



Cottonlandia Museum

2009 Summer Discovery Program

Welcome to Cottonlandia Museum's Summer Discovery Program! These classes will run from June 4-July 31, 2009. The classes are generally three hours long, from 9:00 a.m. to noon, or from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Fees for each 3-hour class are \$13.00 for Cottonlandia Museum members and \$15.00 for non-members, unless otherwise noted. A snack and all materials are provided. Family memberships may be purchased at time of registration.

Enrollment is limited, with advance registration required. For additional information about class sign-up, stop by or call Cottonlandia Museum at 453-0925, or send an e-mail to cottonlandia@bellsouth.net. **These classes may fill early, so register as soon as possible—payment is required at registration to hold a spot in a class.**

To better accommodate parents' schedules, the enrollment system will be by lottery for Museum members, and takes place on Tuesday AND Wednesday, May 26 & 27. Members may come by the Museum at any time between 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. to pick their lottery number, and leave their class selection and payment (cash/check/credit card). Notification of which classes you receive will be sent out on Thursday, May 28. Open registration begins at noon on Thursday, May 28. Summer Discovery Programs are subject to interest and may be cancelled if less than five students sign up. Some classes may be postponed due to weather, but will be made up at a later date.

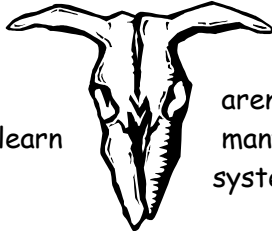
To allow as many children as possible to participate, each student will be limited to signing up for seven classes during early enrollment. After the initial seven have been chosen, students will automatically be put on the waiting lists for further classes.

Cancellations must be received **24 hours ahead of time** to receive a refund of registration. It is very important that your child arrives to class on time. If a student is more than 10 minutes late for class without notice, they will be considered a no-show, and a child on the reserve list will be called to take their place.

Welcome to Summer Discovery 2009!

Thursday, June 4 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Bohemian Arts and Crafts Terri Crick
It's tie-dye, mosaics, and more! The Age of Aquarius may have passed, but the arts and crafts from the era have made a raging comeback in the lives of pre-teens today! Dress for the mess.

Friday, June 5 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Bone Up On Bones Christine Hemphill
Bones and skeletons aren't scary! Without them, we would just be big blobs on the floor. Students will learn many fascinating facts about bones, as well as study creatures with other support systems.



Friday, June 5 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Printmaking Lark Brown
Older students will make their own artwork to take home, using a variety of printmaking techniques, including linoleum carving. Dress for the mess.

Tuesday, June 9 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Kitchen Chemistry Charlotte Burns
Kids can conduct fun and safe chemical experiments using common household materials. Discover some basic chemistry facts using vinegar, baking soda, Kool-Aid and much more!



Tuesday, June 9 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Art for Small Hands Amy Segers
Younger kids will enjoy this hands-on class that explores many different forms of art—sculpture, watercolor, painting, and much more! Dress for the mess.

Wednesday, June 10 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Fossil Frenzy Museum Staff
What will you unearth during the simulated fossil dig? Learn to be a junior paleontologist and find out about the fossil life found in Mississippi during this unique hands-on class.

Wednesday, June 10 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Going Batty Museum Staff
What's the only mammal that can fly? A bat! Do they suck your blood? Sometimes! Learn more about these unusual little critters in this fun class.

Thursday, June 11 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Hide & Seek Museum Staff
Not a class about a kids' game, but about animals that use camouflage to hide, either for offense or defense. They've got those patterns and colors for a reason!

Thurs, June 11	1:00-4:00	Ages 9-12	
Making Masks	Lark Brown		
Laissez le bon temps rouler (let the good times roll)—the theme of Mardi Gras in New Orleans! Now students can make their own Mardi Gras-style masks, among others!			
Friday, June 12	9:00-noon	Ages 5-8	
Bubble-ology 1	Barbara Biggers		
Making bubbles is an art, and you get to be the artist in this "cool" class! Huge bubbles, multi-bubbles, and bubbles inside of bubbles. Please dress for the mess. There will be two more Bubble-ology classes on June 25 and July 22.			
Friday, June 12	1:00-4:00	Ages 5-8	
Down on the Farm	Museum Staff		
What kinds of animals live on a farm? Students will explore cows, chickens, goats, donkeys, pigs and much more! The live animal demonstration is always a class favorite.			
Tuesday, June 16	9:00-noon	Ages 9-12	
It's War, Boys!	Museum Staff		
Join Civil War Re-enactor Hugh Ross as he takes kids through life during the Civil War! Hands-on activities highlight this special history program for boys AND girls.			
Tuesday, June 16	1:00-4:00	Ages 5-8	
Feathered Friends	Rosemary Franklin		
What makes a bird different from other creatures? Take a closer look at our fine-feathered friends with hands-on crafts and live animals!			
Wednesday, June 17	9:00-noon	Ages 5-8	
The Human Body	Angela Curry		
This class looks at you, inside and out! From muscles and bones to stomachs and lungs, this class will take students on a journey through their mysterious insides.			
Thursday, June 18	9:00-noon	Ages 5-8	
Rainforest Life	Terry Grantham		
We might not enjoy the rain, but the critters of the world's rainforests sure do, and that's what this class looks at! This class will have rainforest snacks too!			
Thursday, June 18	1:00-4:00	Ages 5-8	
Dinosaur Country 1	Rosemary Franklin		
Full speed ahead into Dinosaur Country, in this look at everyone's favorite extinct creatures. The simulated dino excavation for younger students is always the high point of this popular class. Repeats on July 15.			
Friday, June 19	9:00-noon	Ages 5-8	
Mississippi Animals	Christina Meriwether		
Younger students will have the opportunity to learn about the many different species of animals that live in our state, including bears, raccoons, fish and much more.			



- Friday, June 19 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Flying Things Museum Staff
 Not birds and bats, but planes and rockets! Students will experiment with the aerodynamics of flight, using paper airplanes, gliders, and rockets
- Tuesday, June 23 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Gizmos and Gadgets Gary McDonald
 Physics can be fun, especially if you get to make stuff that works! This class will emphasize "things that go", making cool inventions, and simple machines
- Tuesday, June 23 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Big Blue Sea Terraseta Hodges
 Explore the oceans and the critters that live in them in this new class for the younger set. Lots of take home crafts and games to play!
- Wednesday, June 24 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Zip and Zap Gary McDonald
 You might have the next Edison at your house! This class emphasizes the mysterious aspects of magnetism and electricity with safe electrical experiments.
- Wednesday, June 24 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Your Life in a Book Terri Crick
 This new class looks at the art of scrap-booking! Participants will need to bring at least 20 photographs and/or flat memorabilia to make their books. Cost for this program is \$20 (\$17 for Museum members).
- Thursday, June 25 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Bubble-ology 2 Muffett Dunn
 A slippery repeat of the June 12 class. Dress for the mess! (But it's the only class where you will come out cleaner than you started!)
- Thursday, June 25 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
The Wild Life Rosemary Franklin
 Younger students will learn about the interactions of animals and plants, and how man-made things can affect environments through interactive game playing. Please wear tennis shoes
- Friday, June 26 9:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Art of the Swamp Robin Whitfield
 The special all-day class will feature art instruction and wetlands ecology in the morning, followed by a trip to a local swamp in the afternoon to create art projects. Dress appropriately for a swamp; we will provide the bug spray and a lunch. The cost for this all-day program is \$30 (\$25 for Museum members).
- Tuesday, July 7 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Great Masters Peggie Walker
 Older students examine the artistic styles of the Great Masters with a little more attention to the details. Your child could be the next Picasso! Dress for the mess!

Tuesday, July 7 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Native Americans Peggie Walker
 Kids will discover many Native American arts, crafts, learn to throw spears and use Choctaw blow guns!

Wednesday, July 8 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Can You Dig It? Jessica Crawford
 This class teaches the basics of archaeology, and introduces students to the processes used by real archaeologists (like Mrs. Crawford) to learn about our past.

Wednesday, July 8 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Crawling Critters Heather Harris
 What lives under logs and in the wildflowers? Bugs, of course! We will go on a bug hunt to identify some of the creepy crawlies, as well as studying them in class through bug bingo and a butterfly life cycle activity.

Thursday, July 10 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
The Frozen South Museum Staff
 Take a trip to Antarctica as students learn about penguins and other life at the bottom of the world!

Friday, July 10 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Artsy Craftsy Heather Harris
 Kids love to make stuff, and we've got plenty of projects to keep those little hands busy! Make and take is the name of the game in this class.

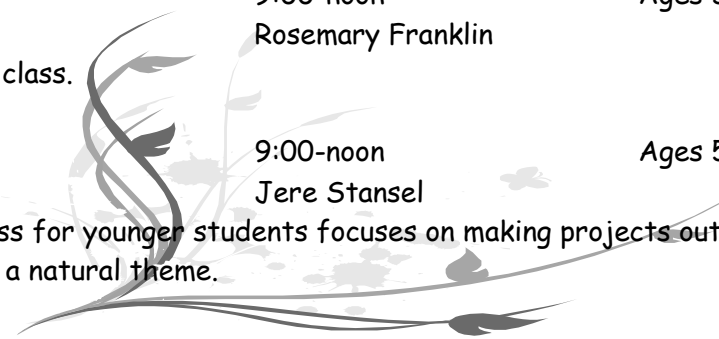


Tuesday, July 14 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Oozy Stuff Dorothy Walcott
 Students will use safe household products to explore chemical reactions and make several batches of slimy, oozy stuff to take home! Dress for the mess.

Tuesday, July 14 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Little Masters Museum Staff
 Younger participants will look at the works of some great artists to learn their basic styles and techniques. Then it's their turn to experiment! Dress for the mess!

Wednesday, July 15 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Dinosaur Country 2 Rosemary Franklin
 A repeat of the June 18 class.

Thursday, July 16 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Nature Crafts Jere Stansel
 This entertaining art class for younger students focuses on making projects out of common outdoor materials, or things with a natural theme.



Thursday, July 16 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Makin' Music Connie Black
 Younger students will learn about the origins of music, about tempo and beat, and will get to try out several different types of basic musical instruments.

Friday, July 17 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Sh-sh-sh-SHARK! Museum Staff
 In this not-too-scary class, you will learn about the mysterious and often misunderstood world of sharks.



Friday, July 17 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Shark Attack! Museum Staff
 Take a closer look at the top predators of the ocean in this cool class for older students!

Tuesday, July 21 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
All You Can Eat Allison Meek
 Students will learn about food, nutrition, and basic table manners in this fun, hands-on class! The kids will even get to try their hands out at making some food of their own. Dress for the mess!

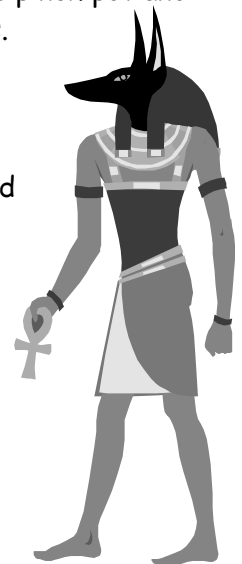
Wednesday, July 22 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Days of Knights Museum Staff
 It's back to the days of kings, queens, and castles—the Middle Ages! Learn about the art and customs of the Renaissance, including coats-of-arms, weaponry and castle building.

Wednesday, July 22 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Bubble-ology 3 Betty Gail Kalich
 Hands-on bubble science! Dress for the mess in this slippery class.

Thursday, July 23 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Little Bit of Clay Museum Staff
 What happens when you give a younger child a hunk of clay? There's a lot more to do than just squish it between your fingers! Students will learn basic techniques of pot making, including the pinch pot and the roll pot, & can take home their creations after they are fired. Dress for the mess.

Thursday, July 23 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Slimy or Scaly? Museum Staff
 What are the differences between reptiles and amphibians? Younger students will find out the answers in this hands-on class with live specimens.

Friday, July 24 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
More Than Mummies Museum Staff
 I want my mummy! This fun class examines ancient Egypt, and looks not only at mummies, but also pyramids, deities, pharaohs and the lives of the common people who lived 3500 years ago. We do LOTS of activities!



Friday, July 24 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Soapmaking Museum Staff
 Anyone can buy soap, but it's more fun to make it yourself! Participants will melt and mold their own glycerin soap with special natural additives, colors and scents.

Tuesday, July 28 9:00-noon Ages 5-8
Green Thumbs Brenda Daves
 It's all about plants in this class--how they grow, and the many types of plants around us, including trees, fruits, vegetables and weeds.

Monday & Tuesday, July 28-29 Mon. 1:00-4:00, Tues. 9:00-noon Ages 7-9
Mystery Fest—Mr. Bear Museum Staff



This two-day class presents students with a forensic science mystery that they can solve. They will examine a mock-up of a crime scene, and using some basic investigative skills, determine "who did it"! This class has a slightly different age limit, and costs \$28 (\$24 for Museum members). Because of the mystery factor, a student can take this class only once.

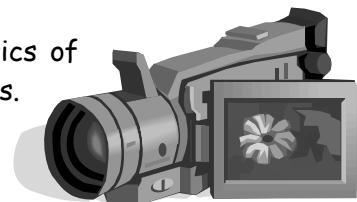
Wednesday, July 29 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
A Pirate's Life for Me Museum Staff
 Arrgh, matey! This class looks at the lives of pirates, including their clothing, food, ships, treasures and maps. It's the plank for you if you don't sign up!

Thursday, July 30 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Big Blob of Clay 1 Museum Staff
 Older students will learn basic pottery and clay techniques in this art class taught by one of our area's most noted potters. Dress for the mess!

Thursday, July 30 1:00-4:00 Ages 5-8
Your Five Senses I.V. Freeman
 Hearing, sight, taste, touch and smell—these five senses help to enhance our perception of the world. Learn more about how important they are, as well as how to cope if one of them doesn't work

Friday, July 31 9:00-noon Ages 9-12
Crime Scene! Karen Lott
 It's CSI for older kids—how cool! Learn about how experts work crime scenes, from fingerprints to footprints, and many other amazing techniques.

Friday, July 31 1:00-4:00 Ages 9-12
Lights, Camera, ACTION! Jamie Mathews
 A NEW CLASS! An award winning film director will show you the basics of filmmaking. Tell a story on film, and learn what goes on behind the scenes. DVDs will be available after about a week





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Cottonlandia Museum is looking for volunteer
assistants for Summer Discovery Classes!

For every class you (or your teenage son or daughter)
volunteer for, you will receive one class at **HALF PRICE!**

Call Jennifer Whites at 453-0925 or email cottonlandia@bellsouth.net
to sign up as soon as possible.