Summer Reading Program

Berkley Public Library

June 16 - August 8



Sponsored by the Friends of the Berkley Library & Vibe Credit Union

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KIDS EVENTS

JUNE

Ice Cream Social

Monday, June 16, 6:00-8:00pm
Sign up for the reading challenge and enjoy some ice cream!
The party is hosted by the Friends of Berkley Public Library.

*Open Spot Theater

Friday, June 20, 2:00-3:00pm
Experience the three pillars of theater--singing, dancing, and acting--and then put them all together into a short play you'll perform at the end of the workshop!

*Gelli Plate Prints

Tuesday, June 24, 6:30-7:30pm Experiment with gelli plates and paint to create colorful, textured artworks!

*Reptiles with the Reptarium

Monday, June 30, 6:30-7:30pm

The Reptarium will bring the zoo to you! Meet and learn about several different reptiles.

JULY

*Pizza Play

Monday, July 7, 2:00-3:00pm

Run your own (pretend) pizza kitchen! Take orders, assemble pizzas, put them in the oven, and serve your customers. Then take a turn as the customer and place your order, and take your pizza creation home.

JULY

*Sock Puppets

Thursday, July 17, 2:00-3:00pm
Turn a sock into a new friend...or a
monster!

*Drummunity

Monday, July 21, 6:30-7:30pm

Join the drum circle! Have fun playing percussion instruments from all over the world and make music together as a group. No musical or percussion experience required—it's impossible to play out of tune!

*Clay Fish

Wednesday, July 30, 6:30-7:30pm Build your own fish sculpture with air dry clay! Clay dries firmly, no oven needed.

AUGUST

*Science Heroes: The Adventure of the Missing Color

Monday, August 4, 6:30-7:30pm
Through hands-on experiments and fun, interactive stories, we get kids excited about the science that's all around us as we celebrate the scientists who color our world with art!



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SIGN UP FOR THE READING CHALLENGE AT THE CHILDREN'S REFERENCE DESK! FILL OUT YOUR READING LOG TO EARN PRIZES ALL SUMMER LONG!



FAMILY STORYTIME

Tuesdays: June 17, July 1, 15, 29

10:30-11:00am

Join us for stories, rhymes, and songs! Activities will focus on ages 2-6, but all ages are welcome.



BABY PLAYTIME

Thursdays: June 19, 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, August 7

10:30-11:30am

Enjoy open-ended play with your infant and social interaction with other families. Our toys are best suited for 6 months-3 years.

Siblings welcome.



Tuesdays: June 24, July 8, 22, August 5

10:30-11:30am

We'll provide an assortment of simple crafts with a different theme each time. Pick and choose or complete them all at your own pace. Recommended for ages 3-10.



*Bonnie

Tuesdays: June 24, July 8, July 29, August 12 5:00-7:00pm

*Frodo Baggins Wednesdays: June 25, July 16, August 13 1:00-3:00pm



Make your reading even more fun by sharing a book with a friendly certified therapy dog! Sign up for a 15 minute time slot.



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