



Science in the Community Event Schedule: October 9 - October 23

Saturday, October 9th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
10am-11am	Pollination Station Exploration with Gutierrez Hubbell House	In Person
	Pollinators are an important part of our ecosystem and food system! Join us to learn about how you can support pollinators year-round, with spring-, summer- and fall-blooming nectar and pollen sources and overwintering habitat. In this workshop, we'll create seed bombs you can use to fall sow for spring blooms in your own home and garden. We'll also share some easy ways to provide a winter home for some of our favorite pollinators. Round out your visit with a tour of our newest pollinator-friendly gardens and try your hand at our pollination station scavenger hunts!	
10am-1pm	Passport to People Family Day	In Person
	Celebrate International Archaeology Day with the Maxwell Museum! Meet with archaeologists from the University of New Mexico, enjoy activities and craft projects, sign up for a guided small group tour of our museum, and complete a passport to earn a goodie bag at this indoor/outdoor event.	



Sunday, October 10th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
12pm-1pm	Pollination Station Exploration with Bachechi Open Space	In Person
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2pm-4pm	Family Nature Hike	In Person
	Join an Open Space Educator at the Open Space Visitor Center on a family-friendly hike through the Bosque and down to the river. Engage in hands-on learning together as a family, listen to natural history fun facts, enjoy storytelling, and seek out wildlife. Please arrive prepared to explore the outdoors: backpack with snack and water bottle, sun hat or sunglasses, sunscreen applied, and closed-toed walking shoes. Program educator will supply all other materials. Trail will accommodate larger-wheeled strollers.	

Wednesday, October 13th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
6pm-7pm	Escape Room with Supercomputing Challenge	Virtual
	In this virtual escape room activity, you will be challenged to find clues and move to the next level to escape the room! At each level, use computer models to collect data and answer questions. NOTE: This activity is best suited for grades 4 and up.	



Saturday, October 16th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
10am-2pm	NM Science Fiesta at Explora!	In Person
	Join us at Explora for a special day of NM Science Fiesta programming. From robot battles to woodturning, come engage with New Mexican STEAM professionals and participate in a hands on activity to #MakeYourFutureBright!	
3pm-4pm	STEAMatWork4Kids	Virtual
	We will talk about what a scientist looks like. We'll explore the website, then engineer a pop-up page of a book using what we've discovered on the website.	
6pm-6:30pm	Silly STEM	Virtual
	Have fun exploring STEM with fun, hands on activities with Be Greater Than Average/R4 Creating.	

Sunday, October 17th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
11am-12pm	Engineering 4 U: User Centered Engineering Design	Virtual
	Engage in a a creative activity while learning to be an engineer! You'll learn about user-centered design, the engineering design process, and more!	
2pm-3:30pm	Spicy Science with Big Jim Farms	In Person
	From seed to ristra, join us as we navigate through the life cycle of a chile! NOTE: Space is limited, pre-registration is required!	



Tuesday, October 19th

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
4pm-5pm	Aquaponics and how to grow nutrient-dense food	Virtual
	Aquaponics is a sustainable way to produce food! These plants are grown in water along with aquatic animals, resulting in great food quality. Our greenhouse is open during our presentation. Stop by and visit with us. Washington Middle School, 1101 Park SW, Albuquerque, NM, 87102	

Thursday, October 21st

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
5pm-6pm	Kendra Scott Color Bar Customizing 101 with Annah Jensen	Virtual
	There's quite a bit of science and technology that goes into making jewelry - as well as creativity, entrepreneurialism, design thinking, engineering, and more. Annah will be presenting some of her favorite stones from our Color Bar, as well as Seasonal Stones, and describe how they are made!	
6:30pm-7:30pm	Strange Science	Virtual
	Join Scientific Adventures for Girls, Sandia National Laboratories, and the Lawrence Hall of Science for a free hour of strange and spooky science!	



Friday, October 22nd

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
3pm-4pm	Science Girl's Lab	Virtual
	Melissa Ober - aka Science Girlhas some amazing science that you can try right at home. Join her in the "Lab" and walk away from the event excited and inspired to discover the world around you. You can always count on Science Girl to show you some thrilling and interesting science activities to help you "Go Be Awesome".	
5:30pm-6:30pm	Teen Science Cafe Presents Hyunju Blemel (in-person AND virtual)	Virtual AND In Person
	Teen Science Cafe is back! Come join us Oct 22 at 5:30pm, and meet Hyunju Blemel, freelance photographer and Marketing Coordinator for Dion's Pizza. She'll spend some time talking about how she became a photographer and then lead a fun activity. For ages 13 and up.	

Saturday, October 23rd

Time	Event	In Person or Virtual?
10:30-12pm	Mapping Urban Wildlife with Rob Soto	In Person
	Join Rob Soto, science illustrator and paleoartist, for a mapping exploration of urban wildlife and learn how to see outdoor spaces through the eyes of different species. The artist will teach the basics of nature journaling and how to draw the birds in the park. Participants will be then invited to explore the space from that organism's point of view, mapping the different values of the ecosystem beyond the human ones. If you were a bird, which tree would be good for a nap? Where can you find the tastiest bugs? All levels and ages are welcome.	
1pm-4pm	The Mind Research Network	In Person
	Description coming soon	