

***Saturday, November 20, 2009 \* 6:30pm to 9:30pm***

**The Children's Museum Holiday Gala/Festival Preview Party**

**Donation \$45. a person; \$75. a pair, pre-paid; \$50. each at the door  
(Hors D'oeuvres, Beverages, Live Music, Gift Baskets, Getaways/Nights Out,  
uniquely designed multi-cultural Trees, Designer Wreaths & Centerpieces)**

***Saturday November 21, 2009 \* 10:00 am to 3:00 pm***

**The Children's Museum Family Festival of Trees & Lights**

***Reduced Admission \$5 children 2-17; \$6 seniors; \$7 adults; members/children under 2 free***

**10:15am-10:30am Play/Dance Floor Contest, Holiday Join In - 2nd floor**

**10:30am-11:30am Live Musical Performance by Sujeet Desai - 2nd floor**

**10:45am-2:15pm Santa & Mrs. Claus arrive for kids to share wishes -2nd fl**

**11:15a-12:15p: Hot Wheels Cars Filming/Signing w/Mike Zarnock - 4th fl**

**11:30am-2:00pm: The Band Lawless w/Beth & Fritz Meeusen - 3rd floor**

**1:00pm-1:30pm: Airplane Rides & Interactive Space exhibits - 4th floor**

**1:30pm-1:45pm: Play/Dance Floor Contest, Holiday Join In - 2nd floor**

**1:45p-2:15pm: Jester's Magic Tricks & Multi Cultural Arts/Crafts - 1st fl**

**10:00am-1:30pm: Kitchen eating area \* Bathrooms/changing tables -1st fl**

**10:00am-2:00pm: Caricature portrait drawing w/Andy Buffington - 3rd fl**

**10:00am-2:00pm: View Festival of Trees 3rd/Interact w/exhibits all floors**

**There are 100's of exhibits on the 4 floors of our museum. Among them:**

***1st floor:* PlaySpace for children under 3; Exploration Space for children 4 & up; Life-Size Wooden Train; Shadow Wall; Saturn car; & hyperbolic funnel.**

***2nd floor:* kids of all ages interact with our LED Play Dance Floor; Iroquois Longhouse kiosks; Puppet Theatre; History Diorama; Dinorama; Fossil center.**

***3rd floor:* kids of all ages have fun with Lego contests; the Lionel & Thomas the Train tables; Meet our Critters & help feed Hank the Snake; Interact with Science & Weather Room exhibits; Play touch screen computer history games.**

***4th floor:* Hot Wheels Hall w/car & poster signings; View NASA Space & Science exhibits; Try on Fireman/Police uniforms; Take "ride" in real airplane.**

***On departure from the museum, take home coloring pages and a candy cane.***

