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Laser Light and Music Shows Are Back
Limited Engagement in July at The Children's Museum

WEST HARTFORD, Conn., June 22, 2009 – Laser light and music shows are back at The Children's Museum in West Hartford for a limited engagement. The shows open on July 9 and feature a **SkyLase** solid state laser system projecting dazzling shows across the Travelers Science Dome at the Gengras Planetarium along to music recordings by the original artists.

Show Schedule:

July 9, 10, 11

- Laser Pop at 6:00 p.m. - 10 years of radio hits, including Pink and Smash Mouth. Rated PG
- Laser U2 at 7:00 p.m. - Songs from the group's 30-year musical career. Rated PG
- Laser X at 8:15 p.m. - Alternative rock bands like Foo Fighters, Smashing Pumpkins, and Garbage. Rated PG-13

July 16, 17, 18

- Laser Beatles at 6:00 p.m. - From "Twist and Shout" to "Magical Mystery Tour." Rated PG
- Laser Retro at 7:00 p.m. - INXS, The Police, and other sounds of the 1980s and 1990s. Rated PG-13
- Dark Side of the Moon at 8:15 p.m. - The music of Pink Floyd. Rated PG-13

Tickets are \$5-\$7 for members of The Children's Museum and \$6-\$8 for non-members. Before the laser rock concerts sell out, visit The Children's Museum website -

www.TheChildrensMuseumCT.org - to register online, pre-order tickets by email at Events@TheChildrensMuseumCT.org, or call 860.231.2830 x44.

Said Kevin Sullivan, President & CEO of The Children's Museum, "We're rolling out the red carpet for the return of laser light and music shows in our planetarium. But this new solid state, digital system is a long way from my day. It's great music, a great show, and it's even great science. Whether it's a trip down musical memory lane for you or an all-new experience, don't miss it."

The Children's Museum offers over 100 live animals, hands-on science exhibits, out-of-this-world digital planetarium shows, and programs for younger children and families. With over 210,000 visitors annually, it is one of Connecticut's top museum attractions. The Children's Museum is located at 950 Trout Brook Drive in West Hartford and at Roaring Brook Nature Center in Canton. More information is available at www.TheChildrensMuseumCT.org.

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