Community Adventure Play Experiences

What are they?

Community adventure play experiences are created by children using loose parts—cardboard boxes, tires, fabric, plastic bottles, recyclables, wood, and other materials. Community adventure play experiences can be set up anywhere there is space, a collection of loose parts, and children.

Who can come to community adventure play experiences?

Anyone! Community adventure play experiences can be enjoyed by children of all ages. Parents are welcome to come and see their children play, explore, and create!

Where do the materials come from?

Play facilitators collect materials that are donated by local families and businesses.

When and where do they happen?

The Child Development Institute at Sarah Lawrence College hosts community adventure play experiences in spring, summer, and fall in Yonkers and neighboring communities! Stay tuned for upcoming community adventure play experiences!

Why are community adventure play experiences important?

Community adventure play experiences encourage children to use their imaginations, develop initiative, collaborate, and problem-solve using materials from their own communities.

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