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Events and Exhibitions at the Charles M. Schulz Museum and Research Center MAY through AUGUST 2017

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

MAY EVENTS

Friday, May 5, 7:00 pm

First Friday Film Series: The Bridge on the River Kwai

Enjoy the WWII drama and winner of 7 Academy Awards, including Best Picture, *The Bridge on the River Kwai* (1957), starring William Holden and Alec Guinness. **Cost: Free for members/\$5 for public.** Sponsored by Craig Schulz.

Saturday, May 6, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Comic Artist Badge Workshop

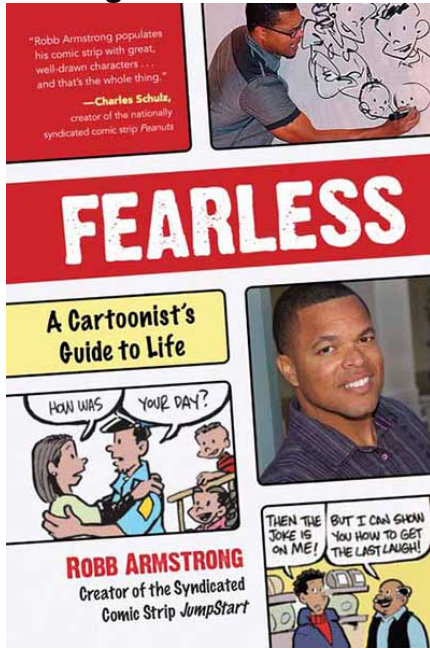
Earn your Comic Artist badge in this special, hands-on workshop just for Girl Scout Cadettes. Work with a professional cartoonist to develop stories and characters and create your own four-panel comic strip. Cadettes will receive their Comic Artist badge upon workshop completion. **Advance reservations required. For fees and reservations, visit the [Girl Scouts of Northern California website](#) or call (707) 544-5472.**

Saturday, May 6, 1:00 pm

Bookshelf Author Series with Robb Armstrong

[Robb Armstrong](#), the creator of the comic strip *JumpStart*, will talk about his latest book *Fearless: A Cartoonist's Guide to Life*. Armstrong's award-winning comic strip *JumpStart* has reached 80 million readers, is syndicated in more than 300 newspapers worldwide, and is considered the most widely syndicated comic strip from an African-American author in history. In his memoir, Armstrong weaves together his personal stories of his journey to success and hardship along the way. Armstrong will sign books after his talk. **Tickets are free with Museum admission and available on a first come, first serve basis at the Museum**

starting at 10:00 am on the day of the event.



Book Cover of *Fearless: A Cartoonist's Guide to Life* by Robb Armstrong

Saturday, May 13, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

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Saturday, May 13, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist: Ethen Beavers

Meet, watch, and talk to [Ethen Beavers](#), who has worked as a penciler, inker, and colorist on a slew of comics and children's books for the last 14 years. He has illustrated comics at DC, Dark Horse and IDW on titles like *Star Wars*, *Batman*, *Justice League Unlimited*, *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, *Indiana Jones*, *Ben 10* and *Samurai Jack*. In Children's Publishing he was responsible for the art on several DC Superhero Little Golden Books and was also the regular artist on the NY Times bestselling series NERDS.



Art by Ethen Beavers

Sunday, May 14, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Celebrating Mother's Day

All mothers receive FREE Museum admission all day.

Saturday, May 20, 1:00 pm

Guest Cartoonist Art Roche

Cartoonist [Art Roche](#) talks about and signs his newest illustrated novel *The Knights of Boo'Gar*, a wacky medieval mystery for middle grade readers. In addition to cartooning, Roche has worked as a game developer and for Cartoon Network, where he created the popular animated series *Nacho Bear*.

Saturday, May 27, 2:00 pm

Bookshelf Author Series with Jean Hegland

[Jean Hegland](#) author of *Into the Forest*, *Windfalls*, *The Life Within*, and *Still Time*, will talk about her work and sign books. *Into the Forest*, the story of two sisters struggling to survive after the collapse of technological society, was adapted [to the big screen](#). Directed by Patricia Rozema, the film stars Ellen Page (who also serves as co-producer) and Evan Rachel Wood. It premiered at the Toronto Film Festival in September, 2015, and is now featured on Netflix. **Tickets are free with Museum admission and available on a first come, first serve basis at the Museum starting at 10:00 am on the day of the event.**



Book Cover of *Into the Forest*, by Jean Hegland

Monday, May 29, 10:00 am – 12:00 Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

Enjoy stories, movement games, and arts and craft activities on the last Monday of the month. Activities are designed for children ages 1 – 5 and their caregivers. Museum Mondays are held on the LAST Monday of every month from March – September. **Cost: \$5 per child. Up to 2 adults per child are free before 11:00 am. After 11:00 am, regular Museum admission applies.**

JUNE EVENTS

Saturday, June 3, 11:00 am

How to Draw Peanuts

Learn to draw your favorite cartoon characters with cartoonist [Robert Pope](#). Pope has worked for *Peanuts*, *Batman*, *Bugs Bunny*, *Scooby-Doo*, and more. Pope will discuss his

creative process and teach you how to draw some of your favorite characters!

Monday, June 5

Summer Classes Begin

Take classes in art, animation, cartooning, and even ice skating! Classes run through August 11.

Saturday, June 10, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist: Jaimel Hemphill

Meet, watch, and talk to cartoonist [Jaimel Hemphill](#). Educated at The Academy of Art in San Francisco, Hemphill has applied his talent and unique style to his work writing and illustrating for the comics *BlackJacks*, *Son-Lar*, and *Menhit the Mighty* produced by NPC Comics.



Art by Jaimel Hemphill

Sunday, June 18

Celebrating Father's Day, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

All fathers receive FREE Museum admission all day.

Saturday, June 24, 2:00 pm

Bookshelf Author Series with Peter Coyote

Actor and writer [Peter Coyote](#) will read from and sign his new book, *The Rainman's Third Cure: An Irregular Education*. Coyote has acted in over 120 films for some of the world's most distinguished filmmakers, including Barry Levinson, Pedro Almodovar, and Steven Spielberg. He is an Emmy-Award winning narrator of over 170 documentary films, including Ken Burns, National Parks, Prohibition, The West, the Dust Bowl and the acclaimed *The Roosevelts* for which he received his second Emmy. Coyote's memoir of the 1960's counter-culture, *Sleeping Where I Fall*, received universally excellent reviews. His new book, *The Rainman's Third Cure: An Irregular Education*, about mentors and the search for wisdom, was nominated for one of the top five books in Northern California in 2015. **Tickets are free with Museum admission and available on a first come, first serve basis at the Museum starting at 10:00 am on the day of the event.**

Saturday, June 24, 5:00 pm – 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 to themselves for pizza dinner, games, art, crafts, and cartooning. Discount of \$5 off for siblings.

Advance reservations required- register online at

<https://schulzmuseum.org/learn/calendar-of-events/> or call (707) 284-1272. Cost: \$25 for Member, \$32 for Non-member, \$20 for Sibling Member Discount, \$27 for Sibling Non-Member Discount

Monday, June 26, 10:00 am – 12:00 Noon

Museum Mondays for Little Ones

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JULY EVENTS

Saturday, July 8, 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Second Saturday Cartoonist: Matt Gaser

Meet, watch, and talk to [Matt Gaser](#), a Spectrum award winning freelance illustrator/visual development artist. Gaser has worked on *Star Wars: The Clone Wars* animated series, *Green Lantern: the animated series*, and recently *The Angry Birds Movie*, among other projects. He's also published a new book about his personal work and stories called *Fantastical: The Art of Matt Gaser*. You can find more examples of Matt's work on his [website](#).



Art by Matt Gaser

Saturday, July 15

Live Storytelling with Joe Wos

Meet cartoonist and storyteller [Joe Wos](#) who will perform live stories from *A-Maze-Ing Tales* with Joe Wos throughout the day. Wos will also share and sign his new book, *A-Maze-Ing*

Animals: 50 Mazes for Kids.

NEW EXHIBITION!

Thursday, July 27 through January 14, 2018

Behind Peanuts: Pig Pen

Upstairs Changing Gallery

In spite of his popularity with fans, Pig Pen was featured in just over 100 of the 17,897 *Peanuts* comic strips that Schulz created. Generating new storylines suited to Pig Pen's messiness proved challenging for Schulz, who explained, "Usually, I just run out of ideas for him, but somehow he keeps hanging in there." From his 1954 debut, to his last appearance in 1999, Pig Pen evolved in the way that Schulz portrayed his dirtiness. Through a display of original sketches, comic strips and ephemera, discover the creative ways Schulz brought Pig Pen, with his cloud of dust in tow, into the world of *Peanuts*.

Monday, July 31, 10:00 am – 12:00 Noon

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AUGUST EVENTS

Saturday, August 5, 11:00 am and 1:00 pm

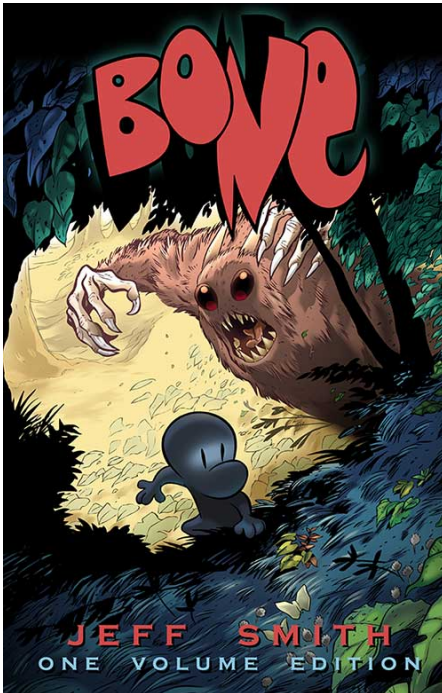
Songs from You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown

Santa Rosa's [6th Street Playhouse](#) will preview their revival of *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*, being performed at the Playhouse from August 18 through September 17! Join cast members as they perform scenes and musical numbers from the show at 11:00 am and 1:00 pm.

Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13

Museum Anniversary Celebration with Jeff Smith

[Jeff Smith](#), creator of the award-winning comic book series *Bone*, will speak about his work and sign books as part of the Museum's 15th anniversary celebration. Like Charles Schulz did for the comic strip, Smith redefined the graphic novel format when he released *The Complete Bone Adventures Volume One: Out From Boneville*, which sold an unprecedented 50,000 copies in its first year. *Bone* won numerous awards including 10 Eisner Awards and 11 Harveys. In 2005, *Bone* was chosen to launch the first graphic novel series for children from a major publishing house, Graphix, an imprint of Scholastic Books. Smith's other works include *RASL* and *TUKI*. Smith will headline a weekend of cartooning that will also feature *New York Times* best-selling author/illustrator [Jarrett Krosoczka](#), creator of *Star Wars: Jedi Academy* and *Platypus Police Squad*; *Kid Beowulf's* [Lex Fajardo](#); [Paige Braddock](#) of *Jane's World*; [Tobe Daranouvong](#) co-creator of the graphic novel *Villain*, and more.



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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 from Labor Day through Memorial Day

ADMISSION FEES

Free – Museum Members, Children 3 and under

\$5.00 – Children 4-18, and college students with valid ID card

\$8.00 – Seniors 62+ with valid ID card
\$12.00 – Adults

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