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Quarterly Newsletter by GCM

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**January-March 2020**



**INSIDE:** Gasparilla Children's Parade, GMF Kids Fest, and Pi Day **PLUS**  
**Nickelodeon's PAW Patrol: Adventure Play** Opens February 15 at GCM!

## Must-See Programs This Season:

### Gasparilla Children's Parade

January 18

Don't miss our float cruising down Bayshore Boulevard! We'll be celebrating 10 years of play by throwing beads from our birthday float!

### PAW Patrol

#### Character Appearances

February 29 + March 1

No job is too big, no pup is too small! We'll have a meet-and-greet for all with Skye and Chase.

### GMF Kids Fest

March 8

Celebrate music with GCM this weekend! Tune in for musical programming and Free Admission on March 8.

### Pi Day

March 14

Get messy with us as we celebrate Albert Einstein's birthday and the number pi with our annual pie fight in the park!

### Camp Imagination: Imaginative Inventors

March 16-20

Learn about energy, simple machines, and the engineering process. Book today at [GlazerMuseum.org](http://GlazerMuseum.org)

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## A Special Note:

From President & CEO, **Sarah Cole**

GCM is celebrating 10 years of play in 2020! Here at the Museum, we see the benefits of unstructured play every single day. As children play, they stretch their imaginations, use their creativity, improve motor skills, take risks, and learn to adapt. Play even develops empathy as kids from different backgrounds, races, genders, and abilities all play together.

As we look back on the last decade, we're honored to have served over 2 million visitors since opening this building in 2010. And we won't be slowing down any time soon! From welcoming **Nickelodeon's PAW Patrol: Adventure Play** to hosting the 2nd annual **Maker Faire Tampa** and our biggest **Birthday Bash** ever, this is going to be a great year.

We can't wait to celebrate with you!

**Sarah Cole**  
President & CEO

## Members: Perks for You This Season!

Don't forget to take advantage of your special discounts and early registration options for camps, birthday parties, and special events! Visit [GlazerMuseum.org/benefits](http://GlazerMuseum.org/benefits) for the full list of member benefits.

### Exclusive Member Events This Season

Member Morning: Pirate Invasion, January 5

Member Morning: Groundhog Day, February 2

PAW Patrol: Adventure Play Member Preview, February 14

Member Morning: PAW Patrol with Appearance by Skye and Chase, March 1

### Special Member Pricing and Discounts

Free Admission for Downtown Countdown, December 31

Free Admission for Developmental Checkups

Free Admission for Positive Parenting Program

15% Off Spring and Summer Camp Imagination

15% off Glow Family Yoga with Lotus Blossom

### With Your GCM Membership Card

\$2 Off Pirate Water Taxi Tickets

## Contact Us

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## Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday 10am-5pm

Saturday 10am-6pm

Sunday 1-6pm

**Closed January 25, February 10-11**



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**Feb 15 - May 25**

The heroic PAW Patrol pups need your help in Adventure Bay! Join Marshall, Chase, Skye, Rubble, Everest, Rocky, Zuma, and Tracker as you explore your unique abilities, overcome challenges, and help friends. No job is too big, no pup is too small!

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Hillsborough, Pinellas, Pasco No School | **Winter Camp:** January 2-3, 6

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**Member  
Morning!**  
10am-1pm



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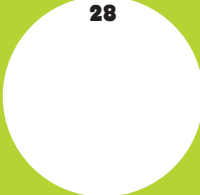


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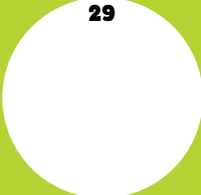


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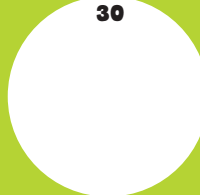
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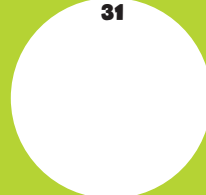
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**January 2-3, 6**

**January 5**

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**January 12**

**January 12, 19, 26**

**January 14**

**January 18**

**January 25**

**January 26**

**January 27**

**January 27**

**Wow Winter Camp Imagination: Merry Makers** [GlazerMuseum.org/wintercamp](http://GlazerMuseum.org/wintercamp)

Member Morning: Pirate Invasion, 10am-1pm (page 2)

**Wow Children's Board of Hillsborough County Free Tuesday, 12-6pm**

**Wow Grown Up Night Pirate Invasion, 5:30-8pm** | [GlazerMuseum.org/grownups](http://GlazerMuseum.org/grownups)

**New Girl Scout Workshop: Space Cadets, 10am-12:30pm** | [GlazerMuseum.org/scouts](http://GlazerMuseum.org/scouts)

Glow Family Yoga with Lotus Blossom, 1-2pm | [GlazerMuseum.org/all](http://GlazerMuseum.org/all)

**New No Limits: A STEM Workshop Series, Noon-1:30pm** | [GlazerMuseum.org/nolimits](http://GlazerMuseum.org/nolimits)

Storytime with Kate Kyres, The Pirates' Fixable Teeth, 11:30am

**Check Us Out** at the Gasparilla Children's Parade, 3:30-6pm

**Museum Closed** for Gasparilla Pirate Festival

Sunshine Sunday, 10am-1pm (page 7)

Developmental Checkups (page 7)

Positive Parenting Program Series: Inspiring Cooperation, 10:30am-12:30pm (page 7)



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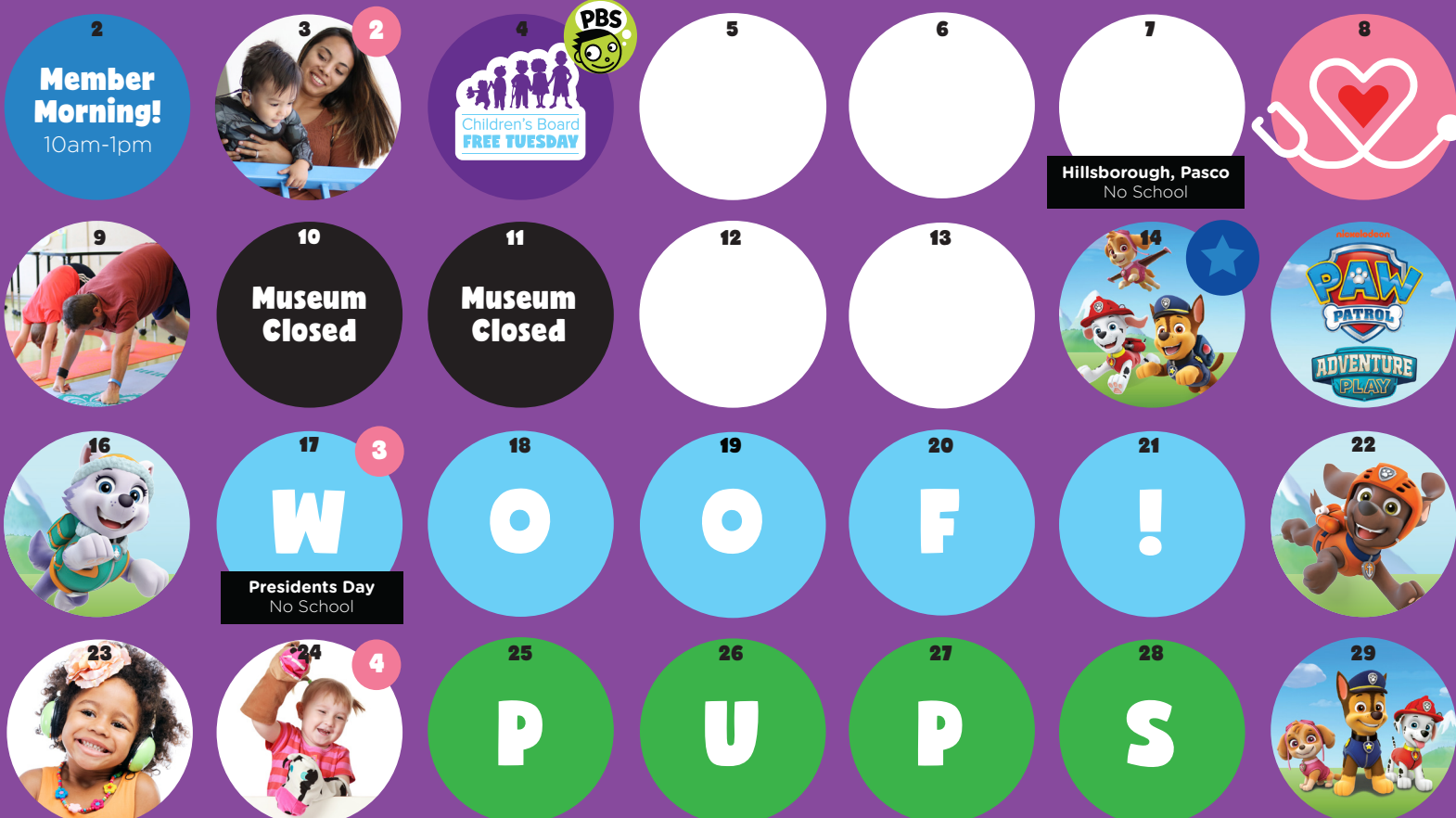
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SATURDAY

## Member Preview: February 14, 5:30-7:30pm

Come play in **Nickelodeon's PAW Patrol: Adventure Play** before it opens to the public at GCM's exclusive Member Preview. No job is too big, no pup is too small!

Register today at [GlazerMuseum.org/pawpatrol](http://GlazerMuseum.org/pawpatrol)



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February 2

February 3, 17, 24, 2

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February 15-May 25

February 23

February 24

February 29

Member Morning: Groundhog Day, 10am-1pm (page 2)

Continued: Positive Parenting Program Series: Inspiring Cooperation, 10:30am-12:30pm (page 7)

**Wow CBHC Free Tuesday with WEDU + PBS: Clifford the Big Red Dog, 12-6pm**

Heart Health and Wellness Screenings with Florida Department of Health, 10am-2pm

Glow Family Yoga with Lotus Blossom, 1-2pm | [GlazerMuseum.org/all](http://GlazerMuseum.org/all)

**Museum Closed** for Exhibit Installation

Celebrate Clifford the Big Red Dog's birthday with GCM, 10am-5pm

**Wow PAW Patrol: Adventure Play Member Preview, 6-8pm,**

**Register at [GlazerMuseum.org/pawpatrol](http://GlazerMuseum.org/pawpatrol)**

**Opening Day! PAW Patrol: Adventure Play at GCM**

Sunshine Sunday, 10am-1pm (page 7)

Developmental Checkups (page 7)

**New! PAW Patrol Character Appearances: Skye and Chase, 11am, 1pm, 3pm, 5pm**



# March

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b>  <b>Member Morning!</b> 10am-1pm	<b>2</b>  <b>5</b> Hillsborough No School	<b>3</b>  Children's Board <b>FREE TUESDAY</b>	<b>4</b> 	<b>5</b> 	<b>6</b> 	<b>7</b> 
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Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas No School   <b>Spring Camp:</b> Imaginative Inventors, March 16-20						
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## March 1

Member Morning: PAW Patrol, 10am-1pm | Skye and Chase Appearance, 11am  
**Wow Instrument Petting Zoo**, 1:30pm, **The Florida Orchestra: Peter and the Wolf Performance**, 2pm  
**New!** PAW Patrol Character Appearances, Skye and Chase, 3:30pm and 5pm

## March 3

**Wow Children's Board of Hillsborough County Free Tuesday, 12-6pm**

## March 7-8

**Gasparilla Music Festival | We've Got The Beat: GCM Celebrates Music**

## March 8

GMF Kids Fest, Free Admission

## March 13

**Wow Grown Up Night: Spring Break** 5:30-8pm | [GlazerMuseum.org/grownups](http://GlazerMuseum.org/grownups)

## March 14

**Wow Pi Day** (page 2)

## March 15

Glow Family Yoga with Lotus Blossom, 1-2pm | [GlazerMuseum.org/all](http://GlazerMuseum.org/all)

## March 16-20

Camp Imagination: Imaginative Inventors | [GlazerMuseum.org/springcamp](http://GlazerMuseum.org/springcamp)

## March 23

Developmental Checkups (page 7)

## March 28

**New Girl Scout Sleepover: Create-a-Coaster** | [GlazerMuseum.org/scouts](http://GlazerMuseum.org/scouts)

## March 29

Sunshine Sunday, 10am-1pm (page 7)

# A Museum for All

GCM is intent on creating accessible programs, exhibits, and spaces where the diverse needs and abilities of our guests are accommodated.

## Donor Kudos

GCM is an integral part of the cultural corridor working to develop lifelong learners and leaders in Tampa Bay. As a **nonprofit organization**, we rely on the support of community investors like you. Thank you to this season's generous donors.

**Aakash Patel** Imagination  
**AdventHealth-CentraCare** Imagination  
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**The Vinoy Renaissance St. Petersburg** In-Kind Support  
**Tiny Bites Dessert Shop** In-Kind Support  
**Trademark Metals Recycling** Imagination  
**Vertica Partners** Imagination  
**Visit Tampa Bay** Grant



## Sunshine Sunday + Sunshine Squad

**January 26 | February 23 | March 29, 10am-1pm** Sunshine Sunday is a morning event on the last Sunday of every month for children with special needs and their families. Explore the Museum with lights and sounds turned down, unique programs, and community resources. For more information and to learn about our Sunshine Squad for tweens and teens, visit [GlazerMuseum.org/sunshinesunday](https://GlazerMuseum.org/sunshinesunday)



## Developmental Checkups

**January 27 | February 24 | March 23** The Museum and Champions for Children have partnered to offer developmental checkups for children ages 36 months and under. During a checkup, parents meet with child development professionals to explore fun learning activities and to test a child's benchmarks with the Ages & Stages Questionnaire. All checkups are included with admission but must be pre-registered at [GlazerMuseum.org/developmentalcheckups](https://GlazerMuseum.org/developmentalcheckups)



## Children's Board Free Tuesdays

**January 7 | February 4 | March 3, 12-6pm** The Children's Board of Hillsborough County proudly presents free admission on the first Tuesday of every month, from 12-6pm. Join the Glazer Children's Museum with community partners and programming provided by CBHC, WEDU + PBS, and more for free fun.



## Positive Parenting Program Series

**Jan 27, Feb 3, 17, 24, Mar 2: Inspiring Cooperation 10:30am-12:30pm** Join us this season as we partner with Champions for Children for the weekly Triple P: Positive Parenting Program Series. Parents of children ages 0-12 are invited to meet a clinician to learn how to encourage positive behavior at home and become confident in their parenting style. All sessions are included with admission but must be pre-registered at [GlazerMuseum.org/p3](https://GlazerMuseum.org/p3)





**Nickelodeon's PAW Patrol: Adventure Play**

Opens February 15 at GCM!

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**FOR CAMPERS AGES 5-10**

At **GCM**, your little learners imagine, discover, and connect to the world around them. Register your kids to play with purpose and embrace curiosity this **Winter, Spring, and Summer** at Camp Imagination!

Find programming and details at [GlazerMuseum.org/camps](http://GlazerMuseum.org/camps)

**Merry Makers**

January 2-3, 6

**Imaginative Inventors**

March 16-20

**Summer Camp**

June 8-July 31