



The Children's Museum of Winston-Salem's

Museum hours:
Members Only Monday: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
 Tuesday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
 Saturday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
 Sunday: 1 - 5 p.m.

DECEMBER 2016

program calendar

The ART STUDIO opens weekly at 10 a.m. and closes 30 minutes before the Museum closes each day.
 Saturday ART STUDIO hours: 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Sunday ART STUDIO hours: 1 - 4:30 p.m.
 Enjoy GUIDED art on Tuesdays & Wednesdays from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Daily programs last approximately 30 minutes unless otherwise noted. R = registration required \$ = additional fee				1 Preschool Discovery 11 a.m.	2 Small Fry Friday 11 a.m. Supper & Santa 6-8 p.m. R\$	3 Bookmarks Holiday Storytime and Book Fair 10 a.m.-2 p.m. *storytime at 10 a.m.
4 Winter Craft with Gateway Nature Preserve 1-3 p.m.	5 MUSEUM CLOSED	6 Rhythm Stick Storytime 11 a.m.	7 Music & Movement 11 a.m.	8 Preschool Discovery 11 a.m.	9 Mutt-i-grees® in the Library Storytime with Angel Bear Yoga 11 a.m.	10 Elf Tea Party 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. R\$
11 Sunday Storytime & Craft 2 p.m.	12 Play with Clay 9 a.m.-12 p.m.	13 Kids Rock Music 11 a.m.	14 Suzuki Violin Intro: Learning Music at a Young Age w/ Heather Conine, certified Suzuki instructor UNCSA Community Music School - 11 a.m.	15 Preschool Discovery 11 a.m.	16 Small Fry Friday 11 a.m.	17 Saturday Storytime & Craft 11 a.m.
18 Sunday Storytime & Craft 2 p.m.	19 Sensory Friendly Monday 9 a.m.-12 p.m.	20 Angel Bear Yoga <i>Celebrate the Season</i> 11 a.m.	21 Rhythm Stick Storytime 11 a.m.	22 Colin Allured Holiday Concert 11 a.m.	23 Drop-in Gingerbread House Workshop 10 a.m.-1 p.m. \$	24 Christmas Eve Storytime make reindeer food! 11 a.m. Museum closes at 2 p.m.
25 MUSEUM CLOSED	26 <i>Museum open 9-4!</i> Play with Paint 9 a.m.-12 p.m.	27 Rhythm Stick Storytime 11 a.m.	28 Sound Shaker Storytime <i>make & take maracas!</i> 11 a.m.	29 <i>Peter and the Wolf</i> Old Salem Visitor Center \$	30 Small Fry Friday 11 a.m.	31 Noon Year's Eve Celebration Museum closes at 2 p.m.

Program registration is available online at childrensmuseumofws.org

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DECEMBER PROGRAMS

Preschool Discovery—An action-packed program for children including stories, music, movement, and more!

Small Fry Friday—Enjoy storytime with your preschooler and make a craft.

Supper & Santa—Celebrate the season with an evening filled with Christmas spirit! Start off with a dinner complete with chicken tenders, salad, fresh fruit, cheeses, and dessert. Enjoy crafts, cookie decorating, storytime, and a visit from the man in red himself! Hearts & Arrows Photography will photograph your little one on Santa's lap, a cherished keepsake that will be emailed to you. Printed portraits and high resolution electronic copies of your photos are available for purchase directly from Hearts & Arrows on site. Each child will receive a fun-filled goody bag! Registration required for both children and adults: \$18.00/member, \$20.00/nonmember. Fees include 6.75% NC Sales Tax.

Bookmarks Holiday Storytime and Book Fair—Join Bookmarks and the Children's Museum for a Holiday Storytime at 10 a.m. featuring award-winning authors, Megan Bryant, author of *My Snow Globe: A Sparkly Peek-Through Story*, and Stacy McNulty, author of *Dear Santasaurus*. A special Bookmarks Book Fair featuring 500 children's titles will be held until 2 p.m.

Music & Movement—Come move and groove through songs, fingerplays, and a read aloud. Your child will gain meaningful skills to build upon their language, listening, and physical abilities. Most importantly we'll have fun!

Mutt-i-grees® in the Library Storytime—This exciting initiative, developed by Yale University's School of the 21st Century and North Shore Animal League America, highlights the unique characteristics and desirability of shelter pets – Mutt-i-grees – to teach essential social and emotional skills. This program, brought to you by CMWS and the Forsyth Humane Society, aims to enhance children's self- and social-awareness, relationship skills, and ability to make ethical decisions that benefit people, animals, and the environment. For more information, please visit education.muttigrees.org.

Elf Tea Party—It's time for a little elf magic! Make your elf costume—a felt cap with ears, bell necklace, and rosy cheeks. Next, sing silly songs, enjoy storytime, and create elf-themed crafts! Enjoy making elf donuts & reindeer food to put out on Christmas Eve! Adults and children enjoy tasty tea-time snacks—hot cocoa, mini cupcake, fruit, and more! Registration Required: \$15/member-child (1 free adult); \$23/nonmember-child (1 free adult), Museum admission included. Each additional adult—\$4, Museum admission not included. Fees include 6.75% NC Sales Tax.

Kids Rock Music—Join us for live music, age-appropriate instruments, and interactive movement! Kids Rock Music brings the joy of musical expression to children and families. Learn more at kidsrocktriad.com/.

Sensory Friendly Monday—Children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and sensory processing differences are invited to have a fun, enjoyable, and interactive learning experience in a comfortable and accepting environment! Sensory Friendly Mondays are offered one day per month, September – May, on Members Only Mondays (9 a.m. - 12 p.m.) when attendance is light. You do not need to be a member in order to attend, but admission or membership is required. Our Sensory Friendly Monday modifications include choice boards and a designated quiet room. Download a social narrative and visual schedule to help prepare for your visit by visiting childrensmuseumofws.org/visit/accessibility/.

Angel Bear Yoga: Celebrate the Season—Get ready for the holiday season. We'll read the book *Jingle Bells* as we travel around the world to see how children celebrate the holidays in other countries. Help spread peace around the world and even have a visit from a furry friend!

Colin Allured Concert—Come sing and dance along to an uplifting array of favorite children's songs. From traditional classics to more contemporary songs from your child's favorite shows and movies, this concert will bring musical joy to children and parents alike.

Drop-in Gingerbread House Workshop—Make & take a mini gingerbread house for \$6.40—while supplies last! Build your creation with a mini milk carton, graham crackers, icing, and a variety of sweet treats! Admission not included but required. Fee includes 6.75% NC sales tax.

Peter and the Wolf at Old Salem Visitor Center, James A. Gray, Jr. Auditorium

Thursday, December 29

11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. & 3:00 p.m.

A collaboration between Music Carolina (Carolina Chamber Symphony Players), Helen Simoneau Danse, and Peppercorn Theatre. \$12 adults, \$8 student/child. Family Pack available for \$35 until midnight on December 25th. Family Pack includes admission for 2 adults and all of the children in their household. Valid for any performance of *Peter and the Wolf*. Tickets available at the Children's Museum, or online at peppercorntheatre.org.

Noon Year's Eve Celebration—Happy New Year! Join us for a countdown to Noon Year's Eve! Create your very own sound shaker in the Art Studio beginning at 10 am. At 11:40 am we'll gather together for fun songs, silly activities and a storytime. We'll end with our countdown to the noon year!

COMING IN 2017 - REGISTRATION OPENS DECEMBER 20.

Mother and Son Fun!—Enjoy a pizza dinner, craft, cookie decorating, storytime, and a little dancing, too! Hearts & Arrows Photography will photograph you and your special guy, a cherished keepsake that will be emailed to you after the event. Printed portraits and high resolution electronic copies of your photos are available for purchase directly from Hearts & Arrows on site. Registration Required: \$10/member, \$12/nonmember.

Friday, February 3, 6-8 p.m.

Daddy and Daughter Dances—Enjoy a pizza dinner, craft, cookie decorating, storytime, and dancing! Hearts & Arrows Photography will photograph you and your little girl, a cherished keepsake that will be emailed to you after the event. Printed portraits and high resolution electronic copies of your photos are available for purchase directly from Hearts & Arrows on site. Registration required for children and adults: \$10/member, \$12/nonmember. Space is limited.

Friday, February 10: Valentine's Dance, 6-8 p.m.

Friday, June 2: Butterfly Dance, 6-8 p.m.