Summer 2024

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Weekly Programs

Hawthorne Hub

Tuesdays, 3 p.m. (ages 6-11)

Join us every Tuesday afternoon for fun activities for kids. We'll do something different each week: arts & crafts, MakerSpace, board & card games, video games, and more!

Story Time

Thursdays, 10:30 a.m. (ages 0-5)

Fun interactive programs with literature-based fingerplays, art, music, and puppets. This program is designed for those aged 5 and under and their caretakers.

June Programs

Adventure Bag

Thursday, June 6, 4:00 p.m. (ages 12-18)

All good adventurers know they need a trusty bag to take along on their journeys! Join us and learn how to create your very own adventure bag!

Read with a Dog

Wednesday, June 12, 2:30 p.m. (ages 6-11)

Join us the second Wednesday of each month. Ringo, our therapy dog, loves to hear a good story! *If you are allergic to dogs or are not comfortable around them, please be aware that this activity involves a therapy dog.

Summer at the Library: So You Want to be a Songwriter?!

Wednesday, June 12, 3:00 p.m. (ages 12-18)

Join award-winning songwriter Anna Moo to learn a little about the basic's of songwriting; and then let's write a song together! This is a fast, fun and exciting adventure where we will try our hand at the thrill of Songwriting!

Story Time: Juneteenth Celebration

*Thursday, June 13, 10:00 a.m. (ages 3-5)*Join us for fun with art, music, science, stories and more in this story time celebrating Juneteenth!

GamerSpace

Thursday, June 13, 4:00 p.m. (ages 12-18) Thursday, June 27, 4:00 p.m

Join us for video games, table top games, or just stop by to talk about gaming with other patrons!

Juneteenth Tie-Dye

Friday, June 14, 2:00 p.m. (ages 12-18)

Learn the history of the Juneteenth flag, then use those colors to tie-dye! Bring your own cotton white shirt or fabric and staff will provide the dye.

Hawthorne Hub: Celebrating Juneteenth

Tuesday, June 18, 3:00 p.m. (ages 6-11)Join us for a paper chain craft celebrating Juneteenth.

Geode Treasures

Thursday, June 20, 4:00 p.m. (ages 12-18)

Adventuring can often lead to finding amazing treasures! Stop by and learn all about geodes, then crack open a few of your own. Come get your hands on your own unique treasure!

Summer at the Library: Pirate Tales!

Wednesday, June 26, 3:00 p.m. (ages 6-11)

Florida was once crawling with pirates. Pirate Katie brings these stories to life with a treasure chest full of props and costumes, vivid scenery, parrot puppets, and audience participation!

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July Programs

Summer at the Library: Amazing Animal Adaptations

Monday, July 1, 10:30 a.m. (ages 6-11)

Join the zookeepers and meet animals from the Santa Fe College Teaching Zoo to learn about the incredible traits animals have to survive in their homes.

Summer at the Library: Fire Rescue Visit

Monday, July 8, 11:00 a.m. (ages 6-11)

A crew from the Alachua County Fire Rescue will go over fire safety, safety plans in case of a fire, and do a Show'n'Tell of a fire truck!

Read with a Dog

Wednesday, July 10, 2:30 p.m. (ages 6-11)

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