




THE SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

IT'S SHOWTIME AT YOUR LIBRARY

NEWS & FREE EVENTS FROM FRAZIER PARK BRANCH LIBRARY

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SHOWSTOPPING
EXPEDITION**

STARTS HERE.

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LIGHTS CAMERA ACTION



SET THE SCENE

- * Go backstage; take the Summer Reading Challenge!
- * It's rated G for everyone; ages 0-100 are invited!
- * Read books YOU choose & win awards when you reach reading goals.
- * Sign up at your local Kern County Library Branch or on Beanstack.

Use Beanstack to track reading online or with the mobile app. Earn digital badges, record reading sessions, and manage family accounts.



Beanstack



For more information, visit KCLsummerchallenge.org

* EARLY LEARNERS AGES 0-4

Read **10** books to your child & turn in the reading log.

* KIDS AGES 5-12

Read **10** books YOU choose & turn in your signed log.

* TWEENS AGES 11-12

Choose to follow the Kids' or Teens' challenge.

* TEENS AGES 13-18

Read for **10** hours & turn in your signed reading log.

* ADULTS AGES 18+

Challenge yourself to read over the Summer. We recommend reading **3** books. Turn in your reading log.

COMPLETE YOUR CHALLENGE BY JULY 31ST TO BECOME AN AWARD WINNER

World-class readers receive (while supplies last):

- * A FREE book from the Friends of the Kern County Library, Inc.
- * A FREE bookmark, and digital badges when you log online.
- * Other unique prizes for your epic performance.

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS:



* SPECIAL THANKS TO THE **FRIENDS** kern county LIBRARY

* FRIENDS SUPPORT:
Friends of the Frazier Park Branch Library

* ADDITIONAL SUPPORT:
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KICK OFF SUMMER READING

- * Its Showtime at your Library! Enjoy fun family activities.
- * Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge.

SAT | JUNE 1 | 11AM | FRAZIER PARK BRANCH LIBRARY



MAKE AN APPEARANCE PG. 5

- * Take a seat in the audience for storytimes and performances.
- * Be amazed by magic and melodrama!
- * Let your artistic abilities shine at daily crafts and activities.
- * No registration necessary.



IN THE LIMELIGHT, EAT, LAUGH, & LEARN

- * More than just a place for children and teens to eat this Summer!
- * Meals are FREE for ages 2-18; Parents and caregivers, \$3.
- * Enjoy the special feature: different shows or activities daily.

JUNE 18 - JULY 31 | 12-12:45PM | TUESDAY - FRIDAY

The Lunch at the Library program is a statewide collaboration between the California Library Association, the California Summer Meal Coalition, the Institute for Local Government, and the El Tejon Unified School District.



I CAN SEE CLEARLY NOW, THE FEES ARE GONE

- * Clear FEES with our wonderful Amnesty program.

AUGUST 2019 | ALL LIBRARY BRANCHES

All ages have the opportunity to clear fees on their Kern County Library card by reading, donating, or returning materials. This limited offer does not apply to accounts already in collections. **Other exceptions may apply.**

KIDS & TEENS: Pick up a "Read As Much As You Can" Reading Log or sign-up on Beanstack. Turn it in.

ADULTS: Donate one library item from the donation list.

LOST / NOT-RETURNED ITEMS: Return not-returned or lost books to your local Library branch.

ACCEPTED DONATIONS INCLUDE:

Baby Wipes	Crayons & Markers	Disposable Tablecloths	Paper Plates
Bubbles	Coloring Pencils	Duplo LEGO Pack	Play-Doh
Classic LEGO Pack	Coloring Books	Glue Sticks	Sidewalk Chalk
Clorox Wipes	Craft Kits	Napkins	Trash Bags

For branch-specific wishlists, visit kerncountylibrary.org/support-the-library ∞

THE LIBRARY IS YOUR RED CARPET.



WE ENCOURAGE ALL AGES TO CULTIVATE CURIOSITY, BY PARTICIPATING IN OUR ACTIVITIES, READING, BUILDING, CREATING, AND ALWAYS LEARNING. EXPERIENCES LIKE THESE ARE THE FOUNDATION TO BUILDING A STRONG COMMUNITY AND INVESTING IN OUR RESIDENTS.

ANDIE SULLIVAN
DIRECTOR OF LIBRARIES

NIX SUMMER LEARNING LOSS

School may be out, but don't let learning end! Summer breaks, although a lot of fun, have been known to contribute to a loss of learning and reading skills among students. This is called the phenomenon of summer learning loss, or the summer slide. Children and teens who do not read over the Summer are more likely to return to school in the Fall academically behind their literacy-loving peers. These inequalities are more glaring in lower-income communities, and it is our goal through the Summer Reading Challenge and our June & July programming to nix the effects of summer learning loss. Challenge your child to read whatever they want over the Summer months (because all reading is good reading!), and model the love of reading by challenging yourself to read over the Summer too.

A TRANSFORMATIVE SUMMER READING

Summer Reading is historically the oldest program that the Kern County Library offers, going back to at least the mid-century. Every year, the program has transformed to better serve our communities, and the Library evaluates how to make improvements and expand your Summer learning opportunities. Among this year's newest offerings are Beanstack, which brings Summer Reading directly to your mobile device. Sign-up for Summer Reading from home, track your family's readers, log your reading, earn digital badges, and much more. Starting in June 2019, the Beanstack Mobile Tracker will be available for the Kern County Library through the Apple App and Google Play stores.

MAGICAL SHOWS & IMAGINATIVE STORIES

Annually, the Friends of the Kern County Library, Inc. fund 2 of our largest events at every Kern County Library branch. This year, enjoy an exciting magic show with the beloved and family-friendly Christopher Lopez and a creative and enjoyable puppet show with the local Omnipresent Puppet Theater. It's showtime at the library! Join in on the fun!

DID YOU KNOW?

In 2018, over 53,000+ children, teens, and adults visited us for Summer Reading. Over 9,600+ people challenged themselves over the Summer, and 7% more of our customers were successful in completing their challenge than the year before. Over 40,000+ books were read countywide. Additionally, last year's first-ever opportunity for fine-forgiveness was so successful that this year's Summer sees it return in August. Customers can see clearly now with their fines gone through reading and donations (exceptions and parameters apply). Ask a library staff member for more details.



LUNCH IS EXPANDING

In 2018, the Kern County Library had 7 Lunch at the Library locations countywide and fed over 12,800+ children and teens. As of 2019, library partnerships have expanded and offerings have doubled. For Summer 2019, 14 lunch locations & 1 breakfast location are available countywide.



FRAZIER PARK BRANCH

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* = programs that require registration

■ = kids & families

■ = tweens & teens ■ = adults

RONI'S RIDDLES

June & July | All Month
Winners Announced Tuesdays @ 11am

ARE YOU AS TALL? CELEBRITIES

June | All Month

FAMILY STORYTIME & CRAFT

Tuesdays at 11:30am

LEGO CLUB MANIA!

Tuesdays at 5:30pm

CHESS CLUB

Wednesdays at 3:30pm

THURSDAY SHORTS | Lunch

Thursdays at 12:30pm | Except 6/6 & 6/13

BARKS AND BOOKS

Thursdays at 3:30pm

GAME ON! FAMILY FUN

Fridays at 12pm | June

SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Saturdays at 11am

SCIENCE SATURDAY

Sat | Jun 8 & 22 | 10am

STORY PUPPET THEATER

Tue | Jun 18 & 25 | 12:30pm | Lunch

Tue | Jul 2, 9, 16, 23 | 12:30pm | Lunch

SPECIAL GUEST STAR READER

Wed | Jun 19 & 26 | 12:30pm | Lunch

Wed | Jul 3, 10, 17, 24 | 12:30pm | Lunch

NINA & JAN'S SING-ALONG

Wed | Jun 19 | 1pm

ROPE BRAIDING & KNOTTING

Thu | Jun 20 | 1pm

WIND WOLVES PRESERVE

Wed | Jul 10 | 1pm

BLACKOUT POETRY

July | All Month

TALENT SHOW

Fri | Jul 26 | 1pm

JR. RANGER'S CLUB *

Fridays at 10am

UKULELE CLUB

Wed | Jun 5 & Jul 10 | 5pm

THE MOUNTAIN MOTH

Tue | Jun 18 & Jul 16 | 5:30pm

MOVIE MONSTER MAKEUP

Tue | Jun 25 | 3pm

TEEN TABLE READING

Thu | Jun 27 | 4:30pm

EIGHT TREASURES QIGONG

Thursdays 12pm

COLOR ME HAPPY

Fridays at 9am

MOUNTAIN LOTUS YOGA

Saturdays at 9am

QUILTING & OTHER CRAFTS

Wed | Jun 5 | 11am

Wed | Jun 12 | 11am

THE WRITERS FESTIVAL

Fri | Jun 7 | 5pm

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETUPS

Sat | Jun 8 | 2pm

Sat | Jul 13 | 2pm

BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB

Wed | Jun 12 & Jul 10 | 6pm

FOCUS ARTS GROUP PRESENTS!

Fri | Jun 21 & 28 | 1:30pm

Fri | Jul 12 & 19 | 1:30pm

AMATEUR RADIO TESTING

Sat | Jun 15 | 12pm

LOCAL WATER BOARD DISCUSSION

Wed | Jun 19 & Jul 17 | 5pm

WRITERS ON THE HILL

Sat | Jun 8 & 22 | 1pm

Sat | Jul 6 & 20 | 1pm

FRIENDS' USED BOOK SALE

Wed | Jul 31 | 11am

ALL SUMMER LONG

BOOK TO SCREEN & COLORING

JUNE & JULY | ALL MONTH

#KCLSELFIE @ SELFIE STATIONS

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EAT, LAUGH, & LEARN

@ LUNCH AT THE LIBRARY

TUESDAYS - FRIDAYS AT 12-12:45PM | JUNE 18 - JULY 31

Children, ages 2-18 - FREE
Parents & Caregivers - \$3

SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS

KICK OFF SUMMER READING

SAT | JUNE 1 | 11AM

THE MAGIC OF CHRISTOPHER LOPEZ

SAT | JUNE 1 | 3PM

ROAMING REPTILES

TUE | JULY 9 | 1PM

OMNIPRESENT PUPPET THEATER

SAT | JUNE 15 | 2PM

CELEBRATE @ SUMMER FINALE

SAT | JULY 27 | 11AM

EXPRESS YOURSELF.
BE A READER.





ARE YOU AS TALL? CELEBRITIES

Come to the library to see which celebrity is the same height as you.

BARKS AND BOOKS

Build your reading skills and enhance self-esteem, by reading aloud to an affectionate furry friend. Ages K-8. Registration Required.

CHESS CLUB

Come play a game of chess at the library against your fellow neighbors and friends.

COLOR ME HAPPY

Stressed out? Join us for relaxing conversation and coloring. A variety of stress-relieving coloring pages will be provided.

FAMILY STORYTIME & CRAFT

Celebrate reading by enjoying stories, songs, rhymes, and a unique craft.

GAME ON! FAMILY FUN

Are you ready to game? Enjoy family fun board games at the library for all ages.

WIND WOLVES PRESERVE

Learn about the animals who live in your backyard and get your face painted by Wind Wolves!

LEGO CLUB MANIA!

It is a LEGO free-for-all! Join us in building LEGO creations. We will have LEGO ideas to help spark your creativity, or go wild. Build anything you can imagine!

NINA & JAN'S SING-ALONG

Join in and sing with Nina Ryne and Jan Grigsby (our own Mr. G!) as they play various musical instruments and share fun songs!

OMNIPRESENT PUPPET THEATER

Experience the art of puppetry with an unforgettable show.

ROAMING REPTILES

Discover snakes, lizards, & other reptiles through an engaging interactive reptile show.

RONI'S RIDDLES

Test your mind skills each week with Roni's Riddles!

ROPE BRAIDING & KNOTTING

Learn how the cowboys on TV can rope a steer with James Zoppe!

SCIENCE SATURDAY

Explore the world of science with fun hands-on experiments! Topics vary every week.

SPECIAL GUEST STAR READER

Come for the lunch stay for the story! Each Wednesday during the Summer Reading Program enjoy stories read by a special Guest Star Reader!

STORY PUPPET THEATER

Listen to a story and make puppets of the characters in the book. so you can re-enact the story with friends!

SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Families are invited to enjoy local musicians and more during our Summer Music Festival.

SUMMER READING FINALE

Summer Reading has come to an end, but the fun doesn't stop there! Join us for our finale event and don't forget to pick up your goodies (while supplies last).

SUMMER READING KICK OFF

It's the start of Summer Reading and it's Showtime at the Library! Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge, get crafty and have loads of family fun!

TALENT SHOW

Community members of all ages are invited to star in our very own talent show!

THE MAGIC OF CHRISTOPHER LOPEZ

Prepare to be amazed! Enjoy a phenomenal & interactive magic show.

THURSDAY SHORTS

Watch a short childrens film based on a picture book and ask the filmmaker (Branch Supervisor, Sue Templeton) questions afterward!

JR. RANGER'S CLUB

Become a Junior Ranger! Learn about plants and animals in our local park.

MOVIE MONSTER MAKEUP

Learn how monster movie makeup is made by Austin O'Neil who is the master monster behind the library's haunted house.

TEEN TABLE READING

We invite teens to come to the Library and do some reader's theater.

THE MOUNTAIN MOTH

Please join host, Joe Ladin, to tell and hear true stories Moth Radio style with neighbors and friends!

UKULELE CLUB

Have a rousing good time at this Uk-Nanny! Bring your ukulele, and any songs you'd like to share. Printouts provided.

AMATEUR RADIO TESTING

Take a test to get your HAM Radio license!

EIGHT TREASURES QIGONG

Reduce stress, improve muscle strength, and increase flexibility and energy while learning the art of Qigong with Mary Miller.

COLOR ME HAPPY

Stressed out? Join us for relaxing conversation and coloring. A variety of stress-relieving coloring pages will be provided.

FRAZIER PARK BOOKWORMS

Join us as we read and discuss books with our neighbors!

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

Come find out how you can become a Friend of the Library!

LOCAL WATER BOARD MEETING DISCUSSION

Find out what is happening with your water.

MOUNTAIN LOTUS YOGA

Stretch away your weekly stress with our Mountain Lotus Yoga classes.

OPEN STUDY GROUP: THE BIBLE

Join us as we study pre-selected texts.

QUILTING AND OTHER CRAFTS AT THE LIBRARY

Great creative with crafts and quilting! Share ideas, give and receive help from friends and neighbors.

THE WRITERS FESTIVAL

Come meet published writers on the mountain!

WRITERS ON THE HILL

Get constructive criticism and inspiration on your screenplays and other writing.

FRIENDS' USED BOOK SALE

Give the gift of books & support the Friends of your Library branch group.

ABOUT THE LIBRARY

YOUR LOCAL KCL BRANCH

FRAZIER PARK - 3732 Park Drive

Tuesday - Thursday 11am-7pm
 Friday & Saturday 9am-5pm
 Phone 661.245.1267

For a full listing of Kern County Library locations countywide, visit kernlibrary.org



OUR MISSION NUESTRA MISIÓN

To build community and cultivate opportunities for Kern County residents, by connecting people, ideas, information, and technology.



FIND LIBRARY MATERIALS ENCONTRAR MATERIALES DE LA BIBLIOTECA

Utilize the library's online catalog to search for both print and digital materials in the San Joaquin Valley Library System and request items.



ACCESS YOUR ACCOUNT ACCEDER A TU CUENTA

Please stay on top of your checkout dates by renewing in person, online, or by phone. To access your account online, you will need your PIN#.



GET A LIBRARY CARD OBTENER UNA TARJETA DE LA BIBLIOTECA

All California residents are eligible for a free Kern County Library card with proof of residency and photo ID. Visit any Kern County Library branch to get a card.



BORROWING PRIVILEGES PRIVILEGIOS DE PRÉSTAMO

You can have up to 30 physical items checked out on your Kern County Library card. Your library card must be present to check out materials.



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PROGRAM INFORMATION

Library workshops, performances, and events are **FREE** and open to the public. We're adding more programs all the time! At times, programs may be re-scheduled or cancelled without advance notice.

Visit KCLEvents.org to find out what's new and to confirm the most up-to-date program information. *Visite KCLEvents.org para averiguar qué hay de nuevo y para confirmar la información mas actualizada del programa.*



GET YOUR FREE KERN COUNTY LIBRARY CARD TODAY



With this card you unlock a **WORLD** of possibilities.

UPCOMING LIBRARY CLOSURES

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All locations will be closed, unless noted otherwise.

July 4 • Independence Day

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FINES & FEES MULTAS Y TASAS

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Most materials*	21 days	50 cents / day

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