# Science Center

Where science and play connect

# 2020 YEAR IN REVIEW

Families had access to science discovery and STEAM learning opportunities at MSC throughout this difficult year because of support from our donor community. Our 20th year is possible because of you!



JAN 11
Rainbow trout from Ennis,
MT arrive at MSC for new
125 gal aquarium.



Grand Opening in new location at 2744 W. Main Street.



3600 visitors in our new building in 45 days!



MAR 17
MSC closes doors due to
COVID-19 pandemic;
begins printing 3D masks.



Weekly science clubs launch for out-of-school science education.



Poison dart frogs arrive as part of new exhibit, Dangerous Nature.



**AUG O**Sun, Earth, Universe exhibit delivered from Casper, Wyoming.



Tim Schober joins team as STEAMlab Coordinator.



MSC reopens to the public.



First take-home STEAMkit, Arctic Wonders, is released!



Winter Wonderland at MSC welcomes 19 campers for "Winter Break Camp."



Launching into our 20th year as part of the Bozeman community!

# **2020 BY THE NUMBERS**

11

new exhibits fabricated during closure **79** 

YouTube videos filmed for FREE science engagement 300

science STEAMkits made & distributed

1903

visitors to the STEAMlab

# **OUR VISION**

Our vision is a society in which curiosity, critical thinking and innovation are embraced as tools for understanding and thriving in a changing world.

### **OUR MISSION**

Our mission is to provide interactive learning experiences in science and technology that inspire creativity, innovation, and lead to real-world application.

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