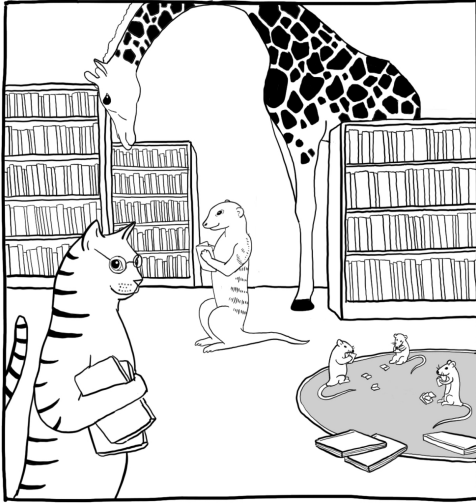
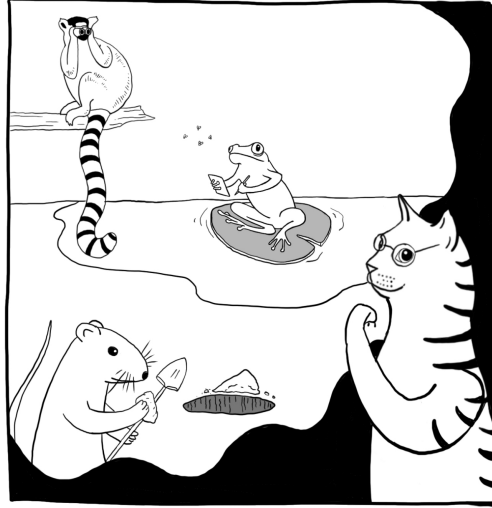


PLAN YOUR OWN CITIZEN SCIENCE EVENT



CARLA IS A LIBRARIAN. SHE WANTS HER LIBRARY TO BE A PLACE WHERE PEOPLE CAN DEVELOP THEIR CURIOSITY AND MAKE AN IMPACT ON THEIR COMMUNITY.



SHE'S HEARD ABOUT CITIZEN SCIENCE, WHERE EVERYDAY PEOPLE COLLECT AND SHARE DATA WITH SCIENTISTS TO ACCELERATE RESEARCH.



CARLA SEES A POST ABOUT SCISTARTER.ORG, WHICH CONNECTS PEOPLE TO THOUSANDS OF CITIZEN SCIENCE PROJECTS AND LOTS OF FREE RESOURCES, INCLUDING THOSE FOR CITIZEN SCIENCE MONTH (CITSCIMONTH) IN APRIL.



SHE JOINS ONE OF THE PHONE CALLS OFFERED BY SCISTARTER EACH WEEK TO HELP PEOPLE HOST A CITSCIMONTH EVENT AND LEARNS ABOUT A CURATED PAGE OF SIX PROJECTS SELECTED BY THE NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE. [SCISTARTER.ORG/NLM](https://scistarter.org/nlm)



CARLA WANTS TO ENGAGE THE SENIOR POPULATION USING THE DIGITAL RESOURCES AT HER LIBRARY, SO SHE PICKS THE PROJECT STALL CATCHERS, AN ONLINE GAME WHERE VOLUNTEERS CATEGORIZE IMAGES FROM BRAIN STUDIES.



SHE SELECTS A TIME AND DAY FOR THE SENIORS TO COME TO THE LIBRARY TO LEARN ABOUT CITIZEN SCIENCE AND PLAY STALL CATCHERS, TOGETHER.



SHE REGISTERS HER EVENT ON [CITIZENSCIENCEMONTH.ORG](https://citizensciencemonth.org), AND BEGINS SPREADING THE WORD! SHE CONTACTS OTHER COMMUNITY GROUPS AND USES FREE PUBLICITY MATERIALS AT [CITIZENSCIENCEMONTH.ORG](https://citizensciencemonth.org) TO LET PEOPLE KNOW ABOUT HER EVENT.



THE CITIZEN SCIENCE EVENT IS A HIT! PEOPLE MAKE NEW CONNECTIONS IN THEIR COMMUNITY, AND THE BRAIN RESEARCHERS GET DATA. CARLA IS ALREADY GETTING REQUESTS TO DO ANOTHER EVENT AND SHE CAN TURN TO [SCISTARTER.ORG](https://scistarter.org) TO FIND LOCAL OR GLOBAL PROJECTS!

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