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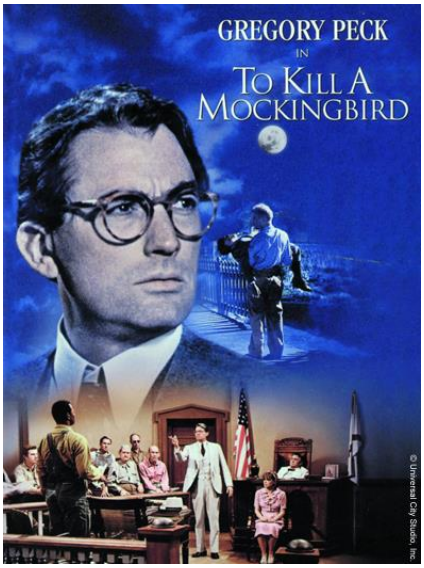
Events at the
Charles M. Schulz Museum and Research Center
MAY through AUGUST 2015

(Santa Rosa, CA) Charles M. Schulz Museum Public Programs are included with Museum admission unless otherwise stated.

MAY EVENTS

Friday, May 1, 7:00 pm
First Friday Film Series
To Kill a Mockingbird (1962), the film adaptation of the Harper Lee novel, stars Gregory Peck as an attorney in the South. The film won 3 Academy awards, including best actor. Cost: Free for members/$5 for public. Sponsored by Craig Schulz.



To Kill a Mockingbird (1962) Movie Poster

Saturday, May 2, 2015 through Thursday, October 15, 2015
Animating Comics
Over 70 animated *Peanuts* films have been released since 1965. This exhibition will include an exploration of animated comics during a year that celebrates the 50th anniversary of the first Peanuts television special, *A Charlie Brown Christmas*.

Rare animation cel from television special ***A Charlie Brown Christmas*** first broadcast on December 9, 1965. Copyright line: Peanuts © 1965 Peanuts Worldwide LLC

Saturday, May 9, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Comic Artist workshop
Earn your Comic Artist badge in this special, hands-on workshop just for Girl Scout Cadettes. Work with a professional cartoonist to develop stories and characters and create your own four-panel comic strip from beginning to end. Cadettes will receive their Comic Artist badge upon workshop completion. Call 707-544-5472 for fees and reservations.

Saturday, May 9, 1:00– 3:00 pm
Second Saturday Cartoonist - Brett Grunig
Meet, watch, and talk to artist and printmaker Brett Grunig who is also the colorist for

the serial comic *Princeless*. Comics and cartooning exert a clear influence on Grunig's work, which includes illustration, watercolors, and printmaking.

Art by Brett Grunig

Sunday, May 10, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Celebrating Mother's Day
All mother's receive FREE Museum Admission**.**

Saturday, May 16, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Special Appearance of the Stanley Cup®
Come see the Stanley Cup®, the most revered trophy in all professional sports, in conjunction with our *Peanuts in the Penalty Box* exhibition.

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Saturday, May 16, 10:00 am – 12:30 pm
Boy Scout Day: Art and Animation
Complete the requirements for the Art merit badge, belt loop, and academic pin in a fun, hands-on environment. Get messy experimenting with watercolor, sculpture, collage, and paper-making. Also, use iPads to explore the art of photography and animation for the Photography merit badge, belt loop, and academic pin. Earn a Schulz Museum fun patch and add ice skating at Snoopy's Home Ice to your day from 12:30 – 4:30pm! Advance reservations are required--register online or call (707) 546-8137.

Monday, May 25, 10:00 am – Noon
Museum Mondays for Little Ones
Enjoy stories, movement games, arts and craft activities on the last Monday of the month through September. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. Cost: $5 per child. Up to 2 adults per child are free before 11am. After 11am, regular museum admission applies.

Saturday, May 30, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Comic Artist Workshop for Girl Scout Cadettes
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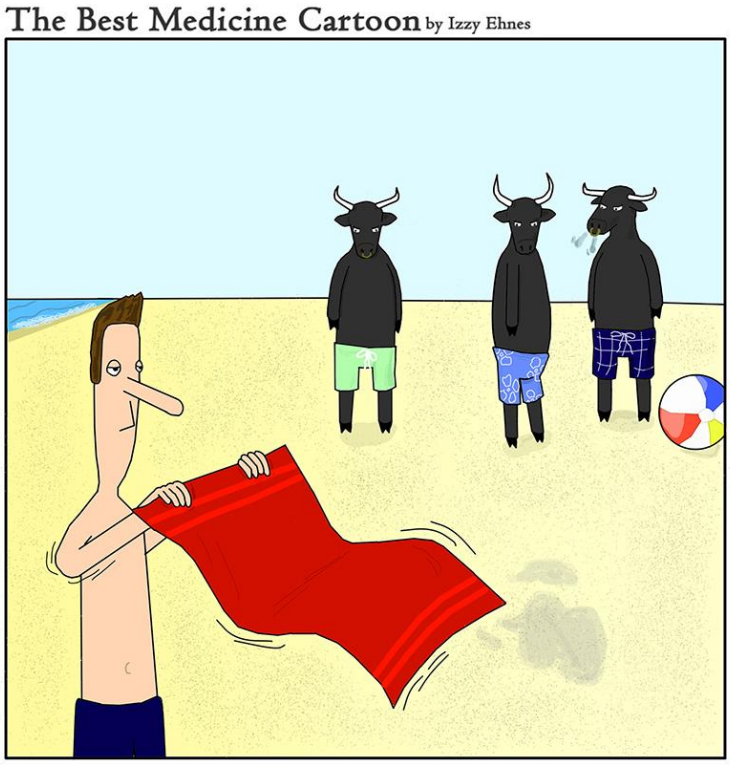
JUNE EVENTS

Monday, June 8 - Friday, August 14
Summer Classes begin. Take classes in art, animation, cartooning, and even ice skating! View listing here.

Saturday, June 13, 1:00 – 3:00 pm
Second Saturday Cartoonist - Izzy Ehnes
Meet, watch, and talk to Izzy Ehnes an up and coming 16-year-old cartoonist who creates and self-publishes her gag comic *The Best Medicine*.



The Best Medicine Cartoon by Izzy Ehnes

Saturday, June 20, 1:00 pm
Learn to Draw your Favorite Comic Characters
Join cartoonist Robert Pope as he shares his experiences with the *Peanuts* gang, *Scooby-Doo*, *Batman*, and many others. Pope will discuss his work processes and instruct step-by-step how to cartoon some of your favorite characters!

Saturday, June 20, 5:00 – 9:00 pm
Kids Night at the Museum
Drop your kids off for after-hours fun at the Schulz Museum. Kids will have the Museum all to themselves for dinner, games, art, crafts, and cartooning. Advance reservations required. Cost: $25 for members; $32 per child for non-members. Discount of $5 off for siblings.

Sunday, June 21, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Celebrating Father's Day
All fathers receive FREE Museum Admission.

Sunday, June 21, 2:00 pm
Meet Cartoonist Nathan Hale
Cartoonist Nathan Hale will talk about his work and share an exclusive and hazardous tale from his graphic novel series *Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales*. Hale is the illustrator of the graphic novel *Rapunzel's Revenge*, which was an Al Roker Book Club for Kids selection, an ALA Notable Book, and a YALSA Great Graphic Novel for Teens. Hale will sign books after his talk.

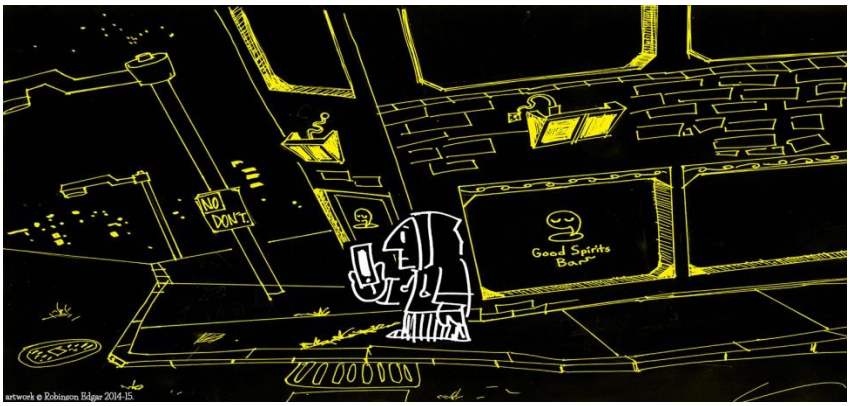
Friday, June 26, 5:00 – 8:00 pm
FREE NIGHT with Producer of *A Charlie Brown Christmas*
Celebrate the Museum's new *Animating Comics* exhibition with Lee Mendelson, the producer of the award-winning *Peanuts* animated specials. Mendelson will speak at 5:30 and meet with visitors and sign books after his talk.

A Charlie Brown Christmas scene ©PNTS

Monday, June 29, 10:00 am – Noon
Museum Mondays for Little Ones
Enjoy stories, movement games, arts and craft activities on the last Monday of the month through September. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. Cost: $5 per child. Up to 2 adults per child are free before 11am. After 11am, regular museum admission applies.

JULY EVENTS

Saturday, July 11, 1:00 – 3:00 pm
Second Saturday Cartoonist - Robinson Edgar
Meet, watch, and talk to Bay Area- based cartoonist and illustrator Robinson Edgar**.** His work has been featured in the works of online magazine 'Thünk (A)' and the performances of multimedia dance group Kinetech. He is also the creator of a short series of comedic animations, featured on his Youtube channel. His previous comic creations include *Eyeball Jones* and *The City*. You can find more of his work at: www.robinsonedgar.com.



Art work by Robinson Edgar

Thursday and Friday, July 16 and 17
How to 'Toon with Joe Wos

Take half-day cartoon classes with cartoonist and storyteller Joe Wos. Advance reservations required--register online here or call (707) 284-1272.

Art work by Joe Wos

Friday, July 17, 5:30 pm – Saturday, July 18, 9:00 am
Stargazing Family Sleepover
Blast off into hands-on fun and sleep overnight at the Schulz Museum! Experience the wonders of the night sky with an evening of star gazing through high powered telescopes with Sonoma County Astronomical Society. Make your own portable planetarium and galactic goo, among other fun hands-on activities. Dinner and continental breakfast included. Cost $40 per person for members; $50 for non-members.

Saturday, July 18, 11:00 am
Live storytelling Joe Wos
Enjoy a live storytelling and cartoon performance with cartoonist Joe Wos.

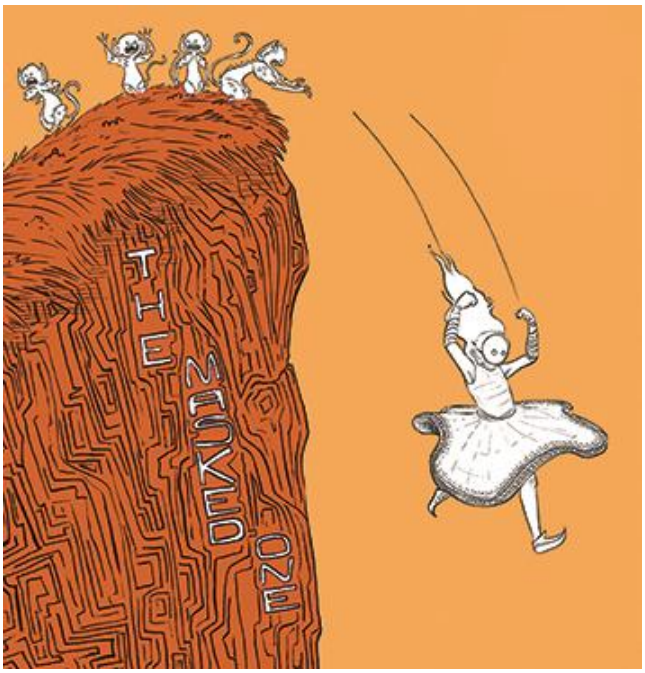
Saturday, July 18, 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Pet Caricatures with Joe Wos
Bring your pet to the Museum and cartoonist Joe Wos will capture the funny, cute, or catty personality of your favorite best friend. Dog, cat and other pet caricatures will be available for a suggested donation of $5 or more in front of the Museum.

Pet Caricatures by Joe Wos

Monday, July 27, 10:00 am – Noon
Museum Mondays for Little Ones
Enjoy stories, movement games, arts and craft activities on the last Monday of the month through September. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. Cost: $5 per child. Up to 2 adults per child are free before 11am. After 11am, regular museum admission applies.

AUGUST EVENTS

Saturday, August 8, 1:00 – 3:00 pm
Second Saturday Cartoonist - Sam Coaass
Meet, watch, and talk to Bay Area cartoonist **Sam Coaass** who has been self-publishing her comic, *The Masked One,* since 2012. The Masked One, about a mysterious mythical figure, can be read for free at www.themaskedone.smackjeeves.com.



Art work by Sam Coaass

Thursday, August 13, 5:00 – 8:00 pm
FREE NIGHT
Enjoy free Museum admission along with ice cream cake from Cold Stone Creamery of Sonoma County (while supplies last). Also, take a photo to remember the event in the free photo booth provided by Runaway Photo Booth until 7:00 pm.

Monday, August 31, 10:00 am – Noon
Museum Mondays for Little Ones
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About the Charles M. Schulz Museum & Research Center
The Charles M.Schulz Museum opened in August 2002 to fulfill its mission of preserving, displaying, and interpreting the art of Charles M. Schulz. The museum carries out this mission through changing exhibitions and programming that: build an understanding of cartoonists and cartoon art; illustrate the scope of Schulz's multi-faceted career; communicate the stories, inspirations and influences of Charles Schulz; and celebrate the life of Charles Schulz and the *Peanuts* characters.

LOCATION
The Charles M. Schulz Museum is located 56 miles north of San Francisco by car on

Highway 101. The Museum is located at 2301 Hardies Lane, Santa Rosa, California, 95403.

HOURS
Weekdays Monday thru Friday (except Tuesdays*) 11:00am – 5:00pm
Saturday & Sunday 10:00am – 5:00pm
Closed Tuesdays*
*Open everyday throughout the summer (Memorial Day through Labor Day)

ADMISSION FEES
Free – Museum Members, Children 3 and under
$5.00 – Children 4-18, college students with valid I.D. card, and Seniors 62+
$10.00 – Adults

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