



**Muskoka Lakes
Museum**

**OUR POPULAR
CHILDREN'S
PROGRAM
IS BACK!!**



FLASH - BACK FUN DAYS FOR KIDS 5 TO 12

A fun and engaging way for your children to learn at Muskoka Lakes Museum. EXPLORE a new theme each day, the natural, pioneer and native heritage of Muskoka. Program runs Wednesdays to Fridays, from 1 pm - 3 pm, starting July 2nd through August 21st.

ONLY \$5/PER CHILD, PER DAY
DISCOUNT FOR THREE OR MORE PROGRAMS

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'Flash-Back Fun Days'

Wild Wednesdays!

July 8th- Fish Tales

Learn about the different fish species you'll see in Muskoka's lakes, make your own foam fish and fishing pole to try your hand at lawn fishing.

July 15th- Garden Delights

Plant your own flower, play garden games, and learn about the plant life cycle while exploring the museum's garden.

July 22nd- Muskoka Birds

Listen to the different sounds birds make in our curio cabinet, make your own bird feeder, and play bird games.

July 29th- Bug Brigade

Explore the garden looking for bugs, make your own bug rock and try your best identifying common bugs in Muskoka.

August 5th- Buzz about Bees

Discover the fascinating world of bees, make an egg carton bee, and have fun buzzing around the garden playing a pollination game.

August 12th- Muskoka Animals

Test your knowledge of animals in Muskoka with our matching game, make an animal mask and play a survival game.

August 19th- Muskoka Life

Learn about Muskoka's lakes, rivers, trees, and early logging industry, play environmental games, and make your own artwork with bark and leaves.

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Techno Thursdays!

July 2nd - Pioneer Medicine

Explore our herb chest, make your own mini herb garden, and learn the medicinal purposes of herbs used by pioneers.

July 9th - Phones & Postcards

Learn how people kept in touch before cell phones, email, and Facebook, try our magneto and candlestick phones, and create a postcard to mail.

July 16th - Junkyard Jamboree

Make beautiful music at the museum. Throw away your iPod because we are going to make our own instruments and have an old fashion jamboree.

July 23rd - Cottage Daze

Find out what it was like to cottage in Muskoka years ago, make a thaumatrope, and play Resort Bingo.

July 30th - Incredible Inventions

Explore the museum for special tools, equipment, and gadgets that were used in the past. Make slime and use your own imagination to come up with an invention of your own.

August 6th - Weather Wizards

Try some wacky weather experiments, make your own sundial, and learn how plants, water, sand, sun and shadows were used to tell time.

August 13th - Lights

Light up your life! Make your own candle the pioneer way, create a star wheel, and learn how to make some fun shadows to entertain your friends in the dark.

August 20th - Then and Now

Compare gadgets in the past to now, make an old fashion Buzz Saw Toy, and see if you can master our "then and now" match game.

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Fantastic Fridays!

July 3rd - First Nations Travel

Learn about the transportation methods of the First people to navigate the lakes. Play a Fur Trade game and build your own canoe.

July 10th - Pioneer Life

Discover what it was like for pioneers living in a log cabin, explore the pioneer dress-up chest and make butter the pioneer way.

July 17th - History Detectives

Discover how archeologists find out about the past. You will participate in a mock dig and use tools like the ones archeologist use. Create a magnifying glass to examine artifacts.

July 24th - Aye, Aye, Captain!

Put on your captain's hat, we're going on a fun-filled adventure! Learn about Muskoka's steam-boating history, and participate in a demo of a working steam-powered model boat.

July 31st - Pioneer Toys & Games

An afternoon of old-fashioned fun and games! Make your own corn husk doll, cup and ball and try pioneer games such as stilts, rolling hoops and ring toss.

August 7th - First Nations Tradition

Discover the stories and beliefs of Port Carling's first residents. You'll have tons of fun as you make a dreamcatcher and play traditional games.

August 14th - Pioneer Art

Learn how pioneers created artwork with limited supplies, create your own pioneer art masterpiece with tin art and have fun playing some old fashioned games.

August 21st - Boat Builders of Muskoka

Explore the marine room as you learn the stories of the craftsmen and their shops that constructed some on the finest wooden boats in North America. Design your own boat and compete in our boat challenge.