

Children's Museum of Oak Ridge Imagination Station Spring Camps

March 13-17, 2017

Exciting spring break activities to enrich your child's life for 1st-5th graders
Fun STEAM activities include: art, astronomy, gardening, international cooking, messy science experiments, and on Friday celebrate the Wearing O' the Green!

Morning session: 9am-noon

Afternoon session: 1-4pm

Weekly Rate (mornings only or afternoons only):

Members \$125, Non-Members \$135

Weekly Rate Full-day option (mornings and afternoons with lunch & gym activities between sessions):

Members \$210, Non-Members \$225

Daily rates available:

Members: \$25 morning or afternoon, \$50 full-day, Non-members: \$30 morning or afternoon, \$55 full-day

Bring a water bottle, lunch (if staying), tennis shoes, and weather appropriate clothes.

Monday, March 13

The Nature of Gardening, 9am-noon

Learn the finer points of gardening: when and what to plant, how to nourish plants, the growth cycle of a seed, and how to use herbs and spices

Mad Math, 1-4pm

Build a catapult, and calculate how far different objects can be chucked!

Tuesday, March 14

Astronomy Aliens, 9am-noon

Concoct night star playdough, play astronomy Jeopardy, construct moon phases, build a marshmallow constellation, and create an alien space ship.

Cool Chemistry 1-4pm

Mixing together different ingredients: make flubber, build a density tower, and create a glow in the dark bouncy ball.

Wednesday, March 15

Poetry in Art, 9am-noon

Read Ezra Keats "In a Spring Garden." Learn Haiku, write a poem about a creature you find in the garden, then create a collage for your poem.

Science of Color, 1-4pm

Learn the science of eruptions, create a glowing rainbow eruption, cook up a crystal flower in a shell, build a leprechaun trap, and engineer an egg tower.

Thursday, March 16

Letterboxing, 9am-noon

Try out this fun hobby that combines orienteering, art, and puzzle solving. After creating your stamp and logbook, solve the clues then use navigational skills to find hidden treasure!

Appalachian Jack Tales, 1-4pm

Join Sarah and Jonah in the Appalachian exhibit to learn about 1890's mountain life. Jack Tales were a historical way to tell stories. Create a Jack Tale by brainstorming ideas for character, plot, setting, problem, and a resolution. Write the folktale together using your ideas and act it out on stage.

Friday, March 17

St. Patrick's Day Celebration, 9am-4pm

Come ready to cook an Irish meal for lunch: bangers and lucky Irish potato mash, O' Casey punch, and Irish apple cake. After lunch create a sporran and Loch Ness puppet, play Highland games: Haggis Hurl and Sheep Toss, and hunt for gold. For the final feat, take the Loch Ness Challenge. Wearing o' the Green is essential!!