



Discovery Theater has presented live educational performances at the Smithsonian to young people throughout the Washington, D.C., area and beyond since 1979. With programs that enrich the Smithsonian experience for nearly 50,000 children annually, Discovery Theater is a gateway to the exhibits, collections, and themes contained in the museums and galleries on the National Mall and in our community. There's so much to do and explore at the Smithsonian—and Discovery Theater is the ideal place to begin!

## OUR STAFF

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# Around the World with Yosi



**June 27-29, 2018**  
**Ages 3 to 8**



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## ABOUT THE SHOW & ARTIST



Twenty years ago, Yosi stepped into his daughter's preschool classroom with his guitar unaware that his life was about to change forever. What began as a few shows soon turned into a full-time career. Yosi seemed to have a natural talent for connecting with

children. With upbeat punk/rock-infused songs from his 5 award-winning albums, as heard on Sirius/XM and other children's programming, Yosi gets the kids on their feet dancing, laughing and singing! Yosi has created various interactive and educational themed shows that bring joy to thousands of young children and their adults at schools, libraries, and concert stages.

For more information, please visit:

<http://www.yosimusic.com/>

## VISIT THE 15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SMITHSONIAN FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL

After the show, head out on the National Mall to enjoy the Folklife Festival with activities on Armenian and Catalan culture! Entrance is **free**! The Festival will bring the rich history, powerful art, and astounding speakers to the National Mall. Visit the Artisan Market for hands-on arts and fun.

More info at: [www.festival.si.edu](http://www.festival.si.edu)



Smithsonian Folklife Festival

June 27-July 1 & July 4-8, 2018

Daily hours: 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

## TRY IT AT HOME

### Make Your Own Guitar!

#### Materials:

- 1 small cereal box
- 1 wrapping paper tube
- 1 Ruler
- String
- Scissors
- Glue
- Tape
- Ribbon or rope



#### Directions:

1. Have an adult help you glue the cereal box closed at both ends, and cut a circle out on each end for the tube to go through.
2. Ask your adult to cut a circle out of the front of the box and use a ruler to create five to six smaller holes at the top and bottom of the same side.
3. Thread your string through each pair of holes to create six guitar strings!
4. Insert your tube into the box, leaving a little bit showing. Tape it down and tie a ribbon around both ends to create a strap if you like!

For more information, please visit:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V3KGrxmic6k>

## RESOURCES

Want to learn more about music and instruments?

<https://www.ducksters.com/music.php>

Educators! Plan, Prepare, and Teach with the Smithsonian:

[www.smithsonianeducation.org/educators/index.html](http://www.smithsonianeducation.org/educators/index.html)