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CALENDAR ADVISORY

Children's Science Center Invites the Community to Participate in Design Workshops

Share your ideas for the future science center!

WHO: The Children's Science Center is the non-profit organization that operates the Children's Science Center Lab and other community programs focused on hands-on learning in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).

WHAT: DESIGN WORKSHOPS

The Children's Science Center needs the community's input as we enter the next phase of planning for our future, full-scale science center in Dulles, Virginia. The entire community, including parents, children, teens, educators, and community leaders, is invited to participate in one of our workshops where they will hear about our plans for the new museum and participate in an interactive workshop to help create the museum's exhibits and experiences.

We will generate ideas for individual features as well as overall themes and subjects that are most attractive for our community's families and future visitors. Everyone's feedback will be welcome and encouraged. You don't need specific skills or backgrounds to participate! We would like broad representation from the community as we create this essential community resource together.

We will have concurrent workshops for adults and children. Children will participate in a special Kids Design Workshop at the same time as the adult workshop. Following our "For Kids, By Kids" design philosophy, they will invent their own exhibit concepts. This event is best for children in first grade and above.

WHERE: Sunday, May 21, 4:00 – 6:00 pm

Loudoun Senior Center at Cascades, 21060 Whitfield Place, Sterling VA 20165

Monday, May 22, 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Bechtel-ASCE Conference Center, 1801 Alexander Bell Drive, Reston, VA 20191

Register to attend at: <https://tinyurl.com/scidesigncom>

Space is limited so, please register soon! To learn more, please contact imagine@childsci.org

About the Children's Science Center:

The Children's Science Center's mission is to instill a love of learning science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) in all children by providing unique opportunities to explore, create and be inspired. The Children's Science Center Lab is located at Fair Oaks Mall and is Northern Virginia's first interactive museum where children, families and school groups can explore STEM concepts through fun, engaging hands-on exhibits, activities, and programs. In addition to the Lab and community programs, the Center is working to fulfill the vision of a full-scale, world-class children's science museum to be located in Dulles, VA. The Children's Science Center is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. Learn more at www.childsci.org.

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