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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**  
***The Fans Strike Back Exhibition***

***The Fans Strike Back: The Largest Star Wars Fan-Made Exhibition***  
**NOW OPEN AT THE DISCOVERY CENTER OF IDAHO**

**Boise, ID** - Calling all Jedis! An exhibition unlike any other in the galaxy is officially open for exploration at the Discovery Center of Idaho. Chosen by the public as the best *Star Wars* fan-made exhibition in 2017, *The Fans Strike Back Exhibition* is the largest privately owned collection of *Star Wars* fan items, and this Spring, we brought it to Boise, Idaho.

The Discovery Center of Idaho has partnered with Micron to host this world-class traveling exhibition featuring items collected by fans and displayed for fans. Featured in cities across Europe, from Madrid to Paris, and in America, from New York to Las Vegas, this world-renowned exhibition gives fans the chance to explore the Empire in a whole new way.

“Science fiction helps us see and experience the universe in new and exciting ways. Creators of fantastical Sci-Fi worlds begin with the basics of STEM by observing the world through a scientific lens. Inspired by our evolving knowledge of elements, properties of matter, quantum fields and black holes, creators can imagine new scientific innovations and their future impact on Earth... or galaxies far, far away. The Discovery Center of Idaho hopes that *The Fans Strike Back Exhibition* will inspire students and visitors to imagine their world in new and extraordinary ways; to innovate positive change using the creativity inherent in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.” *Emily Mahon, Educator*

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**About the Center**

The Discovery Center of Idaho is a private non-profit 501(C)3 organization. Our mission is to inspire lifelong interest and learning in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM). We believe learning is fun and expands minds and lives. Because of the opportunities and exhibitions we provide, our community is more scientifically literate, curious and empowered to explore.

### **Admission Prices & Hours**

Admission is FREE for [members](#). For non-members, admission is \$27.50 for adults ages 18+, \$25.50 for seniors ages 65+, \$19.50 for youth ages 2-17, FREE for children under age 2. \$1 discounts for active military and veterans. We also offer the *Museums for All* subsidized program available for those with a valid EBT card. We're open 10am to 4:30pm Monday-Saturday and 12pm to 4:30pm on Sundays.

Our pricing supports our ability to bring world-class traveling exhibitions to the Treasure Valley. Thank you for your support!

### **Other Updates**

Thank you for supporting lifelong learning in STEM! The Discovery Center of Idaho is thrilled to provide this exhibition to the community. There are some items you should know before your visit:

- Timed entry ticket purchases with limited capacity
- Contact-free payment options at the door (Debit or Credit Card only please)
- Floor staff busy cleaning all surfaces throughout the day
- Automatic hand sanitation stations and hand washing throughout the Center

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