



# LUNCH at the LIBRARY

Lunch at the Library is more than just a place for children and teens to eat this Summer - it's a place to learn, laugh, and grow! This is an opportunity to be physically active, eat a balanced diet, and reinforce skills through a variety of scheduled events designed specifically for families attending the lunch hour. Activities highlight art, music, health, dance, drama, and storytelling.

June 1 - July 24, 2015

Monday - Friday • 11:30am - 12:30pm • Beale Memorial, Auditorium



Children, ages 2-18 ..... **FREE**  
Parents & Caregivers (child must be present) ..... \$3.00

Lunchtime Stories • Fridays, 11:45am

## JUNE

Monday, June 1	11:45am	Design-a-Bookmark Contest (all week)
Wednesday, June 3	11:30am	Nutrition and Exercise Workshop
Monday, June 8	11:30am	Doodles-on-the-Table Art
Tuesday, June 9	11:30am	Doodles-on-the-Table Art
Wednesday, June 10	11:45am	Laughter Yoga
Thursday, June 11	11:45am	Flights of Fantasy Story Theatre
Monday, June 15	11:30am	Game Time: Guessing Jar
Wednesday, June 17	11:45am	Cosmic Kids Yoga: Lulu the Baby Lioness
Thursday, June 18	11:45am	Omnipresent Puppet Theater
Tuesday, June 23	11:45am	Craft Time: Father's Day
Wednesday, June 24	11:45am	Cosmic Kids Yoga: Nelson the Pigeon
Thursday, June 26	11:45am	Art Time: Zentangles
Monday, June 29	11:30am	Doodles-on-the-Table Art
Tuesday, June 30	11:30am	Doodles-on-the-Table Art

## JULY

Wednesday, July 1	11:30am	Stuffed Animal Sleepover
Thursday, July 2	11:45am	Craft Time: Fourth of July
Wednesday, July 8	11:45am	Kids Zumba
Thursday, July 9	11:45am	Art Time: Painted Book Ends
Monday, July 13	11:30am	Photo Booth: Snapshot Time!
Tuesday, July 14	11:30am	Photo Booth: Snapshot Time!
Wednesday, July 15	11:45am	Desk-aerobics
Thursday, July 16	11:45am	Stone Soup Story Theatre
Tuesday, July 21	11:45am	Show & Tell: Bike Bakersfield
Wednesday, July 22	11:45am	Cosmic Kids Yoga: Popcorn the Dolphin
Friday, July 24	12:45pm	Summer Reading Grand Finale: Ice Cream Party

The Lunch at the Library program is a statewide collaboration between the California Library Association, the California Summer Meal Coalition, & the Kern County Superintendent of Schools.

## SUMMER READING SUPPORT

Reading incentives\* for the Summer Reading Challenge were generously donated by the following:  
\*while supplies last.



Friends of the Kern County Library, Inc.,  
Friends of Northeast, Rathbun, Southwest and Wilson Branches.



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THANK  
YOU!

## HOW TO PARTICIPATE

Read 10 books, magazines, graphic novels, audiobooks, or eBooks.

### Traditional Paper Sign-Up

- Record the 10 titles read on the paper Reading Record & have a parent sign it.
- Return your signed Reading Record to the library by **Friday, July 31, 2015**.

### Online: [KCLsummerchallenge.org](http://KCLsummerchallenge.org)

- Register for an account.
- Record the 10 titles read in the online Reading Log.
- You will be awarded with a Confirmation Badge. Print your Badge & bring it to the library by **Friday, July 31, 2015**.

Once completed, you will receive a **FREE** paperback book, provided by the Friends of the Kern County Library, Inc. & receive additional incentives, *while supplies last*.

NEW!

## WHY SIGN-UP ONLINE?

- Set goals
- Play game challenges
- Complete reading lists
- Engage in community experiences
- Family / Teacher Accounts
- Earn Digital Badges & Incentives
- Attend local library events & enter "Secret Codes" for special Badges

For more information, contact **Andie Apple** at (661) 868-0723.

## BAKERSFIELD BRANCH HOURS

BRANCH	PHONE	ADDRESS	M	T	W	TH	F	S
Baker	661.861.2390	1400 Baker St.	11-7		11-7			
Beale Memorial	661.868.0701	701 Truxtun Ave.	11-7	11-7	11-7	11-7	10-6	10-6
Holloway-Gonzales	661.861.2083	506 East Brundage Ln.			9-5		9-5	
Northeast	661.871.9017	3725 Columbus St.		11-7		11-7		9-5
Rathbun	661.393.6431	200 W China Grade Lp.		11-7		11-7		9-5
Southwest	661.664.7716	8301 Ming Ave.		11-7	11-7	11-7	9-5	9-5
Wilson	661.834.4044	1901 Wilson Rd.	11-7		11-7		9-5	

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# CHILDREN'S

2015 Summer Reading Challenge • Events Schedule

SUMMER MATTERS: HOW PARENTS CAN KEEP CHILDREN LEARNING & ENGAGED ALL SUMMER LONG!



The Kern County Library Summer Reading Challenge encourages children to read what they want over the Summer months, which helps instill a love of recreational reading. Numerous studies show that children who read for fun during the Summer often out-perform other children once back in school. The KCL Summer Reading Challenge offers events & programs for all ages, exposing children to new skills, ideas, and learning opportunities.



VACATION  
READING  
equals  
BETTER  
GRADES

Sign-up in person or online today!

Join the Summer Reading Challenge at [KCLsummerchallenge.org](http://KCLsummerchallenge.org) & help California libraries reach #OneMillionReaders this Summer!  
Visit [kerncountylibrary.org](http://kerncountylibrary.org) for full event listings countywide.

## Kickoff Summer Reading: A Book a Day Keeps Boredom Away

Saturday, May 30 • 10am-1pm • Beale Memorial Library  
Tuesday, June 2 • 11am-2pm • Southwest Branch Library

Children's Used Book Sale  
Saturday, May 30 • 10am-5:30pm • Beale Memorial Library



STAY CONNECTED



[kerncountylibrary.org](http://kerncountylibrary.org)

# STORYTIMES

## TODDLER TIME (1 - 3 years)

**Fridays** Southwest Branch .....9:30am & 10:30am

## FAMILY STORYTIME (all ages)

**Mondays** Beale Memorial (0 - 4 years) ..... 11am

**Tuesdays** Beale Memorial (5 - 8 years) ..... 11am  
Northeast Branch ..... 11:30am

**Wednesdays** Baker Branch.....4pm

**Thursdays** Rathbun Branch..... 11am

**Fridays** Holloway-Gonzales Branch: 6/26 & 7/17 ..... 10am  
Wilson Branch ..... 11am

## BILINGUAL FAMILY STORYTIME (all ages)

**Wednesdays** Beale Memorial ..... 1pm

**Thursdays** Southwest Branch: 6/11, 6/25, 7/16, & 7/30 ..... 11:30am  
Southwest Branch: 6/11, 6/25, 7/16, & 7/30..... 6:30pm

## SENSORY STORYTIME (Music, movement, & stories for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder. Registration Required.)

**Thursdays** Beale Memorial.....10:15am

# BAKER

## JUNE

Monday, June 8 3:30pm Stone Soup Story Theatre  
Monday, June 22 4pm Family Storytime & Craft: Battle Maraca

## JULY

Monday, July 6 3:30pm Omnipresent Puppet Theater  
Monday, July 27 4pm Summer Reading Grand Finale

# BEALE MEMORIAL

## JUNE

Monday, June 1 4pm 1, 2, 3 Play-With-Me: Open Play  
Thursday, June 4 4pm E & M Reptile Show  
Thursday, June 4 5:30pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Wednesday, June 10 4pm Barks & Books: Read to a Therapy Dog  
Monday, June 15 4pm 1, 2, 3 Play-With-Me: Open Play  
Wednesday, June 24 4pm Barks & Books: Read to a Therapy Dog

## JULY

Thursday, July 2 5:30pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Monday, July 6 4pm 1, 2, 3 Play-With-Me: Open Play  
Wednesday, July 8 4pm Barks & Books: Read to a Therapy Dog  
Thursday, July 9 4pm Wild Child Adventures: Bubble Fun  
Monday, July 20 4pm 1, 2, 3 Play-With-Me: Open Play  
Wednesday, July 22 4pm Barks & Books: Read to a Therapy Dog  
Thursday, July 23 4pm Steve Martin's Working Wildlife  
Friday, July 24 12:45pm Summer Reading Grand Finale: Ice Cream Party

# HOLLOWAY-GONZALES

## JUNE

Wednesday, June 17 3:30pm Stone Soup Story Theatre

## JULY

Wednesday, July 8 11am CALM: Wildlife Presentation  
Wednesday, July 15 3:30pm Omnipresent Puppet Theater  
Friday, July 24 10am Wild Child Adventures: Bubble Fun

# NORTHEAST

## JUNE

Thursday, June 4 12pm Show & Tell: Wind Wolves Preserve  
Thursday, June 11 12pm Steve Martin's Working Wildlife  
Thursday, June 18 12pm An Evening of Music: Summertime Jazz  
Saturday, June 20 2pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Thursday, June 25 12pm Bakersfield Mineral Mites: Rocking Out With Rocks

## JULY

Thursday, July 9 12pm Omnipresent Puppet Theater  
Thursday, July 16 12pm Wild Child Adventures: Bubble Fun  
Saturday, July 18 2pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Thursday, July 23 12pm Craft Time: DIY Guitar  
Thursday, July 30 12pm Stone Soup Story Theatre

# RATHBUN

## JUNE

Thursday, June 11 3:30pm Flights of Fantasy Story Theatre  
Tuesday, June 16 3pm Art & Craft Time: Craftosaurus  
Thursday, June 25 11am Stone Soup Story Theatre

## JULY

Tuesday, July 7 11:30am CALM: Wildlife Presentation  
Thursday, July 9 1pm Wild Child Adventures: Bubble Fun  
Tuesday, July 14 11am Omnipresent Puppet Theater  
Tuesday, July 21 11:30am The Buster Balloon Show  
Thursday, July 23 11:30am Steve Martin's Working Wildlife

## #StorytimeOnline

New English & bilingual stories added weekly!  
View archived storytimes online on our YouTube channel.

<http://goo.gl/7KPJRW>



Phone stories for 3-5 yrs. Listen, learn, & enjoy!

English: 661.868.0794  
Español: 661.868.0798

## Dial-A-Story



## JUNE

Tuesday, June 2 11am-2pm Summer Reading Kickoff Celebration  
Wednesday, June 3 11:30am Film Screening: *Honor Through Sacrifice*  
Friday, June 5 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *The Penguins of Madagascar* (PG)  
Wednesday, June 10 11:30am Bakersfield PD: Crime Free Kids  
Thursday, June 11 2pm Tween Calligraphy Workshop  
Thursday, June 11 5:30pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Friday, June 12 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *How to Train Your Dragon* (PG)  
Saturday, June 13 10:30am Musical Show & Tell: Bakersfield Symphony Orchestra  
Thursday, June 18 3pm Tween Craft Time: Origami  
Friday, June 19 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *Anastasia* (G)  
Saturday, June 20 1pm Musical Show & Tell: Bakersfield Jazz Singers  
Saturday, June 20 3pm Hip Hop Demo: Ephraim "E-Baby" Penn  
Wednesday, June 24 11am Musical Show & Tell: The Enchantment of Bagpipes  
Wednesday, June 24 1pm Musical Show & Tell: Orchestral Instruments  
Friday, June 26 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *The Sound of Music* (G)  
Saturday, June 27 3pm Omnipresent Puppet Theater

## JULY

Wednesday, July 1 11:30am Bakersfield Mineral Mites: Rocking Out With Rocks  
Wednesday, July 8 11:30am Show & Tell: Nature with Panorama Vista Preserve  
Thursday, July 9 5:30pm LEGO Club: Come Build With Us!  
Friday, July 10 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *Ice Age: Continental Drift* (PG)  
Saturday, July 11 2pm Roaming Reptiles Show  
Saturday, July 11 3:30pm Roaming Reptiles Show  
Wednesday, July 15 2pm Wild Child Adventures: Bubble Fun  
Thursday, July 16 2pm Tween Costuming: An Introduction to Cosplay  
Friday, July 17 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *Rio 2* (G)  
Wednesday, July 22 11:30am Show & Tell: Wind Wolves Preserve  
Friday, July 24 2pm Free Flix Before 6: *The Book of Life* (PG)  
Saturday, July 25 3pm Stone Soup Story Theatre  
Wednesday, July 29 11:30am Bored Games: Open Game Play

# WILSON

## JUNE

Wednesday, June 10 11am Omnipresent Puppet Theater  
Wednesday, June 17 4pm Show & Tell: Wind Wolves Preserve  
Wednesday, June 24 4pm Luce Puppet Company

## JULY

Wednesday, July 1 4pm Craft Time: Independence Day  
Wednesday, July 8 4pm Art & Craft Time: DIY Instrument  
Wednesday, July 15 4pm Stone Soup Story Theatre  
Wednesday, July 22 4pm E & M Reptile Family  
Wednesday, July 29 4pm Summer Reading Grand Finale