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Birthday Parties at the Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre

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Looking for a fun and educational place to hold your child's birthday party? How about a party with the octopus at the Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre?

The Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre now offers a variety of hands-on, hands-wet activities and interactive games designed for children's birthday parties primarily geared towards 5 – 12 year olds. They can create a craft, spend time at the touch pool, or go on an aquatic scavenger hunt with friendly Oceaneers. There is even a place to open birthday presents in the Ocean's Heartbeat.

Linda Funk, educator at the Centre and mom of two active children says, "This is a fun, educational alternative for curious kids."

Birthday party programs at the Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre are approximately an hour long. Parties can be scheduled for 11:30 AM or 1:00 PM on Saturdays and Sundays.

Birthday parties at the Discovery Centre are \$70.00 and include admission and special activities for 1 adult and up to 8 children. Additional children and adults are \$5.00 and \$10.00, respectively.

To book birthday parties and for special requests, including birthday parties for grown ups, call 250.665.7511 or email groups@oceandiscovery.ca

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