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**New Science Exhibition About Air Opens November 15**

Bloomington, Indiana—Who knew air could be such a blast? **WHOOSH! Amazing Air**, a special exhibition that highlights the surprising properties of this ubiquitous but invisible substance, opens at Bloomington's WonderLab Museum of Science, Health and Technology on Tuesday, November 15. The interactive science exhibition about air provides opportunities to blast it from a cannon to knock down a block city, harness it to sail model boats, and heat it to lift a colorful hot air balloon (sans basket) to the second floor of the museum. Other interactive components of the exhibition include an air ball demonstrating the Bernoulli effect, a flowing liquid streamliner, a clear air fountain, and a monkey parachute drop. Each part of the exhibition demonstrates how air moves and affects objects in its path.

**WHOOSH! Amazing Air** may feel like entertainment, but the exhibition supports Indiana academic standards. "The experiences available through this exhibition are really fun for all ages, but they also help visitors discover scientific concepts and practice using the process skills of science," said Karen Jepson-Innes, WonderLab's associate executive director.

The exhibition runs through May 13. Further enrichment is available through special programs and activities. WonderLab's gift store offers a selection of related merchandise for continued experimentation and learning at home.

WonderLab is an award-winning science museum and family destination located at 308 West Fourth Street on the B-Line Trail in the heart of the downtown Bloomington Entertainment and Arts District (BEAD). The museum is open to the public Tuesday through Saturday, 9:30 am - 5:30 pm, and Sunday, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm. WonderLab is open extended evening hours until 8:30 pm, with an admission discount, the first Friday of the month. For more information, call 812-337-1337 ext. 25 or go online to [wonderlab.org](http://wonderlab.org) or WonderLab's Facebook page.

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