BLUE! PERFORMANCE SERIES TO PRESENT LOCAL LEGEND JOE GRUSHECKY
RENOWNED MUSICIAN TO PERFORM AUG. 16 IN THE BLUE! EXHIBIT GALLERY

PITTSBURGH, August 5, 2014 — Joe Grushecky, a local blues artist, will bring his music to Carnegie Science Center on Aug. 16 as part of the BLUE! performance series. The show will begin at 1 pm in the BLUE! exhibit gallery.

Free with general admission to the Science Center, BLUE! performances are sponsored by Dollar Bank and are being held every Saturday in August.

Grushecky, a native Pittsburgher, has been playing music for nearly four decades. Over the past 30 years, publications such as Billboard and Rolling Stone have called him one of the most talented rock-and-roll singer-songwriters. His music career started with the Iron City Houserockers, a band that produced multiple successful albums before splitting up in the 1980s. Since then, Grushecky has taught special education, worked on his solo music career, and collaborated with Bruce Springsteen. He has helped raise more than $1 million worldwide for the Light of Day Foundation, as a performer and executive board member. The Foundation researches possible cures for Parkinson’s disease and provides improved treatments and support for patients.

Carnegie Science Center is open from 10 am – 4 pm on Saturday, Aug. 16.

BLUE! runs through Jan. 1, 2015, and is included with general admission. The immersive, hands-on exhibit features molded foam blocks of all shapes and sizes, from small enough to use on a tabletop to huge enough to climb on – and all blue. Visit CarnegieScienceCenter.org for more details.

About Carnegie Science Center

Carnegie Science Center is dedicated to inspiring learning and curiosity by connecting science and technology with everyday life. By making science both relevant and fun, the Science Center’s goal is to increase science literacy in the region and motivate young people to seek careers in science and technology. One of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, the Science Center is Pittsburgh’s premier science exploration destination, reaching more than 700,000 people annually through its hands-on exhibits, camps, classes, and off-site education programs.
About Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh

Founded by Andrew Carnegie in 1895, Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh is a collection of four distinctive museums dedicated to exploration through art and science: Carnegie Museum of Art, Carnegie Museum of Natural History, Carnegie Science Center, and The Andy Warhol Museum. Annually, the museums reach more than 1.2 million people through exhibitions, educational programs, outreach activities, and special events.

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