



March 2019



Blast Off! Earth and Space Exploration Weekly Core Programs*

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10:30 am Mini Makers	9:30 am Caregivers' Circle	10 am Music Playgroup	11 am Tales with Humphry	12:30 pm STEM Club (Ages 5+)
11:00 am R&R with Brady**	10:30 am Kids on Stage	11 am Messy Art Studio	12:30 pm Maker Lab	
4:30 pm LEGO Club	11 am Story and More!	12 pm Spanish and English Bilingual Storytime	2:00 Bilingual Storytime	
	12:30 pm STEM Club (Ages 5+)	3 pm Tales with Humphry		

**Every other week

*All programs are free with admission unless indicated.

Author of the Month:
 Pat Hutchins
Story Walk:
 The Wind Blew

Special Events Calendar

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
25	26	27	28	1	2	3
Big Idea of the Week: Animals around the World		11 am R&R with Brady				
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Wind! - Fly It			2 pm Playing with Poetry	11:30 pm Eat Smart Be Active	2:30 pm Cooking with Patty 	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Rockets and Gravity		11 am R&R with Brady	2 pm Playing with Poetry		2:30 pm Cooking with Patty 	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Space Discovery			2 pm Art Adventures with Five Points Gallery 	Open 10 am - 8 pm 5 to 8 pm Family - Earth and Space 		
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Now Back to Planet Earth!		11 am R&R with Brady	10:30 am Letters as Characters 2 pm Playing with Poetry		12 pm Galaxy Slime 	Open 10 am - 2 pm Museum closes @ 2 pm

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March @ KidsPlay



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Child and Caregiver Weekly Programs

Mini Makers

Making and creating geared toward our younger ages.

R&R with Brady

Spend time with Heidi and her therapy dog, Brady, in our Literacy Tree House. Read a book or just spend some time getting to know Heidi and Brady.

LEGO Club

Do you love LEGO Bricks? Come try new challenges, games and building with this childhood classic.

Caregivers' Circle

Meet, relax, and share while children engage in playful learning experiences in our program room.

Kids on Stage

Hop on the Stage for dramatic play inspired by the wonder of our world.

Story and More!

Climb into the Story Nest to share a book or two. Explore words, titles, and pictures too! Stories are followed by themed activities in the program room.

STEM Clubs

Explore the world of science through collaborative problem solving and hands-on experiments!

Music Playgroup

A fun and interactive experience focusing on teaching child development through music and movement activities.

Messy Art Studio

Using your imagination and our Big Idea of the Week, make messy creations using a variety of art mediums.

Spanish and English Bilingual Storytime

Los niños y los cuidadores se participan en la diversión interactiva usando historias, canciones, y poemas. Children and their caregivers participate in interactive fun using stories, songs, and poems. All are welcome.

Tales with Humphry

Humphry loves to read! Do you?

Maker Lab

Explore with new tools in the Maker Space. Create, construct, or deconstruct.

Playing with Poetry

Thursdays @ 2 pm, 7 sessions starting March 7

Have some fun exploring poetry! Learn about how it can make the ordinary, extraordinary! Participants will read, discuss, present, and try their hand at writing poems. Program culminates with a presentation. Pre-registration required, \$40 per family.

Cooking with Patty

Saturday, March 9 @ 2:30 pm

Create and enjoy Flying Saucer Pizzas

Saturday March 16 @ 2:30 pm

Learn to make Sunny Cakes

Space is Limited. Pre-registration required. Supply fee \$3.

Art Adventures

Thursday, March 21 @ 2 pm

Join executive director, Judy McElhone, from the Five Points Gallery on a visual literacy art adventure featuring a walking field trip to Five Points Gallery. Pre-registration suggested.

Family Friday

Earth and Space Explorers

March 22 from 5 - 8 pm

Make Astronaut Pudding with Patty.

An Out of this World Dance Party.

Hands-on Earth and Space Activities.

Slumber Story Time (Bring your P.J.'s!)

and so much more!

Letters as Characters

Thursday, March 28 @ 10:30 am

Dr. Caroline Ugurlu presents this engaging program for both caregivers and children using hands-on multi-sensory play to enable children to break the phonemic code, an essential stepping stone in learning to read.

Galaxy Slime

Saturday, March 30 @ 12 pm

Practice a little intergalactic chemistry to create this beautiful out-of-this-world slime!

Space is Limited. Pre-registration suggested. Supply fee \$3.

Spring Break Unplugged!

We will be open daily from April 3 all the way through to April 22 with special activities away from the screen.

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