

WHAT ARE ZOOPLANKTON & WHAT ARE THEY DOING IN MY LAKE?

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Wednesday, August 6, 7:30 – 8:30 PM
Upstairs, Silverton Town Hall

~ Public Invited ~



Zooplankton are little-known underwater heroes. These tiny animals are fish food and in turn eat algae that could muck up otherwise clear waters. Jim Elser has been studying zooplankton in lakes - from their genes all the way up to their effects on entire ecosystems. His latest project brought him to Silverton, Colorado where he and his team, hosted by the Mountain Studies Institute, has set up an extraordinary experiment in an alpine lake.

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