



Science Centre Programming; Spring 2018

**The BIG Little Science Centre is open year round:
Tuesday to Saturday, 10am to 4pm**

The Exploration Room is open 10am to 4pm, with over 140 different exhibits to enjoy.
Special shows and activities run at the centre: daily July/August and Saturdays in the school year.
All activities are included with the standard entry fee, unless otherwise stated.
Full activity information is on the website calendar.

Saturday April 7: The Amazing Magnetism Show at 11am and 1:30pm

This Amazing Magnetism Show is an interactive, fun show that explores magnetism and gives you some magnetic magic tricks to try out at home!

Saturday April 14: StarLab from Okanagan Science Centre



Explore the skies above, inside the Okanagan Science Centre's Inflatable Planetarium. Watch in fascination as the sky is recreated above your head inside the Star Dome. Learn about the skies above, stars, and the legends and lore behind them. For all ages. When registering tell us if you need a chair.

**Contact BIG Little Science Centre to reserve seats for one of the five shows:
10:05, 11:05, 12:30, 1:30, 2:30**

This program is run in a dark contained dome; people must be comfortable in the dark and inside a closed space. Each show has a limit of 30 people. The StarLab is included with the cost of admission. BIG Little Science Centre would like to thank Holiday Inn and the Okanagan Science Centre.

Saturday April 21: Beautiful Crystals Lab, at 11am & 1:30pm

Examine many types of gorgeous crystals under microscopes and discover some surprising properties. Grow some crystals right before your very eyes!

Saturday April 28: Super Static Electricity Show, at 11am & 1:30pm

An interactive, fun show that introduces static electricity, explores how it works and produces static in many ways, including using van de Graaff generators. Is it time for your science centre hair-do?

Saturday May 5: Creating Circuits Lab, at 11am & 1:30pm

Using circuit kits to discover how electricity works, you will make circuits to run light bulbs and motors.

Saturday May 12: Mining Day at BIG Little Science Centre, 10am to 3pm

Free entry! Co-sponsored by Kamloops Exploration Group/CIM South Central Branch. Mining, rock ID, gold pan with Yukon Dan, recycle your batteries, large mining vehicles, enter to win a bike, and more.

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Saturday May 19: **Make an Electromagnet Lab, at 11am & 1:30pm**
Use simple electrical materials to build a working electromagnet. How quickly can you transfer nails?

Saturday May 26: **Beautiful Light and Colour Show, at 11am & 1:30pm**
Discover: many ways of making light; different types of light; properties of light; and rainbows!

Saturday June 2: **Bouncing Bubble Lab, from 10:30am to 3:30pm**
Get outside for some BUBBLE fun. Discover the shapes that can be made using small bubble instruments and using the giant bubble making equipment. Make and chase flying bubbles to liven up your day.

Saturday June 9: **Super Static Electricity Show, at 11am & 1:30pm**
An interactive, fun show that introduces static electricity, explores how it works and produces static in many ways, including using van de Graaff generators. Is it time for your science centre hair-do?

Saturday June 16: **The Amazing Magnetism Show at 11am and 1:30pm**
A fun show that explores magnetism and gives you some magnetic magic tricks to try out at home!

Saturday June 23: **Awesome Air Pressure Show, at 11am & 1:30pm**
Air is a force of nature that demands respect; join us for this interactive show to learn why.

Friday June 29 and Saturday June 30: **Welcome to SUMMERTIME**
Build and Test a Boat, 10:30am to 3:30pm
Get a start to summer by designing a foil boat and testing it in our pool. Loads of learning while trying to support as much weight as possible in your very own boat.

KEVA Blocks & LEGO construction materials, 10am to 4pm
Inside in the cool air continue the construction theme using LEGO and KEVA blocks. Use your imagination to create your own structures right in front of you.

Super Summer Science Camps: STEAM themed for all to enjoy

Stay tuned for fantastic **science fun** for kids of all ages. Dates will be posted soon.

Looking for an awesome place for a Birthday Party or Event? Give us a call to discuss the possibilities.

For more information please contact Susan Hammond: susan@blscs.org, or call 250-554-2572.
BIG Little Science Centre reserves the right to substitute alternate programming if needed.

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