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Display	Center for American History	Do the "Moon Walk" Rock	Be dazzled by a lunar sample brought back from the moon's surface by Apollo astronauts. The rock is part of the Walter Cronkite papers. NASA recognized Cronkite as an Ambassador of Exploration, the only non-astronaut to receive the prestigious designation	SRH 2.106	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	College of Engineering: Civil and Architectural	Making Water Flow Uphill	Did you think water could only flow downhill? Stretch your imagination and check out the cool ways water flows uphill in this Water Hydraulics Laboratory demonstration.	ECJ B.111	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	College of Communication	How to Be a Magazine Cover Girl (or Boy)	Take part in a hands-on seminar and find yourself on the cover of "Orange," the UT student magazine.	CMA 4.316	12:00 PM - 3:40 PM
		Live at 10: You Deliver the News	This hands-on demonstration includes a tour of the TV studio and control room used in the School of Journalism. We will prepare news copy to be read on the teleprompter. Please bring your own VHS tape to record your on-camera appearance.	CMB Studio 4F	12:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	College of Education	Craft Corner	Come and get crafty with student members of Minorities in Education and show your skills in making a bookmark or door hanger.	South Mall	11:00 AM - 2:40 PM
		Festive Maracas	Families are invited to join students in the Bilingual Education Student Organization in celebrating Latin American culture. Try your hand at making festive maracas, and enjoy the sounds of your own percussion "instrument" made from a variety of materials	South Mall (South Mall)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
		Make a Fuzzy Pencil	Join student members of the Student Council for Exceptional Children in making fuzzy pencils. Use colorful pipe cleaners to make a unique pencil of your very own.	South Mall (South Mall)	11:00 AM - 2:40 PM
		Temporary Tattoo Parlor	Too young to get a real tattoo? Afraid of needles? Stop by the Education Council booth to get a fun temporary "tattoo" without all the fuss.	South Mall (South Mall)	11:00 AM - 2:40 PM
	College of Engineering: Aerospace	Save the Earth	Take your best shot at saving the earth with an aerospace engineering "nerf gun."	Ernest Cockrell Jr. Hall (ECJ) - Plaza (WRW 1st Floor)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	College of Engineering: Biomedical	Biomedical Engineering Activities for Kids: Toss Your Organs	Come join VaNTH, a biomedical engineering student organization, in the organ toss. Try your hand at this fun game and experience biomedical engineering firsthand.	Engineering Science Building (ENS) - Courtyard	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	College of Engineering: Chemical	Goop, Weird Science and Chemistry for the Kids	Kids of all ages can have fun and learn about science in the process. We will mix strange chemicals that produce unexpected results. See how it all happens. Ongoing demonstrations throughout the day.	CPE 2.214	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
		Playing with Plastic	Plastics! The world is full of plastics that play a big role in our everyday lives. Visit the Paul Research Group and find out how "polymer spaghetti" feels, witness the nylon rope trick and learn about polymer research at UT. Ongoing activities all day.	CPE 2.212	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	College of Engineering: Civil and Architectural	Arches and Eggs: The Power of the Egg	Wonder why an arch is preferred for structural openings and supports? Come find out just how strong egg shells are. Learn from students in the American Society of Civil Engineers how and why the egg arch form is used in building design.	Ernest Cockrell Jr. Hall (ECJ) - Plaza	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
		Building Blocks	Come by and try your skills at building a skyscraper. Wooden blocks will be provided. How high can you go? Test your skills with student members of Chi Epsilon, the civil engineering honor society.	Ernest Cockrell Jr. Hall (ECJ) - Plaza	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
			Do You Hear the ECHO? Electrical and Computer Engineering Hands-on Fun	Share the excitement of electrical and computer engineering through hands-on activities with students in the Engineering-Electrical and Computer Hispanic Organization.	Engineering Science Building (ENS) - Plaza (ENS 109)
			I wasn't speeding! Learn how a radar gun works	ENS 1st	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM

College of Engineering: Electrical and Computer	Radar Gun Demonstration	I wasn't speeding: Learn how a radar gun works and use it to see how fast you can throw a tennis ball.	Floor - South Hallway	12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	The Exploded Computer	Ever touched a motherboard? Find out what's on the inside of a computer. How does it fit together and what do the different parts do?	ENS Lobby	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	The Human Battery	Create an electric current using nothing more than your own body.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
College of Engineering: General	Design, Build, and Test Your Own Mechanical Hand	Using simple materials, engineer a mechanical hand that can pick up objects. Learn how muscles and ligaments in action work like a simple	WEL 1.308	1:00 PM - 2:40 PM 11:00 AM - 12:40 PM 3:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	Explore Engineering for Elementary Students: Let's Play	Engineers touch everything in our lives. Come play and learn first hand what an engineer can do.	ECJ 1.204	12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	Explore Engineering for Middle School Students: Cool Science	Through hands-on activities, learn about engineering and science. Engineers touch everything in our everyday lives. Find out what engineers do and have some fun while you're at it.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM
	Gumdrop Dome Engineering	Test your engineering design skills with toothpicks and gumdrops. Build your own gumdrop dome and learn about engineering from students in the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers.	Ernest Cockrell Jr. Hall (ECJ) - Plaza (RLM 5.104)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Make Your Own Resistor Bracelet	Make your own resistor bracelet and learn about electrical engineering along the way. Students in the Society of Women Engineers will share the excitement of engineering while helping kids make a gift to take home.	Engineering Teaching Center II (ETC) - Plaza (CPE 2.208)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Make Your Own Robotic Hand	Make your own robotic hand that you can take home. Learn about engineering from Student Engineers Education Kids (SEEK) and assemble your own robotic hand.	Engineering Science Building (ENS) - Plaza (RLM 4.102)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Medieval Engineering: The Trebuchet	Test your skills on the trebuchet, a medieval machine built by Tau Beta Pi, the National Engineering Honors Society. Launch tennis balls across the lawn and see if you can hit the target.	Engineering Science Building (ENS) - Courtyard	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Texas Alliance for Minorities in Engineering (TAME): Hands-on Learning and Fun	The TAME Trailblazer is a 40-foot exhibit trailer that houses hands-on engineering and science exhibits designed for students, teachers and parents to explore. Explanations and demonstrations are presented and take-away material is provided.	Speedway Mall	11:00 AM - 3:40 PM
College of Fine Arts	Art is Family: Explore the Blanton	Drop by the Blanton Museum to see it taking shape and to learn about the extraordinary experiences in store for you when the new facility opens to the public on April 30. Join us for fun activities and make an artwork of your own to keep.	BMA Tent	1:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	Children's International Festival	Experience the cultures of South Asia, Russia, Mexico, South America and the Middle East. Go back in time with medieval crafts. Activities include performances and are part of the Children's International Festival.	South Mall (GAR 100)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	Children's International Festival: Henna Hand Painting	Henna skin designs are a time-honored tradition in South Asia for weddings and other celebrations. Have your hand painted with henna or non-toxic face-painting materials. Choose a traditional design from India or a freehand design to celebrate spring.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	Children's International Festival: Make a Traditional Egyptian Tent Panel	Children of all ages (and their parents) can experience the cultures of Egypt through traditional Islamic geometrical art projects. Replicate ancient tomb drawings by creating your own sand drawing.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
	Children's International Festival:	The craft of making matryoshkas represents a thousand years of Russian folk art. Come see examples of unique Russian art forms and		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM

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Making Matryoshkas	examples of unique Russian art forms and woodcraft, make your own set in an origami form and take home instructions for more.		2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Making Papel Picado	Papel picado, the Mexican art of making objects from cut paper, goes back to pre-Colombian times. Learn how to create the pretty Mexican banners (banderitas) used as decorations for festive occasions, such as Christmas and Day of the Dead.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Making Paper Llamas	Llamas have been central to life in the Andres Mountains of South America since the time of the Incas, to whom they were sacred. Today, they are used for food, wool, hides and as pack animals. Come make your own hairy-looking llama to take home with you.	South Mall	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Medieval Children's Crafts	Come make shields and hats that were worn during the medieval period.	South Mall (GAR 100)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Mexican Bark Painting	Painting on bark is an ancient tradition in Mexico. The Aztecs used amate, paper made from bark, for rituals, decorating temples, recording business transactions and history. Learn about the art of bark painting and produce your own art work.	South Mall	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Scripts of the Middle East	Language specialists from the Department of Middle Eastern Studies will demonstrate how to write your name in one of the scripts of the Middle East.	South Mall	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Children's International Festival: Subcontinent Scripts – Name Writing and Greetings	Language specialists from the Department of Asian Studies and the South Asia Institute will demonstrate how to write your name and teach you simple greetings in Hindi, Urdu, Japanese, Chinese or Korean, scripts of the Asian subcontinent.	South Mall (GAR 100)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Cuentos para niños (en español, in Spanish)	En esta sesión escucharemos selecciones de cuentos para niños de la Literatura Universal con el fin de que participemos todos en el gusto por la lectura a voz alta. Algunas selecciones: Don Quijote, El árbol generoso, El Lórax y ¡Hola! ¿Quién anda ahí?	MEZ 2.126	2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
Learn Some Spanish in 40 Minutes for Children	Get ready to speak Spanish. In this fast paced, interactive session geared toward children, you will learn phrases that will allow you to speak easily in everyday situations. You will leave knowing what to say and when to say it.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM
Medieval Book Craft Activity for Children	This session introduces children to the processes and materials that were used to produce books in	PAR 203	12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
Prehistoric Texas	What do you know about prehistoric Texas? Kids and their parents can have fun learning by taking part in hands-on activities that put you in the middle of prehistoric Texas. Make tools, grind corn and see how Indians chipped flint and made pottery.	South Mall (PAR 208)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Shakespeare at Winedale Outreach Workshop	Clayton Stromberger, outreach coordinator for Shakespeare at Winedale, will lead an	South Mall (CAL 100)	11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM
They Wrote on Clay and You Can Too	Learn about clay tablets from 1450-1200 B.C. Write your name and more using the first	MEZ 2.124	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
Who's Who in the American Scene	Win prizes by identifying prominent past and present figures in American culture. Adults' and children's versions will be presented.	South Mall	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Birds of a Feather	A large, colorful display of unusual bird specimens and skeletons will be on view, including a pelican, coot, loon and several Central Texas owls.	WEL 1st Floor Hallway	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
Break the Piñata	The Mexican American Health Professions Student Organization challenges you to break the piñata full of goodies.	WEL East Plaza (WEL 1st Floor Hallway)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM

College of Natural Sciences: Dean's Office	Computer Sciences S2S Galaxy of Software Engineering	Enjoy fun computer games that teach ideas such as scientific method, how to sort library books and geometric shapes.	TAY Breezeway	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Helium Balloons and Face Painting	Come get your free helium balloons or get your face painted by student members of the SURGe, the Science Undergraduate Research Group.	WEL East Plaza (WEL 1st Floor Hallway)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Life-Size Operation	Play the board game "Operation" on a giant scale.		11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Marine Science Institute: Touch Tank with Live Critters	Enjoy photos detailing research activities at UT's Marine Science Institute in Port Aransas and around the world, including both polar regions. View pictures of Gulf wildlife. Touch tanks with live critters from the Gulf and receive souvenir handouts.	WEL 1st Floor Hallway	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	The Wonderful World of Insects and Arachnids	Visitors will learn first hand about insects and their relatives. Here is your opportunity to get over a fear of roaches and hold a giant emperor scorpion.		11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
College of Natural Sciences: Human Ecology	Blown Away	Come and participate in a fun experiment with air and learn what you can blow away. Join in this activity for children of all ages. Information to support informed observing of the children's work will be available.	GEA Courtyard (GEA Great Hall)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	Film Star Paper Dolls	Film stars are well represented in the Historical Textiles and Apparel Collection of paper doll books. Come see the books, some of the actual costumes and make your own film star paper doll.	GEA 327	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
	Talking Books	Take a look at interactive media and children's literacy acquisition.	GEA Courtyard	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
College of Pharmacy	Junior Bevo Safari Adventure	Elementary-aged children can explore the jungle of pharmacy through picture frame decorating, coloring books and other jungle activities. Come and go.	PHR 2nd Floor Lobby	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Jackson School of Geosciences	All That Glitters is Not Gold	Have fun outside the Geology Building as you pan for gold. Or is it? The first 1,000 visitors receive a color poster of Texas rocks and minerals.	GEO East Mall Courtyard (GEO 2nd Floor Hallway)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
School of Architecture	Building Blocks	Wooden blocks of various sizes and shapes will be provided so guests can stack their own creations.	GOL Courtyard	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	Childhood Forts	Explore building meaning through building a place of one's own. Children of all ages will be invited to build (with sheets, tables, stacks of encyclopedias, whatever is at hand) a dwelling of their own making.	GOL Courtyard (GOL Loggia)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
School of Law	Gold E. Locks on Trial	Law students perform in a mock trial with Gold E. Locks, a well-known storybook figure, as the defendant. Judge Ed Prado, Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, will preside. Children selected in the courtroom prior to the trial will serve as the jurors.	CCJ Eidman Courtroom	4:00 PM - 4:40 PM
School of Social Work	Social Work Child Well-Fair	Social Work is among the nation's top 10 schools dedicated to building safe and healthy relationships in the community for all. Come explore child and family services in a therapeutic play environment and learn why play infuses a creative spirit in life.	LBJ Fountain Courtyard	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
Texas Union	Texas Union Underground Glow Bowling	Come to the Union Underground (first floor, north end) for free glow bowling from 1-5 p.m. Availability is limited and on a first-come, first-served basis. Sign up starts at 1 p.m. Limit one game per person. Billiard tables and video arcade also available	UNB 1.122	1:00 PM - 4:40 PM
College of Liberal Arts	Children's International Festival: Firebird Pin	"The Firebird" is a classic Russian fairy tale often depicted on the beautiful laquerwork produced in the northern Russian town of Palekh. Learn about the Palekh technique of painting and create a firebird pin (brooch) in the Palekh style.	South Mall	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 11:00 AM - 11:40 AM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM 4:00 PM - 4:40 PM

Lecture		Hogwarts History 101: The Historical Background of Harry	We will uncover the sometimes surprising historical basis for the characters, monsters,	PAR 201	12:00 PM - 12:40 PM 2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
	School of Social Work	Get to Know Your Longhorn Leaders One-on-One	Longhorn Leaders are a select group of UT student athletes and graduate students who offer Austin youths guidance, advice and insight on strategies kids need to cope with growing up in today's society. They are waiting to meet you.	LBJ Fountain Courtyard	11:00 AM - 11:40 AM
	Texas Memorial Museum	Fabulous and Fanged: Saber-toothed Cats of Texas	Saber-toothed cats once prowled through many parts of Texas. Come learn about what the fossil remains of saber-toothed cats tell us about their anatomy, predatory behavior and extinction. Get a close-up look at saber-toothed cat fossils.	TMM 4th Floor - VR Theatre	3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
		Impact: Extra-terrestrial Activities in Texas	Join us as we study the clues for, and effects of, extra-terrestrial activities in Texas. Learn about meteorites and how to recognize them. Experience simulations of meteorite impacts in Texas and understand why they are of great interest to scientists.		2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
Performance	College of Engineering: Chemical	Elephant Toothpaste and Other Tricks: Chemical Engineering and Chemistry Show	Gas expansion and exploding bottles, frozen marshmallows and flames of all colors and sizes. Come and have fun watching crazy chemical engineers demonstrate the power of chemistry and learn about engineering in the process. Ongoing activities all day.	Chemical and Petroleum Engineering Building (CPE) - Plaza	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
		Environmentally: Responsible Solvents and Processes	Learn how carbon dioxide – yes, the gas – can be used as an environmentally friendly solvent that can replace harmful organic solvents that are widespread throughout the chemical process industry. Ongoing activities all day.	CPE 2.220	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
	College of Liberal Arts	Children's International Festival: Hungarian Dancers	UT Hungarian Dancers, a group of UT students and staff, will perform dances native to Hungary.	South Mall	12:00 PM - 12:40 PM
		Children's International Festival: Salsa and Latin Dance	The Texas Latin Dance Club entertains with salsa, merengue, cumbia, cha-cha and bachata. Come watch and learn a few moves for yourself.		2:00 PM - 2:40 PM
		Children's International Festival: Symbols and Storytelling in Indian Dance	Explore meanings behind many gestures, costumes and folklore in Indian classical dance. Dances focus on stories, Hindu scriptures and religious mythology. Ask questions, try some steps and learn about a new culture.		3:00 PM - 3:40 PM
		Children's International Festival: The Percussionist	Take a rhythmic journey. Discover Australia and the didgeridoo and the Middle East and the Arabic riq (tambourine), doumbek (drum), zills (finger cymbals) and ar (frame drum). Learn harmonic overtone singing as practiced in Tibet and Mongolia.		1:00 PM - 1:40 PM
		Seuss Sayers	Come hear UT professors become "Seuss Sayers" by reading their favorite Dr. Seuss		East Mall - Inner
	College of Natural Sciences: Dean's Office	Chemistry Circus	See fun and exciting chemistry experiments performed by associate dean David Laude.	WEL East Plaza (WEL)	1:00 PM - 1:40 PM 12:00 PM - 12:40 PM
		Computer Sciences Intelligent Robotics Lab	Watch wandering robots as they travel and map out their environment.	TAY 2.144	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM
		Liquid Nitrogen Ice Cream	Come enjoy a free ice cream sundae compliments of the Dean's Scholars Honors Program of the College of Natural Sciences. Watch as ice cream forms instantly with only a few ingredients and some liquid nitrogen.	WEL East Plaza (WEL 1st Floor Hallway)	11:00 AM - 4:40 PM