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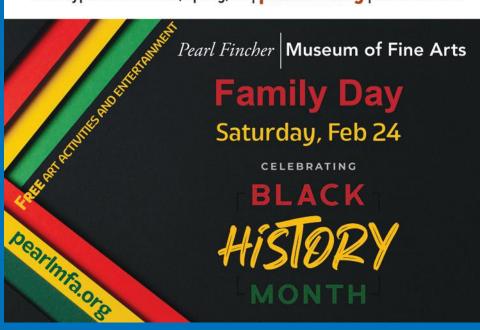




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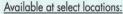
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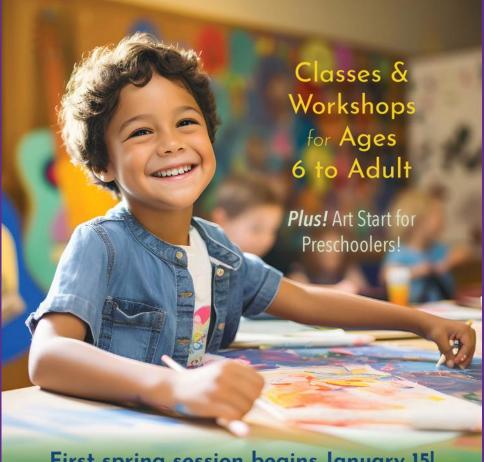
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#### Youth Summer Camp Schedule

Session I: June 23-29, 2024 Session II: June 30-July 6, 2024

Session III: July 7-13, 2024

Session IV: July 14-20, 2024

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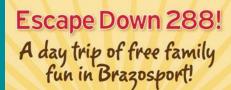
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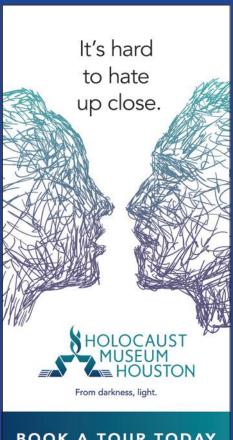


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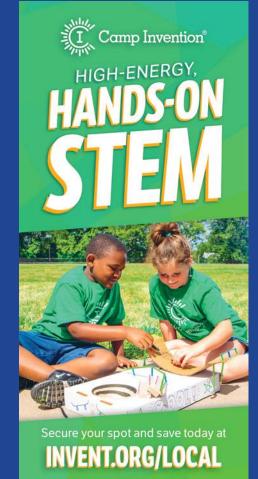




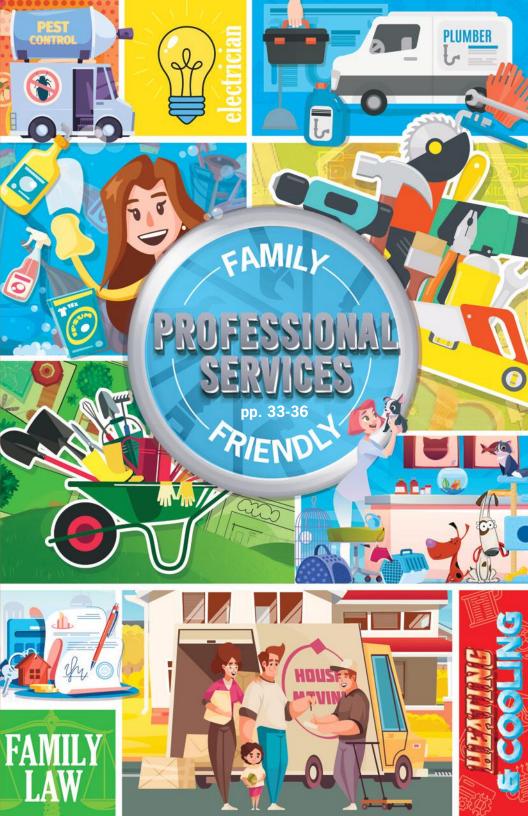
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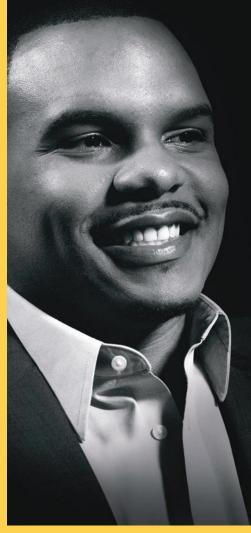


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