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Youth Services Calendar

September 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Closed	Closed for La- bor Day		ns this weel week for the			-
8 Closed	9 9:30 Songtime for Littles 10:30 Family Storytime	10 9:30 Baby Songs & Play	11 10:00 Family Storytime	12 1:00 Music Together Demo w/SSC* 6:00 Stuffed Animal Sleepover	<i>13</i> Visit us at 3 pm at the Farmer's Market!	14
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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 required.**

Special Programs:

MUSIC TOGETHER DEMO WITH SOUTH SHORE CONSERVATORY (ages 0-4 with caregiver):

Come participate in a joyful musical environment through song, dance, and rhythmic activities and observe children of mixed ages engaged at their own level. **Registration is required.**

STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER:

Bring your stuffed animals to spend the night at the library in a special stuffed animal sleepover, then come back the next day to see what hijinks they got up to at Ventress. We'll have a storytime and small craft on Wednesday night, and report cards for each of the stuffed animals when you pick them up the next day! **Registration is required.**

THE MAGIC OF MEFA: FREE MAGIC SHOW:

Reading is the greatest magic of all! Children levitate, money is pulled from ears and all children participating receive a gift in this MEFA-sponsored magic show! Every attendee will also leave with a free goody bag while parents gain valuable access to different educational long term opportunities for their children. No registration is required for this all ages event.

Monthly 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.**

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (ages 3-5):

Join us for a special monthly preschool storytime! We'll read stories and do activities that are developmentally appropriate for preschoolers—sometimes art, sometimes games, and sometimes science! This is a program designed for 3-5 year olds to attend alone, while caregivers remain nearby and easily accessible in the library. **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 5-8):

Come to a special monthly story and craft just for 5—8 year olds! We'll read stories and then do crafts and/or 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.**

Note:

ALL PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. FOR THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION, PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE OR CALL THE LIBRARY,