

# April 2018

Programs, Events, and Learning Opportunities



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 <b>MUSEUM CLOSED</b>	2 Open 9 am-4 pm <b>Children's China Celebration!</b> 10-11:30 am R\$	3 <b>Colin Allured Children's Concert</b> 11 am	4 <b>Science Storytime</b> 11 am	5 <b>Preschool Discovery</b> 11 am <i>An action-packed program including stories, music, movement, and more!</i>	6 <b>Kids Rock Music</b> 11 am	7 <b>Children's China Special Program: Angel Bear Yoga:</b> 11 am
8 <b>Story Dance</b> <i>Are You My Mother?</i> 2 pm	9 <b>Little Tykes</b> 9:15-10:45 am \$	10 <b>Silly Sock Storytime</b> 11 am <i>Join us for a storytime all about socks! Remember to wear your silliest pair!</i>	11 <b>Music &amp; Movement</b> 11 am <i>Come move and groove through songs, fingerplays, and a read aloud!</i>	12 <b>Peppercorn Theatre Songs and Stories</b> 9:30 am <b>Preschool Discovery</b> 11 am	13 <b>Small Fry Friday</b> 11 am <i>Enjoy storytime and make a craft!</i>	14 <b>STAY &amp; PLAY: Optical Illusions</b> 10 am-5 pm <i>The Prop Shop</i> <b>Lost &amp; Found</b> 10:30 am & 12 pm \$
15 <b>Sunday Storytime &amp; Craft</b> 2 pm <b>Lost &amp; Found</b> 3 pm \$	16 <b>Sensory Friendly Monday</b> 9 am-noon	17 <b>Rhythm Stick Storytime</b> 11 am	18 <b>Show &amp; Tell Storytime Letter G</b> 11 am	19 <b>Preschool Discovery</b> 11 am <b>Third Thursday Open until 8 pm!</b> <b>Project Prop Shop</b> 5:30-7:30 pm	20 <b>Small Fry Friday</b> 11 am	21 <b>MAKE &amp; TAKE: Found Object Puppet</b> 10 am-5 pm <i>The Prop Shop</i> <b>L&amp;F PJ Party 8:30 am! R\$</b> <b>Lost &amp; Found</b> 10:30 am & 12 pm \$
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29 <b>Sunday Storytime &amp; Craft</b> 2 pm	30 <b>Craft in Creation Station</b> 9 am-Noon				<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">           Daily programs last approximately 30 minutes unless otherwise noted.            R = Registration Required            \$ = Additional Fee         </div>	



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## Hours

Members-Only Monday.....9 am-Noon  
 Tuesday-Friday ..... 9 am-4 pm  
**Open until 8 pm the Third Thursday of each month**  
 Saturday.....10 am-5 pm  
 Sunday.....1 pm-5 pm

## Admission

Adults.....\$9 (+tax)  
 Youth (Ages 1-19).....\$9 (+tax)  
 Seniors (Ages 62+)..... \$8 (+tax)  
 Ages 11 Months & Under .....Free  
 Members .....Free

Program registration is available online at [kaleideum.org](http://kaleideum.org)

**For program descriptions, see the back of this calendar!**

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**Kaleideum Adventures** — A special thing happens at **2 pm on Saturdays** — an adventure expert arrives with a challenge for visitors. Help the Botanist count the beans on the Beanstalk, solve a mystery with the Amazing Librarian, or help a Chef create a confectionary masterpiece in the Doughnut Factory!

**Children's China Celebration!** —Take an overseas adventure! Enjoy storytime, make and wear a panda headband, create a (friendly) fire-breathing dragon, and construct a traditional Chinese instrument called a Bolang Gu! Adults and children enjoy tasty snacks —watermelon, starfruit, tea, and panda cookies. Our celebration will end with a special parade through the museum to *Children's China: Celebrating Culture, Character, and Confucius*. This interactive exhibit, designed for children 3 to 12 years old, explores what life is like for children in China today through six different immersive environments. Registration Required: \$16 (+tax)/member child (1 free adult), \$30 (+tax)/non-member child (1 free adult), Museum admission included, \$12 (+tax)/sibling (if non-member, includes Museum admission). Each additional adult—\$4 (+tax), Museum admission not included. Tickets available at [kaleideum.org](http://kaleideum.org).

**Kids Rock Music** — Join us for live music, age-appropriate instruments, and interactive movement! Kids Rock Music brings the joy of musical expression to children and families. Learn more at [kidsrocktriad.com](http://kidsrocktriad.com).

**Children's China Special Program: Angel Bear Yoga** — join Angel Bear on an amazing journey to China! Meet two inspiring characters — Peaceful Panda and Ping Ping. Though this interactive class, children will listen to a panda story, learn amazing panda facts, and practice yoga poses.

**Story Dance: Are You My Mother** — Edge Performing Arts in Winston-Salem is proud to present Story Dance, an exciting and thoroughly engaging program of reading and movement. Join us we help baby bird search for his mother in the children's classic *Are You My Mother?* by author P.D. Eastman. Participants will learn some basic ballet movements and use these steps to help choreograph a dance to illustrate the book. A perfect introduction to dance and a fun way to incorporate movement into literacy. For all young readers! For more information, visit [Edgeperformingarts.net](http://Edgeperformingarts.net), or contact [NCedgeperformingarts@gmail.com](mailto:NCedgeperformingarts@gmail.com).

**Little Tykes** — This program focuses specifically on the developmental skills and interests of young children, age 2 years old! Children and their caregivers will engage one-on-one through songs, stories, creating crafts, and special activities. Discover the magic of playing and learning together! Registration available at the Welcome Desk or by contacting Sarah Evans at (336) 723-9111 x208. Day-of registration is also available beginning 15 minutes before the start of each program but space is limited—\$8/class for member child (one free adult), \$10/class for non-member child (one free adult, Kaleideum Downtown admission included.) Remaining program dates: April 9, April 23, and May 14.

**Peppercorn Theatre Songs and Stories** — Teaching Artists share songs, stories, and activities designed for babies, toddlers, and their caregivers to play and grow together. Enjoy live music, hands-on props, and puppets with these storytellers! These classes repeat (changing with the seasons) so you and your child can learn the songs and sing at home!

**Sensory Friendly Monday** — Children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and sensory processing differences are invited to have a fun, enjoyable, and interactive learning experience in a comfortable and accepting environment! At the Museum, learning can be verbal or non-verbal; hands-on or hands-off; fast or slow; social or solitary; loud or quiet; directed or inquiry-based. Sensory Friendly Mondays are offered one day per month, September through May, on Members-only Mondays (9 am–Noon) when Museum attendance is light. You do not need to be a member in order to attend, but admission or membership is required. Learn more at [downtown.kaleideum.org/visit/accessibility/](http://downtown.kaleideum.org/visit/accessibility/).

**Show and Tell Storytime** — Each storytime will feature a new letter of the alphabet. By the end of the year, we'll have learned all 26. Enjoy a special storytime with songs and activities. Children are welcome to bring something special from home that begins with the letter of the day.

**Third Thursday: Project Prop Shop** — Local makers are invited to compete in Kaleideum's ultimate creative challenge! Contestants innovate and create projects based on each month's theme before Kaleideum judges choose a winner to hold the Project Prop Shop trophy... until the next competition! Visit the museum to watch in person or watch live on Facebook! Included with admission and free for members. [#projectpropshop](http://#projectpropshop)

**Angel Bear Yoga: Springtime Adventure!** — Join Angel Bear on a trip to the forest! We'll bring the book *Ladybug, Ladybug Where Are You* to life, while looking for signs of spring. Come ready to do plenty of nature and insect poses - even ladybug pose! And meet a special furry friend, too.

**Safe Kids Day 2018 & 11th Annual Bike Safety Day** — Safe Kids Day 2018 is a nationwide initiative to bring awareness about preventable injuries, the #1 killer of kids in the United States. Safe Kids Northwest Piedmont, part of the Brenner Children's Hospital Pediatric Trauma Program at Wake Forest Baptist Health, and its partners will provide hands-on education to promote the prevention of childhood injuries and motivate families in the community to join us in keeping kids safe. Learn about water, child passenger, home, fire, and pedestrian safety. This event is in conjunction with the 11th Annual Bike Safety Day in memory of Joshua Palomares-Beckles. This family-friendly event will educate children about the importance of bicycle safety and wearing a properly fitted helmet. Bring your bike and helmet to the outdoor bicycle rodeo (10 am–Noon) with the Winston-Salem Police Department Downtown Bike Patrol Unit. Free helmets while supplies last. This event, sponsored in part by the Brenner Children's Hospital Pediatric Trauma Program at Wake Forest Baptist Health, is being presented as a 'pay what you can' program. We want to ensure that every child and family can attend. Please consider making a donation of admission - at any level. Eliminating cost barriers means the Museum has a greater capacity to reach more families, engage more children in playful learning, and support more caregivers.

## April in The Prop Shop

**April 7 MAKE & TAKE: April Showers & Paper Flowers** — How can you turn a piece of paper into a flower? Fold, crinkle, and roll to create stunning Spring decorations for The Prop Shop.

**April 14 STAY & PLAY: Optical Illusions** — How does 3D drawing work? How can you trick your eyes with mirrors? What theatre magic can we make together?

**April 21 MAKE & TAKE: Found Object Puppet** — Can you turn a yogurt container into a dragon? How might you transform bottle caps into a robot marionette? We're celebrating Earth Day in The Prop Shop by putting our imaginations to creative reuse.

**April 28 STAY & PLAY: Cardboard & Upcycled City** — Let's create our own small-scale city together! Could a water bottle become a skyscraper? Use your imagination and design a whole new town!

## Peppercorn Theatre at Kaleideum presents **Lost & Found**

By John Bowhers and Harry Poster

Music by Colin Allured

Kaleideum Downtown

April 14 – 10:30 am & 12 pm

April 15 – 3 pm

April 21 – 10:30 am & 12 pm

April 22 – 3 pm

A 40-minute play following the journey of two young siblings as they venture into an imagined world where all lost things go. Using a musical landscape and everyday objects, *Lost & Found* explores what children do best: turning ordinary surroundings into extraordinary adventures.

\$8 (+tax) members, \$10 (+tax) non-members  
Recommended ages 3 - 6

Purchase tickets at [peppercorntheatre.org](http://peppercorntheatre.org).

## Lost & Found Pajama Party

Kaleideum Downtown

April 21 – 8:30 am

Come dressed in your pj's for this special pre-show party for *Lost & Found*! Enjoy a continental breakfast complete with juice, coffee, fresh fruit, and pastries. Create a sock puppet in The Prop Shop to bring to the performance, and explore the museum with your new best friend. At 10 am you'll be invited to a Meet & Greet and pre-show engagement with the cast and crew. You'll be the first ready to watch the show! Favorite stuffed animals welcome and encouraged!

Registration Required: \$18 (+tax) member, \$20 (+tax) non-member

Includes tickets to the 10:30 am performance.

## Peppercorn Theatre at Kaleideum:

### Live at RiverRun

Saturday, April 21 at 1:00 pm at Hanesbrands Theatre

Peppercorn Theatre at Kaleideum will present a short stage play, *What Goes Up* by Harry Poster, before the screening of a short film for audiences ages 4 & up. Tickets and more info at [riverrun.com](http://riverrun.com).



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