



2024 Summer Reading Challenge



Wilson Branch Library Events

JULY 2024

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

2 10:30am - Toddler Sensory Play: Clay
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Craft Corner
2:30pm - Anime + Art

3 10:30am - Kids Karaoke
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Chalk Art Challenge: Farm Animals
2:30pm - Kids Craft Re-do

4 *Independence Day*
4th of July
LIBRARY CLOSED

5 10:30am - Lego Challenge: Farm Animals
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12pm - Special Guest: CARA-C Electric Violinist
2pm - Chess Club

6 12pm - Family Storytime: Farm Animals
2pm - Puzzle Palooza Club

9 10:30am - Kids Craft Corner
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Special Guest: Rhythm and Roots with Louie Cruz Beltran
1pm - Paper Crafts for Adults
3pm - Ukulele Jam Session

10 10:30am - Poetry Pals: Mad Lib Poems
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Karaoke
2:30pm - Teen Collage Club
4pm - Crafting with Theresa

11 10:30am - Wii Gaming: Wii Sports
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Audiobooks + Art: Diary of a Wimpy Kid The Last Straw
2pm - Special Guest: The Wild Man Dan Show
3:30pm - Kids Craft Re-do

12 10:30am - Anime + Art
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Gamer Zone
3pm - Special Guest: Magic Napoleon
4:30pm - Chess Club

13 12pm - Family Storytime: Emotions
2pm - Scavenger Hunt: Pokemon

16 10:30am - Toddler Sensory Play: Music
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Craft Corner
3pm - Coffee + Coloring

17 10:30am - Audiobooks + Art: Diary of a Wimpy Kid The Last Straw
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Karaoke
2:30pm - Chalk Art Challenge: Nature

18 10:15am - Paper Puzzles
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12pm - Special Guest: Idea Lab Kids - Volcanoes
2pm - Kids Craft Re-do

19 10:30am - Lego Challenge: Nature
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Anime + Art
2:30pm - Chess Club

20 12pm - Family Storytime: Nature
2pm - Musical Theatre Karaoke

23 10:30am - Toddler Sensory Play: Paint
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Craft Corner
2:30pm - Special Guest: The Butterfly Effect with Christopher Yates
4pm - Audiobook Club: Remarkably Bright Creatures

24 10:30am - Poetry Pals: Black Out Poems
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Kids Karaoke
2:30pm - Teen Journal Decorating
4pm - Crafting with Theresa

25 10:30am - Trivia: Disney Movies
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
12:30pm - Audiobooks + Art: Diary of a Wimpy Kid Dog Days
2:30pm - Kids Craft Re-do

26 10:30am - Anime + Art
11:30am-12:30pm - Lunch @ The Library
1pm - Gamer Zone
3pm - Special Guest: Star Wars Origami
4:30pm - Chess Club

27 12pm - Family Storytime: Weather
2pm - Family Bingo

30 10:30am - Paper Puzzles
12:30pm - Kids Karaoke
2:30pm - Audiobooks + Art: Diary of a Wimpy Kid Dog Days

31 11am - Anime + Art
1pm - Kids Craft Re-do
3:30pm - SRC FINALE
Special Guest: Marc Griffiths Ventriloquist



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

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HOURS OPEN:

Tuesday 10am-7pm
Wednesday 10am-7pm
Thursday: 10am-7pm

Friday: 10am-6pm
Saturday: 10am-4pm



► Kids



Kids Craft Corner
Tues. July 2, 16, 23, 31
@ 12:30pm

Tues. July 9 @ 10:30am
Join us at the library for a fun craft for kids!



Kids Karaoke
Weds. July 3 @ 10:30am
Weds. July 10, 17, 24
@ 12:30pm
Tues. July 30 @ 12:30pm

Sing your favorite family friendly songs at the library and show off your vocal talent



Audiobook + Art
Thurs. July 11, 25 @ 12:30pm
Weds. July 17 @ 12:30pm
Tues. July 30 @ 2:30pm
Lets listen to an audiobook and make art inspired by the story together



Puzzle Palooza Club
Sat. July 6 @ 2pm
Lets work on a fun and mentally stimulating collaborative puzzle together



LUNCH
at the
LIBRARY

Lunch @ The Library
Tues-Fri
@ 11:30am-12:30pm

Free food for kids 2-18 at the library!

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 Southern Kern Unified School District for their partnership.

► Teens



Teen Collage Club
Weds. July 10 @ 2:30pm

Teens of the library join us in the community room to express your creativity through collage making!



Anime + Art
Tues. July 2 @ 2:30pm
Weds. July 31 @ 11am
Fri. July 12, 26 @ 10:30am
Fri. July 19 @ 12:30pm

Practice different anime art styles and enjoy a show!



Gamer Zone
Fri. July 12 @ 12:30pm
Fri. July 26 @ 1pm

Lets play some totally radical video games together in the library!



Chess Club
Fri. July 5 @ 2pm
Fri. July 12 @ 4:30pm
Fri. July 19 @ 2:30pm
Fri. July 26 @ 4:30pm

Learn the basics of chess and play together!
Best suited for ages 10+



Musical Theatre Karaoke
Sat. July 20 @ 2pm

Theatre kids unite! It's time to jam out to all your favorite musical theatre songs at the library!

► Special Guests!



CARA-C Electric Violinist
Fri. July 5 @ 12pm-1pm

Join us at the library for an enchanting musical performance by the grammy nominated pop violinist CARA-C!



Rhythm and Roots
Tues. July 9 @ 12:30pm-1:30pm

Entertaining and educational interactive percussive presentation with Louie Cruz Beltran



Magic Napoleon
Fri. July 12 @ 3pm-4pm

Join us for a funny family friendly interactive magic show with the one and only Magic Napoleon!



Idea Lab Kids: Volcanoes
Thurs. July 18 @ 12pm-1pm

A S.T.E.A.M. volcano making workshop for kids!



Star Wars Origami
Fri. July 26 @ 3pm-4pm

Star wars themed guided origami/ paper folding session.



Marc Griffiths Ventriloquism
Weds. July 31
@ 3:30pm-4:30pm

An entertaining and inspiring performance by world class motivational speaker and ventriloquist Marc Griffiths!

► Adults



Ukulele Jam Session
Tues. July 9 @ 3pm-4pm

Adults of the library join us in the community room for a fun ukulele musical jam session! Please bring along your own ukulele in order to participate!



Coffee + Coloring
Tues. July 16 @ 3pm-4pm

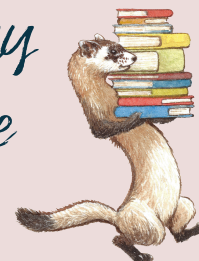
Unwind after a long day in the community room with some relaxing music, a coloring page, and a nice hot cup of joe. Enjoy some alone time or make new friends at the library!



Audiobook Club:
Remarkably Bright Creatures
Tues. July 23 @ 4pm-5pm

Adults of the library join us for this audiobook club where we'll discuss the new york times best selling title Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt together in the community room!

How many books have you read?



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