

SUMMER

PROGRAMS

Build a Better World Summer Library Program May 30 - July 28, All locations

Read, play, and build with us this summer, all while making our community a better place! Complete fun challenges at any library location to help us support the Coulee Region Humane Society. Sign up for our activity sheets (ages 0-3) and our reading challenge (preschoolers-5th graders) at the library or online with Beanstack (lacrosselibrary.beanstack.org). **Best for ages 0-11**



STORYTIME

June 6 - July 15. Registration begins May 30

Bouncing Babies (0-9 months) *REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Wednesdays, 12-12:45 pm, Main Library

Little Movers (10-23 months) *REGISTRATION REQUIRED

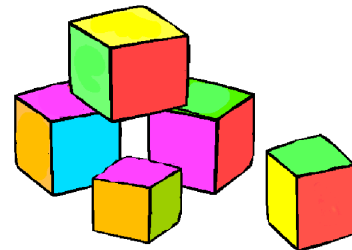
Tuesdays, 9:30-10:15 am, Main Library
Tuesdays, 10:30-11:15 am, Main Library
Wednesdays, 10:00-10:45 am, Main Library

Terrific Twos (2 years)

Thursdays, 10:30-11:15 am, Main Library

Family Storytime (For Children of All Ages)

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:15 am, South Community Library (enter through back @ 10:15)
Wednesdays, 5:30-6:00 pm, South Community Library (no evening storytime on June 14 or July 12)
Thursdays, 9:30-10:15 am, North Community Library (enter through back @ 9:15)
Saturdays, 10:30-11:00 am, Main Library (includes crafts and treats!)



COMMUNITY STORYTIMES

Cameron Park Farmer's Market Storytime (For Children of All Ages)

Every Friday in May, June, & July, 4:30-5:00 pm
Saturday, May 6, June 3, July 29, 9:30-10:00 am

Poolside Storytime (For Children of All Ages)

Monday, June 12, July 10, August 14, 1:00-1:30 pm, Erickson Pool
Monday, June 12, July 10, August 14, 3:00-3:30 pm, North Side Community Pool



JUNE

Summer Library Carnival

Tuesday June 6, 2-4 pm, Main Library

Are you ready to play? Come for games, face painting, inflatables, and more during this special summer reading kick-off! Free water will be provided by Festival Foods. **For Children of All Ages**

Poké-Party

Tuesday June 13, 2:30-3:30 pm, North Community Library

Calling all Pokémon trainers! Don't miss this afternoon of games, crafts, and activities. You'll want to catch it all. **Best for Ages 5+**

Foam Fest 2017

Wednesday June 14, 4:00-5:00 pm, South Community Library

Wear your swim gear and get ready to party it up in never ending foam! We will also have an airbrush tattoo station and photo booth. Come for the party, stay for pizza sold by Ole's Pizza Truck. **For Children of All Ages**

Marsh Walk

Friday June 16, 10:00-10:45 am, Myrick Hixon Park

Gather at the east end of the Myrick Park Center parking lot for a "story walk" along the marsh trail to the piers. Along the way, we'll stop and tell a story about marsh critters and learn a few facts with Stephanie of Wiscorps. Discover the beauty in our backyard! **Best for Ages 4+**

All About Animals

Tuesday June 20, 2:00-3:00 pm, Main Library Auditorium

Do you love animals? Join us as the Upper Mississippi Conservatory Program shares information about habitats and adaptations of animals in the Coulee Region. **For Children of All Ages**

Wild Rumpus Storytimes

Wednesday June 21, 5:00-6:00 pm, South Community Library

Thursday June 22, 9:30-10:00 am, North Community Library

Visit with one of the Wild Things from *Where the Wild Things Are* while we read stories and follow up with crafts and fun! **For Children of All Ages**

Egg Drop Challenge

Tuesday June 27, 2:00-3:00 pm, Main Library

Engineer a contraption to protect a raw egg from cracking when it is dropped from way up high! Bring materials from home or try out our supplies. Will your egg be safe or will it go SPLAT? **Best for ages 5+**



JULY

Tie Dye Fun

Wednesday July 5, 2:30-3:30 pm, North Community Library

Bring your own shirt, pillowcase, socks, or tote to create a tie dye masterpiece! We will provide the dye and the space to get messy! **For Children of All Ages**

Frozen Party

Monday July 10, 10:00-10:45 am, Main Library Auditorium

Break out your best *Frozen* outfit and get ready for a magical *Frozen* morning! Special guests Anna and Elsa will be having a sing-along, dance-along, taking pictures, and making crafts during this special event. **For Children of All Ages**

Rockin' Rubik's Cube

Tuesday July 11, 2:00-3:00 pm, Main Library Auditorium

You CAN do the cube! Learn to solve the Rubik's cube, challenge your friends to a race, or work with other to create a Rubik's Cube mosaic. All skill levels are welcome. **Best for ages 5+**

Traveling Lantern Theater

Wednesday July 12, 5:00-6:30 pm, South Community Library

Join us for this interactive, outdoor performance of *The Ribbles Build a Residence*. Our sponsor, Ole's Pizza Truck, will be selling pizza onsite for those interested in making it dinner and a show! **For Children of All Ages**

Wet & Wild Relays

Tuesday July 18, 2:30-3:30 pm, South Community Library

Are you ready to get soaked? Be sure to bring a towel, sunscreen, and your swimsuits for water relays galore! **Ages 5+**

LC3: La Crosse Comic Con @ the Library

July 21-July 23, Main Library

Join the library and local community partners for this three day, FREE event celebrating everything we love from comic books to pop culture. We have an action-packed schedule with something for all ages, including open gaming and a special Superhero themed Saturday storytime at 10:30. Feel free to come in costume! Learn more at <http://yourlc3.weebly.com> **For Children of All Ages**

Parkour-Palooza

Tuesday July 25, 2:00-3:00 pm, Main Library

Join the YMCA Parkour instructors for a demonstration of this fun and exciting sport on our Main street lawn. Get ready to learn some moves of your own! **Best for Ages 5+**



AUGUST

Around the World Storytime

Tuesdays, 10:30-11:15 am, Main Library

Help us celebrate songs, stories, activities, and authors from around the globe in this multicultural storytime! **For Children of All Ages**



Get Appy

Wednesdays, 5:30-6:15 pm, Main Library

Discover new apps in this digital storytime for the whole family! You'll learn about the best apps on the market for kids and best practices for incorporating apps into a healthy family lifestyle. **For Children of All Ages**

Celebrate Reading @ the Pool

Friday August 4, Erickson Pool & North Side Community Pool

Nothing beats reading a good book by the pool! Bring a completed Summer Reading Sheet from the La Crosse Public Library (or your library card) for free entry OR donate a kid's book at the pool for free admission all day! The library will have snacks and activities at Erickson Pool from 12:30-2:00 pm and the North Side Community Pool from 3:00-4:30 pm. **For Children of All Ages**

Get Up and Go Day

Saturday August 5, 10:00-12:00pm, Main Library

Join in the fun for Wisconsin Public Television's annual PBS Kids Get Up and Go! Day! This fun-filled, free event encourages children to live healthy and active lives. Featuring music, dancing, hands-on activities and crafts, community organizations and more, this day will be full of activity. Our friends Daniel the Tiger and Nature Cat will even be visiting! Families, day care groups and other childcare organizations are welcome to attend. **For Children of All Ages**



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North Library, 1552 Kane St, 789-7102

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