



YOUTH EVENTS

SOUTH SIDE LIBRARY

July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Saturday Art Special: Cupcake Liner Firework Pictures ■● 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
2	3 *Kids in the Kitchen ●* 2:30-3:30 PM. Kindergarten - 5th Grade. Family Storytime ■● 6:30-7:00 PM	4	5 Toddler Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM Teen Life: How To Get a Job ★ 2:30-3:30 PM. Grades 6-12.	6 Sunshine Storytime ■● 10:00-11:00 AM	7	8 Saturday Art Special: Coloring Day! ■● 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
9 CLOSED	10 World for Wildlife with the Blank Park Zoo ■● 6:30-7:00 PM	11 CLOSED	12 Toddler Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM Teen Life: How To Apply For a Job ★ 2:30-3:30 PM. Grades 6-12.	13 Preschool Storytime with Rosie the Reader ■● 10:00-10:30 AM	14	15 Saturday Art Special: Paper Bag Puppets ■● 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Furry Tales ■● 11:00 AM - Noon
16	17 Family Storytime ■● 6:30-7:00 PM Teen Maker Lab ★ 2:30-3:30 PM Grades 6-12.	18	19 Toddler Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM *Teen Life: Ace Your Job Interview!★★* 2:30-4:30 PM. Grades 6-12.	20 Preschool Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM	21	22 STEM Storytime: Water Play! ■● 10:00-10:30 AM Saturday Art Special: Abstract Crayon Pictures ■● 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
23	24 *Teen Art Expressions with the DM Art Center ★★* 2:30-3:30 PM. Grades 6-12. Family Storytime ■● 6:30-7:00 PM	25	26 Toddler Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM *Teen Art Expressions with the DM Art Center ★★* 2:30-3:30 PM. Grades 6-12.	27 Preschool Storytime ■ 10:00-10:30 AM	28	29 Saturday Art Special: Art Cart ■● 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
30	31 *Healthy Teen Snacks with Hy-Vee ★★* 2:30-3:30 PM. Grades 6-12. Family Storytime ■● 6:30-7:00 PM		<p>Notes: See back of the sheet for program descriptions. * = Preregistration required. <u>Go to DMPL.ORG/EVENTS or call 515.283.4152.</u></p>			<p>KEY</p> <p>■ = Ages 0-5 ● = Elementary ★ = Teens</p>

Children's Programs:

NEW! Saturday Art Specials: Bring the family to the Children's Area at South for the following make and take crafts:

- **July 1:** Make a **Cupcake Liner Fireworks Picture!**
- **July 8: Coloring Day!**: Choose a variety of coloring pages to color!
- **July 15:** Create a **Paper Bag Puppet!**
- **July 22:** Color an **Abstract Crayon Picture!**
- **July 29: Art Cart:** Use our supplies to make and take a picture!

All materials will be provided. For Preschool - Elementary. These are drop-in, unsupervised programs. Parent or guardian must be present with children. Crafts are available while supplies last. Saturdays, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

NEW! Kids in the Kitchen: *NOTE: Registration for this event closed in May. Please check with the Youth Librarian to see about possible openings.*

Does your child love to cook? Join the Iowa State University Extension to learn how to make easy, kid friendly snacks. For youth entering Kindergarten - 5th Grade.

Preregistration required. Register online at dmpl.org or call 515-283-4152.

Space is limited. Groups may not register for this program. Monday, 7/3 from 2:30-3:30 PM.

Family Storytime: Bring the family for an evening of stories, songs, and occasional crafts! It's a great way for busy and working caregivers to relax and listen to stories with their children. All Ages. Mondays, 6:30-7:00 PM.

Toddler Storytime: Toddlers and caregivers can enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes with Miss Janee. Ages 18 months - 3 years. Wednesdays at 10:00 AM.

NEW! Sunshine Storytime: Children can listen to engaging stories, songs and rhymes on our lawn this summer! After storytime, families can play with a parachute, blow bubbles, and enjoy other outdoor activities. In case of rain, storytime will be held in the Meeting Room. For Preschool - 1st Grade. Thursday, 7/6, from 10:00-11:00 AM.

NEW! World for Wildlife with the Blank Park Zoo: Kids and families! Join Blank Park Zoo educators as they show kids how they can make the world a better place for animals! Kids can see four animals and learn about their habitats in this special evening program! For Preschool-Elementary. Monday, 7/10 at 6:30 PM.

NEW! Preschool Storytime with Rosie the Reader!: Kids! Come listen to stories and wiggle to fun songs with the library's mascot, Rosie the Reader! Families can also meet Rosie and get their picture taken with her!

For Preschool - 1st Grade. Thursday, 7/13 from 10:00-10:30 AM.

Furry Tales: Come read a story to Caper, the therapy dog! Caper is a friendly Pembroke Welsh Corgi who loves to hear stories. Walk in and choose a book to read to Caper! Preschool - 5th Grade. Saturday, 7/15 from 11:00 AM - Noon.

NEW! STEM Storytime: Water Play!: Kids and families! Join us for our science-themed storytime offered on the fourth Saturday of the month! Kids can listen to stories about water, and afterwards, experiment and play with water with our hands on stations! **For Ages 3-8.** Saturday, 7/22 from 10:00-10:30 AM.

Teen Summer Learning Workshops (For Teens Entering Grades 6 – 12):

NEW! Teen Life Series: The Teen Life workshops are geared to teach teens how to find jobs, what to write on an application, and practice their skills for a job interview. Join Janee and Hy-Vee Human Resources Director Abbie Olson as we share tips to help teens find jobs. Snacks will be provided.

- **July 5: How To Look for a Job:** Teens will learn tips on where, and how, to look for a job. **2:30-3:30 PM.**
- **July 12: How To Fill Out a Job Application:** Teens applying for jobs can learn how to properly fill out an application, learn the importance of having an appropriate e-mail address (and voicemail), and teens will get to practice filling out a job application. **2:30-3:30 PM.**
- *** July 19: Ace Your Job Interview!:** Teens can practice their interviewing skills by participating in a mock interview. Local job recruiters will interview teens and give them feedback on what to do for a real interview. **Preregistration required. Register online at dmpl.org/events/calendar or call 515-283-4152. 2:30-4:30 PM.**

NEW! July 17: Teen Maker Lab: Teens can visit the Teen Maker Lab to create with our STEM stations. Build with our Little Bits kit, explore our Snap Circuits, or play Minecraft on our tablets, and more! **2:30-3:30 PM.**

***NEW! July 24 and July 26: Teen Art Expressions with the DM Art Center:** Teens can learn still-life observation drawing and painting skills from the DM Art Center in this two-part art series for free! Teens will start with a conceptual drawing on July 24. On July 26, teens will apply paints and color to their art. All materials will be provided. **Preregistration is required for both events. 2:30-3:30 PM.**

***NEW! July 31: Healthy Teen Snacks with Hy-Vee:** Are you hungry? Bring your taste buds and learn how to make healthy snacks with Hy-Vee Registered Dietitian Anne Cundiff! Teens will prepare yogurt parfaits, energy bites, and a hummus pizza dip! All supplies will be provided. ***Preregistration required. Register online at dmpl.org/events/calendar or call 515-283-4152. Space is limited. 2:30-3:30 PM.**

Coming In August:

NEW! Teen Scholarship Search 101: High school juniors, seniors and parents! Learn tips on where, and how, to search for scholarships for college and learn about scholarship books for check-out! **For Teens entering Grades 9 - 12.** Wednesday, 8/2 from 2:30-3:30 PM.