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**Enjoy a Spooky *Almost*-Halloween at the Staten Island Children's Museum**  
*Start your Halloween celebration a little early—with an entire Sunday of spooky fun!*

On Sunday, October 30, 2016 the Staten Island Children's Museum is dedicating the entire day to Halloween fun and adventure! Beginning at noon, Halloween-themed activities will continue all day—as well as trick-or-treating throughout the Museum!

- 12 p.m.** Create a batch of glow in the dark Oobleck in the Walk-In Workshop—non-Newtonian fluids are slippery, slimy, scientific fun!
- 1 p.m.** Come listen to a spine-tingly tale during Spooky Storytime
- 2 p.m.** Join young Staten Island violinists, the Might String Demons for a spooky fun Halloween concert
- 3 p.m.** Get on your dancing shoes, and join the Monster Mash Dance in the Gallery!
- 4 p.m.** Meet our “scariest” creepy crawlies at Animal Time

*“Halloween is all about spooky and silly fun. Listening to “scary” stories, dancing in costume and learning about and touching “scary” bugs and animals gives children a safe, fun space to explore some of their fears, and participate in one of the most memorable and fun childhood celebrations!”* said Dina Rosenthal, the Museum's executive director.

Don't forget to wear your costumes, and to trick or treat at each exhibit!

Program times may vary, please check the Staten Island Children's Museum website calendar ([www.sichildrensmuseum.org](http://www.sichildrensmuseum.org)) for more information.

The Staten Island Children's Museum is located on the grounds of Snug Harbor Cultural Center & Botanical Gardens, 1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island, NY 10301. The Museum is open Tuesday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. during the school year; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends, summers and most public school holidays. For more information call 718-273-2060, email [info@sichildrensmuseum.org](mailto:info@sichildrensmuseum.org), or visit our website, [www.sichildrensmuseum.org](http://www.sichildrensmuseum.org).

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