



# au-some evenings



Explore & More's **Au-Some Evenings** are FREE monthly events that give children with autism and sensory processing needs, their friends, and their families an opportunity to play and learn together in an understanding and supportive environment. In addition to a fun night of play with access to the museum space and exhibits, we have special programming for families!

The evening features themed Art Studio projects, sensory exploration in our Tinkering Tank, therapy animals from the SPCA and student volunteers from SUNY Buffalo State's Exceptional Education program. Parent outreach materials including links for social stories, child development resources, and play tips are always available. We look forward to having you join us!

### Connect with Other Families

*Special thanks to the Exceptional Education department from SUNY Buffalo State University for their graduate candidates who encourage child development of language skills, promote social interactions, and facilitate learning through play. Our Au-Some children and families are grateful for their financial and volunteer support.*



## EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

### Upcoming Au-Some Evenings

Friday, March 20, 2026  
5:30pm-7:30pm

Sunday, April 12, 2026  
4:30pm-6:30pm



*Au-Some Evenings was created in 2012 and presented in partnership with:*

**Kathy Doody**

*Professor in Exceptional Education*

**Jana Mertz**

*Autism Spectrum Insight*



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To register for the next Au-Some Evening please complete the form at [exploreandmore.org/au-some-evenings](https://exploreandmore.org/au-some-evenings)

Questions? Email [accessibility@exploreandmore.org](mailto:accessibility@exploreandmore.org)

**SPACE IS LIMITED!**

### Friendly Reminder:

Children must be supervised by an adult at all times.

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