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TRUE CRIME ADULT PARTY EXPLORES FORENSIC SCIENCE

EXPERIMENT WITH DNA, BREAK THROUGH A MINI-ESCAPE ROOM, AND MORE AT CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER

PITTSBURGH, **Feb. 14**, **2020** — Put your sleuthing skills to the test at Carnegie Science Center's **Science After Hours: True Crime** on **Fri.**, **Feb. 28** from **6–10** pm for adults 21+. It's a night of law, order, and forensic science for the crime-solving experts!

- Investigate a mock crime scene with forensic techniques.
- Experiment with DNA extraction.
- Discover the basics of identifying fingerprints, footprints, and dental impressions.
- Take a stab at a mini-escape room.
- Attend a Continuing Legal Education Panel Discussion organized by the Young Lawyers
 Division of the Allegheny County Bar Association and moderated by Tom Cocchi
 (Zimmer Kunz, PLLC). Panelists include: Dan Cuddy (Zimmer Kunz, PLLC), Mark
 Adams (Akman & Associates), James Baker (Allegheny County Public Defender's
 Office), and Cory Bauer (GTN Law).
- Join Bruce Antkowiak in the search for truth exploring "Brady violations, bad science, and wrongful convictions."
- Plus, enjoy four floors of exhibits, cash bars, and forensic science activities at our law and order party!

Tickets are \$15 in advance at CarnegieScienceCenter.org or \$20 at the door.

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