



Kids' EVENT GUIDE



Holloway-Gonzales Branch Library



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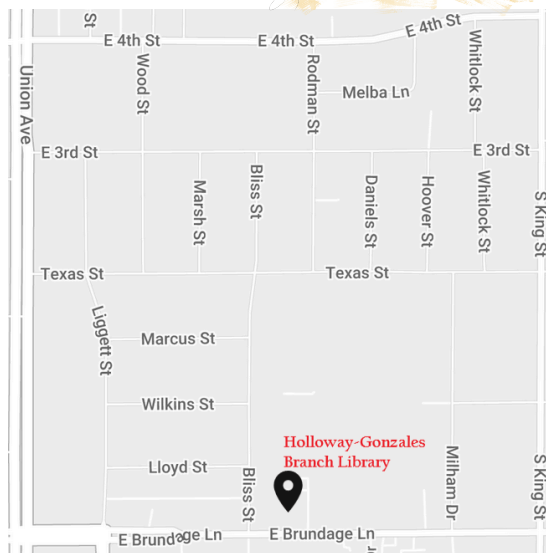
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hours

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.



Find us on social!



KERN COUNTY LIBRARY





Events for Kids



Baby Bounce

Ages 0-2

TUESDAY, JULY 7TH & 21ST | 10:00 A.M.
CHILDREN'S AREA

Rhymes, songs, bounces, and books just right for your little one!



Toddler Time

Ages 2-3

TUESDAY, JULY 14TH & 28TH | 10:00 A.M.
CHILDREN'S AREA

July 14th: Animals; July 28th: Cars & Trucks



High Score Heroes

Ages 6-12

TUESDAYS | 3:30 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

We bring the Switch; you bring your friends!



Lemon
Volcanoes!
Tuesday, July
28th
@ 1:00 PM



Cloud Dough

Ages 6-12

TUESDAY, JULY 14TH | 1:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Create fluffy dough that you can play with!

Scavenger hunt,
puzzles, board
games, LEGO, &
coloring station
all month long!



Wednesday Watercoloring

Ages 2-5

WEDNESDAYS | 10:30 A.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Engage motor skills and imagination in our littlest patrons!



Little Seedlings

Ages 6-12

WEDNESDAYS | 1:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Learn how to care for and plant a new type of seed each week!
Everyone will take home a planted seed cup.



Family Storytime

All Ages

THURSDAYS | 10:00 A.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Storytime and rhymes for the whole family!



Paint Party!

Ages 6-12

THURSDAYS | 1:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Join us for a relaxing afternoon and imagination and painting!

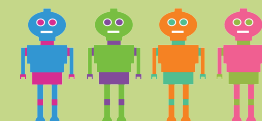
Saturday,
July 11th
@ 1200PM
Storytime with
Michael O.!



Special Events



ROCKETS & ROBOTS



**FRIDAY, JULY 17TH
1:00PM**

Learn about how flight began, how rockets developed and took us to the moon, and the robots we have sent to Mars!



LIFE SUCCS WITHOUT PLANTS



**TUESDAY, JULY 21ST
1:00PM**

Join Bethany in an engaging and hands-on workshop about planting and growing succulents in Central California. Spaces are limited.



WILD MAN DAN



**WEDNESDAY, JULY 22ND
1:00PM**

Wild Man Dan returns with his enthralling collection of venomous and poisonous creatures as well as creatures for patrons to hold.



SKETCH-N- STUDIO



**FRIDAY, JULY 31ST
1:00PM**

A hands-on, guided painting class that patrons are sure to love! Spaces are limited.

For more event information, visit our website - kerncountylibrary.org/events
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.



Special Events



QUANTUM KIDS LABS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8TH
1:00PM

Quantum Kids Labs offers demonstrations of and hands-on STEM activities for patrons aged 6 to 12.



KERN COUNTY MUSEUM

FRIDAY, JULY 10TH
1:00PM

Join us for an educational and interactive presentation on Native American life put on by the Kern County Museum!



KIDDLE KAROO

TUESDAY, JULY 14TH
10:30AM

The Great Storybook Mix Up show features songs and puppets that kids are sure to love!



HIGH DESERT FALCONRY

THURSDAY, JULY 16TH
1:00PM

High Desert Falconry is visiting the library with three amazing birds and a flight demonstration!



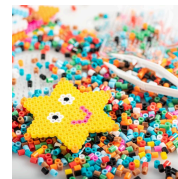
Events for Kids



Friday Fingerprinting

Ages 2-5 FRIDAYS | 10:30 A.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Bring the little ones for a fun morning of hands-on art!



Perler Beads

Ages 6-12 FRIDAY, JULY 24TH | 1:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

The only limit is your imagination!



Family Night: Bingo, Pictionary, Karaoke

All Ages FRIDAYS | 4:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Karaoke: July 10th & 31st; Bingo: July 17th;
Pictionary: July 24th



Saturday Sensory Play

Ages 2-5 SATURDAYS | 10:30 A.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

Tactile experiences that let little ones practice fine motor skills



Kids' Crafternoon

Ages 6-12 SATURDAYS | 1:00 P.M.
COMMUNITY ROOM

July 11th: Painted Ceramic Pots; July 18th: Fingerprint Paintings;
July 25th: Beaded Garden Art



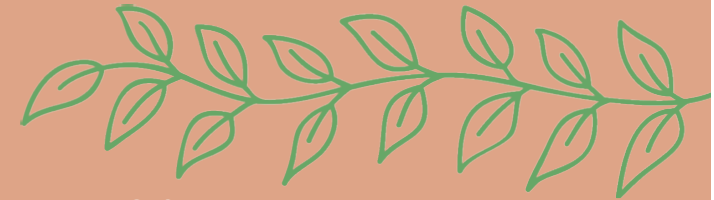
CLOSED FOR THE FOURTH OF JULY

All Kern County branches will be closed Friday, July 3rd & Saturday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

We will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, July 7th. We wish everyone a safe and happy Fourth of July!



JULY 2026



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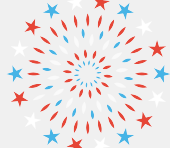
wednesday

1.
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Watercoloring
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Little Seedlings

thursday

2.
10:00 A.M. - Family Storytime
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Paint Party!
2:30 P.M. - Agriculture Indoors Banquet

friday

3. CLOSED


saturday

4. CLOSED


tuesday

7.
10:00 A.M. - Baby Bounce
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Little Seedlings
3:30 P.M. - High Score Heroes

8.
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Watercoloring
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Quantum Kids Labs

9.
10:00 A.M. - Family Storytime
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Paint Party!

10.
10:30 A.M. - Friday Fingerpainting
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Kern County Museum
4:00 P.M. - Family Night: Karaoke

11.
10:30 A.M. - Saturday Sensory Play
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Crafternoon: Painted Ceramic Pots

14.
10:00 A.M. - Toddler Time
10:30 A.M. - Kiddle Karoo
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Cloud Dough
3:30 P.M. - High Score Heroes

15.
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Watercoloring
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Little Seedlings

16.
10:00 A.M. - Family Storytime
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - High Desert Falconry

17.
10:30 A.M. - Friday Fingerpainting
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Rockets & Robots
4:00 P.M. - Family Night: Bingo

18.
10:30 A.M. - Saturday Sensory Play
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Crafternoon: Fingerprint Paintings

21.
10:00 A.M. - Baby Bounce
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Life Succs Without Plants
3:30 P.M. - High Score Heroes

22.
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Watercoloring
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Wild Man Dan

23.
10:00 A.M. - Family Storytime
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Paint Party!

24.
10:30 A.M. - Friday Fingerpainting
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Perler Beads
4:00 P.M. - Family Night: Pictionary

25.
10:30 A.M. - Saturday Sensory Play
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Crafternoon: Beaded Garden Art

28.
10:00 A.M. - Toddler Time
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Lemon Volcanoes
3:30 P.M. - High Score Heroes

29.
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Watercoloring
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Little Seedlings

30.
10:00 A.M. - Family Storytime
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Paint Party!

31.
10:30 A.M. - Friday Fingerpainting
12:00 - 1:00 P.M. - Lunch at the Library
1:00 P.M. - Sketch N Studio
4:00 P.M. - Family Night: Karaoke



Branch Hours:

Tues. - Thurs. 10am - 7pm
Fri. 10am - 6pm
Sat. 10am - 4pm