

MAY 2025

EVENTS

Chugiak-Eagle River Library

12001 Business Blvd., #176 | (907) 343-1530

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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Free Comic Book Day
11 AM-1 PM LEGO DC
Super Heroes Movie

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10:30 AM
AHD Nurse
Storytime

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10:30 AM-12:30 PM
Preschool Playtime

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3-4:30 PM
PAWSitive Reading

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3:30-5:30 PM
Movie Matinee:
Dog Man

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Start of Summer
Discovery!
10 AM-12 PM Eagle
River Spinners
3-5 PM
Genealogy
Workshop

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3 PM
Kids Don't Float

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All APL branches
closed in honor of
Memorial Day

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3-6 PM
School's Out
Celebration!

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10:30 AM
Storytime In the
Park

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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

READING

RENDEZVOUS ON THE LOUSSAC LIBRARY LAWN



Saturday, May 17, 12-4 PM

Join us for Anchorage Public Library's annual Summer Discovery kick-off event. Grab a log, listen to some live entertainment, and check out our amazing vendor booths.



ANCHORAGE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

anchoragelibrary.org

PRESCHOOLERS

ANCHORAGE HEALTH DEPT. NURSE STORYTIME

Friday, May 9, 10:30 AM

A nurse from the Anchorage Health Dept. will read books and answer questions about what nurses do all day and how to stay healthy, followed by a health activity. Ideal for ages 3-5 with caregiver, but all families are welcome.

PRESCHOOL OPEN PLAY

Saturday, May 10, 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!

STORYTIME IN THE PARK

Friday, May 30, 10:30-11:30 AM

Storytime followed by open play and socializing time in the outdoors. Meet at the park across the street. Bad weather? Call 907.343.1530 to see if we moved indoors.

EVENTS ACROSS APL—

GERRISH (GIRDWOOD)

WRITE A STORY

Wednesday, May 14, 3:30 PM

Channel your inner author and celebrate National Write Your Story Day and illustrate your own book! All supplies provided!

SCHOOL-AGE

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY

Saturday, May 3, ALL DAY

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 DC SUPER HEROES: JUSTICE LEAGUE MOVIE

Saturday, May 3, 11 AM-1 PM

Watch your favorite DC super heroes LEGO style as you build with the library's LEGO. *Attack of the Legion of Doom* (2015)

PAWSITIVE READING

Wednesday, May 14, 3-4 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 3:45 pm. Sign-up will open at 2:45 pm with the first session starting at 3 pm.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

BINARY BRACELETS

Saturday, May 17, 3-4 PM

Learn how computers use 0s and 1s, then turn your initials or a secret word into a colorful beaded bracelet using binary code.

MOVIE MATINEE—DOG MAN

Friday, May 16, 3:30-5:30 PM

Part dog, part man, all hero!

Try some simple Dog Man activities while we watch the movie.

KIDS DON'T FLOAT

Wednesday, May 21, 3 PM

Meet PFD Otter and representatives from the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary to learn about staying safe on the water and using life jackets as part of National Safe Boating Week, May 17-23.

SCHOOL'S OUT CELEBRATION

Wednesday, May 28, 3-6 PM

Celebrate the first day of summer vacation! Make a button, play Mario Kart on the library's switch, play board games and more.

SCAVENGER HUNTS

Ongoing

Every two weeks a new scavenger hunt is available. Pre-readers can look for letter based clues while readers learn to use the library catalog!

MULDOON

ANCHORAGE HEALTH DEPT. NURSE

STORYTIME

Thursday, May 8, 11:30 AM

A nurse from the AHD will read books and answer questions about being a nurse and staying healthy followed by a health activity.

ADULT & ALL-AGES

EAGLE RIVER SPINNERS

Saturday, May 18, 10 AM –12 PM

Learn how fiber is spun into yarn. If you are interested in trying your hand at spinning, please contact us ahead of time so we can make sure we have equipment for you. (907.343.1530)

GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

Saturday, May 18, 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.

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READING RENDEZVOUS

Saturday, May 17, 12-4 PM

This annual community tradition kicks off the library's Summer Discovery reading program with booths, live entertainment, and more!