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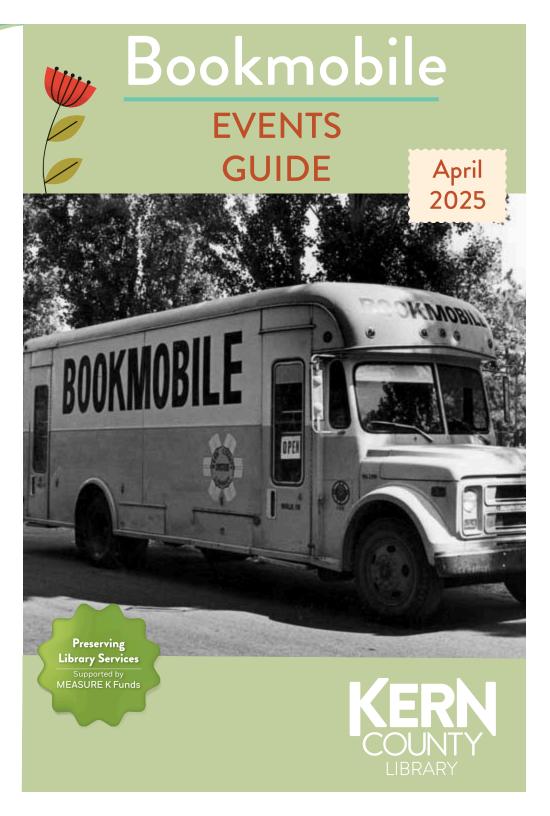














# **Bookmobile Stops**

# Fresh Picks for Kids

#### **TUESDAY - LOST HILLS**



#### Wonderful Prep. Academy

9:30-11:30 A.M.

14848 Lamberson Ave. Lost Hills, CA 93249



#### Lost Hills Elementary

12:30-2:30 P.M.

20979 Lobos Ct. Lost Hills, CA 93249



#### WEDNESDAY - EDISON/ROSEDALE



#### Greenacres Park

9:00-10:30 A.M.

2014 Calloway Dr. Bakersfield, CA 93312



#### Edison Middle School

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

721 Edison Rd. Bakersfield, CA 93307



#### Orangewood Elementary

2:00 P.M.-3:30 P.M.

9600 Eucalyptus Dr. Bakersfield, CA 93306

#### THURSDAY - TWIN OAKS/GREENFIELD



#### Piute Mountain School

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.

12400 Caliente Creek Rd Caliente, CA 93518



#### Schoolhouse Grill

10:30-11:30 A.M.

15782 Caliente Creek Rd Caliente, CA 93518





# Pete the Cat and the Cool Cat Boogie by James & Kim Dean

Practicing a groovy new dance, Pete the Cat is told his moves are all wrong. With advice from Wise Owl, he learns he's coolest when he's just himself!



## Bhangra Baby by Kabir Sehgal

Bhangra Baby steps, hops, twists, and jumps to the lively beat of the dhol, a double-sided drum that brings energy and fun to Punjabi folk music.



# Dot the Ladybug: The Perfect Spot by K. George

When Jot needs help finding a spot, Dot is on the case! But what if Jot's spot isn't the kind of spot Dot had in mind?



### Many Things at Once by Veera Hiranandani

A young girl with a Jewish mother and a South Asian father learns more about her family's history. Along the way, she celebrates the many pieces that make her who she is!

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programs all the time! At times, programs may be rescheduled or canceled without advance notice.

# Take-Home Crafts

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### Tissue Paper Kites

#### Saturday, April 5th

Spring is in the air, and so is the perfect kite-flying weather! While real kites don't always take flight, making our own colorful ones is just as fun! Pick up a take-home kit to create a vibrant tissue paper kite using magical tissue paper, cardstock, straws, and more. Watch the colors blend and enjoy a craft as breezy and bright as a spring day!



### Q-Tip Rain

#### Saturday, April 12th

Rainy days are perfect for cozy crafts! Pick up a take-home kit from the bookmobile and create a fluffy, drizzly masterpiece using Q-tips, cotton balls, and a little imagination. Whether it's sunny or stormy outside, this fun craft will bring the magic of rain to your day - no umbrella needed!



## **Cupcake Earth-Day Flowers**

#### Saturday, April 19th

Celebrate Earth Day with a fun and eco-friendly craft! Pick up a takehome kit to create bright and cheerful flowers using cupcake liners and simple supplies. It's a great way for kids to get creative while learning about taking care of our planet - one colorful petal at a time!



#### Minion Bookmark

#### Saturday, April 26th

BEE-DO! BEE-DO! A fun Minion craft is here! Pick up a take-home kit to make your own adorable Minion bookmark that hugs your page to keep your spot. It's easy to make, fun to use, and perfect for every little reader!

#### THURSDAY - TWIN OAKS/GREENFIELD CONT.



#### Greenfield Park

2:30-4:00 P.M.

325 Audrey Ave Bakersfield, CA 93307

#### FRIDAY - GLENNVILLE/WOODY



#### Linns Valley Elementary

9:30-10:30 A.M.

158 White River Rd Glennville, CA 93226



#### Mt. Carmel Church

11:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.

10 Dunlap Rd Glennville, CA 93226



#### Blake Elementary

12:30-2:00 P.M.

19165 Main St Woody, CA 93287

#### **SATURDAY - BAKERSFIELD**



#### Panorama Park

9:00-10:30 A.M.

300 Panorama Dr Bakersfield, CA 93305



#### Hart Park

11:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

Alfred Harrell Highway At Canal Rd Bakersfield, CA 93308



#### Polo Park

2:00-3:30 P.M.

11801 Noriega Rd Bakersfield, CA 93312



# Your Library Toolkit

## Explore Online Resources - Anytime, Anywhere!

Can't make it to the library? No problem! Your library card gives you FREE access to a world of knowledge and entertainment from anywhere.



### Research & Learning

- <u>EBSCOhost & ProQuest</u> Find scholarly articles, journals, and research databases for any upcoming projects or essays.
- Gale Interactive Explore science and history with interactive tools.
- <u>Khan Academy & Quizlet</u> Sharpen your skills with free educational resources.
- <u>National Geographic Kids & Kids InfoBits</u> Explore fun, reliable facts about animals, history, science, and more!
- <u>TeachingBooks</u> Discover author interviews, book guides, and literacy resources.



### Language Learning

• Pronunciator - Learn over 160 languages with interactive lessons and practice.



#### eBooks & Audiobooks

- <u>Libby, Palace Project & cloudLibrary</u> Instantly borrow eBooks and eAudiobooks.
- Hoopla Access even more digital books with no waitlists.



#### Movies, TV, & More

- Hoopla Stream movies, TV shows, and music on-demand, no waitlists.
- Kanopy Watch indie films, documentaries, and educational content.



#### Music & Comics

• <u>Hoopla</u> - Listen to full albums from top artists and read graphic novels and comics.



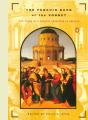
#### Puzzles & Fun

• <u>Puzzle Palace BingePass (via Hoopla)</u> - Unlimited access to crosswords, brain teasers, and more!

# **April is National Poetry Month**

Poetry comes in all shapes and styles, from structured sonnets to free-flowing verse. These books offer a little something for everyone, whether you're a longtime poetry lover or just curious to explore. If you don't see a title you're looking for on the bookmobile, we're happy to help you place a hold and bring it to you from another branch!

## Formal & Traditional Poetry



The Penguin Book of the Sonnet edited by Phillis Levin

A fantastic collection of sonnets from Shakespeare to contemporary poets, showcasing the evolution of the form.

### Modern & Free-Form Poetry



The Essential Rumi translated by Coleman Barks

A collection of mystical, free-flowing poetry from the 13th century Persian poet Rumi, beloved for its depth and beauty.

### **Experimental & Thematic Poetry**



Milk and Honey by Rupi Kaur

A modern collection of poetry that blends simple, emotional verse with illustrations. The themes include love, loss, and healing, all written in an accessible and raw style.

