

SEPT 2023



**CHEYENNE
BOTANIC
GARDENS**

Paul Smith Children's Village

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27 OPEN ON SUNDAYS! <i>June-August (12-5)</i>	28 ALL LOCKED UP <i>Year Round</i>	29 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	30 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	31 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	1 STORYTIME <i>Books, Projects and occasional dancing... (11)</i>	2 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (1)</i>
3 CLOSED ON SUNDAYS! <i>September-May</i>	4 NOT GONNA HAPPEN. <i>Year Round</i>	5	6 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	7 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i> <i>Paul Smith's Birthday 1944</i>	8 CHISPA STORYTIME <i>Books, Projects and occasional dancing...in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month (11)</i>	9 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (1)</i>
10 CLOSED ON SUNDAYS! <i>September-May</i>	11 NOPE. <i>Year Round</i>	12	13 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	14 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	15 STORYTIME <i>Books, Projects and occasional dancing... (11)</i>	16 HEIRLOOMS & BLOOMS <i>Artist Market at the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens Conservatory (10)</i>
17 CLOSED ON SUNDAYS! <i>September-May</i>	18 NOT OPEN. <i>Year Round</i>	19 THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL <i>Flower dolls. Call it your voodoo child. (4)</i>	20 THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL <i>Flower dolls. Call it your voodoo child. (4)</i>	21 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	22 STORYTIME <i>Books, Projects and occasional dancing... (11)</i>	23 SYMPHONY STORYTIME: MR. PUSSKINS <i>Viola & Narrator & Musical Instrument Petting Zoo (11)</i> <i>It's our 14th Birthday</i>
24 CLOSED ON SUNDAYS! <i>September-May</i>	25 SHUT GATES. <i>Year Round</i>	26 THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL <i>Flower dolls. Call it your voodoo child. (4)</i>	27	28 GARDENING & GRUB <i>Harvest, Horticulture & Snacks (4)</i>	29 STORYTIME <i>Books, Projects and occasional dancing... (11)</i>	30 BONSAI SHOW <i>Little Old Trees at the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens Conservatory (10-5)</i>

HOURS & CONTACT Tuesday-Saturday 10:00-5:00 (Year-Round) & Sundays 12:00-5:00 (June, July, August) We are closed on Monday for landscape maintenance and repairs. And we are closed on some holidays. Paul Smith Children's Village, 616 S. Lions Park Drive, Cheyenne WY 82001 307.637.6349

STORYTIME PROGRAMS Focused on pre-school aged children Stories and projects will be based on a weekly theme. Groups must call in advance before attending storytime. Free! A suggested \$1 donation per child is appreciated and helps us continue to offer mischief for all ages.

VOLUNTEERS We accept volunteers beginning at age 12. Volunteers assist with all ground's maintenance, horticulture & programming activities. It is hard, physical, fun and rewarding work. **To apply visit Botanic.org/Support/Volunteers**

DROP-IN PUBLIC PROGRAMS Classes focus on creative horticulture, artistic and construction projects and products & exposure to cultural traditions of the world. Free! A suggested \$1 donation per child is appreciated and helps us continue to offer mischief for all ages.

WISH LIST Sidewalk Chalk, Squirt Guns, Rubber Bands, Acrylic Paint, Tonka Trucks, Puppets, Ziploc Bags, LED string lights, Kites, Hand Trowels, Frisbees, Ping Pong Balls, Tennis Balls, Bagged Sandbox Sand, Watercolor Paper, Lego, Silverware Forks, Drumsticks, Pool Noodles, Used Skateboards, Wooden Blocks, Elmer's Liquid Glue, Hot Wheels/Matchbox cars, Diaper Genie Refills, Colorful Duct Tape, Glue Sticks: hot & cold

PAUL SMITH CHILDREN'S VILLAGE ENDOWMENT Founded by Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma in 2010 to support and enhance future educational programming. If interested in contributing, please contact us at 307.637.6349

GROUP VISITS All youth camps, daycares, school groups, or groups with more than 15 kids, **MUST** call to schedule their visits. Note: there must be minimum supervision of one adult (age 19 and over) per every five children in the group. Unscheduled visits and/or having a lack of adequate supervision will result in being asked to leave. Please call 307.637.6349 to schedule a visit. *Our illustrative menu of facilitated Field Trip programs, cost of \$50, is available at botanic.org We begin scheduling field trips for the upcoming academic year on July 1. Academic year field trips occur on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays at 10 am and 1 pm. Classroom lessons average 45 minutes in length and focus on science.

RULES OF ETIQUETTE In the interest of preserving a safe, educational, and family friendly atmosphere for our guests and a secure habitat for our plants and property, please observe the following: **Rocks.** No throwing or skipping. **Dogs.** Gentle, well-behaved dogs on a 6-foot leash, held by an adult, are welcome. **Look.** Explore with your senses. Do not collect, climb or eat garden structures or growth. **Wet.** Standing wading permitted in designated shallow areas only. If the water is above your knees, you are in too deep. Water is for thirsty plants, not thirsty people. Paths may be slippery. **Walk.** Riding of recreational equipment is not permitted. **Play.** Guests under 12 must remain in the sight of their grown-up. **Manners.** Polite, joyful and creative language is encouraged. **Recycle.** Containers are available. **Breathe.** Keep our air fresh. Smoking, or anything that looks like it, is prohibited. **Weather.** Due to inclement weather, we may close for the safety of our guests. **Ice.** Stay off when present. *Staff will enforce any unwritten rule as deemed necessary for safety.

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