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Storytime Schedule

Preschool

Ages 3-5

Wednesdays, 10:15 AM

Thursdays, 10:15 AM

Toddlers

Ages 1-2

Wednesdays, 11 AM

Thursdays, 11 AM

Seating is limited.

Please see our

Storytime flyer for

further information.



Kids Computer Camp @ Cherry Hills

We will be offering a number of classes for two age groups, grades 4 and 5 (10-11 years old) and grades 6, 7 and 8 (12-14 years old). All classes will be held from 9 AM to 10 AM. **Note:** Some classes are multi-session and attendance is required at all sessions for completion.

Introduction to the Computer



This class will focus primarily on Windows XP. We will introduce students to the Desktop, My Computer, Folders, Start Menu, Control Panel, and Shortcuts.

Grades 4-5 – Tuesday, June 5 (maximum 7)

Grades 6-8 – Thursday, June 7 (maximum 7)

Introduction to the Internet



This class will focus on an overview of Internet searching, what is the world-wide web, printing web pages, adding favorites, and how to cut and paste items from the Web to a document. This is a *two session class*.

Grades 4-5 – Tuesday, June 12 and Thursday, June 14 (maximum 7)

Grades 6-8 - Tuesday, June 19 and Thursday, June 21 (maximum 7)

Introduction to Word



This is a basic Word class, covering screen layout, creating documents, wizards, templates, editing, formatting, and inserting images. This is a *four session class*.

Grades 4-5 – Wednesday, June 20; Friday, June 22; Wednesday, June 27; and Friday, June 29 (maximum 7)

Grades 6-8 – Tuesday, June 26; Thursday, June 28; Tuesday, July 3; and Thursday, July 5 (maximum 7)

Word II: Create Your Own Newsletter for Family and Friends

The class will focus on document design and formatting by designing a newsletter. Prerequisite: Introduction to Word or permission from the instructor. This is a *two session class*.

Grades 4-5 – Tuesday, July 10 and Thursday, July 12 (maximum 7)

Grades 6-8 – Tuesday, July 17 and Thursday, July 19 (maximum 7)

Publisher I: You're Invited!



A beginner's class for Publisher while creating your own party invitations, cards, and planning calendars. This is a *two session class*.

Grades 4-5 – Wednesday, July 11 and Friday, July 13 (maximum 4)

Publisher II: Tell the Whole Story

Create a presentation poster that visually tells the story. Have fun creating party invitations, cards, and planning calendars. This is a *two session class*.

Grades 6-8 – Monday, July 16 and Wednesday, July 18 (maximum 4)

PowerPoint: Snappy Class Presentations



Create a slide presentation that really gets your point across. This is a *three session class*.

Grades 6-8 – Tuesday, July 24; Wednesday, July 25; and Thursday, July 26 (maximum 4)

Note:

All students must have a SmartCard before registering for a class.



Kids Chess Program For Beginners



Are you a third-grader or older who likes to play games involving strategy? Consider learning chess this summer! In four weekly sessions, you will learn basic chess themes, how to concentrate and stay focused, and how to make wise decisions. The top student wins a trophy! You will be required to turn in weekly assignments and commit to at least two study hours at home. Please bring to class: a pen, pencil, three ring binder, ruled paper, and a chess set (if you have one). Stop by the library's Information Desk to sign up (spaces are limited). The program will be Fridays 1 - 3 PM on June 8, 15, 22, 29.

If you know the game of chess and are looking for practice partners or would like to learn some chess strategy, stop by the library the first Saturday of each month, 1 - 3 PM. The Cherry Hills Chess Club is for chess players of all ages; *no sign up required*.

Teen Talk

Teen Movie

The Cherry Hills Library Teen Advisory Board invites teens 13-18 to stop by Monday, May 21 at 4:30 PM for a screening of *Take the Lead*. This PG-13 movie is about a professional dancer who volunteers to teach a group of detention-dwellers in an inner city New York school. Although they clash at first, they soon begin to realize that his lessons are about more than dancing. His classic moves are combined with their hip-hop to create an incredible dance fusion that explodes on-screen. Bring a friend and join the fun!



TAB

The last Teen Advisory Board meeting for the 2006 - 2007 school year will be May 12 at 2 PM. The meeting will

begin with Summer Assistant orientation for TAB members and then continue with unfinished business for the year. See you there!



Be a Summer Assistant at Cherry Hills Library

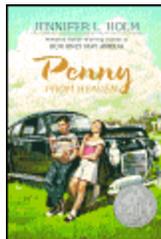


Are you a teen who is enthusiastic, dependable and friendly? If you answered yes, then you are a teen who would be a great summer assistant!

Assistants are teens 12 and up who sign up participants for the Summer Reading Club, hand out prizes, and more. You can meet other teens, stay cool, and help others all at the same time! Ask at the Information Desk for an application.

New Children's Books

Penny from Heaven by Jennifer L. Holm
J Fiction Holm



Inspired by Newbery Honor winner Jennifer Holm's own Italian American family, this is a story about a time in America's history, not all that long ago, when being Italian meant that you were the enemy. But most of all, it's a story about families--about the things that tear them apart and bring them together. It is told with all the richness and the layers, the love and the laughter of a Sunday dinner at Nonny's.

The Green Glass Sea by Ellen Klages
J Fiction Klages



It is 1943, and Dewey Kerrigan is traveling west on a train to live with her scientist father--but no one, not her father nor the military guardians who accompany her, will tell her exactly where he is. When she reaches Los Alamos, New Mexico, she learns why: he's working on a top secret government program. This book's fresh prose and fascinating subject are like nothing you've read before.

Movies @ the Library



Adult Night at the Movies

(17+ years old, 5:30 PM) Tuesday, May 29:
The Queen



In the immediate aftermath of the sudden death of Princess Diana, the tightly contained, tradition-bound world of Queen Elizabeth II clashes with the slick modernity of the country's brand new Prime Minister, Tony Blair. This film is rated PG-13 for brief strong language.

Family Night at the Movies

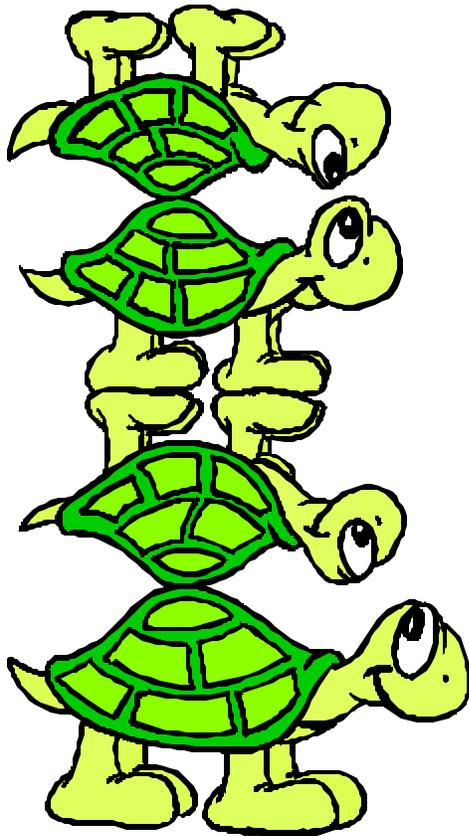
(All ages, 4:30 PM) Monday, May 7:
Nanny McPhee (PG)



Nanny McPhee comes to the house of Mr. Brown and his seven ill-behaved children. They have dispensed with seventeen nannies before her and see Nanny McPhee as no different. However, she seems to have mystical powers that allows her to control them. Bring a pillow and the family and join the fun. Children must be accompanied by a parent/adult AT ALL TIMES!

Turtlemania @ Cherry Hills

Did you know that turtles are classified according to how they withdraw their neck into their shell? One group can draw their neck in while folding it under their spine and the other group are those which fold their neck to the side. Learn this and other fun facts about your favorite chelonians during our month-long celebration of turtles at Cherry Hills in May! Don't miss the Rio Grande Turtle & Tortoise Club's visit on May 22nd at 3:30 PM, when they'll bring in live turtles and answer questions. We'll also be featuring a display of turtle art in May, including ceramic, wood, and glass turtles. Stop by for a turtle extravaganza!



Forthcoming Events

Book Discussion Group
will meet Friday, June 1,
10:30 AM - Noon.
Time and Again
by Jack Finney



Magic, Music and Fun with Jamie O'Hara
Friday, June 15, 3 PM

Xeriscape and Landscape Conversion Seminar
Saturday, June 16, 10 AM - Noon

Stories and Songs from Many Lands with Sean Etigson
Friday, June 22, 3 PM

Sing Along with Mr. Stinky Feet
Friday, June 29, 3 PM

Master Gardeners
Every Saturday 10 AM - 3 PM
through September 8

Except for Memorial Day weekend,
May 26 and
Labor Day weekend, September 1



Read 2 the Beat!

Summer Reading Program 2007

Find your reading rhythm with the Summer Reading Program! This year's theme is **Read 2 the Beat!** Kids, teens and adults can sign up starting May 18th and keep track of each hour of reading or listening. For each hour kids and teens read they get a prize. For every 10 hours they read they're entered into a Grand Prize drawing. For every 10 hours adults read they are entered into a system wide drawing for tickets to Albuquerque

attractions and a pair of Southwest Airline tickets! The program ends July 20th so bring your reading logs before then to be entered in the drawing.

The 2007 Summer Reading Program will kick-off with an exciting event on May 19 at the Alamosa Community Center and Library from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM. The kick-off party will feature free entertainment and activities, and everyone can sign up for Summer Reading!

Each library branch will also have free programs throughout the summer, including magicians, musicians and storytellers. Cherry Hills will have programs Fridays at 3pm starting June 15th. Programs are aimed at elementary school age children but all ages are welcome to attend.

For more information about the Summer Reading Program, including the entertainment lineup and kick-off party details, visit the library website at www.cabq.gov/library. Get ready to

MAY 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6	7 *Family Film Fun	8	9 * Storytime	10 * Storytime	11	12 * Teen Advisory Board *Master Gardeners *Xeriscape
13	14	15	16 * Storytime	17 * Storytime	18 *Summer Reading Prog begins 	19 * Read to the Dogs *Master Gardeners *ACT Prep
20	21  *Teen Movie	22 *Turtle Talk 	23 * Storytime	24 * Storytime	25	26
27	28  Closed for Memorial Day	29 * A Night at the Movies	30 * Storytime	31 * Storytime		
	1 Read 2 the Beat Kickoff Saturday, May 19 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM Alamosa Branch Library 6900 Gonzales SW 836-0684		2 * Storytime	3 * Storytime	4 * Book Discussion	5 * Read to the Dogs *Chess Club *Master Gardeners

Library Programs

Children's Programs:

Read to the Dogs: 1st and 3rd Saturdays 1 PM - 3 PM

Chess Club

Saturday, May 5, 1 - 3 PM

Teen Advisory Board

Saturday, May 12, 2 PM

Teen Movie: Take the Lead

Monday, May 21, 4:30 PM

Adult Programs:

Friday, May 4, 10:30 AM - Noon

Book Group: To Kill a Mockingbird

Monday, May 7, 4:30 PM

Family Film Fun: Nanny McPhee

Saturday, May 12, 10 AM - Noon

Xeriscape & Landscape Conversion

Saturday, May 19, 10:30 AM

ACT Prep

Tuesday, May 22, 3:30 PM

Turtle Show and Tell

Tuesday, May 29, 5:30 PM

A Night at the Movies: The Queen

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