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Youth Services Calendar

Hours
 M-Th 9am-8pm
 Fri/Sa 9am-4:30p

AUGUST 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 <i>Closed</i>	29 9:30 Summer Songtime for Littles 10:30 Summer Family Storytime	30 9:30 Summer Baby Songs & Play 1:00 Wingmasters: Birds of Prey	31 10:00 Art for Littles (ages 1.5-4)	1 10:00 Summer Family Play-group 2:30 Summer LEGO Club	2	3
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No programs this week as we prepare for fall—join us back in September!						

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.

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.

Special Summer Programs:

TINKERTEAM: ROVING AROUND (gr 4-12):
Create your own miniature moon rover in groups! We'll supply all of the materials.

This building challenge is for teens and tweens going into 4th-12th grade. Registration is required as space is limited.

DAVIS BATES: A UNIVERSE OF SONGS & STORIES:
Davis Bates' performances are a mixture of family, Native American, international and regional songs and stories. They speak of empowerment, history, spirit and the environment. In this workshop, Davis will be telling stories and singing songs from across the world.
No registration required.

BOSTON BRUINS VISIT: MEET BLADES!
Come celebrate the Boston Bruins and meet mascot Blades in a special Bruins storytime! We'll have a story, Bruins-themed craft, meet and greet with Blades, and plenty of time for pictures! **Be sure to register to guarantee getting a goodie bag! All ages (0-18 and caregivers) welcome!**

BUILD A SPACE COLONY (ages 8-18):
Participants design and imagine technology to provide air to breathe, plentiful food, shielding from ultraviolet light, power, and more for space explorers. They construct a model of their technology from craft materials and incorporate it with other teams' designs into a model space colony.
This event is for ages 8-18. We do ask that interested participants register.

Repeating Summer Programs

ART FOR LITTLES (18 months to 4 years with caregiver):
Make art at the library with this summer edition of our popular Little Hands Art Camp! We'll be doing a variety of star and universe-themed art projects! This workshop series is for children aged 18 months- 4 years old. **Registration is required, as space is limited.**

ART FOR BIGS (5-8 years old):
Participants will listen to stories and create a process-based art project, developing creative expression. Library staff will lead a storytime and demo an art project based around the concept of stars & the universe. This workshop series is for children aged 5-8, who may attend alone while their caregivers wait in the library. **Registration is required, as space is limited.**

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.

FAMILY MOVIE SERIES
Join us for fun family movies all summer long! No registration is required for these free movie screening.

SUMMER FAMILY PLAYGROUPS:
Join us for two very special playgroups with Ms. Deb of Marshfield Hand-in-Hand Playgroups! Learn about playgroup options for the fall as well as community resources, while playing with a variety of large and small motor activities. We'll have some special storytime elements involved as well. No registration is required for these events, which are geared to ages 0-6 and caregivers.

THOMAS THE TANK ENGINE: END OF RUBBER DUCKY CLUB PARTY:
Celebrate the end of our early literacy program this summer with a special Thomas party! We'll have lots of activities that your Thomas enthusiasts are sure to love. This event is open to all ages, though geared specifically for those aged 0-4. **No registration is required.**

**MAGIC TREEHOUSE IN SPACE:
END OF SUMMER READING PARTY:**
Celebrate the end of summer reading with us here at the library with a special Magic Treehouse-themed wrap-up party! We'll be celebrating with activities based around *Midnight on the Moon* (Magic Treehouse #8) as well as other books in the popular series. This event is geared for ages 5-12 with caregivers present. **This event is drop-in and no registration is required.**