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Halloween Haunts blow us into the Holidays

***** JOIN US TOMORROW FOR ...**



Mad Scientists' Halloween Extravaganza

Saturday, October 30, 5 PM - 8 PM

All ages/\$10 per family for members/

\$15 per family for non-members.

Put on your costume and plan on some hauntingly mad Halloween fun... [More info =>](#)

Bird of Prey Day

Saturday, November 13, 11 AM - 3



PM

All Ages/Drop-in/Free with admission.

Educators from the Cascades Raptor Center will be visiting the Science Factory with some of their fine, feathered friends. See live raptors up close and ask questions... [More info =>](#)

What's fun for the whole family and gives all year?



Mark your calendars: Buy a new or gift membership between December 1st and December 22nd, and get 15% off! Annual memberships range from \$30 to \$80, and Supporting Memberships are \$150. [More info=>](#)

IN THE EXHIBIT HALL:

Outreach to Space & Planet Panorama continue...

How heavy is an apple on Neptune? If you were to build a space colony on the moon, what would it look like? What are the names of the known dwarf planets? Find out more about our solar system and its exploration when you visit Outreach to Space & Planet Panorama... [More info=>](#)



Special Closures

On Saturday, November 6 & Friday, November 26:

Closed for Duck Games.

On Thursday, November 25:

Closed for Thanksgiving.

Programming and Announcements



Tot Discovery Day: Planes, Trains, Cars & Cranes

Friday, November 5, 9 AM - Noon

Limited to children 5 and under, accompanied by parent or guardian. Science Factory Members: Free! Non-members: \$10 per parent/child combo. Additional children: \$2 each.

Come join us to explore things that go... We'll make airplanes and trains, paint using cars, use a magnetic pulley system, and more! [More info =>](#)

YES! YEA! Days: Percy Jackson & the Olympians

Thursday and Friday, November 11 and 12, 9



am - 4 pm

For children in grades 1-5. Science Factory or Young Writers Association Members: \$70 for complete two-day program or \$35 for one day. Non-members: \$80 for two-day program or \$40 for one day. Pre-registration required; \$5 late registration fee. Registration Deadline, Tue. Nov. 9.

Join us for one or two no-school days for an exploration of myths, masks and Olympian powers! We'll make lightning, masks, weave Olympian tales, and stage battle scenes as inspired by the Lightning Thief... [More info=>](#)

Science Pub

Great Balls of Fire: Meteorites, with Dick Pugh,

Field Scientist at Cascadia Meteorite Laboratory, Portland State University

Thursday, November 18, 7 pm at Cozmic Pizza, 199 W 8th Ave.

Free/for adults [Date change: this is one week later than usual]

At this Science Pub we will talk about what meteorites are, describe the different kinds, find out how to identify them, and learn what they're worth... [More info =>](#)

Announcing KIDS' SCIENCE CHALLENGE

Submit experiments for scientists and engineers to solve! Hurry, because the first 1000 entries receive free science activity kits... Drop by the Science Factory to hear more about this nationwide competition for 3rd to 6th graders, or visit kidsciencechallenge.com for more information.

Thank you Supporters

Exhibit Hall and Educational Programs:

We thank Alison Voss of Nonprofits Plus, Café 440 for sponsoring National Museum Day, and the following donors who gave to the Science Factory in memory of Rita Fremouw: Heather Gardner-Madrassa, Amanda Heidtke, Christian Kaltwasser, Victoria Kindon, Nzinga Kone, Rumi Matsuyama, Rowan Price, Auden Shim, Stuart Trevelyan, Stryder Thompkins and Lisa Catapano.

Exploration Dome Be A Star Campaign:

Thank you Robert Sylwester, for donating to our Be A Star Campaign!

In-Kind:

We would like to thank K.C. Huffman of Thorp, Purdy, Jewett, Urness & Wilkinson, P.C. and Pepsi Cola Bottling Company of Eugene for supporting the Science Factory with in-kind donations.

In this Thanksgiving Season, we would like to thank all our sponsors and donors again for giving us a very special year of outstanding support. You shine!

Thank You Volunteers

Three Cheers for October Volunteers!

We appreciate Lee Ann Hansen for helping us with office tasks and Billy Apolo for running Dome shows.

We want to thank Jillian Tuttle and Richard Wagner for volunteering on Astronomy Day as docents and with activities.

A big thank you to everyone who volunteered for the gargantuan task of decorating for our Mad Scientists' Halloween Extravaganza: Steph Ebertein, Sarah Holmes, Michelle Tan, Justin Carpenter, Nick van Eekenen, Emily Beckstrand, Matt Harris, Hanna Lee, Juven Lara, Tina Welsh, Jessica Wise and Katie Wright.

For those who are volunteering at the event on Saturday, October 30 -- THANK YOU in advance, and we'll publish a full list in the December eNews.

We thank everyone who has volunteered this year; we couldn't do what we do without you!

Welcome New Members

It's a brand new year of science fun with:

Jack Ryan and Kathryn Snell-Ryan, Helen and Jerry Hudson, Amanda Helvie and Katie Roberts, Stephanie Hintz, Erin and Will Davis, Apryl and Andy Smith, Meredith and Brad Coy, Gail and Chris Spinks, Alicen and James Bartholomeusz, Annie Gilles-Toole and Dave (John) Toole, Sharon and Curtis Bates, Carolyn and Gary Jenkins, Teresa and Brian Wilson, Myndi and Jeffrey Pierceall, Trevor and Ronda Hurley, Sally and Arie de Groot, Jeana and Michael Newman, Bill and Cheryl O'Neill, Chris Robinson and Haidang Pham, Shelley and Seann Stafford, Jeff and Thea Cook, Terry and Karolynn Hiam, Petra Shenk and Tim Jarvis, Kim and Kelly Darden, Megan and Mark Helfrich, Sara and Daryn Hicks, and Dave and Nancy Canfield.

We want to thank each and every member for joining in our science fun!

We hope you've enjoyed this issue of the Science Factory eNews. If you have thoughts, feedback, questions or just want to say hello, please email us at sfmarketing@sciencefactory.org.

We hope to see you soon!

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