

**2023-24**

# DAYTIME SCHOOL SERIES



## **AIR IS EVERYWHERE**

### **Mister C Live**

**MAKE THE ORDINARY EXTRAORDINARY!**

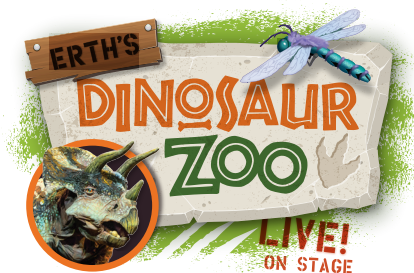
**Tuesday, October 17, 2023 • 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.**

Are you ready for some hair-raising science, toe-tapping music and mind-blowing media? Join Mister C for an amazing day of learning in the lab as he explores all things air!

As the creator and host of the regional Emmy nominated show Full STEAM Ahead, Mister C is no stranger to finding exciting and engaging ways to explore STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) in our everyday lives.

Mister C is a 20-year educator whose mission is to transform how everyone thinks about learning and gets everyone singing, dancing and learning to the tune of science. Students and teachers will be amazed with this fun and educational series as Mister C uses humor, media and the engineering design process to make the ordinary EXTRAordinary!

**Recommended Grades: 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> • Study Guide Available**



**Friday, January 19, 2024 • 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.**

65 million years in the making! **Erth's DINOSAUR ZOO LIVE** guides your family on a breath-taking tour that begins in pre-historic Australia. You'll observe, meet and interact with an eye-popping collection of amazing life-like dinosaurs and other creatures in a theatrical performance that thrills and entertains

kids while stimulating their imaginations in ways that forever connect them to their world. Brought to life by a team of skilled puppeteers, DINOSAUR ZOO is so extraordinarily real you may want to run and hide - but don't!

**Recommended Grades: K - 5<sup>th</sup> • Study Guide Available**





# The Stinky Cheese Man & Other Fairly Stupid Tales

**Friday, January 26, 2024 • 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.**

*Based on the book by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith  
Adapted for the stage by William Massolia*

Poor Jack. He's got to use his wits to save himself from the terrible Giant, but a host of familiar fairytale characters keep messing up his plans—and then there's that annoying Stinky Cheese Man! The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales deconstructs the tradition of the fairy tale. Characters slide in and out of tales; Cinderella rebuffs Rumpelstiltskin, and Goldilocks meets the Three Elephants. Nothing is quite the same as you remember it.

**Recommended Grades: Pre-K - 4<sup>th</sup> • Study Guide Available**

**Tickets to Daytime School Series Shows available only to schools or homeschool organizations.**

**For more information about tickets, [www.fordcenter.org/outreach](http://www.fordcenter.org/outreach) contact Kate Meacham at [kmeacham@olemiss.edu](mailto:kmeacham@olemiss.edu) or 662-915-6502.**



Scan for more information.

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and the Madison Charitable Foundation Fund (Joc and Leigh Anne Carpenter).*

## Holiday Village

**December 1-15, 2023**

An annual event for the Ford Center, the Holiday Village offers a magical atmosphere with Gingerbread houses designed by community members and civic groups, a miniature village with a working train, a holiday-themed Lego house, a mailbox for Santa, a decorated tree surrounded by gifts by a fireplace hung with stockings, and a multi-cultural display of holiday traditions from around the world, all enveloped by cheerful and inspirational music. The Village is also a collection point for donations to the Oxford Pantry. The Holiday Village is free and open to the public.

**To bring your class to visit the Holiday Village or sign up to build a house for the Village, contact Kate Meacham at [kmeacham@olemiss.edu](mailto:kmeacham@olemiss.edu) or 662-915-6502.**



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