

# May 2024

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| SUNDAY   | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY  |
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| <p>Celebrate Messy May with Kaleideum and The Budd Group, our monthly sponsor.</p>  <p>CELEBRATING <b>60</b> YEARS</p>  |  |   | <p>1</p> <p><b>Wonder Lab</b><br/>10:30 and 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Little Innovators (R\$)</b><br/>11:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b><br/>11:30 am</p> | <p>2</p> <p><b>Curiosity Cart</b><br/>10:30 am</p>  | <p>3</p> <p><b>Preschool Discovery</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p> <p><b>First Friday</b> 5-8 pm</p> <p><b>Kids' Night Out (R\$)</b> 5:30-8:30 pm</p> <p><b>Kindergarten Workshop (R)</b> 6:30 pm</p> | <p>4</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Beyoncé (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>  |
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| <p>12</p> <p><b>Cupcake Creations (R\$)</b> 1:30-2:30 pm</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Prince (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>  | <p>13</p> <p><i>Open 9 am-Noon for Members Only</i></p> <p><b>Storytime</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>               | <p>14</p> <p><b>Innovation Station</b> 10:30 am</p> | <p>15</p> <p><b>Wonder Lab</b> 10:30 and 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p>16</p> <p><b>Curiosity Cart</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Mrs. Cottontail and Friends</b> 11 am</p> <p><b>Carter High Art Expo</b> begins (thru May 23)</p> | <p>17</p> <p><b>Preschool Discovery</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p>18</p> <p><b>MESStival (R)</b> 10 am-5 pm</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Pink Floyd (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>   |
| <p>19</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Pink Floyd (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>   | <p>20</p> <p><i>Open 9 am-Noon for Members Only</i></p> <p><b>Storytime</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>               | <p>21</p> <p><b>Innovation Station</b> 10:30 am</p> | <p>22</p> <p><b>Wonder Lab</b> 10:30 and 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p>23</p> <p><b>Curiosity Cart</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Carter High Art Expo</b> ends today</p>   | <p>24</p> <p><b>Preschool Discovery</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p>25</p> <p><b>Little Innovators (R\$)</b> 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Queen (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>  |
| <p>26</p> <p><b>Featured Artist Laser Show: Queen (\$)</b><br/>1 and 4 pm</p>  | <p>27</p> <p><b>Robotics Workshop (R)</b> 10:30 am, Noon, 1:30 pm</p> <p><b>Storytime</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p> | <p>28</p> <p><b>Innovation Station</b> 10:30 am</p> | <p>29</p> <p><b>Wonder Lab</b> 10:30 and 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p>30</p> <p><b>Curiosity Cart</b> 10:30 am</p>   | <p>31</p> <p><b>Preschool Discovery</b> 10:30 am</p> <p><b>Animal Encounter</b> 11:30 am</p>   | <p><b>Summer Hours begin on Monday, May 27:</b><br/>Monday-Friday 9 am-5 pm<br/>Saturday-Sunday 10 am-5 pm</p> <p>R = Registration Required<br/>\$ = Additional Fee</p> |
|  <p><b>Kaleideum's Digital Dome</b> offers daily shows at Noon, 1 pm, 2 pm, and 3 pm during the weekdays and 11 am, Noon, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm, and 4 pm on weekends. Visit <a href="http://kaleideum.org/digital-dome">kaleideum.org/digital-dome</a> for show schedules and pricing.</p> |  |   |   |   |  |   |

# Recurring Programs

## Kaleideum Storytime

**Mondays, 10:30 am**  
Imaginations come alive when a Kaleideum educator reads a story.

## Innovation Station

**Tuesdays, 10:30 am**  
Explore engineering and new technology through hands-on activities. Innovation Station is part of *Prism*, Kaleideum's engineering and innovation initiative sponsored by the David Mounts Gonzalez Foundation.

## Animal Encounter

**Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 11:30 am**  
Meet one of Kaleideum's resident animals up close. Learn more about its behavior, adaptations, care, and handling from our animal care staff.

## Wonder Lab

**Wednesdays, 10:30 am and 11:30 am**  
Unlock the mysteries of fascinating science concepts from color creation to electricity's essence.

## Curiosity Cart

**Thursdays, 10:30 am**  
Spark your curiosity through arts and crafts, museum collections, science, and more.

## Preschool Discovery

**Fridays, 10:30 am**  
Participate in an action-packed program with stories, music, movement, and more!

## Little Innovators (R\$)

Little learners get a head full of STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) with interdisciplinary, hands-on activities. Designed for the kids, the fun includes storytelling, project-based learning, science, discovery, artifact viewing and classroom exploration.

- **Messy May-kers (Pre-K)**  
**Wednesday, May 1, 11:30 am-12:30 pm**  
Create art with shaving cream, squish through a Jell-O® sensory bin, play with fizzy dough, and make an enchanting fairy soup.
- **Pequeño Picasso (Ages 4-6)**  
**Saturday, May 25, 11:30 am-12:30 pm**  
In this bilingual program, young artists will create works of art out of shapes and collage a self-portrait.

Purchase tickets online or at the Welcome Desk. \$5 per ticket. (Ticket includes one Adult with one Innovator. Adult must attend with child.) Museum admission is not included.

## First Friday

**Friday, May 3, 5-8 pm**  
Families can explore the museum after the school day is done!

## Kids' Night Out (R\$)

**Friday, May 3, 5:30-8:30 pm**  
Drop your kids (grades K-6) off at Kaleideum and enjoy a few hours for YOU! Pizza dinner and snacks are included. Drop-off starts at 5:15 pm, with pick-up no later than 9 pm. Members: \$25 for first child; \$20 for each additional child. Non-members: \$30 for first child; \$25 for each additional child.

## Preparing for Kindergarten Workshop (R)

**May 3, 6:30 pm**  
Dennette Bailey, teacher, speaker and author of *Big Dream No Fears*, will present ways to develop a child's confidence, to engage in meaningful learning, and to explore the resources Kaleideum can offer that will help a child get ready for kindergarten. Free with admission. Register online.

## Kaleideum After Dark — Stupid Games, Stupid Prizes (R\$)

**Saturday, May 11, 6:30-9:30 pm**  
Adults get to take over Kaleideum WITHOUT the kids! We'll *play stupid games and win stupid prizes* throughout the museum. Show off your science knowledge with Brain Awareness Council's Brain Teasers, build the fastest LEGO® car and race it down the track, create the largest Keva block tower, and more. \$20 for members; \$25 for non-members. Ticket price includes two drink vouchers for beer or wine. Cash bar available for more drinks, and you can buy your dinner at a food truck out front!



## Try-It! Studio

Try your hand at a maker activity in a space where creativity knows no bounds.

- **May 4 & 5:** Create stamps out of foam.
- **May 11, 12, 18 & 19:** Build your own artistic masterpiece with cardboard and recycled materials.
- **May 25 & 26:** Design and collage a beautiful creature.

## Cupcake Creations (R\$)

**Sunday, May 12, 1:30-2:30 pm**  
Celebrate Mother's Day with sweet creativity. Learn decorating techniques from Humble Bee Shoppe, such as how to adorn cupcakes with flowers, when you treat a special caregiver to this delicious event. \$15 for members, \$18 for non-members.

## Carter High School Art Expo

**May 16-23**  
Students will display their artwork in our Try It! Studio.

## Mrs. Cottontail and Friends

**Thursday, May 16, 11-11:30 am**  
It's storytime with a twist ... Mrs. Cottontail will read a story, do yoga exercises, and bring a special fluffy friend. Included with admission or membership.

## MESStival (R)

**Saturday, May 18, 10 am-5 pm**  
From water play and oobleck pools to foam and foot painting, there will be plenty of ooey, gooey, slimy messes to dive into as you explore science. We'll be outside in Liberty Plaza and inside the museum. End the day with a Rockstar Bubbles Foam Party! Dress for mess and bring a towel and change of clothes. Included with regular admission or membership. Save \$5 per person regular admission when you buy early online at [kaleideum.org](http://kaleideum.org). (Online \$10; day of \$15.) *Limited number of spaces, so PLEASE reserve your tickets in advance whether you are purchasing or reserving a free space as a member.*

## Robotics Workshop (R)

**Monday, May 27, 10:30 am, Noon, 1:30 pm**  
Learn how to code Botley the Coding Robot during a one-hour workshop. No experience necessary. Suggested for ages 6 and up with an adult. Free with admission. Register online.

## Digital Dome Shows (\$)

Reserve your tickets at the Welcome Desk. \$3 for members; \$5 for non-members. The 2 pm shows are free.

### Weekday Laser Shows

#### Monday-Friday at 1 pm

- Week of May 1 – Movie Madness
- Week of May 6 – Cosmic Fun
- Week of May 13 – Color My World
- Week of May 20 – Movie Magic
- Week of May 26 – Stars & Stripes

### Weekend Featured Artist

#### Laser Shows

- Saturdays and Sundays, 1 pm and 4 pm**
- May 4 and 5 – Beyoncé
  - May 11 and 12 – Prince
  - May 18 and 19 – Pink Floyd
  - May 25 and 26 – Queen

## Hazelnuts

Check out Kaleideum's newest Young Astronomers Program in the Digital Dome. Niño and Lilli are two squirrels who love hazelnuts. When they hear there might be super hazelnuts on other planets, they begin a quest to find the best hazelnuts in the universe! Visit [kaleideum.org/digital-dome](http://kaleideum.org/digital-dome) for show times.



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