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PARADES, BEADS, AND NEW ORLEANS EQUAL 21+ NIGHT: MARDI GRAS ADULTS-ONLY NIGHT AT CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER FEATURES DANCING, LIVE MUSIC, AND CASH BARS

PITTSBURGH, March 6, 2019 — Celebrate the Big Easy at Carnegie Science Center's next adults-only night. **21+ Night: Mardi Gras** happens on **Fri., March 15** from **6–10 pm**, and features a party parade line, laser karaoke, a New Orleans-style dessert, and live music by Colonel Eagleburger's Highstepping Goodtime Band and DJ Solo Dolo.

Other activities include a Mardi Gras bead toss, a micro drone race, and festive experiments.

As always, 21+ Night features cash bars, snacks available for purchase in the newly remodeled RiverView Café, and the chance to experience four floors of 200+ exhibits.

You must be age 21 or older to enter. Proper identification is required, and all guests must show ID at the door. Tickets cost \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door. After 21+ Night, guests can head over to Rivers Casino with their \$20 TABLE FREE MATCH PLAY! Gambling problem? Call 1-800-Gambler.

21+ Nights are sponsored by TribLIVE, Green Mountain Energy, SSB Bank, Miller Lite, Dos Equis, and Fat Head's.

For more information and to register, visit <u>CarnegieScienceCenter.org</u> or call 412.237.3400.

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.

Accessibility: Features for All

Carnegie Science Center welcomes all visitors. We work to assist visitors with disabilities in obtaining reasonable and appropriate accommodations, and in supporting equal access to services, programs, and activities. We welcome

visitors in wheelchairs on the deck of our USS Requin (SS 481) submarine. Below-deck visits require full mobility. Hearing assistance devices are available for The Rangos Giant Cinema. Please ask when you buy your ticket.

Please note that requests for accommodations should be made at least two weeks prior to your visit. For specific questions about wheelchairs, strollers, or other programmatic or equipment needs, see the ticket counter located on the first floor of the main building or contact Customer Service at 412.237.1641 or info@carnegiesciencecenter.org. Please contact Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh's Accessibility Coordinator with concerns regarding accessibility for visitors with disabilities at the museums. On weekdays, call 412.622.6578 or email accessibility@carnegiemuseums.org.

About Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh

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