Paint the Downtown with Love sidewalk art, June 25th.

The Lyons Family
Winners of the Family category

Odin Heuser’s “axolotl”
Winner of the Youth category

Andra Mae Johnson
Winner of the Adult category

We had a great time with 150 painters on over 55 sidewalk squares as part of the city’s Artweek celebrations.
2nd Thursday  
JULY 13th  
5:30-7:30pm  
Free Fun!
Come and join us for some painting, dancing, shells, frozen custard on a free night.

Wanda goes a-wandering!
Can you guess from the picture where she ended up? Guests and Guardians looked for 30 minutes to find her. Wanda comes out of her enclosure every spring and summer to explore, but not during fall and winter.

Sam Nash is our new reptile carer
Sam takes over from Eleanor this summer. Svam is an Elementary Education major at NMU and has already shown that she is great, patient and caring with our young guests and their questions about our lizards, snakes, turtles and tortoises.

Lake Superior Day
Come and see us at the Maritime Museum
We'll be playing with water along with lots of other community agencies concerned water quality and our Great Lake. Rain or shine, we will there and exploring fun ways to get wet! 1-4pm on Sunday July 21st.

Blueberry Festival
See us in the Children's Museum courtyard  
Friday, July 26th
Best store products this month
With an emphasis on playing outdoors after your visit with us, our store is filled with ways to continue the adventure...

... even when it rains!

It’s wonderful to welcome Anja to our staff. We have known her all her life. Anja first came here as a 3 year-old and soon joined our 8-18 Media youth journalism program at the age of ... 8! She covered a national convention and has been an ambassador for the museum for sixteen years! Now she is an NMU undergraduate studying Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences.

Meet Anja in our store

Thomas Cinemas free summer screenings

FREE SUMMER SERIES

July 6-8  July 13-15  July 20-22  July 27-29

ALL SUMMER LONG!

SUNDAY MONDAY
There’s still time to sign up.

Call Denise at (818) 489-6612

SUMMER ANIMATION CAMPS!

LEGO ANIMATION
WE WILL BUILD SOME FUN PUPPETS & CREATE A COOL SCENE WITH LEGOS. THEN USING OUR LEGO PUPPETS & IMAGINATION WE WILL MAKE AN ACTION PACKED STOP-MOTION ANIMATED VIDEO WITH FUNNY VOICES & SOUND EFFECTS THEN WE WILL POST OUR VIDEOS ON YOUTUBE FOR ALL OF OUR FANS TO SEE!

July 15-19th  Camp 1
4:00pm-5:30pm
July 29-Aug 2nd  Camp 2
4:00pm-5:30pm
August 19-23rd  Camp 3
4:00pm-5:30pm

FLIPBOOK ANIMATION
USING OUR IMAGINATION WE WILL CREATE FUN & FUNKY DRAWINGS ON PAPER! THEN WATCH YOUR GOOFY CHARACTERS JUMP, DANCE & GAME ALIVE! TRANSFORM YOUR DRAWINGS INTO A WICKED, FUNNY AWESOME ANIMATED FLIPBOOK! DIVE INTO THE MAGIC OF FLIPBOOKS & LET YOUR SILLYNESS & IMAGINATION SHINE!

July 22-25th  Camp 1
4:00 pm-5:15pm
Aug 5-8th  Camp 2
4:00-5:15pm
Aug 12-15th  Camp 3
4:00-5:15pm

Recommended Ages: 6-13
$85 class fee
(includes materials, and equipment)
*class size is limited to 4 students.
Note masks recommended

To Register or for more information on the classes contact:
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