

AUGUST

Iowa City Public Library

Registration Required

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Kids and Family Calendar

Tween Program (3rd - 6th Grade)

Kids Program

Family Program

IOWA CITY
PUBLIC LIBRARY



SUNDAY
12 pm - 5 pm

MONDAY
10 am - 9 pm

TUESDAY
10 am - 9 pm

WEDNESDAY
10 am - 9 pm

THURSDAY
10 am - 9 pm

FRIDAY
10 am - 8 pm

SATURDAY
10 am - 6 pm



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1 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Willow Creek Park Let's Play Monday Popcorn Challenge! 1:00 PM Meeting Room A	2 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Meeting Room A, Pedmall How-To Tuesday: Intro to Embroidery with Mari 1:00 PM Meeting Room A	3 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Wetherby Park World Wednesday: Korean Jegichagi 1:00 PM Meeting Room A	4 SRP Kids: Blank Park Zoo 10:30 AM Special Access 11:30 AM Meeting Room A SRP Kids: Cold-Blooded Redhead 1:00 PM-Meeting Room A Totally Tweens: Balloon Animal Workshop 4:00 PM-Meeting Room A Party in the Park 6:30 PM-Bookmobile Frauenholtz-Miller Park	5 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Mercer Park Friday Flicks: Born in China 1:00 PM Meeting Room A Book Babies 1:00 PM Storytime Room	6 Bookmobile at Iowa City Farmers Market 8:00 AM Chauncey Swan parking ramp, 405 E Washington Street Family Storytime 10:30 AM Storytime Room
7 Sunday Fun Day: Treats for the Birds 1:00 PM Storytime Room 	8 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Willow Creek Park Let's Play Monday National Parks Bingo! 1:00 PM Meeting Room A	9 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Meeting Room A, Pedmall How-To Tuesday: Learn about Herpetology with Johnson County Conservation 1:00 PM-Meeting Room A Special Access 2:00 PM-Meeting Room A Totally Tweens: Dungeons and Dragons Club 4:00 PM-Storytime Room	10 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Wetherby Park World Wednesday: Champagne Irish Dance Iowa 1:15 PM Meeting Room A	11 SRP Kids: Last Splash of Summer 10 AM - 12 PM Chauncey Swan Park Totally Tweens: Draw Kawaii Style 4:00 PM Digital Media Lab Party in the Park 6:30 PM Bookmobile Hunters Run Park	12 Stories in the Park 10:30 AM Bookmobile, Mercer Park Friday Flicks: Trolls: World Tour 1:00 PM Meeting Room A Book Babies 1:00 PM Storytime Room
14 Sunday Fun Day: Name Keychain or Zipper Pull 1:00 PM Storytime Room 	15 No Storytimes this week! Mon-Fri Family Storytime on Sat	16 August Family Night: Make a Poké Ball Terrarium 4:00 PM - 6PM Meeting Room A 	17 World Wednesday: Explore Russian Culture with Maria 1:00 PM Meeting Room A	18 Totally Tweens: Scientweens 4:00 PM Storytime Room Party in the Park 6:30 PM Bookmobile, North Market Square Park	19 Storytime at Wilson's Orchard 1:30 PM Bookmobile, 4823 Dingleberry Rd NE #1
21 Sunday Fun Day: Ojos de Dios 1:00 PM Storytime Room 	22 Chinese Bilingual Storytime 10:30 AM Storytime Room CHINESE BILINGUAL Storytime 	23 Spanish Bilingual Storytime 10:30 AM Storytime Room Totally Tweens: Dungeons and Dragons Club 4:00 PM Storytime Room	24 Story JAM 10:30 AM Meeting Room A 	25 Preschool Stories & More with Mari 10:30 AM Storytime Room Party in the Park 6:30 PM Bookmobile, Glendale Park	26 Book Babies: Babywearing Salsa 10:30 AM Meeting Room A
27 Family Storytime: Construction! 10:30 Storytime Room 	28 Iowa City Noon Optimist Fly in Breakfast 7 AM - 12 PM 1801 S Riverside Dr. Sunday Fun Day: Painted Wood Slices 1:00 PM Storytime Room 	29 Chinese Bilingual Storytime 10:30 AM Storytime Room CHINESE BILINGUAL Storytime 	30 Spanish Bilingual Storytime 10:30 AM Storytime Room SPANISH BILINGUAL Storytime 	31 Story JAM 10:30 AM Meeting Room A	KIDS IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM JUNE 1 - AUGUST 14

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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

LET'S PLAY MONDAY: POPCORN CHALLENGE! / NATIONAL PARKS BINGO!

Mondays, August 1 & 8, 1 - 2 PM, Meeting Room A

Let's Play Monday is a weekly program for all ages. We will be playing a different type of game. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun!

HOW-TO TUESDAY: INTRO TO EMBROIDERY WITH MARI / LEARN ABOUT HERPETOLOGY WITH JOHNSON COUNTY CONSERVATION

Tuesday, August 2 & 9, 1 - 2 PM, Meeting Room A

Elementary-age 5 - 12 kids are invited to join us to learn a little bit about a fun skill or hobby that maybe they haven't tried before!

WORLD WEDNESDAY: KOREAN JEGICHAGI/ CHAMPAGNE IRISH DANCE IOWA/ EXPLORE RUSSIAN CULTURE WITH MARIA

Wednesdays, August 3, 17, 1 PM, August 10, 1:15 PM, Meeting Room A

Elementary-age 5 - 12 kids are invited to join us for a different program every week to broaden our knowledge of cultures around the world!

SRP KIDS: BLANK PARK ZOO

Thursday, August 4, 10:30-11:30 AM, Meeting Room A

Today is "Animal Meet & Greet Day!" Our favorite library guests are back!

SRP KIDS: COLD-BLOODED REDHEAD

Thursday, August 4, 1 - 2 PM, Meeting Room A

Today is "Animal Meet & Greet Day!" Lindsay McDermott is a local reptile enthusiast. This afternoon she will bring several of her various lizards, snakes, arachnids and more to the library to get up close and personal with attendees!

FRIDAY FLICKS

Fridays, August 5 & 12, 1:00 - 2:30 PM, Meeting Room A

Take a break from the summer sun and join us for a matinee movie showing!

BOOKMOBILE AT IOWA CITY FARMERS MARKET

Saturdays, August 6, 13 & 20, 8:00 - 11:00 AM,

Chauncey Swan parking ramp, 405 E Washington Street.

Iowa City Public Library Bookmobile will be popping up at the Iowa City Farmers Market this summer. Various activities and crafts will be offered, making this a fun Farmers Market stop for all.

SRP KIDS: LAST SPLASH OF SUMMER

Thursday, August 11, 10 - 12 AM, Chauncey Swan Park

All good things must come to an end, but that doesn't mean we can't go out with splash...or blast!

AUGUST FAMILY NIGHT: MAKE A POKÉ BALL TERRARIUM

Tuesday, August 16, 4 - 6 PM, Meeting Room A

Children in grades K-6 are invite to create a Poké Ball terrarium craft! This is a drop-in program, so feel free to come later to avoid over crowding.

BOOK BABIES: BABYWEARING SALSA

Friday, August 26, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Meeting Room A

Join us for a special Babywearing Salsa Program! With your little one snuggled in close in a baby carrier, learn basic Salsa dancing steps and have fun dancing to the music while you bond with your baby.

IOWA CITY NOON OPTIMIST FLY IN BREAKFAST

Sunday, August 28, 7 AM - 12 PM, 1801 S Riverside Dr.

Annual Fly in Breakfast hosted by the Iowa City Optimist Club. Don't miss this chance for family fun! Visit the municipal airport, see airplanes, stop by the ICPL Bookmobile, and much more!

SPECIAL ACCESS

HOW-TO TUESDAY: LEARN ABOUT HERPETOLOGY WITH JOHNSON COUNTY CONSERVATION

Tuesday, August 9, 2 - 3 PM, Meeting Room A

Elementary-age kids 5 - 12 are invited to join us to learn a little bit about a fun skill or hobby that maybe they haven't tried before! Naturalists from Johnson County Conservation will share their knowledge of the outdoors with us today!

BLANK PARK ZOO

Thursday, August 4, 11:30 - 12:30 AM, Meeting Room A

Today is "Animal Meet & Greet Day!" Our favorite library guests are back!

SUNDAY FUN DAY

TREATS FOR THE BIRDS NAME KEYCHAIN OR ZIPPER PULL OJOS DE DIOS

PAINTED WOOD SLICES

Sundays, 1- 4 PM, Storytime Room

We will go off the beaten path and create nature based and classic camp crafts!

TWEENS - For kids in grades 3 - 6

TOTALLY TWEENS: BALLOON ANIMAL WORKSHOP

Thursday, August 4, 4 - 5 PM, Meeting Room A

Join Wes the Balloon Guy, a professional balloon artist who has been twisting for over 26 years, and learn the basics of one-balloon creations for beginners.

TOTALLY TWEENS: DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CLUB

Tuesdays, August 9 & 23, 4 - 5 PM, Storytime Room

You will learn how to make characters, roleplay, keep track of your stats and have a great time playing this exciting roleplay game with other tweens.

TOTALLY TWEENS: DRAW KAWAII STYLE

Thursday, August 11, 4 - 5 PM, Digital Media Lab

Join children's librarian Casey for a tutorial and experiment with drawing your own everyday objects kawaii-style.

TOTALLY TWEENS: SCIENTWEENS

Thursday, August 18, 4 - 5 PM, Storytime Room

Don't just learn science - DO science with the Iowa City Science Booster Club!

WEEKLY STORYTIMES

STORIES IN THE PARK AT WILLOW CREEK PARK

Mondays, August 1 & 8, 10:30-11:00 AM, 1117 Teg Drive, Iowa City.

STORIES IN THE PARK AT THE PEDMALL

Tuesdays, August 2 & 9, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Pedmall.

STORIES IN THE PARK AT WETHERBY PARK

Wednesdays, August 3 & 10, 10:30-11:30 AM, 2398 Taylor Drive, Iowa City.

STORIES IN THE PARK AT MERCER PARK

Fridays, August 5 & 12, 10:30-11:00 AM, 1317 Dover St, Iowa City.

BOOK BABIES

Fridays, August 5, 12 & 19, 1:00 - 1:30 PM, Storytime Room

It is a program designed for 0-2 years baby to stimulate your infant's language.

FAMILY STORYTIME

Saturdays, August 6, 13, & 20, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Storytime Room

Family Storytime is recommended for all ages and includes both shorter and longer stories combined with games and activities.

FAMILY STORYTIME: CONSTRUCTION!

Saturday, August 27, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Storytime Room

Join us for a local author event and meet a real construction worker!

STORYTIME AT WILSON'S ORCHARD

Friday, August 19, 1:30 - 2:00 PM, 4823 Dingleberry Rd NE #1

All ages are invited to join us for a special summer series of storytimes .

CHINESE BILINGUAL STORYTIME

Mondays, August 22 & 29, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Storytime Room

SPANISH BILINGUAL STORYTIME

Tuesdays, August 23 & 30, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Storytime Room

STORY JAM

Wednesdays, August 24 & 31, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Meeting Room A

Story JAM is a music and movement program designed to model, encourage, and facilitate music-making as an early literacy skill. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate as much as possible.

PRESCHOOL STORIES & MORE WITH MARI

Thursday, August 25, 10:30 - 11:00 AM, Storytime Room

Welcome to attend Preschool Stories, better suited for ages 3-5.