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Newsletter

IMAGINATION FACTORY CHRISTMAS PARTY A GREAT CELEBRATION FOR EVERYONE!

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Congratulations Imagination Factory Children’s Museum Event Team for organizing a fun and entertaining celebration Christmas Party!
Special leadership appreciation to CHRISTINE MCMAHON, Event Committee Chairperson!



Christmas Party leaders welcomed by everyone were: Jim LaJoie, Executive Director of the Superior Health Foundation and Ben Sherk, Director of the Kingsford High School Jazz Band.

The IM-K Kiwanis Club leaders were applauded for their ongoing support and special contribution that guaranteed the start up of the Our Place Community Center-Imagination Factory Kiwanis Children’s Museum. Officers, Accountant Helen Paquette, Toy contributor Mike Miller and Board Members were also cheered for their dedication, loyalty and outstanding leadership.

Following the event, the Our Place Community Center-Imagination Factory Kiwanis Children’s Museum Directors were proud to record a new participation number of 151 volunteers and over 100 in attendance at the Christmas Party!

Event highlights included great food, candy bags for children, Lego Toys for children, candy canes for families, Christmas coloring table, listening to great music from our local jazz band, presentations from Jonathan, Jeff and Barb, gift drawing awarded to 5 happy winners and most important great companionship and fellowship!



PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP SELECTED AS FIRST ALL-COMMUNITY EXHIBIT BUILD



IMAGINATION FACTORY MUSEUM EXHIBIT COMMITTEE BEGINS BUILD ACTION PLAN

Special leadership appreciation to *CHERIE FILA, MEGAN BUCK, BRIT ANDERSON* and *SARA PERICOLOSI*

On December 5, the Imagination Factory Kiwanis Children's Museum Exhibit Committee voted the Pine Mountain Ski Jump as their first all-community museum exhibit build.

Under the recommendation of the UP Children's Museum Executive Director and Imagination Factory Consultant Jim Edwards, it was decided to have children in grades 3 to 8 begin the process of designing the Pine Mountain Ski Jump as a children's museum exhibit.

3 UPCOMING EXHIBIT BUILD EVENTS

- **Saturday, January 26: Children's Build Event**
10:00 to 11:30 AM at 5 local libraries
- **Saturday, February 2: Build Team Event**
10:00 to Noon at 217 West Hughitt Street
Lunch served at 11:30 in the cafeteria
- **Wednesday, February 6: Committee Planning**
5:00 to 6:30 PM at 217 West Hughitt Street
Public Welcome - in the library room

ourplacecc.org **ONLINE REGISTRATIONS - Posted Dec. 18**

CHILDREN'S BUILD EVENT DAY - SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

STUDENTS IN GRADES 3 TO 8 ARE INVITED!

DATE	Saturday, January 26
TIME	10:00 to 11:30 AM
LOCATIONS	Dickinson County Library - Iron Mountain Dickinson County Library - Norway Florence County Library Crystal Falls Library West Iron District Library - Iron River
ACTIVITY LEADERS	High School Empowerment Students, Imagination Factory Exhibit Committee Members

SUPPLIES & SNACKS READY! PARENTS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND!



MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!