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June 2025

Buttonwillow Branch Library

Kids' EVENTS GUIDE



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Special Events



Summer Reading Kick-Off

MONDAY, JUNE 2ND | 2 PM | ALL AGES

Kick off a summer of adventure with fun, games, and books at the library! Sign up for our Summer Reading Challenge and start your journey toward exciting prizes and great stories.



Life Succs Without Plants

MONDAY, JUNE 2ND | 2 PM | ALL AGES

Bring some greenery into your life at our succulent workshop! Learn about these hardy little plants and create your own to take home.



Tule Elk Talk

TUESDAY, JUNE 10TH | 1 PM | ALL AGES

Join us for a fascinating talk about Tule Elk, their history, habitat, and conservation! Learn all about these incredible creatures and their role in the ecosystem.



Golden Meadow Goats

SATURDAY, JUNE 21ST | 11 AM | ALL AGES

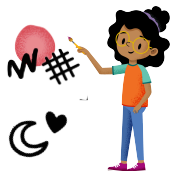
The Golden Meadow Goats are coming to the library! Stop by for a chance to meet and pet adorable baby goats while learning all about them.



Magic Of Josiah

TUESDAY, JUNE 24TH | 2 PM | ALL AGES

Prepare to be amazed! Join us at the library for a magical performance by Josiah, filled with jaw-dropping tricks and fun for the whole family.



Paint the Town

SATURDAY | JUNE 28TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-18

Join us for a relaxing and creative Paint Night with Megan! Follow along, express yourself, and take home your own masterpiece.

For more event information, visit our website - kclevents.org

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.

Free Lunches!



LUNCH
— at the —
LIBRARY

Tuesday-Saturday
12:30 - 1:30 PM

In partnership with the Kern County Superintendent of Schools, the Buttonwillow Branch Library is offering FREE lunches for kids ages 2-18 starting June 2nd going through July. Join us for a free meal + fun activities!

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.

Summer Reading Challenge

Read 10 books or for 10 hours and get a free book, plus tons of other great incentives. For ages 0-100. Sign up today at kernlibrary.beanstack.org.



Programs For Kids

Storytimes



Slime Time

THURSDAY, JUNE 12TH | 5 PM | DITTO SLIME | AGES 6-18
MONDAY, JUNE 30TH | 5 PM | GAMER SLIME | AGES 6-18

Get ready for a gooey, squishy, and fun slime-making session!



Baby Bounce

JUNE 5TH | 10:30 AM | COLORS
JUNE 19TH | 10:30 AM | SHARING

Baby bounce is the perfect way to wind down with your little one! Enjoy soothing rhymes, and share gentle stories—all designed to help your baby relax and prepare for bedtime.

Toddler Time

JUNE 12TH | 10:30 AM | GARDENS
JUNE 26TH | 10:30 AM | ART

Join us for Toddler Time, 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

JUNE 2ND | 10:30 AM | GIRLHOOD
JUNE 9TH | 10:30 AM | FRIENDSHIP
JUNE 16TH | 10:30 AM | BILINGUAL
JUNE 23RD | 10:30 AM | FEELINGS
JUNE 30TH | 10:30 AM | COUNTING

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

JUNE 6TH | 10:30 AM | BIOGRAPHIES
JUNE 13TH | 10:30 AM | SPACE
JUNE 20TH | 10:30 AM | JUNETEENTH
JUNE 27TH | 10:30 AM | SUMMER

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!

All Day Programs

MONDAYS - Mad Libs | TUESDAYS - This or That | WEDNESDAYS - Wordsearch

THURSDAYS

JUNE 5TH | Pokedex Scavenger Hunt
JUNE 12TH | Tetris Magnets
JUNE 19TH | Blockbuster Bowling
JUNE 26TH | Guess The Caterpie

FRIDAYS

JUNE 6TH | Triceratops
JUNE 13TH | Tetris Magnets
JUNE 20TH | Seed Swap
JUNE 27TH | Photo Booth



SATURDAYS - I Spy

JUNE 7TH | TRICERATOSS

Lunch Programs

11:30 AM - 1 PM

JUNE 2 - 6
LUNCH + LEGOS

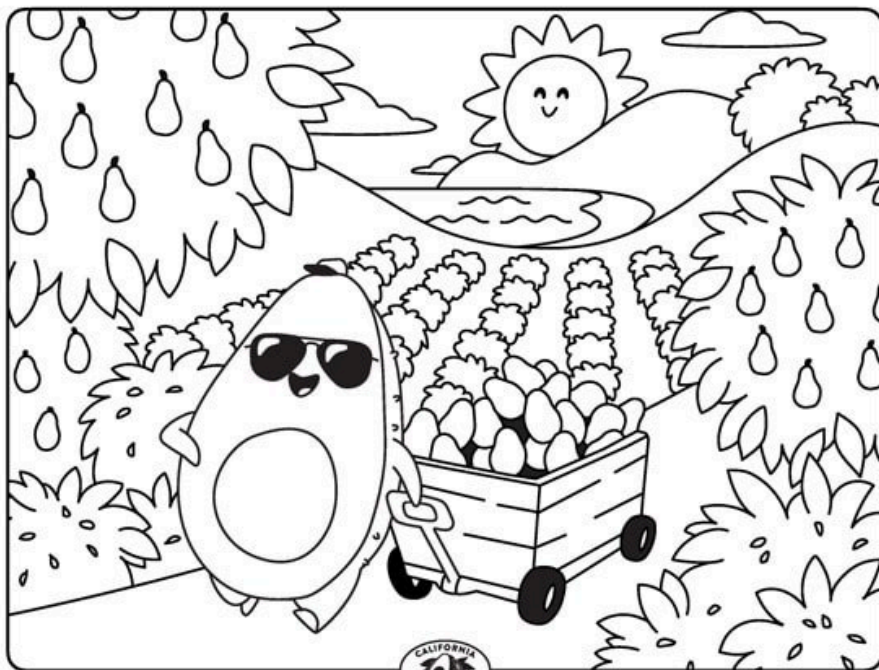
JUNE 9 - 13
LUNCH + TRIVIA

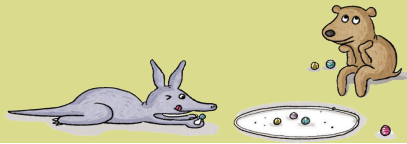
JUNE 16 - 20
LUNCH + BINGO



JUNE 23 - 27
LUNCH + KARAOKE

JUNE 30
LUNCH + LEGOS





Programs for Kids



Ball Balance Game

TUESDAY, JUNE 3RD | 10:30 AM | AGES 6-11

Test your skills with a fun and tricky Ball Balance Maze!

Pool Noodle STEAM

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4TH | 10:30 AM | AGES 6-11

Build, experiment, and explore with pool noodles in this hands-on STEAM activity!

Sponge Painted Ice Cream

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4TH | 3 PM | AGES 1.5-5

Get creative and craft your own colorful ice cream art using sponges and paint!

Adopt A Creature

THURSDAY, JUNE 5TH | 4 PM | AGES 6-11

Create your own magical creature, give it a name, and take it home!

DIY Tamagotchi Keychains

FRIDAY, JUNE 6TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Design and create your own Tamagotchi-inspired keychain!

Paper Plate Frisbees

MONDAY, JUNE 9TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Get crafty and make your own colorful paper plate frisbee.

Survivor Balance Game

TUESDAY, JUNE 10TH | 10:30 AM | AGES 6-11

Test your skills with fun challenges of balance and strategy.

Immunity Necklaces

TUESDAY, JUNE 10TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Create your own Survivor-inspired immunity necklace using beads, string, and creativity!

Shape Buddies

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11TH | 10:30 AM | AGES 1.5-5

Join us for a fun activity where kids can create their own Shape Buddies!

Reading Jeopardy

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Join us for a fun activity where kids can create their own Shape Buddies!

DIY Animal Crossing Character

FRIDAY, JUNE 13TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Get creative and design your very own Animal Crossing character!



Fathers Day Grill Craft

SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH | 2 PM | 6-11

Celebrate Father's Day by making a fun grill craft!

DIY Etch-A-Sketch

TUESDAY, JUNE 17TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Join us for a fun craft where you can create your own DIY Etch A Sketch!

DIY Mushroom

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18TH | 10:30 AM | AGES 6-11

Get crafty and create your own adorable DIY mushrooms!

Handprint Peace Craft

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18TH | 3 PM | AGES 6-11

Create a beautiful artwork that symbolizes peace and unity.

Perler Beads

THURSDAY, JUNE 19TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Join us for a colorful Perler bead crafting session!

Minecraft Portraits

FRIDAY, JUNE 20TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Use blocks and colors to design your favorite characters!

Roll A Monster

MONDAY, JUNE 23RD | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Roll the dice to create your own unique monster!

Minecraft Portraits

MONDAY, JUNE 23RD | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Roll the dice to create your own unique monster!

Puzzle Swap

TUESDAY, JUNE 24TH | 10:30 AM | AGES 6-11

Trade puzzles with others and discover new challenges!

Tissue Paper Popsicles

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25TH | 3 PM | AGES 1.5-5

Trade puzzles with others and discover new challenges!

Bowser Shell Cupcakes

THURSDAY, JUNE 26TH | 2 PM | AGES 6-11

Trade puzzles with others and discover new challenges!

