

# EVERHART MUSEUM

NATURAL HISTORY, SCIENCE & ART

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## ***Visit Isaiah's Corner: Dino Nation!***

### **The Everhart Museum's Interactive Gallery for Children**

**Opening June 12, 2009**

**Scranton – May 29, 2009:** Looking for a place where children can learn about natural history, science and art in an interactive setting? Come and visit **Isaiah's Corner** at the Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art where children can experience an exhibit space designed with our youngest visitors in mind. The theme of **Isaiah's Corner** changes with and complements each of the museum's temporary exhibits, so there is always a new environment with fresh topics for children to learn about in a hands-on way.

Beginning June 12<sup>th</sup> and continuing through September 7, 2009, let your need to explore lead you to **Isaiah's Corner: Dino Nation!** where you can find fossils, rocks, and dinosaurs! Investigate fossil records, solve puzzles, create fossil art, and more in our hands-on activity center for children. Touch, play, create, and learn about the underground world captured in our **Ancient Microworlds** exhibit!

Please note that adult guidance is required at all times. So come to the museum and stop by Isaiah's Corner to learn about fossils, rocks and dinosaurs with your children. Then go visit our galleries where you and your children can apply your new knowledge in our temporary exhibits, **Ancient Microworlds** and **Ornamental Impressions** which open on June 12<sup>th</sup>, and in our permanent **Rocks & Minerals** and **Life Through Time** (fossil) galleries.

The Everhart Museum is open: Thursday, Friday and Monday, Noon-4:00 pm; Saturday, 10:00 am-5:00 pm; and Sunday, Noon-5:00 pm. Admission is \$5/adults, \$3/students & seniors, \$2/children 6-12, and free to Everhart Museum members. For more information, contact the museum at 570-346-7186 or email [general.information@everhart-museum.org](mailto:general.information@everhart-museum.org).

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**About the Everhart Museum:** Founded in 1908, the Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art is the largest general museum in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The Everhart Museum, located in Nay Aug Park in Scranton, is a not-for-profit institution dedicated to the collection, care and display of a diverse array of artifacts, including natural history, science and fine arts. Through our exhibits and programs, the Everhart Museum has become an invaluable regional resource for educational and cultural opportunities. General support for the museum is received from the Lackawanna County Office of Education & Culture, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, and the City of Scranton. For more information on the museum visit our website at [www.everhart-museum.org](http://www.everhart-museum.org) or contact us at 570-346-7186.