



EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT

April 20, 2018

Earth Day Celebration at the Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus

Healthy Planet Hero Stations throughout the Museum full of Earth-themed activities

Note: Please use "Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus" in all publications.



Denver, CO – Sunday, April 22 - This Sunday, celebrate Earth Day at the Children's Museum with Healthy Planet Hero Stations all about our big, beautiful planet. Activities and special guests include Ball Corporation, Denver Water, Neighborhood Nestwatch, music powered by muscles with energiLAB, Nature's Educators, a 3D topographical sandbox, Earth-themed StoryTimes and crafts and more.

In the spirit of Earth Day, guests are encouraged to bring in their beverage cans to support Cans for Trees, a program that uses funds raised from recycled aluminum cans to plant trees around the Museum campus. Cans for Trees was launched last fall with The Ball Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Ball Corporation. On Earth Day, volunteers from The Ball Foundation will help us plant the first batch of trees in Joy Park.

What: Earth Day

The Museum celebrates Earth Day with a variety of activities to teach families about our planet and how to take care of it.

Highlights include: Meet & greets with animals from Nature's Educators, music by DJ Drake and energiLAB, a topographical 3D sandbox, Earth-themed StoryTimes and crafts, including biodegradable planter and bird feeder making, henna tattoos and face painting. *Activities and times vary, for a full schedule of events visit mychildsmuseum.org.*

Photo Opportunities: Kids using their muscles to power machines with energiLAB, digging in to a topographical 3D sandbox, interacting with birds and reptiles from

Nature's Educators, crafting birdfeeders, windmills and biodegradable planters and more.

When: Sunday, April 22
10 am – 5 pm
Scheduled activities throughout the day, beginning at 10 am

Where: Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus
2121 Children's Museum Drive, Denver, CO 80211

Cost: Activities included with general Museum admission

About the Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus

The mission of the Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus is to create extraordinary experiences that champion the wonder and joy of childhood. They believe in kid-powered learning and every day, their expertly designed exhibits and programs open doors for Colorado's curious young minds to express what they know and to discover, create and explore more - on their own terms.

Since 1973, the Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus has served the metro-Denver community as a learning institute dedicated to the education and growth of young children and their caregivers. The Museum provides rich play experiences and a dynamic learning environment for children to joyously learn through innovative and interactive hands-on exhibits, engaging daily programming and year-round special events. Last year, they served 568,000 children and their grown-ups.

The Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus is a 501(c)(3), private non-profit organization, and a Tier II SCFD member.

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