

HCPL - YOUTH SERVICES

JUNE 2024



MONDAY

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THURSDAY

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| <p>3</p> <p>Middle Grade Monday - 3:00-4:00PM Teen Anime Club - 4:00-5:30</p> | <p>4</p> <p>Summer Reading Kick Off - 12-2PM Mario Kart - 3-4PM Super Smash Bros - 4-5PM</p> | <p>5</p> <p>Bubbles & Babies - 10AM Toddler Time - 11AM Family Game Night - 4-5:30PM</p> | <p>6</p> <p>**Sensory Storytime - 10AM Preschool Storytime - 11AM *Tabletop Game Club (College) - 4:30 PM</p> | <p>7</p> <p>Art Lab - 10AM STEAM Storytime - 3:30PM</p> | <p>8</p> <p>Ladybug Release - 10:00AM Teen DnD - 12:30-2:30</p> |
| <p>10</p> <p>MG Mario Monday - 3:00-4:00PM Teen Anime Club - 4:00-5:30</p> | <p>11</p> <p>Lego Club - 2:00-5:00</p> | <p>12</p> <p>Bubbles & Babies - 10AM Toddler Time - 11AM Tween DnD - 4-5:30 Book Swap - 5PM** ** Be here AT 5PM; it goes quickly</p> | <p>13</p> <p>**Sensory Storytime - 10AM Preschool Storytime - 11AM *Tabletop Game Club (College) - 4:30 PM</p> | <p>14</p> <p>Book Tasting - 10:30-12PM Stuffed Animal Sleepover - 3:30-4:15PM</p> | <p>15</p> <p>Teen DnD - 11:30AM</p> |
| <p>17</p> <p>Middle Grade Monday - 3:00-4:00PM Teen Anime Club & Cosplay Day - 4:00-5:30</p> | <p>18</p> <p>Crafternoon - 2:00-4:00 Tween Anime Club - 4:30-5:30</p> | <p>19</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> | <p>20</p> <p>**Sensory Storytime - 10AM Preschool Storytime - 11AM *Tabletop Game Club (College) - 4:30 PM</p> | <p>21</p> <p>Stage Combat Workshop - 2:00-3:00PM Teen Lego Building - 3-4PM</p> | <p>22</p> <p>Saturday Storytime - 10AM Lego Club- 11:30-1:30PM</p> |
| <p>24</p> <p>Middle Grade Legos - 3:00-4:00PM Teen Anime Club - 4:00-5:30</p> | <p>25</p> <p>Mad Science Experiments - 2-3:30PM Teen: Manga & Graphic Novel Discussion Group - 4:30-5:30</p> | <p>26</p> <p>Bubbles & Babies - 10AM Toddler Time - 11AM Tween DnD - 4-5:30PM</p> | <p>27</p> <p>**Sensory Storytime - 10AM Preschool Storytime - 11AM Warrior Cats Jeopardy - 2PM *Tabletop Game Club (College) - 4:30 PM</p> | <p>28</p> <p>Family Game Night - 2:30-4:30PM ***Teen Lock-In - 6:00-9:30PM</p> | <p>29</p> |

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Kids Activities

Bubbles & Babies, ages 0-2,
Wednesdays @ 10am (NO MEETING JUN 19th)

Toddler Time, ages 2-3
Wednesdays @ 11AM (NO MEETING JUN 19th)

Bring an item for show and tell

Preschool Story Time, ages 4-5,
Thursdays @ 11AM

Bring an item for show-and-tell.

Sensory Storytime, 3-5
Thursdays, 10:00AM

***Limited spaces, registration required.** This small group story time is perfect for children who find themselves overwhelmed in large groups or with too much sensory input.*

STEAM Storytime, Ages 7+
Friday, Jun 7th 3:30PM

We'll read a story that gets us excited about Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, or Math and then complete a fun activity!

Saturday Storytime, 2-5
Saturday, Jun 22nd, 10:00AM

Lego Club, ages 5-18
Tuesday, Jun 11th, 3:00-5:00PM
Saturday, Jun 22nd, 11:30-1:30PM

Crafternoon, ages 5-18
Tuesday, Jun 18th, 2:00-5:00PM
Join us for arts and crafts session. We'll put on some relaxing music and put our artistic talents to work.

Art Lab, ages 7-15
Tuesday, Jun 7th, 10AM
Make your own stamp! We'll carve a print out of styrofoam, paint it, and use it to make a special art print!

Stuffed Animal Sleepover, 3+
Friday, Jun 14th, 3:30-4:15PM
Bring your favorite stuffed friend to the library, you'll join them for a story, before leaving them to have a sleepover with all their new stuffed friends!

Mad Science Experiments, 7+
Tuesday, Jun 25th, 2:00-3:30PM
It's an afternoon of science experiments! Join us as we attempt some

Teen activities

Dungeons & Dragons, Ages 13-18
Saturdays, Jun 8th, 12:30-2:30
Saturday, Jun 15th, 11:30-2:30PM
This group has one spot open! You do NOT have to be an experienced player to join!

Anime Club, Ages 13-18
Mondays, 4:00-5:30PM
Teen must have a signed parent permission form in order to participate. Anime Club meets in person every week. Stream, watch, and discuss anime together.

Cosplay Day, Ages 13-18
Monday, Jun 17th, 4:00-5:30
Dress up as your favorite character from your favorite anime, TV show, movie, or book and join us for Anime Club!

Tabletop Game Club, College Group
Thursdays, 4:00-5:45PM
Try out a variety of tabletop games and systems like Dungeons and Dragons, Vampire the Masquerade, Kids on Bikes, etc in brief campaigns. Registration required. Group is currently full

Teen Lego Building, 12-18
Monday, Jun 21st, 3:00-4:00PM
Come in and create something with Lego. We will provide a challenge, but you are free to make your own creations too.

Teen Manga and Graphic Novel Discussion, 13-18
Tuesday, Jun 25th, 4:30-5:30PM
Meet with fellow fans of manga and graphic novels to discuss current reads, recent favorites, and upcoming releases that you might enjoy.

Tween Activities

Book Tasting, Ages 9-12
Friday, Jun 14th, 10:30-12PM
Try out new books and maybe find a new favorite, this book tasting will give kids a chance to sample a few pages or a chapter of several books to find something new to love.

Tween Anime Club, Ages 9-12
Tuesday, Jun 18th, 4:30-5:30
We'll talk about the anime we're watching, current favorites, and things that we're looking forward to.

Middle Grade Monday, Ages 10-14
Monday, Jun 3rd & 17th, 4:30-5:30
Meet with other tweens to hang out! This is a chance to talk to other kids about pop culture, we'll play games and have fun!

MG Mario Monday, Ages 10-14
Monday, Jun 10th, 4:30-5:30
Join us for some Mario games on our Nintendo Switch. We'll vote at the beginning on which game to play: Mario Kart, Mario Party, or Super Smash Bros!

Middle Grade Legos, 10-14
Monday, Jun 24th, 3:00-4:00PM

Tween Dungeons and Dragons, 9-12
Wednesday, Jun 12th & 26th, 4:00-5:30PM
We will be playing a one-shot session, a game that can be completed in one session. Spots are limited and filled on a first come first serve basis.
Warrior Cats Jeopardy, 9-14
Thursday, Jun 27th, 2:00PM
Test your knowledge on all things Warrior Cats! Compete in teams with fellow fans!

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Special Activities

Summer Reading Kickoff, All Ages

Tuesday, Jun 4th, 12-2PM

Join us for some fun in the sun! We'll be having a Foam Party outside with music and lots of bubbles! Make sure you wear comfortable clothes that dry off quick and a TOWEL!!

Mario Kart & Super Smash Bros, 5+

Tuesday, June 4th

Mario Kart, 3:00-4:00PM

Super Smash Bros, 4:00-5:00PM

What character will you choose! Join us for an afternoon of gaming on our Nintendo Switch, we'll start off with some racing and end with a Smash Bros Brawl!

Stage Combat Workshop, 11-12

Friday, Jun 21st, 2:00-3:00PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED!! Join the Kentucky Shakespeare Company as they teach us about how they've staged our favorite fights in TV and Movies. Learn the foundations of stage combat and safety, using swordplay or hand-to-hand combat, culminating in a staged fight at the end of the workshop!

Teen Lock-In, 15-18

Friday, Jun 28th, 6:00-9:30PM

REGISTRATION AND PERMISSION SLIP

REQUIRED!!! Hang out at the library after hours! We'll play games, have some snacks, and watch a movie together.

Family Programming

These programs are for all ages! We want to see the whole family at the library having fun with one another!

Family Game Night, All Ages

Wednesday, Jun 5th, 4-5:30

Friday, Jun 28th, 2:30-4:30

An afternoon of family fun! Borrow some family board games like Apples to Apples, Monopoly, Clue, and more! We'll give you a nice big space to play and all you have to worry about is having fun!

Ladybug Release, All Ages

Saturday, Jun 8th, 10AM

Join the Garden Club of Elizabethtown as they teach us about how ladybugs help pollinate the world around us. Then we'll get to release ladybugs into our freshly planted library garden!

Book Swap, All Ages

Wednesday, Jun 12, 5:00PM

Be here **AT 5PM** this event goes very, very fast! Bring books that you no longer want and swap them out for something new to read! Books should be in good condition, but otherwise all books are welcome!



Passive Programming

These reading events and challenges will last all summer! Grab one at the start and work on it at your pace!

Notice Board, Reading Challenge

There are three levels of this reading challenge, designed to help readers find new books to enjoy this summer. Challenges will be labeled as being for Preschool, Ages 5-12, and 13+ but challenges are up to interpretation so feel free to grab the sheet that sounds the most interesting. This challenge will give you coins to spend on special reading incentives.

Dungeon Crawl, Reading

Tracker/Minutes Log

Track the amount of time you spend reading this summer and try to defeat our dungeon! For every mini-boss (1hour) you read you can bring your sheet back to the library for a sticker you can use to help defeat our Summer Bad Guy!

The Amazing Race, Bookmobile Challenge

Follow our Bookmobile around Hardin County in this special challenge! Complete your sheet for a chance to win a special prize!

