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My Gnome on the Roam Launches Educational App to Provide 15 Minute Adventures for Busy Families A Field Trip App for Your Family

NASHVILLE, TN Oct. 2, 2015 -- Anne Armstrong, Founder, My Gnome on the Roam educational toys and experiences launches “Time to Roam” app for families at the 43rd National Storytelling Festival in Jonesborough, TN Oct. 2-4, 2015.

The “Time to Roam” app offers daily tools and inspirational prompts for building quality family time and adventure into busy days. For a field trip adventure, try discovering the world with Wanderlust Wednesday suggestions such as; taking a new route home, going on a virtual online field trip or eating at a restaurant with food from another culture.

“Launching our App at the Storytelling Festival is exciting because our company’s mission is to help children find their voice and express themselves while creating memories. We believe no one’s story is more important than your own and if you don’t write it, who will?” shared Anne Armstrong, Founder, My Gnome on the Roam.



According to the [first large-scale longitudinal study](#) of parent time published in the 2015 *Journal of Family and Marriage*, the amount of time parents spend with their children between the ages of 3-11 has virtually no relationship to how children turn out. Quality of time trumps quantity.

Features Include:

- A daily invitation and prompt to explore, create, contribute and connect
 - Make It Monday, Tell Me Tuesday, Wanderlust Wednesday, Throwback Thursday, Freaky Friday, Saturday Dazzle Day, Soul Food Sunday
- Tools and inspiration to create genuine moments of family engagement
 - Crafts, recipes, in-person games, conversation starters, neighborhood adventures, random acts of kindness
- In-app journal to take notes and save ideas

Benefits Include:

- Create new neural brain pathways in children and adults
- Strengthen a child's creativity and a sense of adventure while building self-esteem
- Establish deeper family connections
- Better writing and comprehension skills

The App is free to download and available on all mobile devices through [Apple App Store](#), and [Google Play](#).

About Anne Armstrong, Founder, [My Gnome on the Roam](#)

Anne Armstrong is the Founder of My Gnome on the Roam educational toys which inspire a love of reading, writing and adventure for kids, families, students and educators across the globe.

After 20 years as a teacher of gifted middle school students, Anne took on the role of mom entrepreneur to share her formula of building deeper family connections in as little as 30 minutes a week.

A published best-selling children's author of the [book](#) "My Gnome on the Roam," she strives to live by the phrase 'Make Your Life a Book Worth Reading' coined by her students who refer to her as the Field Trip Queen.

She holds a Master's and Educational Specialist degree in gifted education and has been featured on NPR and Huffington Post.

About the Company - My Gnome on the Roam

My Gnome on the Roam is a premium brand of educational toys and experiences for boys and girls ages 3-10 years old. My Gnome on the Roams' goal is build creative family adventures in as little as 30 minutes a week. A 2015 start-up out of Nashville, TN, the Founder Anne Armstrong is a former gifted public middle school teacher of 20 years.

The company's products include the best-selling published children's book 'My Gnome on the Roam' available through Amazon.com, the 'Time to Roam' app with daily inspiration and activities in under 15 minutes a day available in all app stores and educational toys including their signature gnome Gustav that kids artistcally design, a story book, a high quality journal to write about their adventures and a suitcase or backpack available for \$49.97 through pre-order at www.MyGnomeOnTheRoam.com/Kit.

By inspiring a love of reading, writing and exploration, My Gnome on the Roam hopes to help children find their voice while creating genuine moments of family engagement and making the world a better place, one memory at a time.

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