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### **Toddler Book Club Fall 2008 Schedule at Strong National Museum of Play®**

Join the **Toddler Book Club at Strong National Museum of Play®** on selected **Mondays at 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.** Parents and toddlers will enjoy sharing stories from award-winning books and authors, and then joining in related music, movement, nature, or art activities. The Toddler Book Club fall schedule follows:

**Mondays, September 22 & 29: Stories of the High Seas.** Readings include such spirited tales as *Pirate Jam*, *Pirate Girl*, and *How I Became a Pirate*.

**Mondays, October 6, 20, & 27: Curious George and Friends**

Have a barrel of fun with Curious George and other literary monkeys. Swing into the new exhibit *Curious George™: Let's Get Curious!* after book club.

**Mondays, November 3, 10, 17, & 24: Planes, Trains, and Automobiles**

Zoom on over for books about transportation. Listen to lots of moving tales such as *Freight Train*, *My Truck Is Stuck*, *The Goodnight Train*, and *Moon Plane*.

**Mondays, December 1, 8, 15, & 22: Friends and Family**

Enjoy classic children's tales and share treasured memories as you listen to stories that illuminate the bonds of friends and families.

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Strong National Museum of Play®, located in downtown Rochester, New York, is the only museum in the world devoted solely to the study of play as it illuminates American culture.

### **Museum Hours:**

Monday–Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.;  
Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Sunday, 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m.

### **Admission Fees:**

General Admission (does not include admission to *Dancing Wings Butterfly Garden*®):  
Adults \$9.50; Seniors \$8.50; Children (2–17) \$7.50; Children younger than two free; Strong members free.

### **Admission to *Dancing Wings Butterfly Garden*®:**

General Admission fee plus \$3.00 per person for nonmembers and \$1.50 per person for members; Children younger than two free. Due to limited capacity, entry to *Dancing Wings Butterfly Garden*® is by timed ticket only. Advance purchase is recommended. Please call 585-263-2700 to reserve and purchase timed tickets.

**Parking:** Free parking is available at the museum for all guests on a first-come, first-served basis. Please note that, on high visitation days, the museum lot may reach capacity early in the day. If space is not available on site at the time of your visit, you will be directed to additional parking at neighboring municipal garages (fees may apply).