

TEENS' EVENTS GUIDE

Baker Branch Library

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hours

Tuesday - Thursday	10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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Events for Teens



SPECIAL EVENTS

TUESDAYS

CERAMIC PLANTER PAINTING | JUNE 2ND | 4-5PM

Paint a ceramic planter so your plants have a colorful place to grow!

TWEETS & PAINT | JUNE 9TH | 4-5PM

Bring your creativity to decorate a wooden birdhouse while creating a safe space for your local feathered visitors!

PAINTED WINGS | JUNE 16TH | 4-5PM

Customize a wooden butterfly with paint and other aesthetic craft supplies.

SEASHELL CANDLES | JUNE 23RD | 4-5PM

Make a wonderfully scented candle in a seashell for an aesthetically pleasing addition to any room.



WEDNESDAYS

LITTLE SEEDLINGS | EVERY WED. | 12:30-1:30PM

Every week learn about a new plant and plant your very own! Take it home and watch it grow. Be sure to let us know how it's doing! Materials will be provided.

DIY ZINES | JUNE 3RD | 4-5PM

Create your very own Zine(ZEEN), a mini version of a magazine of which you are the editor! Make it about plant-based recipes or your favorite gardening techniques!

JUNK JOURNAL | JUNE 10TH | 4-5PM

Junk journaling is a popular way of filling and decorating your journal. Place charms and beads all over the cover and fill the inside with pictures, stickers, and whatever you'd like. Materials provided.

CACTUS FRIENDS | JUNE 17TH | 4-5PM

Patrons can create a 3D cactus friend out of Perler Beads!



THURSDAYS

MAGIC THE GATHERING 101 | JUNE 11TH | 3-4PM

We invite you to come join us and learn the basics of how to play 'Magic the Gathering'. Learn to sort your own cards, build your own deck, and, most importantly, play the game. First timers will get to keep the decks they build, while supplies last. Thank you to MagiKids for providing these resources!



MAGIC OF JOSIAH
THURSDAY, JUNE 4TH @ 11-11:45AM

Join magician and illusionist Josiah Bunde for a fully dynamic and interactive large-scale show that fills the stage. Through skillful storytelling, powerful magic, and hilarious interaction, this show is sure to create unforgettable memories.

LIFE SUCCS WITHOUT PLANTS |
TUESDAY, JUNE 9TH @ 1-2PM

Join us for a succulent workshop hosted by Bethany Crawfill! First, there will be a succulent book reading, and then, you get to plant your very own! Limited space supplies for this program



MAGIC NAPOLEON | THURSDAY,
JUNE 11TH @ 1-2PM

Join us for a Magic Napoleon magic show! This performance has lots of activities and lots audience participation! It will incorporate the Summer Reading Challenge's theme "Plant a Seed, Read!"



SPECIAL EVENTS

UC MASTER GARDNER | SATURDAY | JUNE 13 @ 1-2PM

Learn from a UC Master Gardner, supported through the University of California, who gives research-based gardening and landscaping advice to help you grow plants successfully and sustainably!



WIND WOLVES - WILDLANDS CONSERVANCY PRESENTATION | THURSDAY, JUNE 25TH @ 2-3PM

Come learn about the Wind Wolves Preserve and the wildlife that can be found there! See reptiles, bird silhouettes, and even some animals skulls!



FRIDAYS

CROCHET MUSHROOM LIP BALM HOLDER | JUNE 5TH | 1-2PM

Create a cute mushroom for holding lip balm. This program requires an intermediate level of crochet experience, but staff will be available to help!

Plant a Seed, Pick a Book



SATURDAYS

16+ DUNGEONS & DRAGONS | JUNE 6TH & 20TH | 1-3PM

Join us for a collaborative story through fantasy lands where we fight enemies, solve puzzles, and work together to save the realm. All materials are provided, just bring your imagination!

BINGO | JUNE 27TH | 2-3PM

Join us for Bingo at the library! Enjoy a fun-filled evening of interactive games and friendly competition.

Summer Reading Challenge Kickoff!

June 4th, 2026

Help us kickoff the Kern County Library's Summer Reading Challenge this year by attending our Summer Reading Challenge Kickoff! Visit the Baker Branch Library to sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge. Open to all ages, the challenge is to either read 10 books or read for 10 hours. If you complete the challenge, you'll receive a prize, donated by a local business, organization, or community member! Are you up for the challenge?

This year's theme is "Plant A Seed, Read!" Programs, storytimes, and special events will be themed around themes such as: farm-to-table, plants, animals, the environment, nature, food, and more! Come dressed in your favorite plant-inspired outfit, costume, or cosplay!

SCHEDULE:

Magic of Josiah
11AM-11:45AM

Lunch at the Library
12PM-1PM

Plant Spelling Bee
3PM-6PM



JUNE 2026



LIBRARY HOURS

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	10am-7pm
Wednesday	10am-7pm
Thursday	10am-7pm
Friday	10am-6pm
Saturday	10am-4pm
Sunday	CLOSED

eBooks, eAudiobooks, catalog & databases are available 24/7

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Lunes	CERRADO
Martes	10am-7pm
Miercoles	10am-7pm
Jueves	10am-7pm
Viernes	10am-6pm
Sabado	10am-4pm
Domingo	CERRADO

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tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
<p>2. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Coffee Filter Flowers 12:30PM-1:30PM Ceramic Planter Painting 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>3. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Little Seedlings 1PM-2PM DIY Zines 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>4. Magic of Josiah 11AM-11:45AM Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Plant Spelling Bee/Outdoor Activities 3PM-6PM</p>	<p>5. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Crochet Mushroom Lip Balm Holder 1PM-2PM</p>	<p>6. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Recycling Craft 12PM-1PM Dungeons & Dragons 1PM-3PM</p>
<p>9. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Life Succs Without Plants Workshop 1PM-2PM Tweets & Paint 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>10. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Little Seedlings 1PM-2PM Junk Journal 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>11. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Magic Napoleon 1PM-2PM Magic the Gathering 101 3PM-4PM</p>	<p>12. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Zen Garden 12:30PM-1:30PM</p>	<p>13. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM UC Master Gardner 1PM-2PM</p>
<p>16. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Rock-o Painting 12:30PM-1:30PM Painted Wings 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>17. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Little Seedlings 1PM-2PM Cactus Friends 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>18. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM</p>	<p>19. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Apron Decorating 12:30PM-1:30PM</p>	<p>20. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Plant Prints 12PM-1PM Dungeons & Dragons 1PM-3PM</p>
<p>23. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Plant Trivia 12:30PM-1:30PM Seashell Candles 4PM-5PM</p>	<p>24. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Little Seedlings 1PM-2PM</p>	<p>25. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Wind Wolves Presentation 2PM-3PM</p>	<p>26. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Canvas Tote Bag Decorating 12:30PM-1:30PM</p>	<p>27. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Bookworm Craft 12PM-1PM Bingo 2PM-3PM</p>
<p>30. Lunch at the Library 12PM-1PM Coffee Filter Rainbow 12:30PM-1:30PM</p>				