

# APRIL 2025

## EVENTS

## Chugiak-Eagle River Library

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TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 10:30 AM Family Storytime	5
8 1 PM Create Something Special 6-7:30 PM Max Brallier, Author Visit	9	10	11 10:30 AM Family Storytime	12 10:30 AM Preschool Open Play All Day Design Your Own Bookmark
15	16	17 Library Closed For Staff Training	18 10:30 AM Family Storytime	19 10 AM-12 PM Eagle River Fiber Spinners 3-5 PM Genealogy Workshop
22	23 3-4:30 PM PAWSitive Reading	24 10:30 AM WIC Mommy and Me Class 3:30-5:30 PM Lego Club	25 10:30 AM Family Storytime	26 11 AM Countdown to Kindergarten
29	30	Drawn to the Library! National Library Week, April 6-12 Explore, become inspired, and connect with Anchorage Public Library during this annual celebration.		

### HOURS OF OPERATION

**Tuesday:** 11:00am—6:00pm

**Wednesday:** 10:00am—6:00pm

**Thursday:** 10:00am—6:00pm

**Friday:** 10:00am—6:00pm

**Saturday:** 10:00am—6:00pm

**Sunday:** CLOSED

**Monday:** CLOSED

### MEET BESTSELLING KIDS BOOK AUTHOR MAX BRALLIER!

***Tuesday, April 8, 6-7:30 PM***

Bestselling author of the *Last Kids on Earth*, which has been turned into a Netflix series, and creator and author of the *Eerie Elementary* series, Max will talk about his works, writing process and his journey to becoming an author. Book signing following the event. Limit 2 books signed per person.



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PUBLIC LIBRARY

[anchoragelibrary.org](http://anchoragelibrary.org)

## PRESCHOOL

### FAMILY STORYTIME

*Fridays @ 10:30 AM*

A half hour of stories, songs, and movement that build early literacy skills. It's a blend of fun and education for children birth through kindergarten and their caregivers.

### PRESCHOOL OPEN PLAY

*Saturday, Apr. 12, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM*

Drop in and enjoy our space to meet and socialize with other caregivers and preschoolers. Play with the library's toys, look at books, and have fun!

### MOMMY AND ME EXERCISE

#### CLASS WITH WIC EAGLE RIVER

*Thursday, Apr. 24, 10:30 AM*

Come experience music and motion! Bring your preschooler for a good time of moving around and gaining ideas for indoor activities at home.

### COUNTDOWN TO

#### KINDERGARTEN

*Saturday, Apr. 26, 11 AM*

Build your child's kindergarten skills with stories, songs, and play! For ages 3-5 with caregiver. Find out more at [www.asdk12.org/countdowntokindy](http://www.asdk12.org/countdowntokindy)

## SCHOOL-AGE

### DESIGN YOUR OWN BOOKMARK

*Saturday, Apr. 12, ALL DAY*

Celebrate National Library Week by designing your own custom bookmark. Supplies provided, just bring your love of the library!

### PAWSITIVE READING

*Wednesday, Apr. 23, 3-4:30 PM*

Read to a therapy dog. Reading sessions are 10-15 minutes long and are scheduled on a first come basis with the last session starting at 4:15 pm. Sign-up will open at 2:45 pm with the first session starting at 3 pm.

### LEGO CLUB

*Thursday, Apr. 24, 3:30-5:30 PM*

Bring your imagination and join us for some free build time. Build whatever you want or try one of our challenges.

## ADULTS AND ALL AGES

### CREATE SOMETHING SPECIAL

*Tuesday, Apr. 8, 1-3 PM*

A social and craft time for adults who experience special needs.

### EAGLE RIVER FIBER SPINNERS

*Saturday, Apr. 19, 10 AM-12 PM*

Discover the art of spinning! Join the Eagle River Spinners for a free demonstration as they work on their own amazing yarns!

### GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

*Saturday, Apr. 19, 3-5 PM*

Join us for drop in hours to get help with your family tree, scanning photos and documents, and doing research online. Learn more about genealogy resources that you can access free through APL. This program is a partnership with the Anchorage Genealogical Society.

## EVENTS ACROSS APL—

### GERRISH (GIRDWOOD)

#### POETRY TEA TIME

*Saturday, Apr. 12, 3 PM*

Enjoy a treat, sip tea and read poems with us! Bring your favorite poems or read from our selections!

### MOUNTAIN VIEW

#### MEET KIDS BOOK AUTHOR MAX BRALLIER!

*Wednesday, Apr. 9, 6 PM*

Author of the *Last Kids on Earth*, Max will talk about his works, writing process and his journey to becoming an author. Book signing following the event.

### MULDOON

#### WILDLIFE SAFETY PRESENTATION

*Saturday, Apr. 12, 2 PM*

AK's Fish & Game Dept. will present vital scientific and safety information about bears and moose. Suggested for ages 8+, but all are welcome.

### Z. J. LOUSSAC

#### MEET KIDS BOOK AUTHOR MAX BRALLIER!

*Monday, Apr. 7, 6 PM*

Author of the *Last Kids on Earth*, Max will talk about his works, writing process and his journey to becoming an author. Book signing following the event.