



# free smith college museum of art community day

saturday april 8 | 11:30–3:30

## scheduled events + locations

Please note that most—but not all—activities will take place in the museum

### 11:30 AM Storytime with Forbes Library

Afterwards, sign up for a library card in the atrium from 12-1 PM  
Winslow Teaching Gallery, Lower Level

### 12 + 2 PM Campus Adventure

Docent-led tour of *Plants of Pompeii: Ancient and Modern Medicinal Plants*  
Botanic Garden of Smith College *Space limited* | [Sign up at the Welcome Table](#)

### 1 + 3 PM Campus Adventure

Try your hand at making your own fresco painting with David Dempsey, Associate Director for Museum Services  
Materials Lab of Sabin-Reed Hall *Space limited* | [Sign up at the Welcome Table](#)

### 12:30 PM Snapshots of Daily Life in the Age of Nero

Don't miss the culminating performance of a semester-long collaboration between the museum, Enchanted Circle Theater and the Springfield Conservatory of the Arts middle school. Seventh grade students bring the world of Ancient Rome to life with short scenes researched and written during a school residency with ECT teaching artist Melissa Redwin.  
Graham Hall, enter from atrium

### 12:30–3:30 PM A Roman Garden through the Senses

Stroll through our sensory recreation of a Roman Garden! Taste olive oil provided by Ellie's Oils. Smell aromas of a Roman villa at the Scent-station. Explore volcanic rocks and processes with Smith College geoscientists. Discover what it takes to excavate a site like Oplontis with Smith students studying archaeology.  
Atrium

## all ages welcome!



## ongoing activities

### Welcome Table

Stop by to pick up a schedule of activities, a scavenger hunt and sign up for the fresco painting workshops and Botanic Garden tours  
First Floor, outside Sacerdote Gallery

### Jewelry Making

Draw your inspiration from Roman mythology and string together a beaded adornment that captures the essence of a Roman god or goddess.  
L18 Studio Classroom, Lower Level

### Holyoke Hummus Food Truck

Looking for more than light fare? Visit The Great Garbanzo food truck for flavorful falafel, hummus, and more! *Bring cash!*  
Outside the museum

### Book Nook + Take a Break Space

Drop in and take a break with our collection of ancient Rome-themed picture books.  
Lower Level lobby

### Survey Station

Let us know what you think about Community Day and help us plan for future family-friendly programs. Share your thoughts and enter the raffle for a free Dual level membership!  
Second Floor landing