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PRESS ADVISORY:

**Day Trips With Kids at the Connecticut Supreme Court,
State Capitol and Museum of Connecticut History**

The Judicial Branch, in collaboration with the League of Women Voters and the Museum of Connecticut History, is sponsoring "Day Trips with Kids," an opportunity for children to have fun while learning about state government at the same time.

Tours of the Connecticut Supreme Court, State Capitol and Museum of Connecticut History will occur on Thursday, Aug. 5. Activities will include:

- A scavenger hunt in the Museum of Connecticut History, where exhibits trace the growth of the state and its role in the development of the nation;
- A visit to the State Capitol's Hall of Flags, which displays flags Connecticut soldiers have carried into battle, and also learn about the legislative process;
- Helping the Judicial Branch celebrate the upcoming 100th anniversary of the historic Connecticut Supreme Court courtroom by visiting and learning about the room where the state's most important legal rulings have occurred.

"We are very excited about this program, which is fun, free and family-friendly," Chief Justice Chase T. Rogers said. "I also am very grateful to the League of Women Voters and the State Librarian, who oversees the Museum of Connecticut History, for their help."

The program is recommended for children age 8 and over. A schedule, tour times and other information is available through the Judicial Branch's website, at www.jud.ct.gov, or by calling the External Affairs Division at 860-757-2270. The successful program was also held on July 28 with approximately 100 people attending.

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