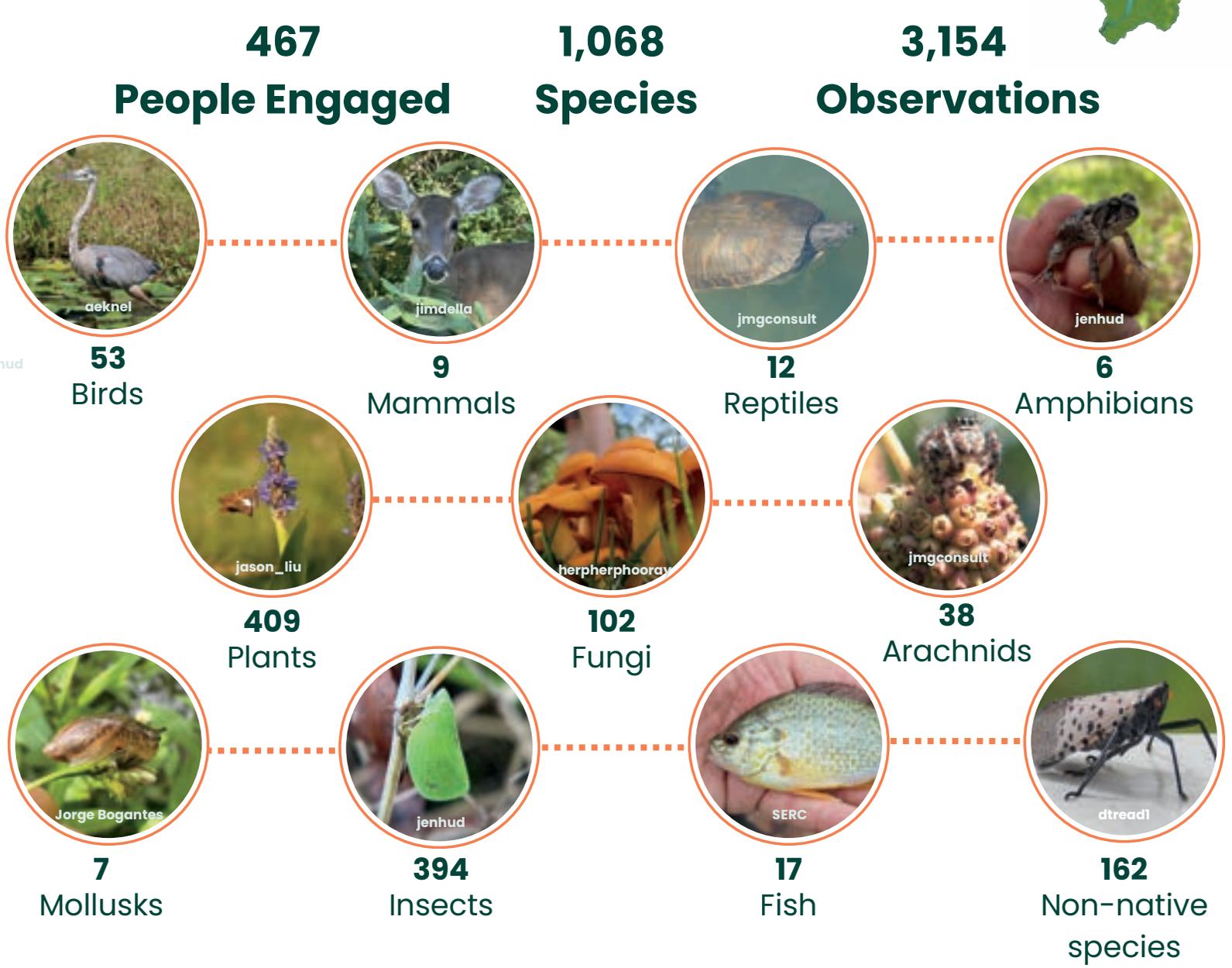


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Observations of Interest



Honey Mushroom

This native mushroom can produce light via bioluminescence



White-banded Crab Spider

Males (pictured) eat nectar from flowers. Females prey on pollinators, and are capable of changing colors to camouflage in the flowers to stalk their prey



Green Anole

Native to southeastern US, these **introduced lizards** are known to hitchhike on ornamental plant shipments



Lantern Fly

A common **invasive** insect that has been moving its way south. It is so abundant that it is caught on weather radars, giving the appearance of clouds!

This community science data helps document the watershed's species, inform conservation/restoration efforts, and enhance our connection and understanding of the natural world here in the Anacostia River watershed

