

Membership Application

Choose the membership level:

Plus Membership.....*\$100

*The tax-deductible portion of a Plus Membership equals the \$100 membership fee minus the amount that the family would pay for a basic membership.

Basic Membership

Up to 4 persons\$48

5 persons.....\$60

6 persons.....\$72

Additional _____ member(s) ... \$12 each

Adult _____

Adult _____

Adult _____

Child _____ Birth date _____

Child _____ Birth date _____

Child _____ Birth date _____

Child _____ Birth date _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

(Email is our primary method of communicating with our members. Addresses are not shared with any other organization.)

Membership dues \$ _____

Additional contribution \$ _____

Please recognize my contribution...

As Written Above

Anonymous

Like this _____

In Honor/Memory of _____

Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Office use:

Expiration Date _____

Card # _____

How to become a member

Fill out the application form.

Mail it with your check to:

Central Wisconsin Children's Museum
P.O. Box 474, Stevens Point, WI 54481
OR

Bring application and payment to the
Central Wisconsin Children's Museum
CenterPoint MarketPlace

Wednesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Give a Gift

A membership to the Central Wisconsin Children's Museum is a gift families will use all year long! Ask us to make your membership a gift....

The Central Wisconsin Children's Museum is a family-based discovery place where children and adults play and explore life together to strengthen confidence, capabilities, and creativity through hands-on investigation.

Museum hours are

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday – Saturday
and 5 to 8 p.m. for
Second Thursday

Healthy Family Night each month

www.cwchildrensmuseum.org

The Central Wisconsin Children's Museum is a member of the national Association of Children's Museums reciprocal membership program.

Membership benefits subject to change.
Memberships are non-transferable.

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CHILDREN'S

MUSEUM



Membership Program

Central Wisconsin Children's Museum
CenterPoint MarketPlace
Downtown Stevens Point

P.O. Box 474
Stevens Point WI 54481
Phone 715-344-2003

Email: cwcmexecdir@charter.net

www.cwchildrensmuseum.org

The Central Wisconsin Children's Museum is a Learning Playground

Be a part of the Museum family by becoming a member. Household family members, stepparents, grandparents, other close relatives, and/or caregivers may be named on any membership.

Basic Membership

Up to 4 persons	\$48
5 persons	\$60
6 persons	\$72

Plus Membership *

Up to 7 persons	\$100
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The Plus Membership is our best value – one year unlimited admission to CWCM **PLUS free admission to over 150 other Children's Museums nationwide** including Madison, Fox Cities, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, Chicago and many more. Find a complete listing at www.childrensmuseums.org/visit/reciprocal.htm Plus Members are recognized in the Museum's Donor Window and newsletter.

*The tax-deductible portion of a Plus Membership equals the \$100 membership fee minus the amount that the family would pay for a basic membership. For example: a family of four purchases a plus membership for \$100. Their tax-deductible donation to CWCM is \$100 - \$48 = \$52.

Additional members \$12 each

Family Child Care Membership

Up to 8 children per visit	\$100
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Child Care Center Membership

Up to 24 children per visit	\$250
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- A ratio of 1 adult for every 5 children is preferred, maximum ratio 1 adult per 8 children.
- Adults attending group visits are free.
- Museum newsletter included.
- Play day visits must be scheduled at least two Museum days in advance for groups of 10 or more.
- Visits that include a structured activity are available to members for a discounted additional fee (must be scheduled at least 2 weeks in advance).

All Members Receive

- **One year of unlimited admission to CWCM. Unlimited admission includes Museum drop-in programs Spectacular Spanish, Toddler Music, Super Saturdays and more!**
- **Reduced fees/admissions to special programs and events**
- **A 10% discount on Birthday parties**
- **Two one-time-use guest passes to share.**
- **The Museum's newsletter**

Exhibit Highlights

Dorie's Stories

Once upon a time, there was a little girl named Dorie who loved to read in the closet of her parent's store. In her imagination, Dorie transformed the closet into a magical forest where stars twinkle overhead, rocks are as soft as pillows, cap-wearing monkeys hang from vines, and words and letters dance on a wall. Dorie's special place provides a space for children and their adults to share the magic of books together. "Dorie's Stories" exists in honor and memory of lifelong reading enthusiast Doris C. Nason.

Life in a Log

A giant tree has fallen over in the Museum and now it's "rotting" on our floor. Life in a Log gives children a bug's eye view of a fallen log as a habitat. Many hands-on activities and a giant 8-foot "log" help children see forest life cycles and explore with creatures living inside decaying logs. A tent and a boat are also on hand for camp outs or fishing trips.

Basic American Foods Farm to Market

How does the food we eat get from Farm to Market? CWCM's Farm to Market exhibit allows visitors to explore the journey of local vegetables from farm to market. Children learn by harvesting a crop, loading up a food pyramid truck, stocking the shelves and then shopping at our grocery store with hundreds of items to choose from. Young children improve sorting and grouping skills while older children learn about food groups and the food pyramid.

Acting Up

The stage at CWCM takes play-acting to a new level with dozens of costumes, instruments and sound equipment. Children can put on a play, perfect their comedy routine or try out a new song.

In the Nest

Two larger-than-life robins welcome babies and toddlers into a cozy nest with lots to explore. Pull toys, puzzles, peephole birdhouses, and books designed for children three and under are scattered In the Nest. A learn-your-colors ball drop delights as youngsters try to figure out exactly where the balls will appear. There are root vegetables to plant and a giant compost bin to crawl through complete with giant bugs and leaves.

Build It!

Castles, forts, skyscrapers or a special house are just waiting to be built. The Museum's Build It exhibit includes giant Legos, foam blocks and waffle tiles so kids can create the building of their dreams.

Make It Paper

The Museum has it all when it comes to creative science and art projects. Our Make it Paper room is overflowing with art materials for the aspiring artist and simple science experiments are available for the inquiring scientist. Special themed projects and activities, including a book of the week and corresponding art project, change weekly. For all ages!

Ongoing Programs

Toddler Music

Most Thursdays and Fridays at 10:15 am during the school year. For children ages 1 to 5 years and their caregivers. Made possible by a grant from the Stevens Point Arts Council.

Spectacular Spanish

Most Wednesdays at 10:15 am during the school year. A drop-in, fun-filled exploration of Spanish language and culture for preschoolers ages 3 - 5 and their grownups to enjoy together. Made possible with support from the Sentry Insurance Foundation, Inc.