



## August 2024

### UPCOMING EVENTS

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### YOUTH & TEEN PROGRAMS

#### **CIRCLE TIME FOR BABIES AND TODDLERS**

*Mondays @ 10:30 a.m.*

Infants and toddlers and their parents/caregivers will have fun rhyming and moving! With a focus on repetition, each week children build their repertoire of rhymes both old and new! There is an informal playgroup following Circle Time.

#### **FAMILY FUN DAY: ROCK PAINTING**

*Tuesday August 6th @ 2:00 p.m.*

We provide the rocks and paint and you create something beautiful! Rocks of all sizes will be available. Painted rocks can be taken home or be added to our Rock Snake in the garden next to the library.

#### **FAMILY STORY TIME**

*Wednesday, August 7th & 14th @ 10:30 a.m.*

Join us for stories, music, movement activities and more to celebrate reading, books and the library. Weather permitting, story time will be held in the lawn next to the library.

#### **FUN FRIDAY!**

*Friday, August 2nd & 9th @ 10:30 a.m. in Mineral Springs Park*

Get ready to move, groove and have a whole lot of fun in Mineral Springs Park. Story and craft to follow. Weather permitting.

#### **FAMILY FUN DAY: OPEN BUILD**

*Tuesday August 13th @ 2:00 p.m.*

Bring your creativity and make something amazing out of Lego, Magna Tiles, blocks and more. Put your creation on display for all to see.

#### **FIELD DAY!**

*Friday, August 16th @ 10:30 a.m.*

It's Field Day at the library! Join us on the lawn next to the library for yard games and activities. The whole family can participate together and celebrate the end of summer in style!

### ADULT PROGRAMS

#### **MONDAY MAH JONG**

*Mondays @ 2:00 p.m.*

Accomplished players and interested participants alike are invited to rattle the tiles and join the fun each Monday from 2 to 5 p.m. in the Library Program Room.

#### **THE MORNING CRAFTER: PIN CUSHION**

*Thursday, August 1st @ 10:30 a.m.*

Yowch! learn how to keep those pins in place with this a crafty felt cactus tutorial. Supplies provided, limited. **This program is for teens and adults.**

#### **THE MORNING CRAFTER: REVERSE TIE-DYE**

*Thursday, August 8th @ 10:30 a.m.*

Try out reverse tie dye or bleach dying to make unique, repurposed clothing. Basic materials will be provided, but bring any of your own dark colored clothing you'd like to bleach dye! Supplies are limited. **This program is for teens and adults.**

### **WORKING LUNCH**

*Thursday, August 8th @ Noon - 1:00 p.m.*

Can't take a break? Join us for a working lunch on select Thursdays. Bring your lunch and enjoy a casual, productive environment in our program room.

### **BOOK SHARE**

*Wednesday, August 21st @ 10:30 a.m.*

Join us to talk books! Share what you have read recently and find out what fellow community members have been reading. This is a great way to discover new books! Meets the third Wednesday of the month.

### **BUSY BOOK CLUB**

*Tuesday, August 27th @ 4:00 p.m.*

The book club for busy people. Each month we discuss a SHORT story in less than an hour. Meets monthly on the 4th Tuesday of the month. Each month's reading is from The Best American Short Stories of 2023. Copies of the book are available at the Library.

# **Morning Crafter Series: Reverse Tie-Dye**

**Thursday, August 8th at 10:30am**



**This program is intended for adults and teens.**



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Our Summer Reading Program runs through Saturday, August 31st. Children ages 0-18 are welcome to register for the program to earn fabulous prizes for reading. We want to extend a huge thank you to our many vendors who make our program happen!



## BOOK GROUPS @YOUR LIBRARY

### BOOK SHARE

Join us for a cup of coffee or tea and talk about books. Share what you have read recently and find out what fellow community members have been reading. This is a great way to discover new books! Meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 10:30 a.m.

### TEENY TINY BUSY BOOK CLUB

The book club for busy people! Each month we discuss a SHORT story in less than an hour. Meets monthly on the 4th Tuesday of the month @ 4:00 p.m. Call or visit [benzieshoreslibrary.org](http://benzieshoreslibrary.org) to reserve the current month's selected title.

Titles shared at the July Book Share:

[Remarkably Bright Creatures](#) – Shelby Van Pelt

[Funny Story](#) – Emily Henry

[The Librarian Spy](#) – Madaline Martin

[Waves in an Impossible Sea](#) – Matt Strassler

[Beach Read](#) – Emily Henry

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