

The Children's Museum is an educationally enjoyable family environment for kids 1 to 101, founded in 1963 as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, chartered by the NYS Board of Regents, and located in a NYS & Federal historic building. Membership includes: the Nat'l Assoc. Children's Museums, Museum Assoc. NY, MV Chamber Commerce, OC Conv/ Visitors Bureau. Open year round with four floors of interactive exhibits, home of the world-famous Guinness World Record Holder Hot Wheels collection; headquarters of International Hall of Fame: Bicycle/Row/Canoe/ Kayak; only Children's Museum to have a live radio station, only building in downtown Utica to have a live weather station on our roof, headquarters of rotaryclubNY1, and only Children's Museum to be adopted by NASA & Office of Science!

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SUMMER AT THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM –Children's Museum of History, Science & Technology - serving Utica / Rome / the Mohawk Valley & CNY – located at 311 Main St., in Utica, announces our Summer Events!

July 2nd & July 3rd, 9:20am to 1:2pm, an international scientist & another **NASSA group finalist winner** will be at the museum! Lilly Bulawa is 1 of 3 main finalists in a **JOIDES Resolution** original artwork contest, focusing on deep sea drilling. Mark Leckie, Scientist/Explorer from the JOIDES ship will be at The Museum to present Lilly her award, and conduct programs for children and families, making connections between Gas hydrates, global warming, & scientific ocean drilling. Children can do hands-on exploring of pieces of shale, with the scientist helping them interpret the findings. Exciting exhibits will be on display, along with a multimedia program + posters, pencils & stickers as giveaways. A Community Program is being arranged by the museum for Thurs night, **July 1st**. at Capital Theatre in Rome. Mary Ann Bulawa, inventor of "Smart Toilet", 1 of 3 finalists in the 2010 Bubblewrap Competition for Young Inventors, added her exhibit to our 4th floor NASSA exhibits, joining the May addition of the NASSA Team Award Winning Project "Waste Management/Water Recycling exhibit: http://www.museum4kids.net/CM-Hosts-NASSA_group-finalists.htm

July 3rd through 10th, 9:20am to closing, the Children's Museum presents **Christmas in July Wonder Art Auction Family Play Days** fundraising event. Donated artwork positioned on display boards on the 3rd floor, will have a special reduced silent auction Buy Now price, along with a few art objects for sale. We'll also have tables for decorating Xmas ornaments. Adults & children can paint ornaments to either take home or decorate our 4th of July tree, on display. <http://www.museum4kids.net/XmasInJuly-ArtAuction.htm>

August, 2010 - Officials and Board Members of The Community Foundation of Herkimer & Oneida Co's and The Children's Museum Officials and Board Members took part in a check presentation to be used for **Roof Project I.**, the replacement of our leaking roof. Also announced the museum's **Roof Project II**, which will be the installation of a green energy sustainable roof with an observatory area. Donors to the project will take part in a special Roof Project Ribbon Cutting, tentatively scheduled to take place in September. View photos, donors to date, and additional information here: <http://www.museum4kids.net/Roof-Project.htm>

Summer, 2010 at CM Activities - 1.) Make Gravity/Balloon/Electric Cars; 2.) Create Robot Car w/CM's Robotics; 3.) Science Inventions w/Award-winning NASSA team; 4.) Interact w/Space Place; 5.) Take computers apart w/Kids & Computers; 6.) Hot Wheels Hall of Fame; 7.) Explore CM's Fossils/Rocks & Dinos; 8.)Caring for our Critters & Watching Butterfly Metamorphosis; 9.) Decorate pots/ Plant tree seedlings to Green our Earth; 10.) Clean pennies & move water in Caring for our Planet; 11.) Int'l Sports Halls of interactivity; 12.) LED PlayDance Floor Contests. <http://www.museum4kids.net/SummerProg.htm>



Summer Hrs: Doors open 9:30am/close 2:20pm. To ensure time to enjoy your visit, no admissions allowed 1 hour before closing.
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