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## **Oberlin Community Arts and Culture Day**

School may be out for the day, yet there will be no fools among those taking part in Community Arts and Culture Day in Oberlin on Friday, October 15. Four area arts and education organizations have teamed up to keep kids busy and parents happy by offering free, fun activities while local teachers take the day to participate in a wide-range of professional development workshops sponsored by the North Eastern Ohio Educational Association (NEOEA).

This year's Arts and Culture Day theme is "Me and My Community," and children of all ages can enjoy games, crafts and more all around town from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Events will take place at these locations:

> Weltzheimer Johnson House-led by staff and volunteers from the Allen Memorial Art Museum; park and enter from the 500 block of Morgan Street New Union Center for the Arts-at 39 South Main Street, hosted by FAVA (Firelands Association for the Visual Arts) Little Red Schoolhouse and Monroe House—located behind 73 South Professor Street, hosted by the Oberlin Heritage Center; parking available off of 20 West Vine Street Oberlin Public Library—65 South Main Street

Visit one site or visit them all and try your hand at many different activities including a special raffle drawing and a prize for a lucky winner! Children must be accompanied by an adult (who may have even more fun than the kids!)

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