

# Special Family Events

These family events are offered in addition to the Target Family Fun Series. Tickets sold separately.

## Fiesta de Independencia

September 18, 3-7 p.m.

FREE admission!

Celebrate Mexico's bicentennial anniversary with a taste of Mexico in Sonoma County! Enjoy authentic food, music, games and activities for the whole family.



## Compañía Mazatlán Bellas Artes of the Instituto Mazatlán Bellas Artes presents Posada Navideña\*

December 10 at 7 p.m.

\$20-Adult, \$15-Child

Free arts and crafts with your family at 6 p.m.

Free post-show Posada fiesta!

Featuring 20 dancers and 16 musicians, this "south-of-the-border" celebration is laden with seasonal accents such as a traditional Christmas processional (posada), Mexican holiday songs (villancicos), a visit from the Three Wise Men, a festive piñata scene and a vibrant holiday finale performed in the spirit of a true mariachi fiesta.

\*Sponsored by Target: Buy one ticket and get one ticket of equal value free, available at the box office!



## Summer Programs 2011

Join us for summer-time fun and learning through the arts.

- FREE weeklong Missoula Children's Theater residency—June 2011
- New Song Music Camp—July 2011

Call our education staff at 707.527.7006 for details.



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# Introduce Your Child to Live Theater



The lights go down, a hush of anticipation rises and the magical world of "The Theater" comes to life! In one moment, belly-aching giggles and screams of glee fill the room, in another silence—as a favorite character faces a difficult situation...then everyone rejoices together in the resolution! This is family theater at Wells Fargo Center for the Arts—a delightful place where children learn about their world, about their lives and about the lives of others.

### Benefits of Live Theater:

- Stimulates creativity and develops communication skills
- Helps children to understand emotions and form empathy
- Introduces new ideas and encourages children to form opinions



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Make it a Family Fun Day!

## Fun with Art

An hour before show time we break out the scissors and the glue and have a huge art making party! From origami to collage, our free art projects are specially chosen to complement every family show. We provide the project idea and the supplies and you enjoy quality time creating art with the children you love.

## Fun with the Artists

Give your children an experience to remember as they "meet and greet" the performers following the show. This up-close and personal opportunity gives children the chance to interact face-to-face with our many talented performers after seeing them on stage.



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live theater for kids!

SUBSCRIBE AND SAVE 30%!

- Cirque Mechanics Boom Town
- ZooZoo
- Tomie dePaola's Strega Nona: The Musical
- The Peking Acrobats®
- ScrapArtsMusic
- Mammoth Follies
- Wizard of Oz
- Dan Zanes and Friends



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# Live Theater for Kids!

**Join us** for live family entertainment priced at little more than the cost of a movie! Come along as your favorite characters take the stage, stepping from the pages of classic books or straight from other worlds and cultures. Along the way, we'll sing and dance, make art together, and even meet the performers face-to-face! With no seat further than 75-feet from the stage, your children will be thrilled and enthralled by the magic and power of live theater.

## Subscriptions on sale now

Save up to 30% off tickets to individual shows!

- Boom Town
- ZooZoo
- Strega Nona: The Musical
- The Peking Acrobats®
- ScrapArtsMusic
- Mammoth Follies
- Wizard of Oz
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### How to Order

- Mail the attached order form today!
  - Visit 50 Mark West Springs Road, Santa Rosa. Highway 101 exit River Road Tuesday-Saturday, noon to 6 p.m.
  - Call 707.546.3600
  - Tickets to individual shows (available September 3) may be purchased in person, by phone or online at [wellsfargocenterarts.org](http://wellsfargocenterarts.org).
- Fees apply for internet, mail and telephone orders.*



## ZooZoo

by Imago Theatre  
**Tuesday, November 9 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$16-Child, \$21-Adult

*"...the familiar gives way to the fantastic."  
 —The Oregonian*

A giant dinosaur, hungry anteaters, hitch-hiking rabbits, introverted frogs and cantankerous polar bears fill the stage in this menagerie featuring the best of Imago's acclaimed productions "FROGZ" and "Biglittlethings"!  
**SHOW LENGTH: 90 MINUTES**

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## Cirque Mechanics Boom Town

**Thursday, October 21 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$16-Child, \$21-Adult

*"Exceptional, evocative, eye-catching, ear-catching... engrossingly entertaining."  
 —The New York Times*

Journey to a time and place rich in adventure! Wonder at the outstanding acrobatics! Revel in the discovery! From the creators of "Birdhouse Factory," comes an all-new theatrical-circus production where early mining inspired machines serve as the playground for prospectors and adventure seekers. Cirque Mechanics' agile performers, formerly with Cirque du Soleil and other renowned companies, take you to the 1865 mining town of Rosebud where an unlikely discovery leads to hilarious and unexpected events full of the excitement and adventure of the old west!  
**SHOW LENGTH: 60 MINUTES**

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## ScrapArtsMusic

**February 15 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$16-Child, \$21-Adult

*"Explosive intensity. Breathtaking."  
 —Philadelphia Inquirer*

This intoxicating mix of music, movement and spectacle will ignite your senses! ScrapArtsMusic is intricate rhythms, raw energy, athletic choreography and the hottest—and most inventive—reuse of materials on stage today.  
**SHOW LENGTH: 85 MINUTES**

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## The Peking Acrobats®

**Friday, January 14 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$16-Child, \$21-Adult

The Peking Acrobats® regularly pass from "the seemingly impossible to the virtually unbelievable," says the Los Angeles Times. Join China's gymnasts, jugglers, cyclists, and tumblers as they transform 2,000-year-old athletic disciplines into a kaleidoscope of entertainment and wonder.  
**SHOW LENGTH: 90 MINUTES**

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## Dan Zanes and Friends

**Tuesday, May 17 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$12-Child, \$17-Adult

*"...always cause for celebration."  
 —The New York Times*

Everybody get up and dance to the music of this Grammy Award-winning band—creators of the family friendly hits "Rocket Ship Beach," "Family Dance" and "Catch That Train!" Dan Zanes has earned a legion of young fans for his lively blend of catchy original tunes and traditional music. The New York Times says Zanes and Friends' live shows "are always cause for celebration."  
**SHOW LENGTH: 90 MINUTES**

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## Mammoth Follies

by Hudson Vagabond Puppets  
**Friday, March 25 at 6:30 p.m.**  
 \$12-Child, \$17-Adult

*An adventurous musical trip through pre-history!*

Explore the wonders of dinosaurs in an old-fashioned revue of toe-tappin' songs, witty jokes and earth-smashing dances performed by giant dinosaur puppets! Enormous dinosaurs populate the stage, including your host Willie Mammoth, Smiley the Saber-Toothed Tiger, Tony and Trixie Triceratops, Terry the Pterodactyl and the nine foot tall T-Rex.  
**SHOW LENGTH: 60 MINUTES**



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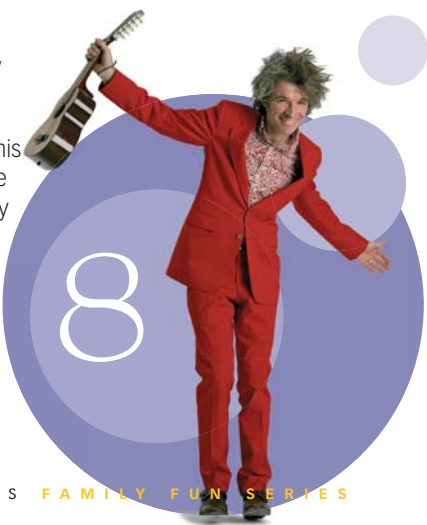


## Wizard of Oz

by American Family Theater  
**Saturday, April 16 at 2 p.m.**  
 \$12-Child, \$17-Adult

*"Their shows burst with energy...and their spirit is contagious."  
 —The New York Times*

Follow the Yellow Brick Road as you join in Dorothy's adventures "over the rainbow" with the Tinman, Scarecrow, Lion and of course, the Wizard himself. Meet old friends and new in this wonderful fun-filled musical with its time honored message of courage, love and the meaning of home.  
**SHOW LENGTH: 60 MINUTES**



## Family Fun Series Subscription Form

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- Floor Seating Preferred  Balcony Seating Preferred

**Subscribe to all eight shows and children's tickets are ONLY \$10 per show! Plus, receive priority seating!**

<b>Number of people</b>			
Child Series _____	x \$80.00 = \$ _____		
Adult Series _____	x \$112.00 = \$ _____		
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	<b>Total = \$ _____</b>		

**Mail To**  
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**YES, I would like to send a low-income student to the theater by helping to offset the cost of school bus transportation.**

### Subscriptions are limited, order now!

Subscriptions are also available for purchase at the Box Office and by phone. Tickets to individual shows are available for purchase beginning September 3, 2010. Fees apply for individual show tickets ordered online or by phone.

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