



July 2014 Master Calendar of Cultural Events & Activities
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EVENTS & ACTIVITIES – ALL VENUES

1 Main Library Military Research Day

Tuesday
 10:30 am – 2:30 pm

Members of the Albuquerque Genealogical Society will be on hand to help you explore your family’s military history, and you will learn more about the military resources available from the Genealogy Center. This program features a discussion, Q/A session, and the opportunity to do your own research. Come for the whole time, or just drop in for a while.

2 Albuquerque Museum Free Wednesday: Film Series

Wednesday
 11 am

Presented in conjunction with the *Christo and Jeanne Claude: The Tom Golden Collection* exhibition, please join us for a series of films by acclaimed documentary filmmakers Albert and David Maysies (*Gimme Shelter*, *Grey Gardens*). The films dramatically explore the creation, installation and grandeur of the artists’ large-scale temporary works. The program is free.

2 KiMo Theatre Marilyn!!: Gentlemen Prefer Blondes (1954)

Wednesday
 7 – 8:30 pm

Marilyn Monroe, Jane Russell and Charles Coburn star in this frothy tale of two singers, best friends Lorelei Lee and Dorothy Shaw, who travel to Paris pursued by a private detective hired by Lorelei’s fiancé’s disapproving father. Additionally, a rich, enamored old man and many other doting admirers are following the alluring young woman.

General Admission \$5 - 7. Tickets are available at www.KiMoTickets.com. Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

2+ S. Broadway Cultural Ctr. Free Summer Movies!

Wednesdays
 2 – 4 pm

Join us for these FREE screenings of fun movies all ages can enjoy!

July 2nd The Lorax

Based on the classic Dr. Seuss book, a 12-year-old boy searches for the one thing that will enable him to win the affection of the girl of his dreams. To find it he must discover the story of the Lorax, the grumpy yet charming creature who fights to protect his world.

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July 9th Matilda

Roald Dahl's Matilda is a story of a wonderful little girl, who happens to be a genius, and her wonderful teacher vs. the worst parents ever and the worst school principal imaginable.

July 16th Ratatouille

A rat, who can also cook, makes an unusual alliance with a young kitchen worker at a famous restaurant. Winner of the 2007 Oscar for Best Animated Film, Ratatouille is great family fun!

July 23rd The Incredibles

A family of undercover superheroes, while trying to live the quiet suburban life, are forced into action to save the world. Starring Samuel L. Jackson and Holly Hunter, this animated feature is full of action and adventure!

July 30th Wall-E

In the distant future, a small waste collecting robot inadvertently embarks on a space journey that will ultimately decide the fate of mankind.

All films are rated G or PG.

3 KiMo Theatre European Classics Foreign Films: Children of Paradise (1945)

Thursday
7 - 10:15 pm

Marcel Carné's film, "Les enfants du paradis" centers around the love between Baptiste, a theater mime, and Claire Reine, an actress and otherwise woman-about-town who calls herself Garance. It was made during the German occupation of France during WWII. Set among the Parisian theatre scene of the 1820s and 30s, it tells the story of a beautiful courtesan, Garance, and the four men who love her in their own ways: a mime artist, an actor, a criminal and an aristocrat.

A three-hour film in two parts, it was described in the original American trailer as the French answer to *Gone with the Wind* (1939). The leading director Francois Truffaut once said: "I would give up all my films to have directed 'Children of Paradise'". The film was voted "Best Film Ever" in a poll of 600 French critics and professionals in 1995.

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4 Special Event Freedom 4th at Balloon Fiesta Park

Friday
4 - 10 pm

This enduring salute to our Nation's birthday is one of Albuquerque's most popular events. This year's event features Country superstar Wynonna Judd! Wynonna and the Big Noise will get the crowd going with their energetic style that perfectly suits the celebration. This free all-ages event features food vendors, a local Microbrew Garden, a car show and free activities for the kids. And, of course, one of New Mexico's largest fireworks shows—always a crowd pleaser

The Firecracker Café returns with a dinner and a spectacular view of the stage.

The event is free. For transportation and parking information, and information on tickets for the Firecracker Café, please visit CultureABQ.com or call 311.

5 KiMo Theatre Can't Stop The Serenity (2014)

Saturday
3 - 11 pm

The Albuquerque Browncoats present the Global Sci Fi Charity Film Screening and Shindig, a unique opportunity to indulge your geeky side while doing some good! Since 2005, fans have organized worldwide screenings of Joss Whedon's *Serenity* to raise funds and awareness to support Equality Now in their work for the protection and promotion of the human rights of women around the world. Join us as we aim to misbehave for a good cause. Proceeds will also be donated to our local charity, the UNM Children's Hospital.

3 pm Music and Comedy featuring Mikey Mason
5:30 pm Dinner Break (food by The Sassy Apron sold onsite)
7 pm Serenity film begins
9:30 pm Shindig with auction, raffle prizes

Tickets: \$10. Tickets are available at www.KiMoTickets.com. Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Doors open at 2 pm. Ages 13+.

6 **KiMo Theatre** **Sunday Matinee: The Magnificent Meryl in *The Deer Hunter* (1978)**

Sunday
2 – 5 pm

Meryl Streep, Robert De Niro and Christopher Walken star in this in-depth examination of the ways in which the Vietnam War disrupts and impacts the lives of people in a small industrial town in Pennsylvania. Rated R.

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6 **Old Town** **Western Day – Youth in the Spotlight**

Sunday
Noon – 5 pm

A very special treat awaits those who head to the Old Town Plaza—performances by some of the best young entertainers in Western music and cowboy poetry. Vocal sensation Olivia Hobbs, champion fiddlers Leah and David Sawyer, ABQ’s own teen bluegrass trio, Anslovers, and the Five Lyman Cowboy Poets bring their best to the Gazebo stage. They are joined by multiple award-winning Kristyn Harris, a rising star in Western music.

6-25 **Albuquerque Museum** **Salsa Under the Stars**

Fridays
7 - 10 pm

July 5th **Pupy y Los Que Son, Son**

Cesar de las Mercedes Pedroso Fernandez, “Pupy,” is a Cuban composer who has been one of the major influences in Cuban music over the past 40 years. With this band, formed in 2001, he created a new style of Timba. Pupy has written over 150 compositions, and musicians such as the late Celia Cruz, Adaberto Santiago and Alfredo de la Fe have covered his songs.

July 18th **En-Joy**

Combining traditional Son and modern Timba, a modern version of Salsa, En-Joy brings to the stage strong syncopation, melody and lyrics that are a powerful force. The responses of large and enthusiastic Albuquerque audiences indicate that their music is a great combination of the old and the new.

July 25th **Lucky 7 Mambo**

Inspired by the multi-ethnic music fusion of the 1950’s and 1960’s Spanish Harlem, Lucky 7 Mambo brings the high energy sounds of the classic mambo, featuring the harmonies of the vibraphone. This unique style draws the best of the Cuban Son, African-American jazz, and Puerto Rican soul. This band was a huge hit the last time they played here, so don’t miss this one!

Visit the NM Jazz Workshop at <http://www.nmjazz.org/> for more information and tickets for all Salsa Under the Stars events.

8&29 **ABQ BioPark Zoo** **Twilight Tour of the Zoo**

Tuesday
7 – 9 pm

Ever wonder what all of those creatures at the zoo do at night? Here is your opportunity to find out as you experience the sights and sounds of the nocturnal animals that will fascinate you. Tickets: Adult \$15; seniors 65+ and children 3- 12 \$10. Reservations are required, register online at www.abqbiopark.com, or call 505-764-6214.

9 **Main Library** **Armchair Geneology**

Wednesday
10:30 am – Noon

Genealogist Victoria Sullivan will review some of the most useful new and old sites for researching genealogical records. All you need to do your own research at home is a computer with internet access, a comfy chair, and time. Ages 16+. Lower level in the auditorium.

9&23 **Balloon Museum** **Stories in the Night Sky/ABQ Concert Band**

Wednesday
6 – 8 pm

Held on the beautiful grounds of the Balloon Museum, Stories in the Night Sky, combined with a great performance by the Albuquerque Concert Band, offers live entertainment for all ages.

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On July 9th from 6 – 7 pm the audience will enjoy a change of pace when The Khans bring exotic Egyptian/Middle Eastern

music and dance. Kids and grownups alike will have fun creating their own dances to the music.

July 23rd brings Nimbus performing Native American music interwoven with storytelling—sure to be a crowd pleaser.

At 7 pm on both evenings the Albuquerque Concert Band strikes up a program of favorites that will bring back memories for some, and be a delightful introduction to concert band music for others.

Regular admission to the Museum is \$4.00 for adults (\$3.00 for NM residents), \$2.00 for seniors 65+, \$1.00 for children ages 4-12, and children 3 and under are FREE.

10 Erna Fergusson Library A Visit with Madame Curie

Thursday
6 – 7 pm

Best known for the discovery of radium and radioactivity and the first treatments for cancer, Marie Curie faced many obstacles to getting into the laboratory in her times. From the political oppression of her childhood to the isolation of a new element that really does glow in the dark, her story reveals a compelling journey. This one-hour program includes an in-character monologue, a Q/A with “Madame Curie”, and a Q/A with the presenter.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED ON SATURDAY, JULY 12TH FROM NOON TO 1 PM AT THE LOS GRIEGOS LIBRARY.

9 KiMo Theatre Marilyn!!: There’s No Business Like Show Business (1954)

Wednesday
7 – 9 pm

Molly and Terry Donahue plus their three children are The Five Donahues. Son Tim meets hat-check girl Vicky and the family act begins to fall apart. Marilyn Monroe, Ethel Merman and Donald O’Connor star.

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10 KiMo Theatre European Classics Foreign Films: Beauty and the Beast (1946)

Thursday
7 – 8:30 pm

“La belle et la bête” from France brings the story of four siblings who lived in grandeur until their father’s merchant ships were lost at sea. Near ruin, two of the siblings continue to squander the family’s remaining resources, while Belle slaves around the house to try and make things better. Their father gets lost and winds up taking refuge in a fantastical castle. Upon leaving, he steals a blossom off of a rose bush, and the castle’s resident, an angry beast, sentences him to one of two options, his own death, or that of one of his daughters. Belle, who requested the rose, feels herself the cause of the situation and sacrifices herself to save her father.

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10&12 ABQ BioPark Aquarium Brown Bag Seminar

Thursday & Saturday
12:45 – 1:30 pm

BioPark staff and field experts discuss conservation science during this series of informal lunchtime lectures. These programs alternate between the zoo and garden. Regular admission applies at the zoo, and programs at the garden are free.

10-31 ABQ BioPark Garden Summer Nights Concerts

Thursdays
6 – 9 pm

Summer Nights bring great talent to the BioPark for everyone’s enjoyment. Three groups will take the stage in July:

July 10th Maken & Spain Brothers

With five male vocalists and a host of various instruments, the group has taken the international stage with a unique sound and powerful stage presence, capturing the essence of Irish music. The group is at their best onstage where their talent and enthusiasm draw in fans who have never experienced folk music. They have played before millions of people from Canada to Texas, from California to the Caribbean and over to Ireland, highlighting national PBS specials and popular Irish talk shows as they go.

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- July 17th** **The Blue Hornets**
 The Blue Hornets sound is a unique blend of influences based around the roots of Jamaican rocksteady, ska, and reggae from the island's bluebeat musical heyday of the '60s and '70s. Their musical style is a bouncy and energetic traditional rocksteady/reggae style, featuring smooth vocal harmonies, catchy horn melodies, and a solid skanking rhythm section, that harkens back to the golden age of this wonderful music. Through their combined experiences and musical styles, the Blue Hornets bring a danceable, entertaining performance to their live shows.
- July 24th** **Todo Mundo** ("All the World"), who's Organic Fire was voted "Best World Music Album" at the 2011 San Diego Music Awards, blends the musical flavors of Rumba, Reggae, Samba, and Gypsy styles into an irresistible groove that has been moving dance floors and connecting with audiences throughout North America, South America, and Europe since 2009.
- July 31st** **The Barefoot Movement**
 This group has been making waves in the folk world since the release of their 2011 debut album Footwork. 2013 brought the release of a new album, cross country touring, and all manners of shoeless excitement. From the foot-tapping instrumental "Shepherd" to the emotional ballad "Thunder" and everything in between, these roots music newcomers have assembled quite the collection here, both old songs and new, offering something for everyone.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, seniors and BioPark members, \$5, and children 3 – 12, \$3. Children under 3 are admitted at no charge. Tickets are available online or from any BioPark cashier during normal operating hours.

Bring blankets and lawn chairs, picnics—no alcohol or glass containers (food, beer and wine will be available for purchase).

11 **KiMo Theatre** **Universal Monsters of the '30s: Tower of London (1939)**

Friday
 8 – 9:30 pm

In the 15th century Richard Duke of Gloucester, aided by his club-footed executioner Mord, eliminates those ahead of him in succession to the throne, then occupied by his brother, King Edward IV of England. As each murder is accomplished, he takes particular delight in removing small figurines from a throne-room dollhouse, each resembling one of the successors. Now he alone remains. After the death of Edward he becomes Richard III and need only defeat the exiled Henry to retain power.

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11-25 **ABQ BioPark Zoo** **Zoo Music Concerts**

Fridays
 6 – 9 pm

Zoo Music brings thousands of fans to the beautiful grounds to enjoy live music each summer.

July 11th **The Young Dubliners**
 They may be Celtic rock's hardest working band, playing hundreds of shows to thousands of fans across the US and Europe every year. In recent years they have twice appeared on ABC's Jimmy Kimmel Live!, had songs featured in TV shows and toured extensively as a headliner and as the opener for artists like The Flaming Lips, Collective Soul, Jethro Tull, Johnny Lang and many more. Although the Young Dubliners sound is most commonly called 'Celtic Rock', that label, as labels often can be, is misleading. The Irish influence is there, certainly, but it's not the only influence that rears its head on their albums, or in live shows.

July 18th **The Brubeck Brothers Quartet**
 Join us for an evening with this exciting jazz group featuring two members of one of America's most accomplished musical families, Daniel Brubeck (drums,) and Chris Brubeck (bass & trombone). Guitarist Mike DeMicco and pianist Chuck Lamb complete this dynamic quartet. The Brubeck Brothers Quartet have been featured artists in several festivals, and their album, Life Times, was in the top 10 of all jazz CDs receiving the most radio airplay in 2012.

Although the Quartet's style is rooted in "straight-ahead" jazz, their concerts reveal an inherent ability to explore and play odd time signatures while naturally integrating the influences of funk, blues and world music. The group's creativity, technique and improvisation can be heard in their uncompromising music, which reflects their dedication to melody, rhythm, culture and the spontaneous spirit of jazz.

July 25th **Perla Batalla**
 This world-class vocalist is a full-throated songstress who has worked with Leonard Cohen, k.d.lang, Nick Cave and Laurie Anderson. Deftly moving through musical genre, Perla will be performing a variety of classic and original material in both English and Spanish, including selections from her award winning Mestiza songcycle, Grammy nominated "Songs of Leonard Cohen", and Perla's own unique take on the Great American Songbook.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, seniors and BioPark members \$5, and children \$3. Children under 3 are admitted at no charge. Tickets are available online or from any BioPark cashier during normal operating hours. Continued...

Bring blankets and lawn chairs, picnics—no alcohol or glass containers (the Cottonwood Café will also be open and serving beer and wine). Gates open at 6 pm, and visitors may enjoy visiting the animal exhibits before the concert begins at 7:30 pm.

12 Albuquerque Museum Jazz Under the Stars: Mariano Morales & Picante + ABQ Jazz Orchestra

Saturday
7 – 10 pm

A major weekend of Latin music continues with that features the compositions of pianist/composer/arranger Mariano Morales & Picante and the Albuquerque Jazz Orchestra. Latin Jazz Group Picante features some of the top Latin Jazz musicians performing today.

Visit the NM Jazz Workshop at <http://www.nmjazz.org/> for more information and tickets for all Jazz Under the Stars events.

12 KiMo Theatre Kevin Spacey Retrospective: Pay It Forward (2000)

Saturday
7 – 9 pm

Young Trevor McKinney is troubled by his mother's alcoholism and fears of his abusive but absent father. He is caught up in an intriguing assignment from his new social studies teacher, Mr. Simonet. The assignment: think of something to change the world and put it into action. Trevor conjures up the notion of paying a favor not back, but forward—repaying good deeds not with payback, but with new good deeds done to three new people.

Trevor's efforts to make good on his idea bring a revolution, not only in the lives of himself, his mother and his physically and emotionally scarred teacher, but in those of an ever-widening circle of people completely unknown to him. Kevin Spacey plays Mr. Simonet, Haley Joel Osment is Trevor, and Helen Hunt is his mother. Rated PG-13.

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12 Old Town Jazz Festival in Old Town

Saturday
1 – 4 pm

Join the crowd at the Plaza for an afternoon of exceptional music. From 1 – 2 pm local favorite Wagogo will bring their unique rhythmic cocktail of Chicano influences, Northern Mexico songs, calypso island grooves, and music of Zimbabwe.

From 2 – 4 pm one of the brightest young talents to emerge in Cajun, Creole and Zydeco music over the last decade performs. Four-time Grammy®-nominated fiddler, singer, accordionist and songwriter Cedric Watson, with the musicians that form Bijou Creole will have everyone on their feet dancing!

12 Special Collections Library From New Town to the Nuclear Age: Albuquerque 1880-1960

Saturday
10:30 am – Noon

Special Collections Library and OASIS present the 2014 Speaker Series held in Botts Hall. This program is presented by retired fire captain Herman Bishop and focuses on the critical nature of the ability to deal with fires. He takes us through the history of the Albuquerque Fire Department from the era of horse-drawn carriages through the hook and ladder days.

13 KiMo Theatre The Magnificent Meryl: Kramer vs. Kramer (1979)

Sunday
2 – 3:45 pm

Meryl Streep turns in another magnificent performance as the woman who leaves her husband and child to explore bigger worlds. Dustin Hoffman is raising their son when she returns and wants custody of the child. The legal battle that ensues is epic. The film won the Oscar® for Best Picture, Robert Benton won Best Director, Dustin Hoffman won Best Actor, and Merle Streep Best Supporting Actress in this highly regarded film that won numerous other awards. Jane Alexander plays the neighbor who encouraged the unhappy mom to leave.

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13 Old Town M. Jane Voss and Hoyle Osborne at the Gazebo

Sunday
1 – 2 pm

Regulars at folk festivals throughout the US and on NPR, singer/songwriters Jane Voss and Hoyle Osborne play jazz and ragtime classics from 1912.

15 Alamosa Library Trio Trujillo Concert

Tuesday
3 – 4 pm

Join us for a great concert with the Trio Trujillo, featuring trumpet, vibraphone and flugelhorn. They will entertain you with eclectic world jazz, bossa and blues.

15 Tingley Beach Bosque Moonlight Hike

Tuesday
7:30 – 9 pm

Travel to Tingley's ponds and the nearby wetlands to look for bats, hoot for owls and search for other nocturnal animals. Wear comfy walking shoes and be sure cover up to avoid ticks and bug bites! Reservations are required. Tickets: Adults \$10; seniors 65+ and children 3 – 12 \$6. Reservations are required. Tickets: Adults \$10; seniors 65+ and children 3 – 12 \$6.

16 East Mountain Library Healing with Light: A Lecture About Jyorei

Wednesday
2 – 3 pm

Jyorei is a method of harnessing and transmitting spiritual light to eliminate impurities and facilitate healing on all levels. Through Jyorei we can help promote greater peace and happiness in the world. Speaker Alan Imai is the Executive Director of Shamei International Institute in Crestone, Colorado. He also serves as the director of Shumei's Natural Agriculture Programs worldwide and currently oversees projects in Zambia, Turkey, Brazil, Nepal, the Philippines, Italy, England and the U.S.

16 Ernie Pyle Library Breaking Blue Concert

Wednesday
5:30 – 6:30 pm

Winner of two New Mexico Music Awards for Best Americana and Best Folk Traditions, Breaking Blue captivates audiences and creates new fans wherever the band performs.

17 Albuquerque Museum 3rd Thursday: FUSION Theatre Play

Thursday
5 – 8:30 pm

Continuing its successful partnership with the FUSION Theatre, Albuquerque's only professional theatre group, the 3rd Thursday program will feature a production in conjunction with the *Christo and Jeanne Claude: The Tom Golden Collection*. Free admission.

19 S. Broadway Cultural Ctr. July Jams with Joe Sais

Saturday
7 – 9 pm

Last year's sellout proved his appeal to Albuquerque audiences, so don't miss the opportunity to see the incredibly talented Joe Sais this year! The legendary and unique singer with a classic Las Vegas entertainment style continues to delight his audiences.

In earlier days Joe performed at the Inaugural Ball for former governors including Bruce King (1971 and 1979), Jerry Apodaca (1975), and Toney Anaya (1983). During those years he also performed in venues for Latin singer Vicky Carr, Country singers Charlie Pride, Johnny Rodriguez, and Freddie Fender. Joe has travelled extensively, performing in venues from Florida to Hawaii, including the Grapevine Opry near Dallas Texas.

Born in Albuquerque's Barales neighbourhood, he is the second oldest of ten children. Joe was raised by his much loved mother and stepfather, Eddie Chavez who has been a major influence in his life.

General Admission: \$15. Tickets are available at SBCC Tuesday – Saturday. Call 505-842-1320.

17 Special Collections Library "Taming of the Shrew"

Thursday
6 – 8 pm

Theatre in the Making presents a Shakespeare favorite comedy in Botts Hall. Free program.

17-18 KiMo Theatre Premiere Screening of 48 Hour Films

Thursday & Friday
Times Vary

See the world premiere of this year’s ABQ 48 Hour Film Project, films conceived, developed, shot and edited within 48 hours—with amazing results! The filmmaking teams will be in attendance, with different films being shown at each screening:

7/17	6 – 8 pm	Screening of Group A Films
	8:30 – 10:30 pm	Screening of Group B Films
7/18	6 – 8 pm	Screening of Group C Films
	8:30 – 10:30 pm	Screening of Group D Films

General Admission: \$10 per screening. Tickets are available at www.KiMoTickets.com. Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available. NOT RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN UNDER 13.

18 Juan Tabo Library Zentangle Club

Friday
1:30 – 3 pm

Join us as we take some time out of our day to recenter, calm down, and work on our Zentangle projects. New to the concept? We’ll help you get started and provide basic materials, or you can bring your own.

18 Special Collections Library The Environmental Movement in Architecture

Friday
Noon – 1:30 pm

This program is based upon work done in the 1970s by the New Mexico Solar Energy Association, and also that of Antoine Predock of Albuquerque. Predock’s award-winning work done locally and throughout the American West is based upon incorporating local culture into each project and site. Speaker Alissa de Wit-Paul, Ph.D., practiced architecture in Albuquerque for 15 years.

19 ABQ BioPark Garden Dragonfly Festival

Saturday
10 am – 2 pm

See beautiful dragonflies up-close at the Dragonfly Sanctuary Pond and learn about their life cycle, habitat and favorite foods. Included with admission.

19 Cherry Hills Library Ice Tea Tasting

Saturday
12:30 – 1:30 pm

New Mexico Tea owner David Edward will offer tastings of a variety of delicious and refreshing teas for your pleasure. Registration is required and limited to 10 people, so please call 505-836-0084, or stop by the information desk to sign up.

19 South Valley Library Brenda Marley and Friends in Concert

Saturday
4 – 5 pm

Singer Brenda Marley and her musical friends offer a wonderful performance that all ages will enjoy.

THIS PROGRAM WILL BE REPEATED AT WESTGATE LIBRARY ON THURSDAY, JULY 24TH FROM 4 – 5 PM.

19 Special Event Route 66 Summerfest in Nob Hill

Saturday
2 – 10:30 pm

Returning to Nob Hill for another successful summer event, Rt. 66 Summerfest will fill a mile-long stretch of Central Avenue between Girard and Washington Blvds. Several stages will feature 25 music artists, including national headliner Arrested Development. The Old Route 66 Car Show, lots of food offerings, drinks at the Cork & Tap, a Kid Zone and Youth Central, shopping at the many stores along the route, and at the Mother Road Market where local vendors and artists will show their wares, and much, much more will keep the large crowd entertained throughout the event.

For more information, please visit CultureABQ.com or call 311.

19-20 ABQ BioPark Half-Price Weekend

Saturday-Sunday
9 am – 5 pm

Tickets to the ABQ BioPark Zoo, Botanic Garden and Aquarium are half-price on this special weekend.

20 Albuquerque Museum Play: Princess Marisol & the Moon Thief

Sunday
2 pm

Bring the whole family for a FUSION Theatre performance of this delightful musical about a princess who attempts to recover the moon from a pair of mischievous musicians. Free with admission.

20 KiMo Theatre The Magnificent Meryl: Sophie's Choice (1982)

Sunday
2 – 4:30 pm

Sophie, played by Streep, is a survivor of Nazi concentration camps and carries a terrible secret, a forced choice that haunts her every moment. Now living in New York City, she has finally found a reason to live in Nathan (Kevin Kline), a sparkling if unsteady American Jew obsessed with the Holocaust. They befriend Stingo (Peter McNichol), who narrates the film, as the ghosts of her past and his obsession threaten to destroy the little happiness they have found together. Meryl Streep won Best Actress awards at both the Oscars and the Golden Globes®.

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22 ABQ BioPark Garden Garden Nightwalk

Tuesday
7:30 – 9 pm

Escape the heat of summer on this evening walk through the Garden as you search for night-blooming plants, nocturnal animals and night pollinators. Tickets: Adults \$10; seniors 65+ and children 3 – 12 \$6.

23 KiMo Theatre Marilyn!!: The Seven Year Itch (1955)

Wednesday
7 – 8:45 pm

Tom Ewell turns in a great performance in this romantic comedy as the hapless man whose family is away for the summer. His beautiful and sexy neighbor (Marilyn) becomes a huge temptation as the two become better acquainted. Will he or won't he? That, movie fans, is the question. The film features one of Marilyn's most iconic moments, the white sundress blowing up around her legs as she stands over a subway grate.

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24 KiMo Theatre European Classics Foreign Films: Shoot the Piano Player (1960)

Thursday
7 – 9:30 pm

From France comes this great film "Tirez sur le pianist" directed by Francois Truffant. Charlie Kohler plays in a bar where the waitress Lena is in love with him. One of Charlie's brothers, Chico is a crook being chased by gangsters who takes refuge in the bar. The audience learns that Charlie's real name is Edouard Saroyan, once a virtuoso who gave up his career after his wife's suicide. Charlie now has to deal with his brother, the gangsters, his youngest brother and, of course, Lena. Charles Aznavour, Marie Dubois and Nicole Berger star. Continued...

General Admission \$5 - 7. Tickets are available at www.KiMoTickets.com. Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

25 KiMo Theatre The Best 48 Hour Films 2014: Screening & Awards Ceremony

Friday
7:30 – 9:30 pm

You may have missed the initial screenings, so here is the chance to see the best of the films, meet the filmmakers and see the awards handed out.

General Admission \$10 per screening. Tickets are available at www.KiMoTickets.com. Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available. NOT RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN UNDER 13.

26 ABQ BioPark Aquarium Shark Discovery Day

Saturday
10 am – 2 pm

Those amazing creatures that evoke such fear—why not learn more about them? You'll learn about their amazing adaptations, keen senses and important role in ocean ecosystems at Discovery Stations around the Aquarium.

26 Albuquerque Museum Blues Under the Stars; Chris Dracup Band/Mystic Vic

Saturday
7 – 10 pm

Known for his stunning and soulful electric blues guitar, Chris Dracup works in a diverse range of musical styles. His acoustic guitar playing draws heavily from the blues tradition, an eclectic mix of Delta slide, country blues and jazz influences. His songwriting has garnered critical and popular acclaim and won him an enduring fan base.

Mystic Vic plays up-tempo blues and rock 'n roll. Possibly the longest-running blues band in Albuquerque, the group's hallmarks are its tight arrangement and ensemble playing, honed by years of performing, both individually and as a band. Visit the NM Jazz Workshop at <http://www.nmjazz.org/> for more information and tickets for all Blues Under the Stars events.

26 Cherry Hills Library 101 Books to Read This Summer

Saturday
2 – 3 pm

Join us for a fun time as we talk about the books we've read or plan to read. Expand your reading horizons as you learn of great books from others in the group.

26 KiMo Theatre Kevin Spacey Retrospective: K-PAX (2001)

Saturday
7 – 9 pm

Claiming to be an extraterrestrial from K-PAX, a planet about 1000 light years away, Prot (rhymes with goat), is committed to the Psychiatric Institute of Manhattan, where psychiatrist Mark Powell begins to evaluate him as a delusional. However, Prot's unwavering ability to provide cogent answers to questions about himself, about K-PAX and its civilization leads Dr. Powell to introduce him to a group of astrophysicists. Prot claims to have journeyed to Earth by means of "light-travel" and goes on to display knowledge that puzzles the scientists. Kevin Spacey stars as Prot with Jeff Bridges as psychiatrist Powell. Mary McCormack and Alfre Woodard are also featured.

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27 KiMo Theatre The Magnificent Meryl: Out of Africa (1985)

Sunday
2 – 4:45 pm

This sweeping saga takes place in the early 20th century colonial Kenya. Danish baroness and plantation owner Karen Blixen (played by Streep) has married Baron Bror Blixen (Klaus Maria Brandauer) and he has used her money to purchase a coffee plantation which he shows little inclination of managing, leaving her to assume that role. His philandering leads to problematic circumstances and her life becomes even more difficult, including a stint back in Denmark to cure syphilis she caught from her husband. One of the people she befriends in Kenya is Denys Finch Hatton, a big game hunter played by Robert Redford, and the relationship grows into an affair. However, their differences are so great that they eventually part. Continued...

In the meanwhile, a devastating fire wipes out the one good tobacco crop she has managed to yield, and broke and alone, she prepares to return to Denmark. Denys comes to visit and they share an evening as friends. He offers to fly her to Mombasa where she will catch a plane home and promises to return in a few days. He does not come back, and Karen learns the his plane has crashed and he is dead. Her losses now complete, she returns to her homeland. The story is based on the autobiographical book *Out of Africa* by Isak Dinesen (pseudonym of Karen Blixen). The film won the Oscar for Best Picture, Merle Streep won for Best Actress, and Klaus Maria Brandauer won for Best Supporting Actor. The beautiful score also won the Oscar that year. It also won numerous other awards, including the Golden Globe for Best Picture.

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30 KiMo Theatre Marilyn!!: *Bus Stop* (1956)

Wednesday
7 – 8:30 pm

Don Murray plays the role of a naïve but stubborn cowboy who falls in love with a saloon singer and tries to take her away against her will to get married and live on his ranch in Montana. Cherie wants no part of this cowboy who won't take "no" for an answer, but he continues to believe in his naivety that he is saving her from a bad life. Many situations develop until he finally kidnaps her and they depart on a bus, which winds up stranded in a snowstorm. Cherie tries to escape while he is asleep, but the snow has her trapped. As others realize that she is not with him willingly, the bus driver confronts him and a fight ensues—which Bo loses much to his chagrin. Later, after he apologizes and finally shares a true kiss with Cherie, she agrees to marry him. Marilyn plays the role of Cherie, Murray is Bo, and Arthur O'Connell is his sidekick and surrogate father, Virgil.

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31 KiMo Theatre European Classics Foreign Films: *Indochine* (1992)

Thursday
7 – 9:30 pm

Directed by Regis Warguier, this story is set in 1930 at the time when French colonial rule in Indochina is ending. An unmarried French woman who works in the rubber fields raises a Vietnamese princess as if she were her own daughter. Both fall in love with a young French army officer, changing both of their lives significantly. Starring Catherine Deneuve, Vincent Perez and Lihn Dan Pham. It was awarded both the Oscar and Golden Globe for Best Foreign Language Film.

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ART EXHIBITIONS

Albuquerque Museum

CHRISTO & JEANNE-CLAUDE: THE TOM GOLDEN COLLECTION

North Gallery

This unique collection of works of art by renowned artists Christo and Jeanne-Claude includes original drawings, sculptures, collages and photographs capturing the versatility, longevity and international scope of the duo's extensive career. Started by Tom Golden in the summer of 1974, it is one of the largest collections of art by Christo and Jeanne-Claude in the United States, Golden's personal and professional relationship with the artists began during the 1974 public hearings for Christo and Jeanne-Claude's project "Running Fence." Golden continued to manage and assist with several of the artist's large-scale projects such as "The Umbrellas" and "Over the River." Drawings and collages of the large-scale public works, sold to fund the actual installations, are an important component of this collection.

As partners for more than 40 years, Christo and Jeanne-Claude have created lasting environmental installation art throughout the world. Their works include the wrapping of the Reichstag in Berlin and the Pont Neuf bridge in Paris, the 24-mile long curtain titled "Running Fence" in California, and most recently "The Gates" in New York City's Central Park. Because their large-scale public projects are temporary, these preliminary artworks remain as evidence of these installations.

This collection represents not only the special relationship between an artist and a collector, but also the collaborative effort between the artists and the many people involved in producing the works. Closing September 14, 2014.

NATIVE AMERICAN BOLO TIES: VINTAGE AND CONTEMPORARY ARTISTRY

West Gallery

Join us for a fun-filled exploration of the intriguing history of the bolo tie, New Mexico's official state neckwear. Organized by the Heard Museum in Phoenix, Arizona, the exhibition traces the history of the bolo tie back to 19th-century scarf slides and slide necklaces. The bolo tie we know of today emerged in the 1940s as a challenge to traditional neckwear. While Wickenburg, Arizona's Vic Cedarstaff laid claim to inventing the bolo in 1949, others disagree.

Nevertheless, bolo ties were haute couture in Western movies and mid-century TV shows, and through the decades have become a major expression of Native American artists including Charles Loloma, Hopi, and Norbert Peshlakai, Navajo. Bolo ties remain popular, and are even re-invented in unique mediums such as glass and ceramics.

Native American Bolo Ties: Vintage and Contemporary Artistry is made possible by the Virginia M. Ullman Foundation. Closing September 21, 2014.

EVERYBODY'S NEIGHBOR: VIVIAN VANCE

This exhibition celebrates the life and times of one of Albuquerque's most famous residents, the late Vivian Vance, of *I Love Lucy* fame, through family memorabilia and the museum's Photoarchives. Open through January 31, 2015

COMMON GROUND: ART IN NEW MEXICO

Permanent Exhibition (East Gallery)

A permanent art exhibition highlighting a significant and museum-owned works from the late 19th century to the present day, including some that have never before been viewed by the public.

Balloon Museum

CHILDREN OF WAR, VOICES FOR PEACE

Back by popular demand, this touching exhibition features a little-known footnote in the history of World War II. Japanese schoolchildren were recruited to help create "Fugos"—giant balloons that were armed with bombs and launched across the Pacific. The only enemy-caused deaths on the North American continent in World War II occurred from the detonation of one of these bombs. The exhibition features the story of one Japanese schoolgirl who later learned that her contribution to her country's safety was an instrument of death, and of her subsequent efforts to promote peace.

CHILDREN'S PEACE STATUE

This statue was dedicated at the Balloon Museum August 4, 2013. The Children's Peace Statue is a monument designed and funded entirely by children. It stands as a symbol of hope for a peaceful future. In the fall of 1989, children of Arroyo del Oso Elementary School in Albuquerque, New Mexico were studying the Arms Race. The children decided that one solution to the problem of war would be to teach young people to work for peace. During their studies, the students learned the story of school children in Japan who built a monument, the Genbaku No Ko No Zo Statue for Children Who Were Victims of the Atomic Bombs. Inspired by the story, the children formed the Kids' Committee for the Children's Peace Statue and made plans to design and build a peace monument of their own.

FAI BALLOONING COMMISSION INTERNATIONAL HALL OF FAME

The Hall of Fame features some 40 existing inductees and recognizes people who have made significant contributions to aerostation. In a private induction ceremony for media and invited guests on September 30, 2011, the following were inducted into the Hall of Fame: Ron Clark, a member of the crew to make the first balloon crossing of the Pacific Ocean; Larry Newman, a co-inventor of the ultra-light airplane and co-captain on the first manned balloon crossing of the Pacific Ocean; Rocky Aoki, a restaurateur and a record-setting balloonist in crossing the Pacific Ocean in a helium balloon; and Olivier Roux Devillas, the founder of the French Aeronautical Federation and competitive balloonist. Past inductees with a New Mexico connection include Sid Cutter, the Balloon Fiesta co-founder, and Maxie Anderson and Ben Abruzzo, two of the three balloonists of the first trans-Atlantic balloon flight.

KiMo Theatre

South Broadway Cultural Center

AGAINST PREVAILING WINDS

Prevailing winds are bound together to form one general direction of movement. Creating art has many origins. "Against Prevailing Winds" is an art exhibit featuring the works of six artists who are working in their own quest to define their own space—a space where art takes on literal and abstract constructs of one's own quest. Some artists choose to challenge the dominating forces around them and create something new, while other artists may follow conventions and become part of the prevailing winds. The works of artists Bruce Warren Davis, Lito Vales, Dan Fuller, Joshua Willis, Maria Yoon, Julia Lambright and Danielle Rae Miller are featured.

Library programs for kids, tweens, teens and families...

The Summer Reading Program, "Spark a reaction—READ!" continues through July 26th. Dozens of programs and events at all of the ABC Library locations offers great adventures for all ages.

1+ Westgate Library Live Birds of Prey with Wildlife Rescue, Inc

Tuesday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Join us for this educational program for the entire family that features live birds of prey (hawk, owl, falcon). You'll have the opportunity to see these magnificent birds up close and ask questions about their habitats and lives. Learn about the hazards our wildlife face, including habitat loss, pollution, forest fires and man-made obstacles. Cameras are welcome.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 1 st Tuesday	2:30 – 3:30 pm	North Valley Library
July 3 rd Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Cherry Hills Library
July 5 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Lomas Tramway Library
July 16 th Wednesday	11:30 am – 12:30 pm	South Broadway Library
July 17 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Ernie Pyle Library
July 18 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Tony Hillerman Library

2+ East Mountain Library Drums of the World with Kevin Kinane

Wednesday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Join us for this exciting and interactive program where kids of all ages get to play and explore percussion instruments from around the world. Kevin Kinane brings his collection of hundreds of unique toys for hands-on fun!

THIS PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 2 nd Wednesday	2 – 3 pm	Juan Tabo Library
July 10 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Main Library

2+ Lomas Tramway Library Tweens! Make Your Own Duct Tape Wallet

Wednesday
3 – 4 pm

Back by popular demand—the duct tape wallet workshop. We'll provide the tape or you can bring your own if you wish. Registration is required: Online, by phone at 505-291-6295, or stop by the information desk. Ages 9 – 12.

THIS PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 23 rd Wednesday	3 – 4 pm	Alamosa Library	Registration required, check online.
July 30 th Wednesday	3:30 – 5 pm	Taylor Ranch Library	

2+ San Pedro Library Kaleidoscope Crazy! Tween Explora Science Event

Wednesday
3 – 4 pm

Tweens ages 9 – 12 will explore the amazing properties of mirrors, lenses and light and discover all the wonderful images and colorful patterns you get when angles and symmetry come into play. Students will design and build their own unique kaleidoscopes. Registration is required. Please register online or at the Information Desk.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 11 th Friday	3 – 4 pm	Ernie Pyle Library	Call to register 505-256-2065
July 16 th Wednesday	3 – 4 pm	Lomas Tramway Library	
July 24 th Thursday	Noon – 1 pm	Erna Fergusson Library	Call to register 505-888-8100

2+ South Broadway Library Ticklefish Dude

Wednesday
11:30 am – 12:30 pm

He’s back! Ticklefish Kids Rock is a high-energy, interactive musical program filled with great original music. Kids dance, compete and perform with Ticklefish Dude in a rare opportunity to make a lot of noise in the library—no “shush” today!

THIS PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 3 rd Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Main Library
July 9 th Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	East Mountain Library
	2 – 3 pm	Juan Tabo Library
July 11 th Friday	3 – 4 pm	San Pedro Library
July 12 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Erna Fergusson Library
July 16 th Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	South Valley Library
July 19 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Lomas Tramway Library
July 25 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Los Griegos Library

2+ South Valley Library Explora Family Science Event

Wednesday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Join us for a fun, exciting and interactive science exploration for all ages—bring the whole family!

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 5 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Erna Fergusson Library
July 9 th Wednesday	11:30 am – 12:30 pm	South Broadway Library
July 11 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Los Griegos Library

3 Ernie Pyle Library Life Cycle of the Butterfly

Thursday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Join us for this interactive program that will talk about the life cycle of the butterfly and teach about the importance of butterflies in our environment. How do our actions impact them? What does that little fuzzy caterpillar do to become a beautiful butterfly? You’ll learn how to safely handle a butterfly—they are delicate creatures! If you like you may get to feed one!

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT THE WESTGATE LIBRARY. ON TUESDAY, JULY 15TH FROM 10:30 – 11:30 AM

3 Tony Hillerman Library Be a Rock Star! Tween Explora Science Event

Thursday
1 - 2 pm

¡explora! brings another fun experience. No, this one is not about music, but about geology! Tweens ages 9 - 12 will use microscopes and loupes to discover the main types of rocks and perform a series of tests to unearth a mystery mineral.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 22 nd Tuesday	3 – 4 pm	Taylor Ranch Library
July 23 rd Wednesday	2 – 3 pm	Cherry Hills Library

5 Juan Tabo Library Lego Club

Saturday
2 – 3:30 pm

Join us for building adventures with Lego Club. Imaginations run wild with designs at this fun event. Ages 5 and up.

7+ Alamosa Library Magical Michael Steels

Monday
10:30 – 11:30 am

This fun variety show features magic, 50 yo-yo tricks, juggling and a Name That Tune contest featuring a silver flute. Michael was a Duncan Yo-Yo Professional and a classroom teacher, and his show is appropriate for ages 4 and up—including teens and grownups! You can practice your new tricks on this week’s Summer Reading Program prize—a yo-yo!

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THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 8 th Tuesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Westgate Library
	2:30 – 3:30 pm	North Valley Library
July 9 th Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	South Valley Library
July 10 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Ernie Pyle Library
July 11 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Tony Hillerman Library
July 16 th Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	East Mountain Library
July 17 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Cherry Hills Library
July 18 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Los Griegos Library

8+ South Broadway Library AMP Concerts: The Double Clicks

Tuesday
Noon – 1 pm

Fun for the whole family! The Double Clicks perform songs from their children’s album, Worst Superpower Ever, which has advice for velociraptors and songs about vampires, superheroes—and grammar! Take a visit to Uncle Geek’s House where everyone gets pie at 3:15; sing Happy Birthday the nerdy way; hear about the inner struggles of apostrophes; and, at the end of it all, crawl into bed and sing a lullaby to your teddy bear.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT JUAN TABO LIBRARY ON TUESDAY, JULY 8TH FROM 6 -7 PM.

8+ Cherry Hills Library Operation Teen Financial Literacy

Tuesday
2 - 4 pm

Teens, avoid costly mistakes later by learning useful money management skills in a fun and interactive setting. Join us for this free four-session workshop designed for teens ages 14 – 17. Advance registration is required and space is limited to 25 registrants, so please sign up online or at the Information Desk. There will be games, prizes and a certificate of completion. Check with your school to see if you can obtain credit for the workshop.

These workshops will be fun and informative. Topics include: Manage Your Money; Make Your Money Grow; Plan Your Future; and, Protect What You Have. Participants must attend all four sessions to be eligible for prizes.

THIS REMAINING WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

July 15 th Tuesday	2 – 4 pm
July 22 nd Tuesday	2 – 4 pm
July 29 th Tuesday	2 – 4 pm

9 Lomas Tramway Library Teen Craft: Binary Bead Bracelets

Wednesday
3 – 4 pm

Teens 13-18. Please join us for a fun session of learning how to use binary computer language to create secret messages out of beads! Registration is required: Online, by phone at 505-291-6295, or at the library information desk.

9+ Alamosa Library Get Your Motor Running! Explora Teen Science Event

Wednesday
3 – 4 pm

íexplora! brings another fun program of “Ideas You Can Touch” for ages 12 – 18. Students use batteries, magnets, wire and paper clips to construct simple motors. Then they manipulate variables to improve the performance of those motors. Can they make them run faster? Can they be turned into generators? Find the answers in this powerful exploration!

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT JUAN TABO LIBRARY ON TUESDAY, JULY 11TH FROM 2 – 3 PM.

10 Taylor Ranch Library Mocular Origami

Thursday
4 – 5 pm

Learn how to do modern modular origami and make a 30 Unit PHiZZ Ball!

10+ Cherry Hills Library Stories & Songs with Sean Etigson

Thursday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Kids, join us for this fun interactive program that integrates stories and songs from across the world to spark the imagination of the audience! Continued...

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 11 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Taylor Ranch Library
July 12 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Lomas Tramway Library
July 14 th Monday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Alamosa Library
July 15 th Tuesday	2:30 – 3:30 pm	North Valley Library
July 16 th Wednesday	2- 3 pm	Juan Tabo Library
July 17 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Main Library
July 18 th Friday	3 – 4 pm	San Pedro Library
July 19 th Saturday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Erna Fergusson Library

11 East Mountain Library Play Chess –Teen Event

Friday
2 – 3 pm

Have you ever wanted to try chess, but don't know how to start? Do you want to just learn the basics, or be able to compete with your friends? Come and learn all about bughouse, coffeehouse, blitz chess and other game variations. Teens 13 – 18.

12 Cherry Hills Library Gone Sasquatchin'?

Saturday
3 – 4 pm

Local author and science-based paranormal investigator Ben Radford explores the myths and legends of Bigfoot.

12+ Los Griegos Library Mobiles: Twisted but Balanced! Teen Explora Science Event

Saturday
3 – 4 pm

Explore balance, movement and design by constructing sculptures in the style of Alexander Calder's mobiles. We will compare and contrast symmetry and asymmetry in design and weight, and explore cause and effect by trying to balance weights and physically work out visual choices.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 15 th Tuesday	3 – 4 pm	Taylor Ranch Library
July 17 th Thursday	3 – 4 pm	South Valley Library
July 18 th Friday	2 – 3 pm	Westgate Library

12 Main Library Teen Zombie Party

Saturday
Noon – 2 pm

Are you ready for the zombie apocalypse? Consider participating in zombie survival training, let your knowledge of zombie trivia, and play "pin the brain on the zombie." Ages 13 – 18.

16 North Valley Library Monthly Craft with Nicole

Wednesday
4 – 5 pm

Make a heart dog head in this fun craft session with Nichole.

17-18 Erna Fergusson Library Tween Craft Event: Spray Paint Stencils

Thursday Noon – 1 pm
Friday 2 – 3 pm

Join us for a fun time as we create art with spray paint and stencils—limited only by your imagination! Registration required, please call 505-888-8100. For tweens 9 – 12.

17 Taylor Ranch Library Pajama Storytime

Tuesday
6:30 – 7:15 pm

Put on your jammies and bring your favorite teddy bear for a fun time of stories, rhymes and songs.

18 Taylor Ranch Library Songs & Stories with Laurie & Susie

Friday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Two of Albuquerque’s favorite kids’ entertainers are joining up for some really fun times for kids (and grownup, too)! Laurie Magovern is a master storyteller who every Wednesday throughout the year presents two “Stories in the Sky” programs at the Balloon Museum. Susie Tallman brings music, dance and stories to the young and young-at-heart with her “Susie Tallman & Friends” performances all over the city. Together, they are just unbeatable! They are often accompanied by Gregg Daigle on guitar. So kids (and their grownups), bring your dancing feet and your imagination to a wild world of animals as they share stories and songs about our favorite creatures!

19 Tony Hillerman Library Steampunk Fossil Craft Program

Saturday
2 – 3:30 pm

Teens and grownups, come have a fun time making a fossil out of a mechanized beast. All materials will be provided. Space is limited, so please register at 505-291-6264.

21 Erna Fergusson Library Pajama Storytime

Monday
7 – 7:30 pm

Wear your ‘jammies and bring a favorite stuffed animal as we share Pajama Storytime! Kids of all ages and their grownups are welcome.

21 Alamosa Library ITZ Storytime!

Monday
10:30 – 11:30 am

IT’Z Family Food and Fun brings a special summer reading family storytime that promises fun for all ages.

THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED AT OTHER BRANCHES AS FOLLOWS:

July 22 nd Tuesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Westgate Library
July 23 rd Wednesday	10:30 – 11:30 am	South Valley Library
July 24 th Thursday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Ernie Pyle Library
July 25 th Friday	10:30 – 11:30 am	Taylor Ranch Library

23 Lomas Tramway Library Teen Program: T-Shirt Stenciling

Wednesday
3 – 4 pm

Join us as we create one-of-a-kind T-shirts using stenciling or free-hand painting. Bring your own pre-washed cotton T-shirt. For ages 13-18. Registration is required: Online, by phone at 505-291-6295, or at the library.

23 South Broadway Library El Camino Real Traveling Trunk and Craft

Wednesday
11:30 am – Noon

Join us as we take a trip down El Camino Real (the Royal Road) that was key to New Mexico history. We’ll explore items from the traveling trunk and create a traditional cornhusk doll just like kids did in the 19th century!

25 Erna Fergusson Library Teen Event: Wii Party

Friday
2 – 3 pm

Teens ages 13 – 18 have fun playing a variety of Wii games and competing with their friends. Registration is required, please call 505-888-8100.

26 Cherry Hills Library Stenciled Library Tote Bags

Saturday
10:30 – 11:30 am

Come and create your own unique stenciled library tote bag. All supplies will be provided. Space is limited, so registration is required. Please call 505-768-5141 or stop by the information desk.

30 Juan Tabo Library Mini Mosaic Murals for Tweens

Wednesday
2 – 3 pm

Help us celebrate the new work on the library's mural. We'll make our own mini versions using everyday materials. For kids 6 – 12.

30 Main Library Harry Potter's and Neville Longbottom's Birthday Parties

Wednesday
11 am – Noon

Celebrate all things Hogwarts at this fun party. You'll get sorted into a Hogwarts home and make a matching tie, take a picture on Platform 9¾, create an owl bookmark, and race chocolate jumping frogs. For ages 6 – 12.

Ongoing programs for children and families...

Albuquerque Museum Family Art Workshops

Saturdays, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.

The whole family can explore their creative sides in this fun-for-all-ages workshop. All supplies are provided. Free with general admission.

Balloon Museum Stories in the Sky with Laurie Magovern

TWO SESSIONS: Wednesdays, 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. and 11 – 11:45 am

Come soar with us! Every Wednesday year-round the Balloon Museum offers a fabulous free story time, *Stories in the Sky*, led by the very popular Laurie Magovern. Our youngest adventurers and their adult explorers will sail through the seasons with stories, songs, crafts and games designed for 0-6 years old. Parents and grandparents have as much fun as the little ones! Create some fantastic memories; make some handmade crafts while introducing early literacy in a beautiful museum setting. Many families return week after week, declaring, "This is the only storytime I recommend."

Ongoing events at your library...

The following listings are appended as submitted. For information on any of these programs, please contact Kimberly Bruna-Lewis at klewis@cabq.gov or 505-768-5115.

Alamosa Library

Every Child Ready to Read Preschool Storytime, 3-5 years (pre-readers). Wednesdays. 10:15am. Help your child get ready to be a reader. Enjoy fun stories, songs and movement activities. Ongoing (not on summer break)

Every Child Ready to Read Baby Storytime, Birth-2 years (pre-talkers). Thursdays. 10:30am. Help your baby get ready to be a reader. Join us for interactive stories, songs and bouncy rhymes. Ongoing (not on summer break)

Monthly Craft with Tina. Second Wednesday of the month. 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm. All ages welcome. Join Miss Tina for a fun and creative craft that's guaranteed to get oohs and aahs. No registration required.

Wii Play. Thursdays. 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm. Ages 6-12 years welcome. Calling all Wii players for weekly gaming.

Basic Computer Training. Tuesdays. 10:00 – 11:00 am. Learn basic computer skills with personalized help. Call 836-0684 for details.

Gizmo Garage. First Wednesday of the month. 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm. Learn about eBooks and eReaders.

Digital Drop-In. Third Monday of the month. 10:00 pm - 11:00 pm. Get one-on-one help checking out eBooks, eAudiobooks and magazines to your tablet, smart phone or eReader. Call 836-0684 for details.

Lego Club. Second Monday of the month. 3:30 – 5:00 pm. Ages 8 years and up. Come build as a team or work on your own creation. Please leave your own Lego at home. We don't want you to lose your favorite pieces.

Cherry Hills Library

Book Discussion Group. 1st Friday of each month, 10:30 a.m. - noon. New members are always welcome. The group discusses a fiction or non-fiction title each month. No meeting in January. Check for selected titles at abclibrary.org/ch

Chess Club. First Saturday of each month, 1 – 3 pm. Join Mr. Rod Avery, coach of the Dennis Chavez Chess Team, for our monthly chess club. No registration required.

Between the Pages for Tweens. Tweens Explore books crafts and activities each month, registration required. Break in August.

Gizmo Garage. A drop- in help session for those needing help with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop. No registration required. Dates and times listed at abclibrary.org/ch

ECRR Babies Storytime, Birth – 2 years (pre-talkers). Wednesdays, 11 am. Join Miss Mercedes for the popular lap-sit program. Hear three fun stories, sing along with old favorites like "Wheels on the Bus" and "Itsy Bitsy Spider," tease Mr. Alligator with the five little monkeys, and don't forget to bring your Sillies to Shake Out!

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10:15 am. Join Ms. Laura for Preschool Storytime. There's a lot of things to do when you're a preschooler. Join in with favorite songs, share some great stories and top it all off with a craft.

An Itch to Stitch. Tuesdays, 10 am – noon. Do you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, needlepoint or latch hook? Bring your stitchery projects to our needlework group. Stitchers of all ages are welcome! Come when you can, on a drop-in basis, to any of our get-togethers. Join our drop-in stitching group! All ages and skill levels welcome!

Leap into Science. A science club for ages 6-12. Registration required. Participate in an experiment or activity centered on a single science concept. Break in August. Dates and times listed at abclibrary.org/ch

Mystery Book Group. 1st Tuesday of each month, 6 – 7:30 pm. New members are always welcome. The group discusses a different mystery each month. Check for selected titles at abclibrary.org/ch

One-on-one Computer Sessions. Optional topics: Introduction to Library Computers, Internet Basics, Email Basics, Introduction to Microsoft Word 2007, Advanced Microsoft Word, Using Library Databases, Downloading Digital Media (eBooks & eAudiobooks). One person per session. Registration required. Visit abclibrary.org/ch for more details.

Preschool Art. Preschoolers, ages 3-5, join Ms. Laura for stories, play and art. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required, limited to 15 participants per session. 3 sessions to choose from. Break in August. Dates and times listed at abclibrary.org/ch

Read to the Dogs. 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, 1 - 3 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

Spanish Literature Group. New members always welcome. The group has a bilingual discussion of Spanish literature each month. Check for selected titles, dates and times listed at abclibrary.org/ch

TAB. 3rd Friday of each month, 4 – 5 p.m. Teens, become a part of our Teen Advisory Board. Help us make Cherry Hills a great place for teens. For ages 12 – 18.

Women's Friendship in Literature Book Group. Explore women's friendships in the lives of characters through novels. Meets monthly. All adults welcome.

East Mountain Library

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-school). Enjoy storytime for 3-5 year-olds followed by a related craft every Wednesday from 10:30-11:15. During Summer Reading Program Storytime is Thursdays at 11:30, the regular schedule runs August – May.

One on One Computer Sessions. Thursdays, 11 a.m. – Noon. By appointment only. Topics: Computer Basics for Beginners, Introduction to the Internet, E-mail, Introduction to Word, Resume Writing. Limited to one participant per session. Call or stop by the library to sign up.

Read to the Dogs Wednesdays. Weekly, Wednesdays 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

East Mountain Library, continued

Read to the Dogs. Monthly, Second Saturday 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

Pajama storytime. Monthly, last Friday 4:30 p.m.

Erna Fergusson Library

ECRR Babies Storytime, Birth – 2 years (pre-talkers). Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m. Stories, songs, and fingerplays for babies and toddlers.

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Enjoy storytime for 3-5 year-olds followed by a related craft every Wednesday from 10:15- 11 a.m.

Music & Movement. Thursdays at 10:15am – Get moving in the morning! Singing, dancing and instrument play for children and parents of all ages.

Lego Club. For all ages. Join Erna Fergusson's Lego Club every 3rd Saturday from 2:30-4 pm. Use your imagination to create your Lego masterpiece. Finished creations will be displayed in the Youth Services area for the month.

Ernie Pyle Library

Every Child Ready to Read Storytime. Friday mornings at 10:30 a.m. From May 16 to Oct 17, 2014. For more information call 505-256-2065 or visit abclibrary.gov/ep

Juan Tabo Library

Computer Classes. Thursdays, 8:30am-9:55am. Topics: Computer Basics for Beginners, Introduction to the Internet, E-mail, Introduction to Word, and more. Limited to one participant per session. Call or stop by the library to sign up. Space is limited. Register in advance online. Visit abclibrary.org/it for the schedule and details.

Read the Southwest Book Club. Come join our New Mexico-themed book club! Each month, we read a book that is either set in NM or that is written by a talented NM author. We meet on the third Thursday of the month at 1:30 pm in the children's area of the library. New members are always welcome!

Bookworms Book Club. The Bookworms adult book club meets the 4th Wednesday of the month in the children's area of the library at 1:30 PM. New members are always welcome!

Lego Club. For kids ages 4 and up, and parents with their younger children. Join Juan Tabo's longstanding Lego Club every second Saturday at 2:00, and every last Wednesday at 3:00. Use your imagination to create your Lego masterpiece. Finished creations will be displayed in the Youth Services area for the month.

Music and Movement Storytime. Let's sing, dance, listen to stories and play instruments together! Every Tuesdays at 11:15 a.m. Same content both days.

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Every Thursday at 11:15 a.m we'll travel to wonderful lands like Spain, Egypt, Russia, Australia, and Argentina, with side trips for tall tales, stories about bears, practice with ABCs and counting, and so much more! Learn Frère Jacques in many languages, and choose your own animals for Old McDonald's farm. Each Friday takes us to a different passport stop!

Gizmo Garage. A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Once a month. Check abclibrary.org/juantabo for dates and times.

Zentangle Club--Third Friday at 1:30pm

Lomas Tramway Library

Every Child Ready to Read (ECRR) Family Storytime. Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and movement. Thursdays at 10:30 am September through April. All ages are welcome to join Miss Cheryl and enjoy books, songs, rhymes and movement activities! No registration required; groups of 5 or more, please call ahead.

Graphic Novel Book Club. 1st Saturday of each month, 2-2:30. Adult discussion of this very popular format of writing. New title each month.

Lomas Tramway Book Group. Join us on the 1st Wednesday of every month from 2:00 pm to 3:15 pm. New members are always welcome. No registration required. Please see our web site or call 291-6295 for the upcoming titles.

Read to the Dogs. Join us on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 1-3 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

Kids Craft with Miss Sophy. third WEDNESDAY of each month at 11:00 am and new craft especially for the little ones. Hands on projects that Mom and the kids can enjoy.

Kids Craft. 3rd Saturdays at 3. Fall to Spring, Suspended during Summer Reading.

Family Movie Series. Fourth Saturdays at 4:00. See our web site or call 291-6295 for more information.

Stitch Club "String Theory". 4th Saturday of the month, knit, purl, hook or stitch. Fall to Spring, Suspended during Summer Reading.

Music by the Mountain. We have everything from singing to harps, guitars to drums. Come and enjoy an evening of pure relaxation. Events vary, usually on the 2nd or 3rd Wednesday of the month. Call ahead for schedule, 291-9295.

Los Griegos Library

Wandering Gypsies Book Group. Fourth Friday of the month 3:00 – 4:30 pm.

Magical Mysteries Tour Book Club. Third Saturday of the month, 3:00 – 4:30 pm. Travelers of every means and method are invited to attend this book club devoted to exploring our world through mysteries.

Art Exhibit: Display changes monthly.

Talk to the Artist: Visit with this month's featured artist(s). Last Friday of the month 11 am - 1 pm.

ECRR Baby Storytime. Every Wednesday from 11:15 – 11:45 am. Birth to 2 (pre-talkers) Help your child develop early literacy skills in a fun environment using books, rhymes, songs and fingerplays.

ECRR Preschool Storytime. Every Thursday from 11:15 – 11:45 am. For 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Stories, learning games, songs, puppets and artwork.

Read to the Dogs. Every Wednesday, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, and the Third Thursday of each month, 3:00 - 4:30 pm. Children can practice their reading with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story.

One-on-One Gizmo Sessions. Sign up at the Information Desk for a one-on-one session to get help with borrowing eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop.

Main Library

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Join us every Wednesday at 10:30 am for stories, films and crafts.

Music and Movement Storytime Mondays. Let's sing, dance, listen to stories and play instruments together! Join us every Monday at 10:30 am.

One-on-one Computer Classes. Thursday 2 and 3 p.m. Learn basic computer skills. Registration is required. Please stop by the info desk or call 768-5141 during business hours for more information or to register. Call or sign up at the library.

Main Library, continued

Read to the Dogs. Join us on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 1 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

Wide World of Mystery Book Group. Join us on the last Friday of each month from Noon – 1 pm. Bring your lunch and discuss. New members always welcome.

The Saturday Special. Join us for stoytimes, crafts, or puppet shows every Saturday at 10:30 am. Call the Main Library's Children's Room at 768-5136 to find out what this Saturday's special event will be. Main Library Children's Room.

North Valley Library

Every Child Ready to Read Baby/Toddler Storytime, Birth-2 years (Pre-talkers). Tuesdays. 11:00 am. Join Miss Nichole for stories, songs, finger plays and movement activities.

Every Child Ready to Read Preschool Storytime, 3-5 years (Pre-readers). Wednesdays. 11:00 am. Join Miss Nichole for stories, songs, finger plays and movement activities.

Read to the Dogs. Wednesdays. 3:00 pm-4:30 pm. Read aloud to Amy and Marco Polo. Bring your book or choose one of ours. Marco Polo loves to listen.

Gizmo Garage/Computer Classes. Thursdays, 5:30 pm-6:30 pm and **Saturdays,** 10:30 am-11:30 am. Get one-on-one help downloading e-books and e-magazines to your device or learn beginning computer skills such as navigating the Internet, typing a Word document or creating an email account. Registration is required. Call 897-8823 to register.

San Pedro Library

Every Child Ready to Read® Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Thursday mornings at 11:30 a.m. For more information call 505-256-2067 or abclibrary.org/sp

Adult Storytime, Adult. Last Saturday of each month at 3:30 p.m. For more information call 505-256-2067 or visit abclibrary.org/sp

South Broadway Library

Craft Time Wednesdays. All ages. Join us for a variety of crafts on the first and last Wednesday of the month. Please call 764-1742 for details.

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Join us on Wednesdays at 10:30 am. Stories, songs, poems and more!

Read to the Dogs. Every Thursday, 4-5pm. Children have an opportunity to read to registered therapy dogs in a relaxed atmosphere, giving them practice reading out loud without fear of judgment. It's a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading. First come, first serve.

Gizmo Garage. A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Check library.cabq.gov/southbroadway for dates and times. Second Thursday of the month.

Wii Saturdays Children, Tweens and Teens. Join us every Saturday from 3-5pm for Wii fun and games!

Movie Day Fridays once a month. Join us for a family friendly movie shown in our Children's Room. Check abclibrary.org/sb for dates and times.

South Valley Library

Read to the Dogs. Join us on the first Tuesday of each month from 3pm-5pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Registered therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

KidCrafts. First Thursday of the month @ 3:30. Age group: Children. Join us for a variety of crafts, games, art-making, and other surprises.

South Valley Library, continued

Thursday Night Fiber Fever. Join us on the last Thursday of each month from 5-7 pm. Work on your knitting, crochet or other fiber projects in the company of like-minded fiber enthusiasts. All ages and skill levels welcome!

Gizmo Garage. A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Once a month. Check visit abclibrary.org/sv for dates and times.

Book Discussion Group. Meets one Saturday @ 12pm per month, every other month. 2013 schedule: January, March, May, July, September, November. For specific dates and selected titles, please visit abclibrary.org/sv

Special Collections Library

Weekly Library Tour. Join us every Thursday at 12:00 pm for a tour of the Special Collections Library. The Special Collections Library of the Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Libraries houses research collections on Albuquerque history and New Mexico history and culture. The 1925 Pueblo/Spanish Revival-style building is a registered Albuquerque landmark in the historic Huning-Highlands neighborhood. As a research library, materials are available for in-house use only. Photocopiers are available. Parking is available on Edith and other residential streets.

Gizmo Garage. 4th Friday of each month, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. A drop- in help session for those needing help with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop. No registration required. For information on parking, etc., please see abclibrary.org/specialcollections.

Taylor Ranch Library

ECRR Family Storytime. Join us on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome for stories, songs, poems, and games.

ECRR Baby Storytime, Birth to 2 years (pre-talkers). Join us Fridays at 10:30 a.m. for a lapsit storytime for ages 0-2. Stories, learning games, songs, puppets, movement activities, and fun for everyone!

A Good Yarn. Fridays from 2:00-3:30 p.m. If you enjoy knitting, crocheting, or other needle craft, join our drop-in stitch group. Ages 12 and up. Intermediate skills and above, please. Feel free to come when you can and leave as needed.

Lego Club. June 11th and every other Wednesday 3:30-5 p.m.

Pajama Storytime – 3rd Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Basic Computer Classes. Every Monday at 4 p.m. June 2nd: Computer Basics June 9th: Internet Basics, June 16th: Email Basics, June 23rd: Microsoft Word Visit abclibrary.org/taylorranch for details.

Taylor Ranch Book Group. Meets the second Saturday of each month from 2:00-3:30 p.m.

New members are always welcome.

Tony Hillerman Library

LEGO Adventures for all ages. monthly, 1st Saturday, 2 p.m. Come and build with us. All LEGOs are provided. Since we don't want you to lose your favorite pieces, please leave your LEGOs at home.

Origami Adventures for ages 5-99. monthly, 2nd Saturday, 2 p.m. If you like to fold paper, drop in on the 2nd Saturday of every month to learn a new origami project.

Bobbin Lace. 2nd Saturday, 12 p.m.-4 p.m. Bobbin Lace Demonstrations by the Enchanted Lacemakers of Albuquerque. For more information call 505-291-6264.

ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).

Wednesday or Thursday mornings @ 10:30. Stories, rhymes, fingerplays & more. Groups of 5 or more, please call 291-6264 if you plan to join us.

Music and Movement Storytime, 0-5 years. Get moving and grooving with stories, fingerplays, musical instruments and more. Saturdays at 10:30 am. For more information call 505-291-6264.

Tony Hillerman Library, continued

Read to the Dogs. Would your child like a patient, attentive friend to read to? Read to the Dogs provides an opportunity for your child to read to registered therapy dogs in a relaxed atmosphere. The dogs sit calmly and quietly for a story. Children can practice reading out loud without fear of judgment. It's a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading. 2nd Saturday of each month at 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Hillerman Stitching Club. Tuesdays, 11 a.m.- 1 p.m. If you enjoy knitting, crocheting, or any other stitching type craft—you are invited to join our drop-in stitching club. All ages and skill levels welcome. For more information call 505-291-6264.

Who Dunit? Mystery Book Club. Meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month. 3 – 4 pm. New members always welcome. For more information call 505-291-6264.

Art Around the World, 6-14 years. Last Friday, 11 a.m. or 4 p.m. Each month we will create an art project from a different part of the world. Registration Required. Call 291-6264--space is limited. Registration begins the day after the previous month's program.

Poetry Around the World, 10-Adult. 3rd Thursday, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Except during the Summer. Each month we will explore a new style of poetry from a different part of the world. *Adults are also encouraged to attend. Registration is not required, but if you would like a reminder call, please register online.* For more information and to register call 291-6264.

Westgate Library

Beginning August 5th: **Every Child Ready to Read Preschool Storytime, 3-5 years (pre-readers). Tuesdays.** 10:30am. Enjoy fun stories and rhymes with Mr. Tim.

One-on-One Basic Computer classes. Wednesdays. 10:00 - 11:00am. Learn basic computer skills. Call 833-6984 for details.

Monthly Craft with Jackie. Third Friday of the month. 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm. All ages welcome. Join Jackie for a fun and creative craft that's sure to be a hit! No registration required.

Gizmo Garage. Third Wednesday of the month. 11:00 - 11:45am. Learn how to check out eBooks with one-on-one instruction.

VENUES

ABQ BIOPARK

Aquarium/Botanic Garden

2601 Central Ave. NW Phone: (505) 764-6200 Intersection of Central and New York Avenues, just east of the Central Bridge.
Open Daily 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Zoo

903 Tenth Street SW Phone: (505) 768-2000 south of Lead and Coal and north of Bridge Blvd.

Open every day of the week, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Admission to Albuquerque Aquarium, Botanic Garden and Zoo: Adult (13-64): \$12.50; seniors 65+ \$5.50; children 3 – 12 years \$4.

Tingley Beach

1800 Tingley Drive SW Phone: 311 locally or (505) 768-2000

Albuquerque Museum

2000 Mountain Road NW (505) 243-7055

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 9 am – 5 pm

Balloon Museum

9201 Balloon Museum Drive NE (505) 768-6020

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 9 am – 5 pm

KiMo Theatre

423 Central Avenue NW Business Office (505) 768-3522/Box Office 768-3544

Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 am – 8 pm; Sunday 11 am – 3 pm

South Broadway Cultural Center

1025 Broadway Blvd. SE (505) 848-1320 (3 blocks north of Avenida Cesar Chavez)

ABC LIBRARIES

Main Library

501 Copper Avenue NW (505) 768-5131

Hours: Monday/Thursday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Tuesday & Wednesday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Alamosa Library

6900 Gonzales SW (505) 836-0084
Hours: Monday – Friday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Cherry Hills Library

6901 Barstow NE (505) 857-8321
Hours: Monday/Tuesday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Wednesday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

East Mountain Library

1 Old Tijeras Road, Tijeras (505) 281-8508 (Next to the Post Office)
Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Erna Fergusson Library

3700 San Mateo NE (505) 888-8100
Hours: Monday – Thursday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Ernie Pyle Library

900 Girard SE (505) 256-2065
Hours: Tuesday/Thursday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Juan Tabo Library

3407 Juan Tabo NE (505) 291-6260
Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Thursday – Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Lomas Tramway Library

908 Eastridge NE (505) 291-6295
Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Thursday – Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Los Griegos Library

1000 Griegos Road NW (505) 761-4020
Hours: Tuesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday/Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

North Valley Library

7704 – 2nd Street NW (505) 897-8823

San Pedro Library

5600 Trumbull SE (505-256-2067
Hours: Tuesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday & Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

South Broadway Library

1025 Broadway Blvd SE (505) 764-1742
Hours: Monday – Friday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

South Valley Library 3904 Isleta SW (505) 877-5170

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Special Collections Library

423 Central NE (505) 848-1376
Hours: 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Tuesday - Saturday

Taylor Ranch Library

5700 Bogart Street NW (505) 897-8816
Hours: Monday – Thursday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Tony Hillerman Library

8205 Apache NE (505) 291-6264
Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Thursday – Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Westgate Library

1300 Delgado SW (505) 833-6984
Hours: Monday – Friday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.