

Washoe County Library Summer Reading Program 2018

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Summer
Programs
& Events

washoeountylibrary.us/summerreading

May 30 – September 1





Your guide to Washoe County Library System Summer Reading Program

2018 Summer Reading Program theme is Libraries Rock!

You can rock your library this year by attending any of the free events and activities featured in this brochure. Kids and teens are invited to sign up online for SRP to track their reading and earn free books. SRP themed events run from May 30 through September 1.

Pre-registration for SRP begins May 15, with the program starting officially on June 1 and running through August 31.

Register at www.washoecountylibrary.us/summerreading beginning May 15.

Use these icons to find your favorite SRP events:



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Story Time Pages 30 - 31

Stop in at one of our branches today, or visit www.washoecountylibrary.us to discover more.



Where to find our Summer Reading Program Events

Downtown Reno Library

301 South Center Street
Reno, NV 89501
775-327-8300

Sierra View Library

4001 South Virginia Street
(inside Reno Town Mall)
Reno, NV 89502
775-827-3232

Duncan/Traner Community Library

1650 Carville Drive
Reno, NV 89512
775-333-5134

South Valleys Library

15650-A Wedge Parkway
Reno, NV 89511
775-851-5190

Incline Village Library

845 Alder Avenue
Incline Village, NV 89451
775-832-4130

Spanish Springs Library

7100-A Pyramid Lake Highway
Sparks, NV 89436
775-424-1800

North Valleys Library

1075 North Hills Boulevard
Suite 340
Reno, NV 89506
775-972-0281

Sparks Library

1125 12th Street
Sparks, NV 89431
775-352-3200

Northwest Reno Library

2325 Robb Drive
Reno, NV 89523
775-787-4100

Verdi Community Library and Nature Center

270 Bridge Street
Verdi, NV 89439
775-345-8104

For complete location and hours information, visit washoecountylibrary.us/libraries.

Petroglyph: the Evolution of Music



Featuring instruments ranging from the didgeridoo and tabla drums to guitar loops and electronic percussion, Pete Fairley of MeadowRock Percussion and David Blonski of Timeless Productions weave a narrative linking the ancient with the modern.

Sunday, June 3
2 pm **Spanish Springs**

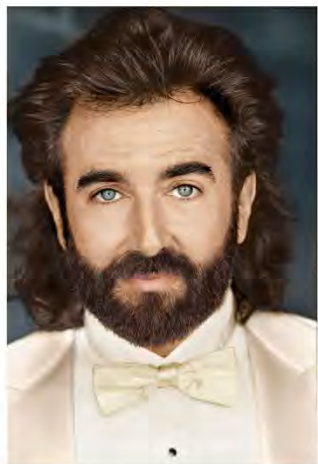
Sunday, June 10
1 pm **Downtown Reno**

Brüka's Theatre for Children

Artists from Brüka Theatre present an original modern adaptation of the classic Brothers Grimm tale, *The Frog Prince*.

Wednesday, June 6
1:15 pm **Verdi***

*Program will be held inside the school.



Magician Larry Wilson

Direct from TV, magician Larry Wilson returns once again with an entirely new program of mind-blowing magic illustrating the scientific principles that make his illusions possible by using student volunteers in direct, hands-on learning applications.

Wednesday, June 6
4 pm **Incline Village**

Wednesday, June 13
10:30 am **North Valleys**



Celebrate Navy Week with Washoe County Library

The Navy Office of Community Outreach (NAVCO) Navy Awareness Missions As part of NAVCO's flagship outreach program, *Navy Week*, the Navy will be attending events in the area from Monday, June 18- Friday, June 22, concurrent with the Reno Rodeo.

Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) Technicians: Robots, Dive Gear, Bomb Suits

- Tuesday, June 19, 6:30 pm **Incline Village**
- Wednesday, June 20, 10:15 am **Sparks**
- Wednesday, June 20, 2 pm **Spanish Springs**

Navy Band Southwest: 30 Piece Band or Woodwind or Brass Quintets

- Friday, June 22, 6:30 pm **Incline Village**



Mad Science 2018!

Make waves and make some noise in this fun and funky science show! The Mad Scientist will create crazy cacophony with a garbage can, a swinging sound tube, and a metal pipe! Children will cheer as pickles glow and potatoes pop! What are all the kids talking about? **Sounds like Science!**

Monday, June 25
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**

Tuesday, June 26
4 pm **Incline Village**

Wednesday, June 27
10:15 am **Sparks**
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
5 pm **Northwest Reno**

Thursday, June 28
4:30 pm **Sierra View**

Friday, June 29
3 pm **Verdi**

Saturday, June 30
11 am **South Valleys**
1:30 pm **North Valleys**

Sunday, July 1
11:30 am **Downtown Reno**

DOWNTOWN DANCE COLLECTIVE

Presents

Destination Dance July 12

A Site-Specific Dance Tour
Through Reno's Downtown

Tour groups depart
from City Plaza at
6:00 pm, 6:20 pm,
6:40 pm, & 7:00 pm.

Tour includes
Downtown Reno Library



Coming this summer. . . Will Parker



Will Parker is a children's songwriter and teaching artist, making music for "kids ages 1-100." During Will's whimsical and interactive shows, he plays guitar and harmonica and sings songs that open us up to the world of imagination while simultaneously validating the human experience.

Monday, July 30
11 am **Downtown Reno**
3 pm **Duncan/Traner**

Tuesday, July 31
10:30 am **South Valleys**
4 pm **Incline Village**

Wednesday, August 1
10:15 am **Sparks**
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
5 pm **Northwest Reno**

Thursday, August 2
10:30 am **Sierra View**
3:30 pm **North Valleys**

Friday, August 3
3 pm **Verdi**



Libraries ROCK!

Keep your options open. Plan your summer by using our icons to pick your favorite events, or simply find the dates, times, and locations that work for you!

Wednesday, May 30

Summer Reading Kick-Off Party
2:30 pm **Verdi**

Sign up for Summer Reading Program, get your free book, play with Boomwhackers® and enjoy refreshments.



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party
4 pm **Incline Village**

Sign up for Summer Reading Program, get your free book, tie dye a book bag, enter our raffle drawing for prizes and enjoy some refreshments.



Friday, June 1

Family Game Night
3:30 pm **North Valleys**

Find a table, grab a game and have some fun at the library!



Saturday, June 2

Battle Rock
10 am **Sierra View**

Over 5 weeks patrons will vote for their favorite rock band, group or singer. The performer with the most votes in a match-up moves on.



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party
11 am **Northwest Reno**

Sign up for Summer Reading Program, get your free book, play with Boomwhackers® and enjoy refreshments.



STEAM: Ice Cream in a Bag
1:30 pm **North Valleys**
Who knew science could taste so good?



Sunday, June 3



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party with music by Petroglyph

1 pm **Spanish Springs**

Sign up for Summer Reading Program, get your free book, enter to win raffle prizes, enjoy refreshments, and make petroglyph art. Featuring music by Petroglyph: The Evolution of Music. *For program description, see page 4.*

Wednesday, June 6



National Yo-Yo Day

All Day **North Valleys**

Make your own Yo-Yo from common household items!

Brüka's Theatre for Children

1:15 pm **Verdi**

For program description, see page 4.



STEAM: Build Popsicle Stick Ferris Wheel

3 pm, **Sparks**



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm **Duncan-Traner**

Make and take STEAM activities.



Code It, Build it

4 pm **Spanish Springs**

Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Larry Wilson

4pm **Incline Village**

For program description, see page 4.



Speaker Series: Bob Goodman Presents "Stay Away" Part 2

5:30 pm **North Valleys**

Local photographer Bob Goodman talks about how to stay safe and protect Nevada's beautiful but deadly hot springs.



Thursday, June 7



Idea Box Beading

4:30 pm **South Valleys**

Try out some fun beading activities using our Beading Idea Box.



STEAM Thursday: Quicksand

3:30 pm **North Valleys**



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm **Sierra View**

Make and take STEAM activities.

Friday, June 8



World Oceans Day

All Day **North Valleys**

Learn about the oceans of the world and create your own tide pool art!



June Movie: Paddington 2

6 pm **Incline Village**

Join us for a family friendly movie and popcorn!



Saturday, June 9

Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

10 am **Sparks**

Sign up for summer reading, get your free book. Karaoke Rock, 10 am; Ice Cream Social, noon; and Dance Dance Revolution, 1 pm.



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

11 am **Sierra View**

Sign up for summer reading, get your free book, decorate your own t-shirt or bandana, make a music-themed treat and take a pic in our photo booth.



Tie Dye with Rocks!

11 am **Northwest Reno**

Bring your own white shirt to dye and create an interesting design with rubber bands and rocks! Meet outside in the south parking lot. Please arrive on time.



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

1:30 pm **North Valleys**

Sign up for summer reading, get your free book and join us for some hands-on fun and activities! Raffle door prizes and refreshments, while supplies last!



Sunday, June 10

Australia Rocks Kick-Off Party with music by Petroglyph

Noon **Downtown Reno**

Find out how Australia rocks with guests Petroglyph: The Evolution of Music. Learn about bearded dragons with Reptile Ryan, and participate in the coveted Aussie ritual of the Tim Tam Slam. *For program details, see page 4.*



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

1:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**

Sign up for summer reading, get your free book, decorate your own t-shirt or bandana, make a music-themed treat and take a pic in our photo booth.



Movie: The Greatest Showman

3 pm **Spanish Springs**



Monday, June 11

Make and Take Monday: Australia Rocks

1 pm **Downtown Reno**

Boomerangs



Tuesday, June 12



Tuesday Movie: Rango
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Tuesdays @ 2: Rockin' Summer Activities
2 pm **Spanish Springs**

Explore the Hive @ Lazy 5 and meet a variety of youth organizations offering summer activities!



Code It
3:30 pm **North Valleys**

Drop-in coding class explores beginner computer coding. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.

Wednesday, June 13



Magician Larry Wilson
10:30 am **North Valleys**
For program information, see page 4.



Father's Day Craft
10:45 am **Sparks**

Stay after Family Story Time to make Dad something special!



Make and Take Wednesday: Australia Rocks
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Aboriginal Clapping Sticks



Rock Your Garden
2:30 pm **Verdi**

Join us to make wind chimes and hand painted rocks for your garden.



STEAM: Build Geodesic Domes
3 pm **Sparks**



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Make and Take 3D Printing Father's Day gift
4 pm **Incline Village**



Summer Reading Kick Off Party
4 pm **South Valleys**

DRUM ROLL PLEASE! South Valleys Library will kick off summer reading program with musical activities, crafts and games!

Thursday, June 14



Thingamajig Thursdays
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
DIY Didgeridoos.



Nevada Minerals "Rocks" the Library
3 pm **Sparks**

The Reno Gem and Mineral Society shares local rocks and minerals through hands-on activities.



STEAM: Tornado in a Bottle
3:30 pm **North Valleys**



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM activities.



UNR ME2 Lab
4:30 pm **South Valleys**
Engineering students from UNR lead this fun STEAM activity.



Friday, June 15

Father's Day Craft
10:45 am **Sparks**



Stay after Toddler Time to make Dad something special!

Family Game Night
3:30 pm **North Valleys**



Find a table, grab a game and have some fun at the library!

Code Crew
4 pm **Sparks**



Learn how to code, design, and build games through NCLab and a variety of tinker toys.

Saturday, June 16

Dads and Donuts
10 am **Northwest Reno**



Bring your father or uncle or favorite "big guy" in your life for a treat of donuts and orange juice and some fun crafts.

Father's Day Craft
10 am - 3 pm (drop-in) **South Valleys**
Create a Father's Day card at our craft table.



Water Bracelets
10 am - 3 pm (drop-in) **South Valleys**
Make your own mesmerizing piece of jewelry by suspending tiny art objects in water and plastic.



STEAM: Dissolving Ink
1:30 pm **North Valleys**



Sunday, June 17



Dad and Donuts

11 am - 5 pm (drop-in) **Spanish Springs**

Dads of all ages are encouraged to enjoy a donut on your special day!



Dads and Donuts

11:30 am **Downtown Reno**

Bring Dad to the library for donuts, stories and activities.



Movie: Jumanji

1:30 pm **Sierra View**

Monday, June 18



Make and Take Monday: Africa Rocks

1 pm **Downtown Reno**

Maasai Necklaces

Tuesday, June 19



Tuesday Movie Matinee: Queen of Katwe.

1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Tuesday @ 2: Pebble Art

2 pm **Spanish Springs**

Explore pebble art with markers and paint. Create a mosaic or a nature scene or make a barnyard full of pebble animals! The only limit is your imagination!



Celebrate Navy Week with Washoe County Library

6:30 pm **Incline Village**

For program description, see page 5.



Code It

3:30-5:30 pm **North Valleys**

Join our drop-in coding class to explore beginner coding for games and more. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Wednesday, June 20



Celebrate Navy Week with Washoe County Library

10:15 am **Sparks**

For program description, see page 5.



Make and Take Wednesday: Africa Rocks

1 pm **Downtown Reno**

African Masks



Celebrate Navy Week with Washoe County Library

2 pm **Spanish Springs**

For program description, see page 5.

STEAM: Build Tower Challenge

3 pm **Sparks**



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**

Make and take STEAM activities.



Weird Science Wednesday: Baggie Ice Cream

4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build it

4 pm **Spanish Springs**

Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Teen Miuchi

4 pm **Spanish Springs**

Join us for anime movies, manga making, Japanese snacks and finding new friends. *Miuchi* is the Japanese word for friends or followers.



Thursday, June 21

Thingamajig Thursdays

1 pm **Downtown Reno**

Mbira and Pin Strummers.



Make Music STEAM Day

3:30 pm **North Valleys**

Make some music with the saxophone you create during our musical STEAM.



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm **Sierra View**

Make and take STEAM activities.



Craft: Libraries Rock

4:30 pm **South Valleys**

Join us for some Summer Reading Program themed craft projects.



Friday, June 22

Family Game Night

3:30 pm **North Valleys**

Find a table, grab a game, and have some fun at the library!



Celebrate Navy Week with Washoe County Library:

Navy Band Southwest

6:30 pm **Incline Village**

For program description, see page 5.



Saturday, June 23



Rock Your Garden

11 am Northwest Reno

Join us to make wind chimes and hand-painted rocks for your garden.



Nevada Minerals

1:30 pm North Valleys

The Reno Gem and Mineral Society will share local rocks and minerals through hands-on activities!



Sunday, June 24



Summer Blooms

1 pm Downtown Reno

Back by popular demand! Make a lovely flower bouquet. Limited seating available. Registration required.

Monday, June 25



Make and Take Monday: Frozen Summer Rocks

1 pm Downtown Reno

Tiaras and Crowns



Mad Science 2018

3:30 pm Duncan/Traner

For program description, see page 5.

Tuesday, June 26



Tuesday Movie Matinee: Frozen Sing-Along

1 pm Downtown Reno



Tuesday @ 2: Pet Monster Rock

2 pm Spanish Springs

Make a pet rock to take home and care for!



Code It

3:30 pm North Valleys

Drop-in coding class explores beginner computer coding. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Mad Science 2018

4 pm Incline Village

For program description, see page 5.

Wednesday, June 27

Mad Science 2018

10:15 am Sparks

For program description, please see page 5.



Make and Take Wednesday: Frozen Summer Rocks

1 pm Downtown Reno

Marshmallow Snowmen.



Mad Science 2018

2 pm Spanish Springs

For program description, please see page 5.



STEAM: Earthquake Challenge

3 pm Sparks



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm Duncan/Traner

Make and take STEAM activities



Code It, Build it

4 pm Spanish Springs

Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Make & Take: Firecracker Popcorn

4 pm. Incline Village



Music Rocks

4:30 pm South Valleys

A noisy children's program that explores movement, music and instruments.



Mad Science 2018

5 pm Northwest Reno

For program description, please see page 5.



Thursday, June 28

Thingamajig Thursdays

1 pm Downtown Reno

French Hose.



STEAM: Walking on Eggs

3:30 pm North Valleys



Make Some Noise!

3:30 pm Sierra View

Make and take STEAM activities.



Mad Science 2018

4:30 pm Sierra View

For program description, please see page 5.



Space Meets Science and Art

4:30 pm South Valleys

Learn about the upcoming launch of the Orbital Reflector and make your own mini version.



Friday, June 29



Mad Science 2018

3 pm Verdi

For program description, see page 5.



Family Game Night

3:30 pm North Valleys

Find a table, grab a game and have some fun at the library!

Saturday, June 30



Mad Science 2018

11 am South Valleys

For program description, see page 5.



International Asteroid Day and National Meteor Watch Day

All Day North Valleys

Learn the difference between an asteroid and a meteor and find out about the phases of the moon through a delicious activity.



Mad Science 2018

1:30 pm North Valleys

For program description, see page 5.



Family Movie: The Last Jedi

2 pm South Valleys



Sunday, July 1



Mad Science 2018

11:30 am Downtown Reno

For program description, see page 5.

Monday, July 2



Hip Hop Dance Class

1 pm Downtown Reno

Step outside of the box by bringing your own individual style and personality to old and new school hip hop movements. (For ages 7 and up)

Tuesday, July 3



Tuesday Movie: Step Up

1 pm Downtown Reno



Tuesdays @ 2: Patriotic Crafts

2 pm Spanish Springs

Come and make crafts to celebrate America's birthday!

Wednesday, July 4 Happy Independence Day!

All Washoe County
Libraries are closed.





Thursday, July 5

Vinyl Cutter Graffiti, Stencils, & Stickers 
1 pm Downtown Reno

STEAM: Bottle Boogie Flute 
3:30 pm North Valleys

All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance.


Make Some Noise! 
3:30 pm Sierra View
Make and take STEAM activities.

Idea Box: Bead On 
4:30 pm South Valleys
Try out some fun beading activities using our Beading Idea Box.

Saturday, July 7

Traveling Rocks 
1 pm Sparks

Paint a rock with a hashtag to take on one of your summer adventures and leave for someone else to find. Follow your rock's journey on social media.

American Film Noir: The Maltese Falcon 
1:30 pm North Valleys

Staff will introduce and provide an information sheet about the film.

STEAM: Engineering with Jellybeans 
1:30 pm North Valleys

All ages welcome, smaller children will need parental assistance!

Expedition through Drawing 
2 pm South Valleys

Beachy Orr will lead kids on a kayak tour, drawing your sightings along the way. This trip will include rock formations, animals and even a campfire! Registration required.

Sunday, July 8

Movie: Wonder 
3 pm Spanish Springs

Monday, July 9



K-Pop Perler Bead Lanyards
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Part of K-Pop Idol week.

Tuesday, July 10



Fun-in-the-Sun Tie Dye
10 am **Sparks**
Bring your own cotton shirts, socks, canvas bags, and pillowcases to tie dye.



Thursday Movie: Mr. Idol
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Tuesdays @ 2: Gold Panning
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
Join Gold Prospectors Association of America (GPAA) of Northern Nevada and learn how to pan for gold!



Sierra Nevada Journeys' Family Science Afternoon
4 pm **Downtown Reno**
An interactive and rewarding way to engage kids and their families in the library through STEM activities.

Wednesday, July 11



Make and Take Wednesday: "Catch the Fence" Korean Fan Lingo Collage
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Part of K-Pop Idol week.



What are fossils?
2:30 pm **Verdi**
Calling all scientists, archaeologists, and dinosaur hunters to have fun recreating fossils.



STEAM: Marble Milk & Oil Watercolors
3 - 5 pm **Sparks**



Learn to DJ
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Do you know what it takes to be a DJ? Basic instruction in the use of digital media programs and DJ equipment.



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Code It, Build It
4 - 6 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced drop-in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Make and Take: Pet Rock & Pet House
4 pm **Incline Village**



Thursday, July 12

Candy Sushi
1 pm **Downtown Reno**

STEAM: Fractals in Nature, Mathematical Suncatchers
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance.

Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM activities

Bubble Science
4:30 pm **South Valleys**
Learn about the physics and chemistry of bubbles through hands-on exploration. Be forewarned – you might get wet!

Destination Dance
6 pm **Downtown Reno**
For program description, see page 6.



Friday, July 13

Embrace Your Geekness
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
Join us for a special Family Game Night with a D&D marathon. Dress as your favorite geek hero or heroine and embrace your geekness!

Movie Night: Jumanji
6 pm **Incline Village**

Saturday, July 14

What are fossils?
11 am **Northwest Reno**
Calling all scientists, archaeologists, and dinosaur hunters to have fun recreating fossils.

Rock Dog Movie Marathon
11 am, 1 pm, 3 pm **Sparks**
Regular showing, 11 am; Spanish subtitles, 1 pm; Sensory, 3 pm.

American Film Noir: Touch of Evil
1:30 pm **North Valleys**
Staff will introduce and provide an information sheet about the film.

Art Reception: The Biggest Little Tapestries in the World!
2 pm **Northwest Reno**
Over 200 miniature tapestries and other woven or multimedia works from the American Tapestry Alliance.

Watercolor Collages
2 pm **South Valleys**
Maria Mazurowski will lead this art session exploring collage and watercolor. Registration required.

Monday, July 16



Wrench Glockenspiels & Drums
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Help create our Tool Box Gamelan!

Tuesday, July 17



Tuesday Movie: The Jungle Book
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Tuesdays @ 2: Trail Markers at the Hive @ Lazy 5
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn about rock trail markers and take a short hike to practice what you've learned. Event held at the Hive @ Lazy Five.

Wednesday, July 18



Metallophone & Bottle Finger Castanets
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Help create our Tool Box Gamelan!



STEAM: Tie-Dye Sharpie Coasters
3 - 5 pm **Sparks**



Learn to DJ
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Do you know what it takes to be a DJ? Basic instruction in the use of digital media programs and DJ equipment.



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Weird Science Wednesday: Blast off with your very own rocket!
4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build It
4 - 6 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop-in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Teen Miuchi
4 - 6 pm **Spanish Springs**
Join us for anime movies, manga making, Japanese snacks and finding new friends. *Miuchi* is the Japanese word for friends or followers.

Thursday, July 19



Shadow Puppets
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Create shadow puppets to perform with our Tool Box Gamelan.

Tree Rings
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance.



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**



Craft: Libraries Rock!
4:30 pm **South Valleys**



Join us for some Summer Reading themed craft projects.

Saturday, July 21

StreetCraft Stick Catapult
10 am - 3 pm (drop-in) **South Valleys**



Drop in and make a catapult out of craft sticks, then test its strength & accuracy.

Channel Your Favorite Rock Star
1 pm **Sparks**



Create your own customized rock poster using a fun mix of color washing and image transfers.

American Film Noir: Scarlet Street
1:30 pm **North Valleys**



Staff will introduce and provide an information sheet about the film.

Lock & Key Addition Puzzles
1:30 pm **North Valleys**



All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance.

3D Drawings
2 pm **South Valleys**



Michaele Leah Tristram will lead this art session focusing on shadow and light with pencils. Registration required.



Monday, July 23

Makey Makey
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Make a tutti-frutti piano.



Tuesday, July 24

Tuesday Movie: Bill Nye the Science Guy
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Tuesdays @ 2: Recycled Wind Chimes
2 pm **Spanish Springs**



Create wind chimes using recycled items.

Wednesday, July 25



Makey Makey
1 pm **Downtown Reno**
Make a tutti-frutti piano.



Rhythm Rocks
2:30 pm **Verdi**
Dance to the beat of rhythm sticks and make other musical instruments.



STEAM: Chromatography - Eye Paintings
3 - 5 pm **Sparks**



Learn to DJ
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Do you know what it takes to be a DJ? Basic instruction in the use of digital media programs and DJ equipment.



Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Make and Take: Moon Rocks
4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build It
4 - 6 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Music Rocks!
4:30 pm **South Valleys**
A noisy children's program that explores movement, music and instruments.

Thursday, July 26



Lichtenstein-Style Bubble Wrap Art
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



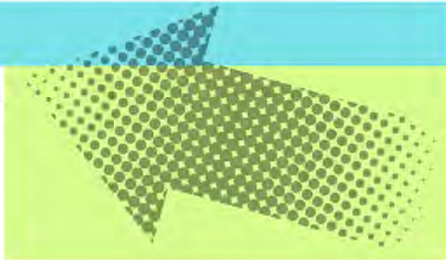
Make Some Noise!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM activities.



STEAM: Pinecone Experiments
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance!



Truckee Meadow Parks Foundation
4:30 pm **South Valleys**
Discover and learn about plants, animals, and the environment in our local parks.



Saturday, July 28

Rhythm Rocks
11 am **Northwest Reno**
Dance to the beat of rhythm sticks and make other musical instruments.



American Film Noir: Night and the City
1:30 pm **North Valleys**



Staff will introduce and provide an information sheet about the film.

Abstract Art & Acrylic Paint Pouring
2 pm **South Valleys**



Pam Black will lead this art session exploring acrylic paints and abstract art created through pouring. Registration required.

Sunday, July 29

End of Summer Rocky Road Ice Cream Social
2 pm **Spanish Springs**



Create your own ice cream sundae and join in fun and games as we say goodbye to summer!

Monday, July 30

Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
11 am **Downtown Reno**
For program description, see page 6.



Make and Take Monday: DIY Magnetic Poetry
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
3 pm **Duncan/Traner**
For program description, see page 6.



Tuesday, July 31

Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
10:30 am **South Valleys**
For program description, see page 6.



Tuesday Movie: Annie (2014)
1 pm **Downtown Reno**



Uncommon Instrument Day
1:30 pm **North Valleys**
Join local blues musician Larry "Dr. Boom Boom" as he demonstrates and plays uncommon instruments.



Tuesdays @ 2: Jurassic Day
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
Join us on a Dinosaur Safari and dig for bones, recreate a dinosaur skeleton, excavate ice eggs, and other dinosaur activities.



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
4 pm **Incline Village**
For program description, see page 6.



Wednesday, August 1



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
10:15 am **Sparks**
2 pm **Spanish Springs**
For program description, see page 6.



Code It!
3 pm **Downtown Reno**
Drop-in coding class explores beginner coding games and more. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities rotated over 5 weeks include: Rock Stand Photo Holder, Cactus Rock Garden and Painted Rock Paperweights.



Weird Science Wednesdays: Grow a Crystal Garden
4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build It
4 - 6 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop-in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
5 pm **Northwest Reno**
For program description, see page 6.

Thursday, August 2



Coloring Book Day
All Day! **North Valleys**
Celebrate coloring books with #colorourcollections & #nvlibrary!



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
10:30 am **Sierra View**
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
For program description, see page 6.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make-and-take STEAM activities.



Textiles
4:30 pm **South Valleys**
Explore textiles by weaving, sewing, and quilting. Use burlap, feathers, yarn, fabric, and your imagination!



Friday, August 3



Will Parker: Music for Ages 1 to 100
3 pm **Verdi**
For program description, see page 6.

Saturday, August 4

Cook the Book Summer Picnic
1 pm **North Valleys**
Bring a friend & join us for a summer picnic! Choose one of the recipes included in our selected cookbooks to prepare and share.



STEAM: DIY Paper Toy
1:30 pm **North Valleys**
Join us for fun STEAM projects! All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance.



Sunday, August 5

Ice Cream Social & Hawaiian Sock Hop!
Noon **Downtown Reno**
Play games and celebrate the end of the 2018 Summer Reading Program at our Hawaiian-themed social!



Wednesday, August 8

Code It!
3 pm **Downtown Reno**
Drop-in coding class explores beginner coding games and more. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Make and Take: No-Sew T-shirt Bag
4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build It
4 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO® Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Thursday, August 9

STEAM: Marshmallow Slime
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
Join us for these fun STEAM projects! All ages welcome, smaller children will need parental assistance.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Tower Building Challenge
4:30 pm **South Valleys**



Friday, August 10



Movie Night: Wonderstruck
6 pm **Incline Village**

Saturday, August 11



Rock Your Library Card!
11 am **Northwest Reno**
Make a duct tape card holder for your library card!

Tuesday, August 14



STEAM: Up, Up, and Away
4 pm **Spanish Springs**
Launch into fall with hoop gliders and blowpipe paper planes.

Wednesday, August 15



Make a Home for your Pet Rock
2:30 pm **Verdi**
No messes. No allergies. No effort.
Make and take one home!



Code It!
3 pm **Downtown Reno**
Drop-in coding class explores beginner coding games and more.
Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Weird Science Wednesday: Have fun with weird wacky science!
4 pm **Incline Village**



Code It, Build It
4 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO®
Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



Teen Miuchi
4 pm **Spanish Springs**
Join us for anime movies, manga making, Japanese snacks, and finding
new friends. *Miuchi* is the Japanese word for friends or followers.

Thursday, August 16

Tell a Joke Day
All day! **North Valleys**
Join us to celebrate the art of telling a joke. Pick out a joke from one of the joke
books in our collection and tell a librarian a joke!



STEAM: How do Sharks Float?
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
Join us for these fun STEAM projects! All ages welcome, smaller children will
need parental assistance.

Rock It!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM activities.



Craft: Libraries Rock!
3:30 pm **South Valleys**
Join us for some Summer Reading themed craft projects.



Saturday, August 18

STEAM: Bad Poetry Slam
1:30 pm **North Valleys**
Create some "Bad" Poetry at our "Bad" Poetry Slam STEAM.



Sunday, August 19

Movie: Black Panther
1:30 pm **North Valleys**



Wednesday, August 22

Code It!
3 pm **Downtown Reno**
Drop-in coding class explores beginner coding games and more.
Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Duncan/Traner**
Make and take STEAM activities.



End of Summer Reading Party
4 pm **South Valleys**
DRUM ROLL PLEASE! South Valleys Library will end summer reading program
with musical activities, crafts and games!



Family Fun STEAM NIGHT: Puff Mobiles
5 pm **Northwest Reno**



Thursday, August 23

STEAM: Gravity Race
3:30 pm **North Valleys**
Fun STEAM projects; smaller children will need parental assistance!



Rock It!
3:30 pm **Sierra View**
Make and take STEAM Activities



Make & Take
4 pm **Incline Village**
Make and take your very own craft!



Code It, Build It
4 pm **Spanish Springs**
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using LEGO®
Mindstorms, Raspberry Pi, and other kits.



The Science of the Three Little Pigs
4:30 pm **South Valleys**



Saturday, August 25



End of Summer Reading Wrap-Up Rock Party

11 am Northwest Reno
Dance at our Rock Party and play with Boomwhackers@! Also, pick up your free book! Refreshments and fun!!!! As they say in show biz... that's a wrap!



Family Dance Party and Ice Cream Social

11 am Sparks
Family Dance Party and Ice Cream Social to celebrate Family Fun Month and the end of the Summer Reading Program.

Wednesday, August 29



End of Summer Reading Rock Party

2:30 pm Verdi
Dance at our Rock Party and play with Boomwhackers@! Also, pick up your free book! Refreshments and fun!!!!



Code it!

3 pm Downtown Reno
Drop-in coding class explores beginner coding games and more. Most appropriate for ages 9 and up.



Code It, Build it

4 pm Spanish Springs
Learn the basics of coding in this self-paced, drop in class using Lego Mindstorm, Raspberry Pi and other kits.



Rock It!

3:30 pm Duncan/Traner
Make and take STEAM activities.



End of Summer Reading Party

4 pm Incline Village
That's a wrap folks! Join us as we wrap-up a rockin' SRP year - carnival style! We'll BBQ hot dogs, enjoy Susie Scoops ice cream and rock out with Karaoke!



Music Rocks

4:30 pm South Valleys
A noisy children's program that explores movement, music and instruments

Thursday, August 30



Rain in a Jar

3:30 pm North Valleys
Join us for these fun STEAM projects! All ages welcome; smaller children will need parental assistance!



Engineering with LEGO®

4:30 pm South Valleys

Saturday, September 1



End of Summer Reading Party

1:30 pm North Valleys
Hands on fun & activities with refreshments, while supplies last!

Addenda

... a.k.a. "oops, we missed that!"

Don't miss out on these great events that were inadvertently excluded from the final Summer Programs & Events guide.



Duncan/Traner
Game on! 2:30 - 5 pm Sundays
Monday Make and Take! 3:30 - 6 pm Mondays
LEGO® Night 3:30 - 6 pm Tuesdays
Game on! 3:30 - 6 pm Thursdays



North Valleys
National Hop-a-Park Day All Day Saturday, July 7
Code It 3:30 - 5:30 pm Tuesdays
Family Game Night 3:30 - 5:30 pm Fridays



Sierra View
Movie: Greatest Showman 1:30 pm Sunday, July 15
LEGO® Tuesdays 3:30 - 6 pm Tuesdays
Coding Club 4 - 6 pm Wednesdays
STEAM Thursdays 4 - 6 pm Thursdays
(no program Thursday, June 28)



ArTown 2018: In Our Galleries in July

Downtown Reno

Truckee Meadows Quilters July 1 - 31

North Valleys

Art Quilt Interpretations July 1 - August 31

Northwest Reno

The Biggest Little Tapestries in the World!

American Tapestry Alliance July 1 - 31

Sierra View

Pam Brekas and Ronnie Eden July 1 - 31

South Valleys

Sand Harbor, Lake Tahoe by Beachy Orr July 1 - August 31

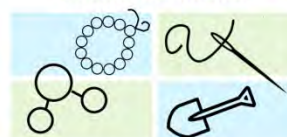
Spanish Springs

Steven Saylor June 1 - July 31



Idea Boxes

Duct Tape Creations — Bead On — Miniature Gardens — Origami & Paper Art
Sound of Science — Mad Mattr® — Sew & Stitch, Wrap & Weave — Zip, Zap Zing



New Idea Boxes are here! Eight idea boxes rotate regularly to most library branches. All ages will find something interesting and fun to make or try – watch for them at your favorite library!

For more information, visit www.washoecountylibrary.us/makers.

Paws 2 Read

Second Saturdays

10:30 am Sierra View
11:30 am Northwest Reno
11:30 am South Valleys
Noon Sparks
2 pm North Valleys

Second Thursdays

4 pm Incline Village
Second Sundays
1:30 pm Spanish Springs
Third Sundays
2 pm Downtown Reno

Kids of all ages can practice their reading skills with friendly therapy dogs from Paws 4 Love and receive a free book!



storytime

Which Story Time is right for my family?

All early literacy programs in Washoe County Libraries feature stories, fingerplays, and wiggle action as part of the experience to encourage a love of books, stimulate thinking, and promote feelings of self-assurance. Stay & Play after the program for more fun with music, STEAM toys, and friends. All ages welcome.

Story Time — For preschool children from 3 to 6 years.

Toddler Time — For children 18 months to 3 years.

Family Story Time — For children of all ages with a focus on enjoying literacy and language as a family.

Bilingual Story Time — Family Story Time featuring stories and songs in English and other languages.

Sensory Story Time — For children with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration issues, or other developmental challenges. Also great for wigglers!

Some Story Times have a special themed focus.
Visit events.washoecountylibrary.us or contact your branch for more information.

Downtown Reno Library

775-327-8300

Family Story Time: 2nd & 4th Sundays,
11:30 am

Bilingual Story Time: 1st & 3rd Sundays,
11:30 am

Incline Village Library

775-832-4130

Toddler Time: Thursdays, 11:15 am

North Valleys Library

775-972-0281

Toddler Time: Wednesdays, 10:30 am

Family Story Time: 2nd Saturday, 1:30 pm

Bilingual Story Time: 4th Saturday, 1:30 pm

Northwest Reno Library

775-787-4100

Family Story Time: Wednesdays, 10:30 am

Story Time: Thursdays, 10:30 am

Toddler Time: Fridays, 10:30 am

Story Time Picnic!

Join **South Valleys** staff for story time followed by a picnic! Bring a lunch or snack and meet us at the library at 10:30 to embark on an adventure! *Don't forget your hat and sunscreen. Adults must accompany children at all times.*

Tuesday, June 5, 10:30 am

Tuesday, July 10, 10:30 am

Tuesday, August 7, 10:30 am



Pajama Story Time and Stuffed Animal Sleepover



Come to **North Valleys** for this special themed pajama story time. Wear your favorite pajamas and join us for some fun — stories, singing, and dancing! Don't forget to bring along a stuffed animal, who will spend the night in the library and might have an adventure during the visit! All ages welcome.

Wednesday, June 20, 5:45 - 6:15 pm

Sierra View Library

775-827-3232

Toddler Time: Thursdays, 10:30 am

Spanish Springs Library

775-424-1800

Story Time: Mondays, 10:30 am

Toddler Time: Thursdays, 10:30 am

South Valleys Library

775-851-5190

Story Time: Tuesdays, 10:30 am

Wednesdays, 10:30 am

Toddler Time: Thursdays, 10:30 am

Fridays, 10:30 am

Family Story Time: First Friday, 6 pm

Sparks Library

775-352-3200

Family Story Time: Wednesdays, 10:15 am

Sensory Story Time: Thursdays, 10:15 am

Toddler Time: Fridays, 10:15 am

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