetles help prepare animal skeletons for inclusion in the collections.
- Rare, behind-the-scenes tours of MSU Museum natural science research collections.
- Hands-on activities for kids with MSU 4-H Children's Garden and Department of Horticulture.
- Ask Darwin: Rich Bellon, MSU Darwin scholar, will answer questions about Darwin's life and work.
- Ask an Expert: museum curators and MSU specialists can help identify backyard curiosities - bring in a rock, bone, fossil, tooth or other natural object.
- Science books, kits and toys at the Museum Store.
- Birthday cake and refreshments!

Also of interest...

Special MSU Libraries Film Series presentation of *Evolution* (2001, Sci-Fi, Comedy)
Wednesday, February 9, 2011, 7pm at the Main Library.

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