


| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| MAY 2019 YOUTH EVENTS | | | 1 Children's Book Week Storytime @LL 11-12 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 Drop-In Day @MD 3-5 LEGO Club @CE 4-6 | 2 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 Author Brooke Hartman @CE 10:30 | 3 Read with Royalty @MV 11, @LL 4 Wee Be Jammin' @MD 11 Pokemon the Card Game @MV 2-4 Family Movie @CE 4-6 | 4 LEGO Club @LL 10:15-12 Children's Book Week Chapter Book Storytime @MD 11:30 PAWSitive Reading @LL 2:30-4:30 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 Bite-Sized Science @LL 11 Teen Game Day @MD 3-5 | 8 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 Drop-In Day @MD 3-5 Science in the Library @CE 4-5 | 9 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 | 10 Books and Blocks @MD 11 National Parks Program @MV 3-4 Family Movie @CE 4-6 | 11 <i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i> Storytime @MV 11 LEGO Club @MD 2-4 Magic: The Gathering @LL 2-4 Free Comic Book Day @ALL LOCATIONS all day |
| 12 | 13 | 14 Wee Be Jammin' @LL 11 Teen Game Day @MD 3-5 | 15 <i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i> Storytime @MD 11:30 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 Drop-In Day @MD 3-5 LEGO Club @CE 4-6 | 16 <i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i> Storytime @CE 11 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 | 17 <i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i> Storytime @GR 11 Wee Be Jammin' @MD 11 Teen Writing Society @MV 3-4 Family Movie @CE 4-6 | 18 LEGO Club @GR 12-2, @MV 1-3 Reading Rendezvous @LL 12-4 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 Teen Game Day @MD 3-5 | 22 Activities for After School @MV 3-4 Drop-In Day @MD 3-5 Teen Writing Society @LL 3:30-5 Science in the Library @CE 4-5 | 23 Teen 3D Design @MV 2-3 K-Pop Party @LL 6-7:30 | 24 Books and Blocks @MD 11 Drive-In Movie @MV 3-6 Family Movie @CE 4-6 | 25 Pokemon the Card Game @LL 4-5 <div style="background-color: #cccccc; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> CE, GR, MD & MV Branches closed for Memorial Day </div> |
| 26 | 27 All locations closed for Memorial Day | 28 Teen Game Day @MD 3-5 | 29 Summer Crafts! @MV 2-3 Drop-In Day @MD 3-5 LEGO Club @CE 4-6 | 30 Solar System Fun! @MV 2-3 | 31 National Parks Program @MV 11-12 Anime Club @MV 3-5 Family Movie @CE 4-6 |  ANCHORAGE PUBLIC LIBRARY |

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Loussac
- @CE
Chugiak-Eagle River
- @GR
Gerrish (Girdwood)
- @MD
Muldoon
- @MV
Mountain View

Get Updates by Text Message!

Text **YOUTH to 888777** for updates on all kids' events!

Text **EARLYLIT to 888777** for updates on events for children 5 & under

Reading Rendezvous

SATURDAY, MAY 18
12-4 PM

LOUSSAC LIBRARY LAWN

Kick off Summer Discovery with our 19th annual Reading Rendezvous. Sign up for Summer Discovery 2019, then enjoy booths and entertainment. See you there!

Summer Discovery

Starting May 18th, you can sign up for Summer Discovery at any library. Keep track of your reading, learning, and discovery activities and earn prizes this summer! For all ages, May 18-31

www.anchoragelibrary.org

WEEKLY STORYTIMES

ON HIATUS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY. STORYTIMES WILL RESUME JUNE 3.

COMING SOON: SUMMER DISCOVERY SPECIAL EVENTS

Every week in June and July we welcome a different performer or exciting program for school age children, their family, and their caregivers

READERS TO THE RESCUE!

Read for charity! After you finish your Summer Discovery goal, keep going. The more you read, the more you give! This year's charity is HUGSS, Helping Us Give School Supplies.

All children 8 & younger must be supervised by someone 14 years or older.

EVENTS FOR 5 & UNDER

AUTHOR BROOKE HARTMAN (CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER)

Local children's book author Brooke Hartman will join us for a story and book signing of her latest book *Dream Flights on Arctic Nights*.

BITE-SIZED SCIENCE (LOUSSAC)

Join us for brief, preschool-gear'd tidbits of STEM concepts! We'll read a themed non-fiction picture book before talking about how it relates to our lives & making a craft.

BOOKS AND BLOCKS (MULDOON)

Join us for stories and construction fun with blocks, gears and other building materials.

Ages 5 & under with their family.

CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK STORYTIME (LOUSSAC)

Celebrate the 100th anniversary of Children's Book Week. Storytime and a special craft. For ages 3-5.

WEE BE JAMMIN' (LOUSSAC & MULDOON)

Come have fun at the library with music, movement, & simple instruments. Introduce your little one to all things music, from shakers to clapping. Good singing voice not required!

EVENTS FOR FAMILIES & ALL AGES

DRIVE-IN MOVIE (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Come in and build a cardboard vehicle to watch a movie in!

FAMILY MOVIE (CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER)

Join us for a new or classic family movie!

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY (ALL LOCATIONS)

Thanks to a partnership with Bosco's, the library will offer child-friendly comics for Free Comic Book Day! Come in, get some comics, and join this national celebration!

LEGO CLUB (ALL LOCATIONS)

Join us for LEGO club. Test your creativity: build a city or a spaceship or whatever you like! School age children encouraged, but there will be blocks for younger siblings.

READ WITH ROYALTY (LOUSSAC & MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Dress up in your fanciest clothes to come enjoy thirty minutes of stories and songs with some beloved princesses!

SUMMER CRAFTS! (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Come in and make fun crafts and projects this summer.

YOUTH EVENTS AGES 6+

ACTIVITIES FOR AFTER SCHOOL (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Join us for after school fun with station'd activities: coloring, board games, play-dough, origami, video games & more.

CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK CHAPTER BOOK STORYTIME (MULDOON)

Celebrate the 100th anniversary of Children's Book Week. We'll be reading *The Mysterious Howling* by Maryrose Wood.

DROP IN DAY (MULDOON)

It's afterschool fun at the Muldoon Library with Chromebook and iPad access, board games, card games, plus arts & crafts! Grades 3-12.

NATIONAL PARKS PROGRAM (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Join us for engaging, interactive presentations & demonstrations by rangers & volunteers from the National Parks Service.

PAWSITIVE READING (LOUSSAC)

Read to a service dog in a 20-minute session. A great opportunity for reluctant or struggling readers grades K-4 to practice reading aloud! All sessions are first-come, first served. Final session begins 4:15 pm.

POKEMON THE CARD GAME (LOUSSAC & MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Mix, mingle, and battle with other Pokemon TCG trainers. Bosco's representatives will be on-site to show you how to play.

SCIENCE IN THE LIBRARY (CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER)

Join us for science-oriented games, crafts & activities! For children ages 4-10.

SOLAR SYSTEM FUN! (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Learn about our sun and the planets around the earth and have fun doing it! Come learn with us if you know a lot about space or not.

TEEN EVENTS AGES 12-18

ANIIME CLUB (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Watch anime, talk manga, meet other who like anime, manga & Japanese culture.

K-POP PARTY (LOUSSAC)

Calling all ARMYs, Blinks and EXO-Ls! Watch MVs, try Korean snacks and vote for your bias. You'll purple this good time.

MAGIC: THE GATHERING (LOUSSAC)

Join Anchorage Public Library for an afternoon of TEENS ONLY Magic the Gathering. All skill levels and formats welcome.

TEEN 3D DESIGN (MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Join us to learn the basics of 3D design software & create a cool object that will be printed here on our 3D printer.

TEEN GAMES (MULDOON)

It's afterschool fun with video games, board games, & card games!

TEEN WRITING SOCIETY (LOUSSAC & MOUNTAIN VIEW)

Join other teens in exploring the creative process. Come discuss your writing projects, whether they are novels, short stories, poetry, plays, screenplays, and more!

IF YOU GIVE A MOUSE A COOKIE STORYTIME

Join us as we read this classic story written by Laura Numeroff, meet the Cookie Mouse in person, and do a fun activity!

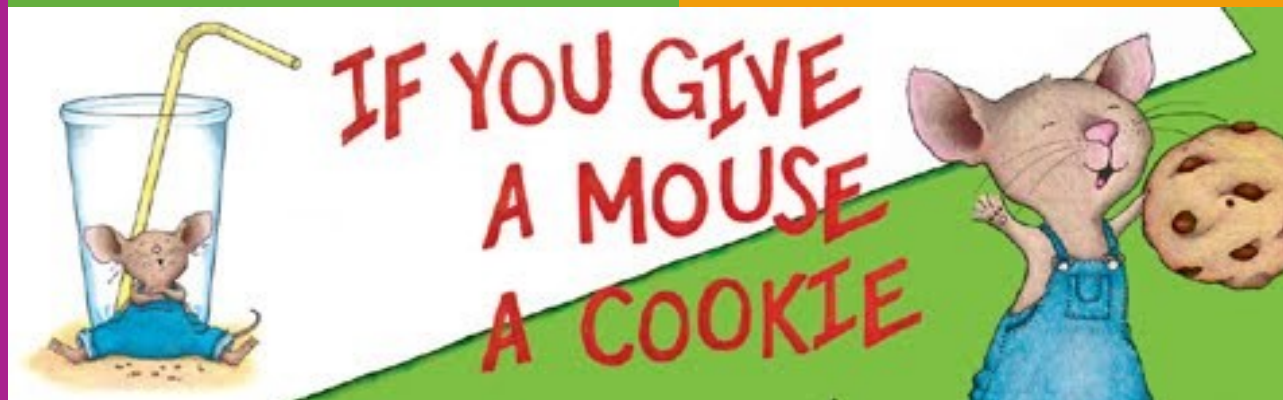
Saturday, May 11, 11am — Mountain View Library

Wednesday, May 15, 11:30am — Muldoon Library

Thursday, May 16, 11am — Chugiak-Eagle River Library

Friday, May 17, 11am — Gerrish Library

The Cookie Mouse will also be making an appearance during Reading Rendezvous at the Loussac Library on May 18.



Chugiak-Eagle River

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Mountain View

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Muldoon

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