



# Museum of Motherhood

## ACTIVITY MENU

MOM'S MISSION IS TO START GREAT CONVERSATIONS  
AND TO CREATE COMPELLING EXHIBITS. LET'S CONNECT:

- ♥ GO AROUND THE ROOM AND READ ABOUT THE LAST 20 YEARS OF THE MOTHERHOOD MOVEMENT AND THE MAKING OF MOM. ASK QUESTIONS. TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF.
- ♥ EXPLORE THE ART OF M/OTHERHOOD
- ♥ TRY ON A PREGNANCY SIMULATOR VEST
- ♥ LOOK AROUND - WE HAVE SOME GREAT BOOKS AVAILABLE FOR RESOURCES AND REFERENCES ON THE ART, SCIENCE AND HER-STORY OF WOMEN, M/OTHERS & FAMILIES
- ♥ WATCH A VIDEO: 'WHAT'S PLAYING NOW' OR MAKE A REQUEST
- ♥ ADULTS PLAY WITH CLAY & YOUNG ONES PLAY WITH TOYS
- ♥ WRITE A LETTER TO YOUR M/OTHER OR OTHER CAREGIVER FOR OUR PERMANENT COLLECTION OR PUT SOMETHING IN THE PRAYER BOX (HANGING ON THE WALL)
- ♥ FIND AN AFFIRMATION (IN OUR AFFIRMATION JAR). LEAVE AN AFFIRMATION
- ♥ TELL US YOUR STORY. WRITE OUT LOUD ON OUR WALL - WHAT DO YOU WANT TO SAY? OR MAKE SOMETHING AND LEAVE IT ON LUCKY LEROY'S BIG RED QUILT
- ♥ MAKE A DONATION TO KEEP MOM GOING - WE ARE THE HOUSE THAT MOM BUILT!
- ♥ SIGN UP FOR OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER SO WE CAN STAY IN TOUCH...



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## IF WALLS COULD TALK

THE HER-STORY OF MOM BY FOUNDER MARTHA JOY ROSE  
& THE HER-STORY OF MOTHER STUDIES

- 1 1997 HOUSEWIVES ON PROZAC BEGINS MAKING MUSIC ABOUT MOTHERHOOD
- 2 2002 THE MAMAPALOOZA FESTIVAL BEGINS IN NYC WITH PERFORMANCES BY WOMEN-MADE, MOM-BRANDED ENTERTAINMENT, EDUCATION AND ACTIVISM
- 3 2003 - THE MOMMYGIRLGOGO STORE OPENS IN DOBBS FERRY NEW YORK WITH MOM-OR-A-BILIA AND THE FIRST MUSEUM OF MOTHERHOOD EXHIBIT
- 4 2005- MOM GETS ORGANIZED WITH A TEAM OF COLLABORATORS AND FORMS THE MOTHERHOOD FOUNDATION INC. RAISING AWARENESS FOR THE MUSEUM OF MOTHERHOOD
- 5 2008 - CONFERENCES, COLLECTIVES, ARTISTS FROM MULTIPLE DISCIPLINES AND ACTIVISTS AS WELL AS ACADEMIC TEXTS WIDELY RECOGNIZED A 'MOTHERHOOD MOVEMENT'
- 6 2011 - MOM OPENS IN NYC ON THE UES IN 2,500 SPACE SPONSORED BY LOCAL GYMBOREE
- 7 2014 - ROSE EARNS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN MOTHER STUDIES FROM CUNY, THE GRADUATE CENTER AND BEGINS TEACHING AT MANHATTAN COLLEGE WITH EXHIBITS ON CAMPUS
- 8 2017 - MOM MOVES TO FLORIDA WHERE ROSE HOSTS EXHIBITS, TOURS AND THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN HER HISTORIC KENWOOD WHILE TEACHING ONLINE
- 9 2019 - THE MOM ART ANNEX NON PROFIT IS FORMED AND BEGINS WORKING ON BEHALF OF THE GROWTH OF THE MUSEUM IN ST PETE
- 10 2023 - MOM MOVES TO THE FACTORY AND OPENS ITS DOORS

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