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# Youth Services Calendar

## APRIL 2019

**Hours**  
 M-Th 9am-8pm  
 Fri/Sa 9am-4:30p  
 Sun (Dec-Apr) 1-5p

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>31</i></p> <p><i>Open 1-5</i></p>	<p><i>1</i></p> <p><b>9:30 Song Time For Littles</b>            10:30 Tales for Tots</p>	<p><i>2</i></p> <p>9:30 Baby Songs &amp; Play  <b>11:00 Family Storytime</b></p>	<p><i>3</i></p> <p>11:00 Family Storytime             4:00 MakerLab*</p>	<p><i>4</i></p> <p><b>4:00 Creativity Corner</b></p>	<p><i>5</i></p>	<p><i>6</i></p>
<p><i>7</i></p> <p><i>Open 1-5</i>  <i>*Make a Bookmark Drop-in Event*</i></p>	<p><i>8</i></p> <p><b>9:30 Song Time For Littles</b>            10:30 Tales for Tots  <b>4:00 LEGO Club</b></p>	<p><i>9</i></p> <p>9:30 Baby Songs &amp; Play  <b>11:00 Family Storytime</b></p>	<p><i>10</i></p> <p>11:00 Family Storytime</p>	<p><i>11</i></p> <p>2:30-3:30 pm Write-Your-Own-Adventure Session             4:30-5:30 pm Write-Your-Own-Adventure Session</p>	<p><i>12</i></p> <p>10:00 Little Hands Art Camp*</p>	<p><i>13</i></p>
<p><i>14</i></p> <p><i>Open 1-5</i></p>	<p><i>15</i></p> <p><b>CLOSED FOR PATRIOT'S DAY</b></p>	<p><i>16</i></p> <p><b>11:00 Vacation Week Family Storytime*</b>            3:00 Super Smash Bros. Tournament*</p>	<p><i>17</i></p> <p>11:00 Family Craft Buffet  <b>2:00 Family Movie Series: Mary Poppins Returns (PG)</b></p>	<p><i>18</i></p> <p>2:00 Family Board Game Party</p>	<p><i>19</i></p>	<p><i>20</i></p>
<p><i>21</i></p> <p><b>CLOSED FOR EASTER</b></p>	<p><i>22</i></p> <p><b>9:30 Song Time For Littles</b>            10:30 Tales for Tots  <b>4:00 LEGO Club</b></p>	<p><i>23</i></p> <p>9:30 Baby Songs &amp; Play  <b>11:00 Family Storytime</b></p>	<p><i>24</i></p> <p>11:00 Family Storytime</p>	<p><i>25</i></p> <p>2:00 Storycraft   <b>5:00 TAG/TWIG Nailed It! Competition</b></p>	<p><i>26</i></p>	<p><i>27</i></p> <p>1-2:30 TAG/TWIG Cooking Class</p>
<p><i>28</i></p> <p><i>Open 1-5</i>  <b>Last Sunday open until December!</b></p>	<p><i>29</i></p> <p><b>9:30 Song Time For Littles</b>            10:30 Tales for Tots</p>	<p><i>30</i></p> <p>9:30 Baby Songs &amp; Play  <b>11:00 Family Storytime</b></p>	<p><i>1</i></p> <p>11:00 Family Storytime  <b>4:00 MakerLab*</b></p>	<p><i>2</i></p> <p>4:00 Creativity Corner</p>	<p><i>3</i></p>	<p><i>4</i></p>

## Weekly Storytime Programs:

**BABY SONGS & PLAY** (0-2 with caregiver): Songs and play time just for you and your little ones! Enjoy time together with other parents, caregivers, and babies to learn, play, and develop motor skills. Come prepared to sit on the floor and play with your baby and other caregivers. **No registration required.**

**SONG TIME FOR LITTLES** (ages 0-2 with a caregiver): A song session geared towards kids 0-2 for kids and caregivers! Songs, movement, and toys: lots of fun to be had while developing valuable early literacy skills. **No registration required.**

**TALES FOR TOTS** (ages 2-5 with a caregiver): A storytime geared towards kids 2-5 for kids and caregivers! Songs, movement, stories, activities and toytime: who could ask for anything more? **No registration required.**

**FAMILY STORYTIME** (ages 0-6 with a caregiver) We'll read books, sing songs, do movement, and play with toys in these storytimes for ages 0-6 with caregiver! **No registration is required.**

## April Vacation Week Programs:

### **SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT:**

9-18 year olds are invited to join us for a special Super Smash Bros. Tournament with One Up Games. We provide all the materials—bring your own controller if you like! **Registration required.**

### **FAMILY CRAFT BUFFET:**

Join us for a special family craft geared towards 4-8 year olds! This is a drop-in program with walk-ins welcome.

### **FAMILY MOVIE SCREENING: MARY POPPINS RETURNS (PG):**

Enjoy a movie screening of Mary Poppins Returns (PG). **No registration required.**

### **FAMILY BOARD GAME PARTY:**

We'll have our Giant Connect Four, Giant Bowling, and other oversized and regularly sized games ready for you to enjoy here at the library! **No registration is required for this program, which is geared towards school-aged children and their families.**

## Monthly & Bi-Weekly Programs:

**LITTLE HANDS ART CLUB** (18 months to 4 years with caregiver): In this monthly art class for young children, participants will listen to stories and create a process-based art project, developing key pre-literacy skills and creative expression. Librarians will lead a storytime and demo an art project, which caregivers will work together with their children to create. **Registration is required.**

### **LEGO TIME** (recommended for ages 5 and up):

Come use our Legos and Duplos to build some amazing Lego creations that we'll display around the library! All ages are welcome, but those under 10 years must be accompanied by a caregiver. **No registration required.**

### **CREATIVITY CORNER (ages 6-8):**

Come to a special monthly story and craft just for 6-8 year olds! We'll read stories and then do crafts and science. This special monthly program is for 6-8 year olds attending on their own, while their caregiver remains present and available within the library. **Registration is required!**

### **TWEEN INTEREST GROUP**

(grades 4-6):

TWIG is for children in grades 4-6 who love the library and want to help us plan our next big events, give input into what books we will add to our collection, and volunteer at library events. We'll do crafts, play games, eat snacks, and talk about what you'd like to see at the library. **Registration is required.**

**April's TWIG group is a collaboration with our TAG group where tweens and teens can compete together to decorate desserts!**

## Special Programs:

### **MAKE A BOOKMARK DROP-IN CRAFT** (all ages):

Come make your own bookmark to take home and use in your library books! We'll have supplies out from 1:30-4:30 on Sunday, April 7th.

### **WRITE-YOUR-OWN-ADVENTURE (grades 2-5):**

We'll be creating our own choose-your-own-adventure story here at the library! Help be a part of it—team up or work solo to create one ending for our collaborative story, then pick up our "book" in a few weeks! Join us for either or both sessions! This event is intended for children writing on their own (grades 2-5 and families working collaboratively). Registration required.

### **TAG/TWIG COOKING CLASS**

(grades 4-12):

Ms. Debbie of Kidz Cook Milton will be coming to teach 4-12th graders how to cook a fun & healthy pasta dish! **Registration is required for this program and space is limited.**