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**Events at the
Charles M. Schulz Museum and Research Center
September through December 2013**

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

September 2013

September 4, 2013 through March 2, 2014

NEW EXHIBITION!

School Projects

This exhibition is for everyone who remembers the endless grind of book reports, show and tell, and science and art projects in elementary school. Follow the *Peanuts* Gang as they struggle through a typical school year.

Sunday, September 8, 1:00 pm

Licensed to Illustrate: Creating Comics Based on Popular Properties

Join cartoonists **Michael Aushenker** (*Cartoon Flophouse*, *El Gato*, *Crime Mangler*) and **Rafael Navarro** (Xeric Award-winning series *Sonambulo*), as they sign comics, discuss working on such books as *Bart Simpson* and *Gumby's Gang Starring Pokey*, and talk about their latest collaborations, *The New Adventures of the Human Fly*, based on the real-life Canadian daredevil who was the subject of a late-'70s Marvel comic book.

Sunday, September 8

National Grandparent's Day

Grandparents get in free when visiting with a grandchild.

Saturday, September 14, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist

Meet, watch, and talk to cartoonist and *The Simpsons* writer **Tom Gammill**. Gammill is an Emmy award winning writer whose credits also include *Seinfeld*, *Late Night with David Letterman*, and *Monk*. As a kid Gammill dreamed of one day being the next

Charles Schulz, but he says that his lack of talent and intelligence led him to the world of TV. Gammill will discuss how his love of cartooning has helped him as a TV writer, using examples from *Seinfeld*, *The Simpsons*, and several flop shows he worked on that never made it on the air. Gammill's comic strip, *The Doozies* appears in several weekly newspapers and online at GoComics.com.

Monday, September 30, 10:00 am – Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

Enjoy stories, movement games, art and craft activities and a movie. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. \$5/ child; up to 2 adults per child are free before 11:00 am; after 11:00 am, regular museum admission applies.

October 2013

Monday, October 7, 14, 21 and 28, 10:00 am – Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

Enjoy stories, movement games, art and craft activities and a movie **EVERY Monday** of the month. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. \$5/ child; up to 2 adults per child are free before 11:00 am; after 11:00 am, regular museum admission applies.

Saturday, October 12, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist

Meet, watch, and talk to Dreamworks animator and cartoonist **Kevin Vassey**. In addition to working on *How to Train Your Dragon*, *Madagascar*, and *Shrek*, Vassey also draws a weekly webcomic called *The Gnome Syndicate*.

Sunday, October 13, 2013, 10:00 am - 2:30 pm

Girl Scout Day: Animals

Bark up Snoopy's family tree and learn about animals of all kinds. Build an animal home, make a pet toy, meet live animals, including service dogs and their trainers, all in support of the Girl Scout Animals badges. Daisies will enjoy an *Inspired by Animals* Journey; Brownies will work on their Pets badge requirements, Juniors will work toward their Animal Habitats badge; and Cadettes will work on their Animal Helpers badge. Also, ice skate at Snoopy's Home Ice and earn a Schulz Museum Fun Patch! Call 707-544-5472 for fees and reservations.

October 16, 2013 through February 2, 2014

NEW EXHIBITION!

Play Things: Toys in Peanuts

Although Schulz didn't always enjoy drawing toys in Peanuts, he did include playthings in his comic strip. This exhibition features dolls, tops, blocks, jack-in-the-boxes, paddle balls, and a can and string phone!

Saturday, October 19, 10:30 am – Noon

Master Class for kids

Join sibling team **Jennifer** and **Matthew Holm**, creators of the award-winning graphic novel series *Babymouse*, as they show you tips on creating a comic, play fun comic drawing games, and spark your imagination to become the next comics creator! Recommended for aspiring cartoonists age 6 and up. Cost: \$30 for members; \$36 for non-members. Advance reservations required by calling (707) 284-1263 or online at <http://schulzmuseum.org/learn/classes-camps/>.

Saturday, October 19, 1:00 pm

Babymouse!

Meet the creators of *Babymouse*, **Matthew** and **Jennifer Holm**. *New York Times* bestselling and Newbery Honor winning author Jennifer Holm and her brother Matthew will talk about and sign their graphic novel series *Babymouse*. With over 1.7 million books in print, *Babymouse* is the winner of multiple Children's Choice awards.

Saturday, October 26 – Saturday, November 23, 10:00 am – 1:30 pm

Art, Animation and the iPad

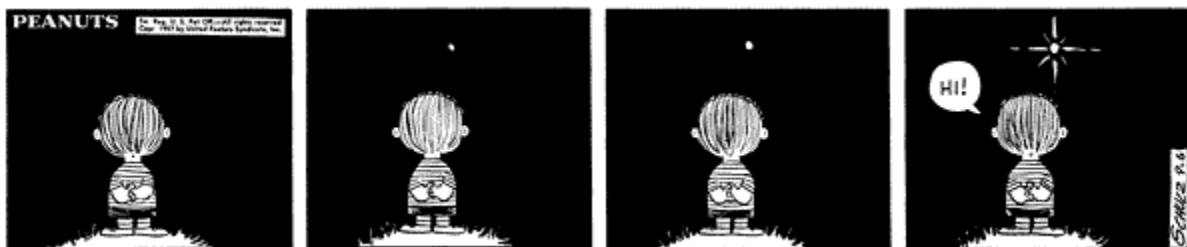
Spend five Saturdays learning to create hand-drawn and stop-motion animation using a variety of iPad apps. Develop drawing and storytelling skills, learn the ins and out of several top apps, and apply your knowledge to make your own animated short film. Recommended for children in grades 4 and up. Cost: \$132 for members; \$165 for non-members. Advance reservations required by calling (707) 284-1263 or online at <http://schulzmuseum.org/learn/classes-camps/>.

November 2013

November 2, 2013 through April 27, 2014

NEW EXHIBITION!

Starry, Starry Night



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Under the night sky the Peanuts characters have probed the mysteries of the universe and sought the meaning of life. Contemplate the fine artistry of Schulz's nighttime scenes.

Mondays, November 4, 11, 18 and 25, 10:00 am – Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

Enjoy stories, movement games, art and craft activities and a movie every Monday of the month. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. \$5/ child; up to 2 adults per child are free before 11:00 am; after 11:00 am, regular museum admission applies.

Thursday, November 7, 9:30 am – Noon

Home School Day: Starry, Starry Night

Experience the wonder of the night sky with the *Peanuts* Gang by enjoying a variety of hands-on crafts and science-based activities including launching chemical reaction rockets, making a constellation viewer, and creating a star light jar. Learn about meteors, comets, planets, and constellations. And, ice skate at Snoopy's Home Ice from 12 – 2pm. Reserve your space online or by phone at (707) 284-1272.

Saturday, November 9, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist

Meet, watch, and talk to **Melissa McCommon**, a self-taught artist and comic book writer. After self publishing her first comic book *Carnation*, McCommon was later hired by Scattered comics to do the artwork for the studios comic *Caffeine Poisoned*. She also creates her own webcomic, *Epic Chaos!* which updates once a week at <http://www.epicchaos.smackjeeves.com/>.

Saturday, November 16, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Comic Artist Workshop for Girl Scout Cadettes

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. All participating Cadettes will receive their Comic Artist badge upon workshop completion. Ice skating for \$5 per person available from 1 - 4:30 pm. Special lunch meal deals available, too! Call 707-544-5472 for fees and reservations.

Saturday, November 16

40th Anniversary Celebration of A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving

Celebrate 40 years of giving thanks with Snoopy. Enjoy a recreation of Snoopy's Thanksgiving meal of toast, popcorn, and jelly beans from the classic television holiday special, along with hands-on crafts, and other fun family activities!

Sunday, November 24

Free Day

Celebrate Charles Schulz's birthday with free admission to the Schulz Museum all day.

Friday, November 29, 10:00 am – Noon

How to Draw with your Child

Join cartoonist and storyteller Joe Wos to learn how to have fun drawing with your child. This class includes drawing games, instruction, and advice for engaging your budding

artist. Cost is \$25 for members, \$32 for non-members for an adult/child pair. Reservations are required by visiting us online or calling (707) 284-1263.

Friday and Saturday, November 29 & 30
Family Fun Weekend

Join cartoonist and storyteller Joe Wos for live performances and cartoon workshops throughout the day!

December 2013

Mondays, December 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30, 10:00 am – Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

Enjoy stories, movement games, art and craft activities and a movie. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. \$5/ child; up to 2 adults per child are free before 11:00 am; after 11:00 am, regular museum admission applies.

Saturday, December 14, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist

Meet, watch, and talk to Malaysian cartoonist **Cheming Boeey**, creator of the graphic novel *When I Was a Kid*. Boeey is an animator, artist, author, and TED Award recipient. His non-fiction graphic depiction of stories from his formative years growing up became a best-seller in Malaysia when it was released in 2012.

Saturday and Sunday, December 14 and 15

Gingerbread doghouse workshops

Assemble and decorate Snoopy's doghouse out of gingerbread complete with a marshmallow Snoopy on top. Cost: \$25 for members; \$32 for non-members. Register online or by calling (707) 284-1263.

Saturday, December 21, 10:00 am – Noon

Decorate your own Snoopy

Decorate and personalize your own small Snoopy plush to take home. Create your own Belle or Flying Ace, princess or pirate. Work with an artist to paint, tie-dye, clothe and design a unique Snoopy to cuddle and treasure. Cost: \$25 for members; \$32 for non-members. Register online or by calling (707) 284-1263.

Saturday, December 21, 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Holiday gift-making workshop

Make a variety of holiday gifts to warm the heart and tummy. Make fleece hats and pillows, snowball soap, s'mores in a jar, and more. Cost: \$25 for members; \$32 for non-members. Register online or by calling 707-284-1263.

Monday, December 23-January 3, 2014

Winter Classes for Kids

Spend the winter at the Schulz Museum with holiday cooking , hands-on science,

cartooning, art, and animation. Call or visit us online for a schedule and reservations at (707) 284-1263.

Tuesday, December 31, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Happy New Year, Charlie Brown!

Ring in the New Year with Snoopy, hands-on crafts for kids, and Santa Rosa's only Up-Down and Baby Balloon drops at Noon, and root beer toasts at noon and 3:00 pm! The Museum opens at 10:00 am on Tuesday, December 31.

All programs are subject to change. Please visit www.SchulzMuseum.org to check our current calendar of events.

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 50 minutes 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

For more information consult the Museum web site: www.SchulzMuseum.org.

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