



Welcome to Sensory-Friendly Saturday in Greenfield Village

Special activities take place April 29, 2017 • 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

Available starting at 8:30 a.m. ▼

- 1. Thomas the Tank Engine™ Photo Opportunity**
Smiths Creek
- 2. Roundhouse**
Tour our 1880s roundhouse, and get a close look at several 19th-century steam locomotives. Visit with volunteers from Michigan Operation Lifesaver, and learn about railroads and railroad track safety.
- 3. Railroad Turntable**
Kids of all ages will marvel as they watch one person turning a several-ton locomotive.
- 4. Schoolyard Games**
Adjacent to Edison Illuminating, enjoy bubble stations and timeless playground games.
- 5. Donald F. Kosch Village Playground**
Blow off steam at our 1920s construction site themed playground.
- 6. Glancy Modular Railroad Club Trains**
Located in the Playground Entrance Building. Kids of all ages can enjoy a model train display courtesy of Glancy Trains Modular Group.

7. Imagination Station

Located in the Village Pavilion. Featuring Thomas and Friends™ temporary tattoos, coloring and activity sheets and our new iPad station.

8. Smiths Creek

- Barry the Guitar Guy - 8:30**
- Thomas Storytelling - 8:45
10:15, 11:45, 1:15, 2:45 & 4:15**
- Thomas Video Viewing - 8:30
9:30, 11:00, 12:30, 2:00 & 3:30.**

9. Thomas & Friends™ Gift Shop

Located in the Village Pavilion. Your shopping headquarters for all Thomas & Friends™ clothing, toys, books and more.

Available starting at 9:30 a.m. ▼

10. Quiet Activity Area

Located in Town Hall. A quieter area with activities featuring Thomas & Friends™.

Available at listed times ▼

- 11. Meet Sir Topham Hatt™**
9:45, 10:30, 11:15, 12:30, 1:15, 2:00, 2:45, 3:45 & 4:30
Near Edison Illuminating. Meet Thomas' loyal friend and controller of the railway, and tell him how much you liked your ride. He'll be happy to pose for a photo with you, too!
- 12. Picks & Sticks Stringband**
10:00, 11:15, 12:45 & 2:30
Near the Detroit River Tunnel Crane. All ages will be mesmerized by our railroad hobo musicians.
- 13. Magic Show**
12:00, 1:45 & 3:15
Near the Detroit River Tunnel Crane. An entertaining, one-of-a-kind magical production that's fun for the whole family.

Available with timed ticket ▼



Ride on Thomas the Tank Engine™

Smiths Creek Depot. All of Thomas' excursions today will depart as round trips from the Smiths Creek Depot. We recommend that you arrive at the station 15 minutes before your train leaves, so please check your ticket for your scheduled departure time. The platform is fully accessible to guests using wheelchairs and other motorized mobility devices.

PLEASE NOTE Loud sounds from the train whistle and Model T car horns can be heard throughout Greenfield Village. Various smells, such as from animals, food, cars and woodsmoke, are also present.

What is **Sensory-Friendly Saturday**?

Designed for guests who are on the autism spectrum as well as for those with other sensory-processing disorders, these events offer a variety of special accommodations, activities and more that have been put into place to create an inclusive, welcoming and safe space for our guests. Prior to this event, staff members of The Henry Ford participated in Michigan Autism Safety Training provided by the Autism Alliance of Michigan to better understand the characteristics of autism and how to recognize and communicate with those with autism.

Upcoming Sensory-Friendly Events ▼



June 24

Sensory-Friendly Saturday at
Ford Rouge Factory Tour

More info at
thehenryford.org/accessibility.



We welcome guests with disabilities to all of our venues.

For more information, hours and locations for upcoming sensory-friendly events, visit thehenryford.org/accessibility.

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