

Storytelling at the Missouri History Museum in Forest Park

JULY and AUGUST 2009 Programs

FREE

See below for specific dates. Check with the Information Desk for locations.

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These programs engage our youngest visitors and their families in historic paintings and objects by using traditional and contemporary stories. Children will also enjoy a hands-on craft. Each 45-minute session is FREE. Programs are held Fridays at 10:30 a.m. and Saturdays at 1 p.m.* in the museum's galleries. Stories are recommended for children ages 2-7. KIDS ONLY! Adults welcome with children. Check with the Information Desk for locations.

*Storytelling Workshops return for July and August. The classroom-turned-kidzone is open from noon to 2:30 p.m. on Saturdays. Storytelling will take place at 1 p.m., but join us before or after storytelling to play with puppets, make a craft, build a puzzle or escape to the rainbow retreat to read stories on your own.

Fri., July 3 and Sat., July 4 –
NO STORYTELLING

Fri., July 10 and Sat., July 11 –
Staying Safe and Healthy

Join us on Kohl's Safety Street as we read *Do Kangaroos Wear Seatbelts?* and other fun stories about health and safety. **SPECIAL**



GUEST! On Saturday, July 11, Children's Hospital mascot **Snerdlihc** will visit and sit with kids. Feel free to bring your camera to take pictures of your children! Enjoy special activities provided by St. Louis Children's Hospital.

Fri., July 17 and Sat., July 18 –
We All Scream for Ice Cream!

July is National Ice Cream Month. Come learn about the history of the ice cream cone at the 1904 World's Fair and hear stories about ice cream.

Fri., July 24 and Sat., July 25 –
Under the Sea

We hear it's better down where it's wetter, so join us for stories about underwater fun!

Fri., July 31 and Sat., Aug. 1 –
Monsters, Dragons and Ogres!

Get ready for an adventure with these more-silly-than-scary characters.



SPECIAL GUEST! On Saturday, August 1, professional storyteller **Bobby**

Norfolk will tell tales about these wild and creepy creatures!

Fri., Aug. 7 and Sat., Aug. 8 –
Color, Color Everywhere

Join us for stories about all the colors of the rainbow.

Fri., Aug. 14 and Sat., Aug. 15 –
Home Sweet Home

What were homes in St. Louis like a long time ago? Step inside for stories about all different types of houses.

Fri., Aug. 21 and Sat., Aug. 22 –
Dress Up

Come hear stories about all different types of clothes and the people who have fun wearing them.

Fri., Aug. 28 and Sat., Aug. 29 –
Happy, Sad, Gloomy or Glad

Listen to the tales of lovable characters who express different feelings.

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