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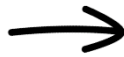
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May 2025

Buttonwillow Branch Library

Kids' EVENTS GUIDE



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Storytimes

Baby Bounce

THURSDAY, MAY 8TH | 11 AM | SOUNDS
TUESDAY, MAY 20TH | 11 AM | BILINGUAL

Baby bounce is the perfect way to have fun with your little one! Enjoy soothing rhymes, and share gentle stories.

Toddler Time

TUESDAY, MAY 6TH | 11 AM | BOATS
THURSDAY, MAY 22ND | 11 AM | LLAMAS

Toddler Time is a fun-filled session of stories and activities designed for little ones! Perfect for toddlers and their caregivers, this program helps build early literacy skills in a playful setting.

Preschool Storytime

MONDAY, MAY 5TH | 11 AM | WORMS
MONDAY, MAY 12TH | 11 AM | BUTTERFLIES
MONDAY, MAY 19TH | 3:30 PM | SUPERHEROES
MONDAY, MAY 29TH | 3:30 PM | ZOO

Join us for a fun and engaging Preschool Storytime! Enjoy stories, songs, and activities that foster early literacy skills. Perfect for children ages 3-5.

Family Storytime

FRIDAY, MAY 2ND | 3:30 PM | WEATHER
WEDNESDAY, MAY 7TH | 3 PM | ALLIGATORS
FRIDAY, MAY 9TH | 11 AM | MOTHER'S DAY

Join us for a fun and interactive Storytime session! Enjoy beloved stories, fairy tales, and adventures, all brought to life by our talented storytellers. Perfect for all ages!

Special Events



Mariachi Aguilas de Bakersfield

FRIDAY, MAY 9TH | 4 PM

Experience the vibrant sounds of Mariachi Águilas de Bakersfield! This talented group brings the heart and soul of traditional mariachi music to life, performing classic favorites and lively tunes that celebrate Mexican culture.



Reptile Ron

SATURDAY, MAY 24TH | 11 AM

Get up close and personal with amazing reptiles and other fascinating creatures with Reptile Ron! This exciting, hands-on experience introduces you to snakes, lizards, tortoises, and more while learning fun facts about these incredible animals.

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PEONIES

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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 rescheduled or canceled without advance notice.

Programs for Kids

Avocado Friends

TUESDAY, MAY 27TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create your own adorable avocado pals!

Paper Plate Parrots

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Turn a simple paper plate into a colorful parrot!

Handprint Cactus

THURSDAY, MAY 29TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

No water needed for this cactus!

Andy Warhol Art Time

FRIDAY, MAY 30TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Get inspired by the bold and colorful world of pop art!

Crayon Craft

SATURDAY, MAY 31ST | 12 PM | AGES 6-11

Let your creativity shine with crayon art!

Homework Help

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY | 4-7 PM | AGES 6-18

Need a quiet place to focus? The library provides study space, resources, and a supportive environment to help with homework, projects, and test prep. Stay on track and get things done!



SLIME TIME

TUESDAY, MAY 13TH | FLOWER POWER | 5 PM | AGES 2-18

Get groovy with a floral twist on slime! Mix, stretch, and squish colorful, flower-inspired slime creations.

TUESDAY, MAY 27TH | SWEETS | 5 PM | AGES 2-18

Get ready for a sugar rush—minus the cavities! Create ooey-gooney slime inspired by your favorite treats, from candy swirls to chocolate drizzles.

Library Closures



Honoring Memorial Day

This Memorial Day, we honor and remember those who have served. All Kern County Library branches will be closed Monday, May 26, 2025, in observance. While we're closed, explore our eLibrary - available 24/7 and FREE with your Kern County Library card.

COLORING CLUB

EVERY SATURDAY | ALL DAY | AGES 2-18

Unleash your creativity at our Coloring Club! Enjoy a relaxing time with coloring sheets, fun designs, and vibrant colors. All ages welcome to join the colorful fun!

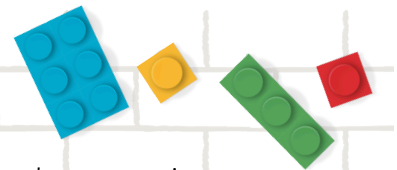


LEGO CLUB

MONDAY, MAY 12TH | 12 PM | AGES 6-11

FRIDAY, MAY 23RD | 2PM | AGES 6-11

Build, create, and explore at LEGO Club! Whether you're constructing structures, vehicles, or imaginative designs, there's fun for everyone! Let your creativity flow with endless possibilities.



Programs for Kids

Hedwig Owl Craft

FRIDAY, APRIL 2ND | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create your very own snowy owl inspired by Harry Potter's loyal companion, Hedwig!

Master Jedi Craft

SATURDAY, MAY 3RD | 12 PM | AGES 6-11

Use the Force (and some craft supplies) to create your very own Jedi masterpiece!

Sensory Time

SATURDAY, MAY 3RD | 2 PM | AGES 1.5-5

Explore textures, colors, and sounds with hands-on activities designed to engage the senses!

Sombrero Craft

MONDAY, MAY 5TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create your own festive mini sombrero using simple craft supplies!

Popsicle Stick Alligator

TUESDAY, MAY 6TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Snap into crafting fun by making your own alligator using popsicle sticks!

Pom Pom Pens

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7TH | 3:30 PM | AGES 6-11

Make your writing more fun with fluffy, colorful pom pom pens!

Paper Plate Tacos

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create a delicious-looking craft with paper plate tacos!

Muñeca Maria

THURSDAY, MAY 8TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Celebrate Mexican culture by creating your own Muñeca María, the iconic handmade doll!

Textured Art Time

THURSDAY, MAY 8TH | 5 PM | AGES 6-11

Get ready to explore the world of textures!

Mother's Day Cards

FRIDAY, MAY 9TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Join us for a fun, creative session where you can make beautiful, personalized Mother's Day cards!

Paper Bag Kite

MONDAY, MAY 12TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Let your creativity soar with this fun and easy craft!

Rainbow Craft

TUESDAY, MAY 13TH | 4 PM | AGES 1.5-5

Get ready to add some color to your day!

One Fish, Two Fish Craft

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Dive into a colorful crafting adventure with our One Fish, Two Fish craft!

Bookworm Craft

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14TH | 6 PM | AGES 6-11

Get ready to wiggle and squiggle with this fun Bookworm Craft!

Sensory Time

THURSDAY, MAY 15TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Come explore, touch, and discover with Sensory Time!

Amate Art

THURSDAY, MAY 15TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Discover the beauty of Amate Art, a traditional Mexican folk art style using handmade bark paper!

Van Gogh Art Time

FRIDAY, MAY 16TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Get inspired by the swirling skies and bold colors of Vincent van Gogh!

Slinky Snake

SATURDAY, MAY 17TH | 1:30 PM | AGES 6-11

Get ready to coil, wiggle, and stretch with this fun Slinky Snake craft!

Tractor Craft

MONDAY, MAY 19TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Rev up your creativity with this fun tractor craft!

Toothfairy Craft

TUESDAY, MAY 20TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create a magical Tooth Fairy craft to celebrate lost teeth!

Painted Snail Craft

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21ST | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Get creative with this colorful snail craft!

Pointillism Art

THURSDAY, MAY 22ND | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create a masterpiece one dot at a time!

Rainbow Sun Craft

FRIDAY, MAY 23RD | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Bring some sunshine and color into your day!

Watermelon Seed Sensory Bag

SATURDAY, MAY 24TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Squish, squeeze, and explore!