



Building a Bug House

Did you know that by building a bug house for your backyard can encourage biodiversity in your garden by attracting various insects as it provides a place for these insects to live? A bug house can also decrease the need for pesticides as the insects help with this naturally.

Ideas on what you could use to make your own bug house include:

- Recycled bottles
- Old cups
- Old newspapers
- Toilet roll inserts
- Dry leaves
- Wood chips
- Soil
- Hollow bamboo canes

Bug houses can be as simple or as complex as you would like to make them so give it a go with your kids and if you get stuck just do a bit of research online.



We want to see your creations so email them to info@cuilcaghlakelands.org