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## **TAPESCAPE MEMBERS NIGHT PREVIEW**

MAY 10, 2019

Members are invited to stick with us at the Children's Museum! On Friday, May 10 from 6:30PM to 8:00PM, Children's Museum members and their guests (up to two free guests per active member) can attend a sneak peek of our 2019 travelling exhibition, [TapeScape](#), before it opens to the general public. Guests will get to explore this interactive art installation that sparks creative learning for museum guests of all ages. The immersive *TapeScape* experience challenges the ideas of what can be construction materials by using packing tape to make an unpredictable and one-of-a-kind environment for learning and exploration. This after-hours experience will also feature complimentary beverages from the museum's Old-Fashioned Refreshment Stand, an opportunity to create a *TapeScape*-inspired suncatcher, as well as a chance to enter our draw for a museum membership.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

*Local tour sponsored by Johnston Group. Additional local support provided by Global Television, Inn At The Forks, NorthStar Scaffold Inc., Prairie Public, Steinbach Credit Union, and Toromont CAT.*

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## **TAPESCAPE GRAND OPENING**

MAY 11, 2019

Our summer exhibition *TapeScape* will be all ready to go and just waiting for you to explore! There's climbing, sliding, and lots of STEAM-based creative learning to be had. From 11:00AM to 3:00PM, [UofW](#) and [UofM](#)'s Let's Talk Science teams will be leading hands-on experiments and demonstrations. Stick with it for more fun and create a tissue paper stained glass ornament that will light up any room with bright and beautiful colours.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## TAPESCAPE TAPETASTIC BIRTHDAYS

MAY 11 - SEPTEMBER 2, 2019

Happy Birthday to gl-u! Inspired by our summer exhibition [TapeScape](#), partygoers will have a chance to spark their creative learning using three tried and true craft supplies: glue, tape, and glitter. Your party guests will have shiny, messy fun creating their individual take-home masterpieces, and you'll be happy we're doing the clean up!

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## MOM'S SPECIAL DAY

MAY 12, 2019

To celebrate mothers on their special day, the Children's Museum is offering all moms half-price admission all day long on Mother's Day. During your visit, be sure to stop by the Creation Station between 11:00AM - 3:00PM to make a special craft for mom that celebrates Manitoba's provincial flower, the prairie crocus!

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## MANITOBA DAY

MAY 12, 2019

Today is the perfect day to learn more about the province we call home. From 11:00AM to 3:00PM, we're celebrating our great province's iconic nature - from polar bears to the prairie crocus! With a take-home craft, special activities, as well as hands-on science experiments led by Let's Talk Science teams from the [University of Manitoba](#) and [University of Winnipeg](#), it's an extra special day at the museum.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## VOLUNTEER INFORMATION SESSION

MAY 16, 2019

The Children's Museum is looking for volunteers to

assist with our upcoming programming and events. Are you fun, creative, and interested in making a difference? Help spark kids' creative learning - become a Children's Museum volunteer today or share this message with someone you know!

**Please Note:**

There are no Volunteer Information Sessions scheduled from June to August. If you are interested in volunteering at the Children's Museum during the summer months, you must complete the Volunteer Application Form before May 15, 2019. Volunteer recruitment will resume in September.

[Click here to register or to learn more.](#)

*Volunteer Program Supporter: Payworks*

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## PRIDE WEEK

MAY 24 - JUNE 2, 2019

Help us celebrate the Pride Winnipeg Festival by participating in a colourful, collaborative, heart-filled window display of rainbow tissue paper hearts from May 24 - 31 from 11:00AM - 3:00PM, then check back on June 1 and 2 as they're arranged into a collaborative window display in our Welcome Centre!

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## EXPLORE-ABILITIES MORNING

JUNE 1, 2019

Part of our [Explore-Abilities Access Program](#), join us on Saturday, June 1 for an Explore-Abilities Morning - a sensory-friendly museum experience designed for children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) and sensory processing differences to have fun and enjoy interactive, hands-on learning in a safe and accessible facility!

[Click here to register or to learn more.](#)

*Explore-Abilities Access Program Supporters: The Bertram Austin Goodman, May Easton McLaren Goodman, and Dorothy Jean Goodman Foundation*

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## JUNE BALLOON

JUNE 1, 2019

Can you believe it? We're turning 33 years old, and you're invited to join in the fun! All general admissions are 50% off all day long on our birthday. Join us from 11:00AM to 3:00PM for musical performances by the talented [Jake Chenier](#), a birthday-themed craft, cool science experiments led by [UofW's Let's Talk Science](#) team, and scrumptious cake.\* It's going to be a blast -

see you at the party!

(\*Available while supplies last)

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## GREAT CANADIAN GIVING CHALLENGE

JUNE 1 - 30, 2019

The Great Canadian Giving Challenge is back! The Great Canadian Giving Challenge is an exciting month-long contest that gives charities the chance to win a \$10,000 donation. Donate to the Children's Museum via [GivingChallenge.ca](#) between June 1 - 30, and each donated dollar will earn the Children's Museum one entry in a grand prize draw for \$10,000. #GivingChallengeCA

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## CANOO

The Children's Museum has been a proud partner of the Institute for Canadian Citizenship's Cultural Access Pass since 2016. Effective May 1, 2019, the Cultural Access Pass (CAP) is now called Canoo, and it has a digital app available to replace the physical CAP card. If you are a current CAP cardholder, your physical card will still be accepted until its expiry.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

JUNE 24, 2019

The Annual General Meeting of the Manitoba Children's Museum will be held at 5:30PM on Monday, June 24, 2019 at the Children's Museum.

The Meeting Agenda includes:

- Annual Report of the Board of Directors (*Note: This document will be available for download from our [website](#) on June 25.*)
- 2018 Audited Financial Statements
- Appointment of Auditors for 2019
- Elections of 2019-20 Board of Directors

Anyone wishing to nominate a director may contact the [Executive Director](#) for further information. Nominations from the floor will not be accepted.

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## SUMMER DAY CAMP

## JULY 2 - AUGUST 30, 2019

Summer is fast approaching, don't miss out on your chance to spend it at the Children's Museum! With time in the galleries - including our special summer exhibition *TapeScape*, weekly field trips, water days, outdoor activities, games, crafts, and more, the Children's Museum is the place to be for summer fun! The Children's Museum Day Camp is now open to children entering Kindergarten through Grade 4 in the 2019-2020 school year.

**\*NEW FOR 2019\*** Free2Play Access Program Day Camp Fee Subsidies available to qualifying Manitoba residents.

[Click here to register or to learn more.](#)

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