



Reading

Movies

Art

at Riverside Public Library

Crafts

Fun

Summer 2009
Reading Program &
Activities for Kids up to age 10

Registration for the Summer Reading Program begins **Thursday, June 4th** and runs through the end of June. Pick up your first of 5 reading cards at registration. With each card you finish, you receive a prize. Choose to become a Master Reader and your name will be added to our Master Reader bookshelf, and you will get an additional prize for your efforts.

Be Creative: read magazines, comics, picture books, novels--it's your choice! Finish all 5 cards and you've earned the final prize of a book or the chance to put a special bookplate with YOUR NAME in a book of your choice here at the Library. Stop in at the Library often for weekly drawings, to peer out from our "masterpiece box" (you'll want to bring your camera!), and to share in all the **Be Creative** activities on the reverse side of this sheet. **Registration for the Be Creative reading program and activities**

on the reverse side is limited to Riverside residents only.



Olde Fashioned 4th of July CARNIVAL is BACK!

June 29th- July 2nd from 11am - 3pm

The Story-time Room will be alive all week for families to play their favorite carnival games. Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult.

No registration required.



Riverside Reads SHAKESPEARE!

Join us at the Library as we read Shakespeare this summer. As a family, your options are wide open: read or listen to original Shakespeare plays, or choose from the Library's list of juvenile and young adult literature related to Shakespeare, including storybooks, novels, biographies, a 2010 Caudill nominee, and an easy chapter book! Each family member can choose which book they wish to read.

Sign up anytime in June!

On **Wednesday, July 29th**, we'll join together in a **Family Festival** to share all things Shakespearean.

Be Creative and discover the drama, humor and richness of Shakespeare with your family.

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BOLD PLANS – BIG DREAMS...

BUILDING YOUR PLACE IN RIV- ERSIDE



To celebrate the Centennial of the Burnham Plan, the Library is inviting children of all ages to mark their place on the map of Riverside.

Interested participants will build replicas of their homes or businesses, and will have the opportunity to become part of

Riverside's Big Map which will be on display beginning in August. Replicas of schools, churches and other major landmarks will also be included.

If you are interested in participating, please sign up at the Youth or Adult Services departments and you will be contacted as more information becomes available.

Sign Up Every Friday!

Be Creative @ Your Library Programs

Registration for each of the programs in this box starts the Friday prior to the date of the program. **Sign-up dates are in parentheses following the program date.** Register in person, by phone or email. Programs are for ages 5 and up, unless noted. Children under 6 need an adult present in the room.

- Tuesday, June 9th (6/5)
Yarn Crafts! 10:15 am & 1:15 pm
- Wednesday, June 10th (6/5)
Tangram/Cut & Tell Stories, 1:15 & 3 pm
- Monday, June 15th (6/12)
Learn to Draw Manga & Naruto Anime Film for Ages 10+ 3 pm
- Tuesday, June 16th (6/12)
This is Not a Box!, 10:15 am & 1:30 pm
- Wednesday, June 17th (6/12)
Theatre Games for Ages 9+, 1:15 pm
- Tuesday, June 23rd (6/19)
Decorate Hats, Bags & Backpacks, 10:15 am & 1:30 pm
- Wednesday, June 24th (6/19)
Eric Carle Art & Birthday, 1:15 & 3 pm
- Wednesday, July 8th (7/2)
Puppets for Ages 7+, 1:15 pm
- Wednesday, July 15th (7/10)
Origami Paper Airplanes For Ages 9+, 1:15 pm
- Tuesday, July 21st (7/17)
Scratchboard Art, 10:15 am & 1:30 pm
- Wednesday, July 22nd (7/17)
Giacometti Statues/Frank Lloyd Wright Art Glass for Ages 8+, 1:15 pm



Sign Up Anytime

Registration for these programs is required, and will be accepted anytime starting June 4th. Register in person, by phone or email.

Lunchtime Book Discussions at the Library @ 12:15pm

- Bring your lunch to the Library and talk about books!
- Monday, June 22nd: Tale of Despereaux** -- after we talk about the book, we'll watch the movie!
- Tuesday, July 7th: 39 Clues Series** -- be a part of the action, adventure in this hot new series!
- Tuesday, July 14th: Amelia Bedelia's Birthday!**
- read an Amelia Bedelia book & join in the silly fun!

Drop-In Programs

Monday Movies @ 1:15 pm

Free popcorn! No registration required. Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult.

- June 8th: **Hotel for Dogs** (PG, 100 min.)
- June 15th: **Double Feature! Peter & the Wolf** (45 min.)
Linnea in Monet's Garden (30 min.)
- June 22nd: **Tale of Despereaux** (G, 94 min.)
- June 29th: **Bedtime Stories** (PG, 99 min.)
- July 6th: **Bolt** (PG, 96 min.)
- July 13th: **Spectacular** (93 min.)
- July 20th: **Double Feature!** (G, 2 hrs)
Shelley Duvall's Faerie Tale Theatre,
Speed Racer (PG, 135 min.)
- July 27th:

Book Chat @ 12:15!

More Movies!!

- June 29th-July 2nd: **BEATLES FILM FEST — 3 pm daily**
- Thursday, July 16th starting @ 1 pm: **Harry Potter Marathon**

Wednesday Storytimes

June 10th through July 29th at 10 am
Let's meet at the Reading Circle in front of the Library for stories and fun. If weather prohibits, meet in the Library. No registration--all ages welcome!

Pee Wee Picasso Club

Wednesdays at 1:15pm
June 17th • July 8th • July 15th • July 22nd
Arts & crafts for kids ages 7 and under. No sign-up needed. Children under 5 must be with an adult. Limited to first 15 participants.

Lego Masters Club

Thursdays from 1:15-3 pm
June 18th • July 16th • July 30th
We've got the Legos—you bring your ideas. No sign-up needed. For ages 5 and up. Limited to first 15 participants.

Bingo on Thursdays @ 1:15 pm

June 11th • June 25th • July 9th • July 23rd
No sign-up needed. Children under 7 must be with an adult.

Open Chess Thursdays, 3-4:45 pm

June 18th • July 16th • July 30rd
No sign-up needed. All ages welcome.

Board Games for Ages 10+ Thursdays @ 1:15 pm

June 11th • June 25th • July 9th • July 23rd
No sign-up needed. Drop in for games & snacks!