



2024 Summer Reading Challenge



Baker Branch Library Events

JUNE 2024

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

1400 Baker St, Bakersfield CA 93305 • 661.861.2390

Hours Open:

Tuesday: 10am-7pm
 Wednesday: 10am-7pm
 Thursday: 10am-7pm
 Friday: 10am-6pm
 Saturday: 10am-4pm



Early Learners 0-5
 Children 6-11
 Teen 12-18
 Adults 19+
 Youth 2-18
 All Ages



4
 Summer Reading Kickoff with Cookies! - All Day
 Philosophy with Kids - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Chess Club - 1pm
 Tatting with Theresa - 1pm
 Kiddie Karoo Puppet Show - 2pm

5
 Paper Puzzles - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Trivia Time - 1pm
 Pressed Flower Bookmarks - 2pm

6
 Surprise Storytime! Recycle - 10:30am
 AI Explorers - 11am
 Quantum Kids Lab - 12pm
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 STEAM! Jellyfish in a Bottle - 1pm

7
 Toddler Time, Music Time - Tambourine
 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 DND Club - 1pm

8
 Chapter a Week - 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Egg Carton Flowers - 12pm
 Paranormal Investigation with the
 Ghostly Librarian - 1pm

11
 Morning Yoga - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Chess Club - 1pm

12
 Paper Puzzles - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Board Game Challengers - 1pm

13
 Surprise Storytime! Animals - 10:30am
 AI Explorers - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Animal Track Scavengers - 1pm

14 Baby Bounce - Colors: 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Super Smash Bros Tourney - 1pm
 Ancient Homelands Music with
 Martin Espino - 2:30pm

15
 Chapter a Week - 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Wild Animal Masks - 12pm

18
 Just Dance NOW! - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Butterfly Effect with Christopher Yates -
 12pm
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Chess Club - 1pm
 Tatting with Theresa - 1pm

19
 Paper Puzzles - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Wind Wolves Nature Preserve - 12pm
 Pictionary - 1pm

20
 Surprise Storytime! Bees - 10:30am
 AI Explorers - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 STEAM! Hydroponic Gardens 101 - 1pm

21 Toddler Time, Music Time:
 Rainmaker - 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Life Succs Without Plants - 12pm
 DND Club - 1pm

22
 Chapter a Week - 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Bee Rocks - 12pm

25
 Art Therapy! - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Chess Club - 1pm
 Magic of Josiah - 2:30pm

26
 Paper Puzzles - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Library VS Kraken - 1pm

27
 Bilingual Family Storytime: Oceans -
 10:30am
 AI Explorers - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 STEAM! How Do Fish Breathe - 1pm

28 Baby Bounce - Animals: 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Crazy Crafting - 11am
 Lunch @ the Library - 11:30am-12:30pm
 Mario Kart Tourney - 1pm

29
 Chapter a Week - 10:30am
 Talks and Tea - 10:30am
 Anime + Art - 11am
 Golden Valley Goats - 12pm
 Beach Shell Crabs - 1pm
 Talent Show - 2pm



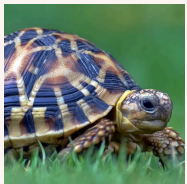
► Special Guests



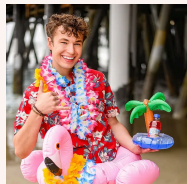
**Kiddie Karo
Puppet Show**
June 4th 2pm-3pm
A musical show with a unique blend of puppets and live characters.



**Ancient Homelands
with Martin Espino**
June 14th 2:30pm
Come interact musically in the ancient languages and instruments of the Americas.



Wind Wolves Preserve
June 19th 12pm
Special guests from the preserve come down and talk to us about the animals and the history of Wind Wolves. You may even see an animal or two!



Magic of Josiah
June 25th 2:30pm
Straight from the island of Hawaii, come on down and witness a spectacular magic show!



Golden Meadow Goats
June 29th 12pm
Want to hangout with goats? Come down and chill with our little friends.

► Crafts



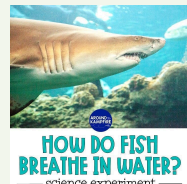
**Pressed Flower
Bookmarks**
June 5th 2pm
Come on down and make your own flower bookmarks!



Jellyfish in a Bottle
June 6th 1pm
Make a jellyfish from a plastic bag and place it in a bottle of water to watch it swirl and "swim" around!



Egg Carton Flowers
June 8th 12pm
This recycled canvas art is sure to a bouquet full of fun!

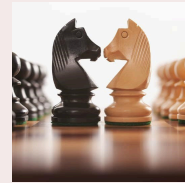


How Do Fish Breathe?
June 27th 1pm
How do fish breathe underwater anyway? I'll show you with a science experiment!



Beach Shell Crabs
June 29th 1pm
Go get your seashells out of the box or vase you stuck them in and let's have some fun!

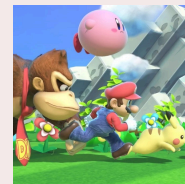
► Fun



Chess Club
Every Tuesday 1pm
You got what it takes to win a chess match? Want to learn how to play? Stop on by and check out our chess club!



Animal Track Scavengers
June 13th 1pm
Put on your detective cap and come on down to our scavenger hunt! Find them all, win a prize.



Super Smash Bros Tourney
June 14th 1pm
Think you have what it takes to compete in our tourney? Try your luck against the best!

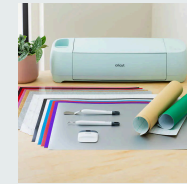


Library VS Kraken
June 26th 1pm
Can you survive an attack from a kraken? Stop by and join the adventure!



Mario Kart Tourney
June 28th 1pm
Race to the finish! Every 10 points earns you a piece of candy!

► Every Day



Cricut Crafting
Ask Library Staff
Explore the Cricut and create the crafts of your dreams!



Hydroponic Garden
All Day
Garden at the library with science! See what's growing now, help water the plants, and see when we'll be ready to harvest!



Lunch at the Library
Tuesday-Friday 11:30am-12:30pm

This institution is an equal opportunity provider. The Summer Food Service Program is a program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, administered in California by the California Department of Education. Lunch at the Library is a project of the California State Library, supported with funds from the State of California. Special thanks to Kern County Superintendent of Schools for their partnership.

Can you read 10 books this summer?



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