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FAMILY DAY INSPIRED BY *MOOD RIVER* EXHIBITION

I'm in the Mood for...Family Day—a day of activities inspired by *Mood River*, the Wexner Center's exhibition of contemporary design and art—will be held at the center **Sunday, February 17** from noon to 4 pm. The event is for children ages 4–12. No registration is required, and admission is free.

At the event, children can explore the connection between art and emotions. Activities include dances in life-sized bubbles; a mood mural; a box to hold moods; storytelling; a self-guided gallery discovery tour including the “waterfall of chairs,” the skateboard bowl, the “school of fish,” and more. See the enclosed brochure for a complete schedule; also enclosed is the *Mood River* “Guide for Families.” Another *Mood River* Family Day will be held May 5.

Family Days bring in hundreds of kids with accompanying adults. The events are acclaimed for their creative and educational activities. For more information, contact Rebecca Schlesinger, Educator for Family and Youth Programs at 688-8704 or schlesinger.13@osu.edu. Media is welcome at these events.

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The Wexner Center for the Arts is The Ohio State University's multidisciplinary, international laboratory for the exploration and advancement of contemporary art. Through exhibitions, screenings, performances, artist residencies, and educational programs, the Wexner Center acts as a forum where established and emerging artists can test ideas and where diverse audiences can participate in cultural experiences that enhance understanding of the art of our time. In its programs, the Wexner Center balances a commitment to experimentation with a commitment to traditions of innovation and affirms the university's mission of education, research, and community service.

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