

McArthur Public Library Events

September 2017



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SPECIAL EVENTS:



Yoga Play - Fridays, 10:00-11:00 AM

Join us on Friday mornings for a new recurring children's program as we integrate yoga, stories and play. A short interactive story incorporating yoga will be followed by free play time. Geared for kids 2-5 years old and their caregivers.

School Early Release PokeHunt - Wednesday, September 13th, 2:00-4:00 PM

Join the kids' room staff as we hunt for Pokemon around the library. Kids are encouraged to battle and trade the cards that they find!



Talk Like A Pirate Day - Tuesday, September 19th, Drop in from 2:00-7:00 PM

Drop in anytime between 2:00 - 7:00 PM and participate in a variety of pirate activities! Go on a treasure hunt, find out your pirate name, learn how to tie a sailor's knot and more. Wear your favorite pirate garb or come as you are. All ages are welcome.

Pajama Story Time - Monday, September 25th, 6:30 PM

Bring your little ones ready for bed and we will share some of our favorite bedtime stories together!



McArthur Library Book Club's Tenth Anniversary

In honor of the McArthur Library Book Club's tenth anniversary and Jane Austen's Bicentenary, we have planned the following events:

Becoming Jane Film Showing - Friday, September 8th, 2:30 PM

Come enjoy a free screening of the film *Becoming Jane*.

Book Club 10th Anniversary - Wednesday, September 13th, 6:00-7:30 PM

This month's book selection is *The Jane Austen Book Club*, by Karen Joy Fowler

Pride and Prejudice Discussion - Wednesday, September 20th, 3:00 PM

Join us to participate in a discussion of Austen's classic *Pride and Prejudice*.

Jane Austen Tea & Craft Time - Thursday, September 21st, 3:00 PM

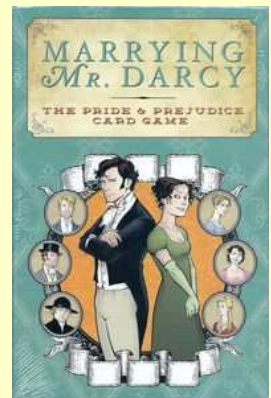
Enjoy light refreshments while you work on an Austen-inspired craft.

Jane Austen Card Game - Friday, September 22nd, 1:00 PM

Come play *Marrying Mr. Darcy: The Pride and Prejudice Card Game*

Pride and Prejudice Film Showing - Wednesday, September 27th, 6:00 PM

Come enjoy a free screening of the film adaptation of *Pride and Prejudice*.



SAVE THE DATE! School Early Release Activity

Wednesday, October 18th, 2:00 PM



Join us in the kids' room as we welcome Liza Garner Walsh author of *The Ghost Hunter's Handbook*. Liza will walk us through how to conduct a real ghost hunt. More info coming soon!

COMING UP! October is Family History Month at McArthur Library

Interested in researching your family history, but not sure where to start? Keep an eye out for presentations and workshops throughout the month of October about genealogy resources available to you in the library and beyond!



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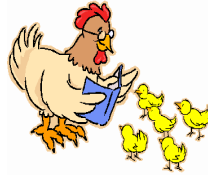
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REGULAR EVENTS:

Children's Programs

Baby & Me - Tuesdays, 10:00-10:20 AM

An interactive lap sit program for babies 0-18 months and their caregivers. Introduce your baby to the wonderful world of books through songs, rhymes and adult/child book sharing time.



Toddler Time - Wednesdays, 10:00-10:30 AM

A language enrichment program geared for children 18-36 months. Join us for beginning story books, rhymes and music & movement activities.

Preschool Story Time - Thursdays, 10:00-10:45 AM

A language enrichment program geared for children 3-6 years old. Join us for stories, rhymes, music, crafts and more!

Yoga Play - Fridays, 10:00-11:00 AM

Join us on Friday mornings as we integrate yoga, stories and play. A short interactive story incorporating yoga will be followed by free play time. Geared for kids 2-5 years old and their caregivers.

Block Party - Saturdays, between 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

Join us for a LEGO Block Party. Stop in and show off your creativity and super building skills by tackling a suggested challenge with the library's LEGO bricks.

Teen Programs

Teen Lounge - Tuesdays, 3:00-4:30 PM

Teens in grades 6-12, drop in after school for crafts, video games, laptop computers and to hang out with friends in the community room.

Teen Anime Club -

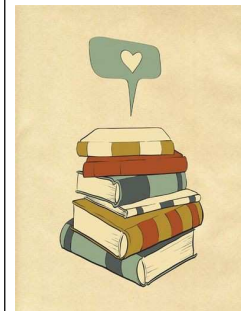
Friday, September 15th 3:00-4:30 PM

Join us to geek out over your favorite anime, practice manga-style drawing and make and enjoy crafts and snacks. All teen anime fans are welcome!



Book Ninjas Teen Book Group -

Friday, September 29th, 3:30-4:30 PM



Avid readers in grades 6-12 are invited to our monthly teen book group. Pick from a large selection of advanced reader copies and talk about whatever you've been reading!

Adult Programs

Adult Book Group - Wednesday, September 13th, 6:00-7:30 PM

Discuss this month's selection with a wonderful, lively group of people. New members are always welcome!

This month's selection: The Jane Austen Book Club by Karen Joy Fowler

As six Californians get together to form a book club to discuss the novels of Jane Austen, their lives are turned upside down by troubled marriages, illicit affairs, changing relationships, and love.



Knitting Time - Fridays, 10:00 AM

Join us for social knitting and crocheting time. Beginners welcome!

