

# convention activities

## youth agenda

### Saturday, August 1

8:00p – 10:00p Night Owl Registration  
Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center

### Sunday, August 2

10a – 3p Attend Annual Church Service with Parents  
Greater Apostolic Faith Temple Church  
12p – 4:30p Youth Registration Open  
Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center  
7:45p – 8:45p Attend Annual Memorial Service with Parents  
Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center

### Monday, August 3

8:30a- 3p Youth Registration Open  
8:30a – 4:30p Youth Activity Room Open  
8:30a-12p Detroit Children's Museum  
1p-2:30p Attend Convention Day Opening Ceremony  
Detroit Cobo Convention Center  
3p-5p Detroit Science Center and  
Friends of the First  
5:30p Return to hotel/Evening with Parents

### Tuesday, August 4

8:30a- 3p Youth Registration Open  
8:30a – 4:30p Youth Activity Room Open  
9:30a – 4p Day trip to Greenfield Village/  
Henry Ford Museum  
4:30p – 5:30p Return to Hotel  
7:15p – 10:00p Annual Professional of the Year Awards  
Reception and Dinner with Parents

### Wednesday, August 5

8a – 3p Youth Registration Open  
8:30a – 4:30p Youth Activity Room Open  
9:30a – 4p Day Trip Belle Isle  
4:30p Return to hotel  
8:30p – 11p Motor City Farewell Party

#### Special Notes for Youth Attendees

The youth activity room will be open daily for those who do not wish to attend the outings or failed to make the sign-up deadlines. Youth must be registered for the convention to have access to the Activity Room. Each registered Youth will receive an identification badge, a tote bag, 2 t-shirts, and entrance to the Farewell Party.

For Early arrivals on Saturday, please join us for the NFD&MA Public Day Health Fair.

## youth program activities

#### Detroit Children's Museum

The Children's Museum provides children, families and adults with fun and imaginative learning experiences that encourage understanding of themselves and the world around them. A must see is the Planetarium, one of the 1st to be established within the Cultural Center. Visit the Museum at [www.detroitchildrensmuseum.org](http://www.detroitchildrensmuseum.org)

#### The Detroit Science Center

The Detroit Science Center is a hands-on museum that inspires its visitors to pursue and support careers in engineering, technology and science. The Science Center features Michigan's only Chrysler IMAX® Dome Theatre; the Dassault Systèmes Planetarium; the DTE Energy Sparks Theater; the Chrysler Science Stage; an 8,700 square-foot Science Hall for traveling exhibits; hands-on exhibit galleries focusing on space, life and physical science; the United States Steel Fun Factory; an exhibit gallery just for pint-size scientists; and a Special Events Lobby. The museum has served more than 2.1 million visitors since its grand re-opening on July 28, 2001. It is one of the 10 largest science museums in the country. "Star Trek: The Exhibition" will be on display from February through September 2009, being the exhibits second stop, preceded by San Diego. [www.detroitsciencecenter.org](http://www.detroitsciencecenter.org)

#### Greenfield Village/Henry Ford Museum

In the Village and the museum you'll find one of the greatest collections documenting the American Experience ever assembled. Henry Ford Museum is a remarkable showcase of people and ideas that have changed the world. Greenfield Village is a journey into the sights, sounds and sensations of America's past. Ride a steam locomotive or a Model T! Encounter period presenters and artisans practicing time-honored crafts, and explore over 90 historic buildings. The Ford Rouge Factory Tour departs daily, exclusively from The Henry Ford. Go behind the scenes inside the world's largest automotive complex for America's greatest manufacturing experience including an opportunity to see where Ford F-150s are made. The Henry Ford IMAX Theater presents daily screenings of popular large-format films. [www.hfmgv.org](http://www.hfmgv.org)

#### Belle Isle

One of the most unique urban parks in the world. The 2.5-mile-long, 985-acre Park was designed before the turn of the last century by renowned landscape architect Frederick Law Olmsted. The island sits in the middle of the Detroit River on the U.S. - Canada border and is crisscrossed by a series of canals and roads. Belle Isle features a large, natural wooded area that is the home of a wide variety of small animals, birds and nearly 100 European fallow deer. [www.FOBI.org](http://www.FOBI.org)



The Detroit Science Center