Neighborhood Science Librarian Checklist

Registration Opens

	Register your branch via online submission form -PSF will review submission.	Closed
	Register for the Partner Portal on PSF Website -PSF will update contact information, logos, etc.	Immediately
Planning B	<u>egins</u>	
	Respond to PSF's activity count request -PSF will email you to find out the number of tabletop activities you can accommodate in your branch.	Completed
	Respond to PSF's request for conference call availability -PSF will contact you to find out when you'd be able to participate in a conference call for providers and to answer any preliminary questions you might have.	02/01
	Prepare questions and suggestions for conference call with PSF, library, and other activity providers -PSF will schedule call and provide next steps and necessary information.	02/31
Details, Med	etings, and Marketing	
	Request PSF promotional materials (buttons, stickers, etc.) -PSF will have a submission/order process.	Begins mid- January
	Request event specific materials (rack cards, posters, fliers, etc.) -PSF will provide order form and partner-approved copy will be used. We suggest ordering enough materials for distribution at local schools.	Begins 1/6
	Distribute materials once received -PSF will provide tips and ideas for best practices.	Ongoing
	Participate in conference call -PSF will schedule and send "save-the-date" calendar request.	TBD March
	Review event logistics form to make sure all details are accurate -PSF will compile and send all necessary information regarding day-of contacts, technical requests, and venue information.	03/15
	Post to social media outlets about your event (Twitter, Facebook, Eblasts, Instagram, etc.) Once a month is requested, but feel free to promote more! -PSF will provide guidelines about how to best engage your potential audience via social media.	February through April

Home Stretch, Presentations, Promotion, Finalized Events

Respond to PSF request for supply drop-offPSF will provide tablecloths and tabletop signs which will be dropped off in the weeks prior to your event.	4/01
Re-check event logistics form and alert PSF to any changes -PSF will contact participants to address any last-minute changes.	4/15
Final social media push! Post as much as possible about your Science Festival participation in the week leading up to the event. -PSF will provide additional support in pushing events in final week where needed	Week before/of Festival
Set-up activity tablesPSF does not provide tables or chairs, nor will PSF volunteer arrive early enough to assist with table set-up.	Day of Program
Cover tables with provided tablecloths and set out acrylic sign holdersPSF will pre-stuff sign holders and provide an extra set of sign inserts.	By 3:00pm on day of program
Collect acrylic sign holders and -PSF reuses the sign holders each year. We appreciate your assistance in getting them back to us!	End of Program