

2019 SPRING PROGRAMS AT THE GAFNEY YOUTH LIBRARY
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LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - 1-7:00PM
Friday & Saturday - 9:00AM-12:30PM
Closed Sunday & Monday



STAY AND PLAY - Birth-Preschool, held on the 2nd Friday of the month, 10:15AM. Come and meet with other children and parents in a friendly and relaxed learning environment. Spend some quality time with your little one while sharing some stories, playing with learning toys, or enjoying a craft together.

March 8, April 12, May 10

MUSIC TOGETHER - Ages 1-5 years, held on the 4th Friday of the month, 10:15-10:45AM. In each class, the connection between music, movement, and language through songs, rhymes, and instruments will be explored.

March 22, April 26, May 24

STORYTIME JAMBOREE - Ages 2-5 years, held on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month, 10:15-10:45AM. This interactive program introduces young children to books, reading, and language with engaging stories, songs, and activities.

March 1 and 15, April 5 and 19, May 3 and 17

LEGO CLUB JUNIOR - Ages 1-5 years, held on the 5th Friday of the month, 10:15AM. Have fun building with Duplo bricks, perfect for small hands and growing imaginations!

March 29, May 31

LEGO CLUB - Geared to school-age, but open to all ages, held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month, 4:15-5:15PM. We'll provide the LEGOs and you provide the imagination. The LEGO creations will be on display until the next scheduled Club.

March 19, April 16, May 21

HOMESCHOOL STORY AND PROJECT TIME - Geared to ages 4-8, but open to all, held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, 1:15-2:15PM. This time, designed for Homeschoolers, will engage participants with a story and a themed project in a fun and relaxed learning environment.

March 13, April 10, May 8

MAD SCIENTISTS CLUB - Ages 5 and up, held on the 4th Thursday of the month, 4-5:00PM. This club gives participants the opportunity to explore and experiment S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) concepts in a hands-on way with the supervision of Jon Fillipon, a former Science Teacher.

March 28, April 25, May 23

ART FOR YOU - Ages 5 and up, held on the 2nd Thursday of the month, 4:15-5:15PM. In each class, a different type of art will be explored to foster creativity and self-expression.

March 14, April 11, May 9

CRAFT-TIME - All ages, available during open hours. Come to the library and try out a different craft each month, materials provided.

GAME-TIME - Ages 3 and up, available during open hours. Stop by and enjoy some Board Game fun at the library!

MAKERSPACE - All ages, available during open hours. Use your imagination to create, build, and craft in a space equipped with kits, materials, and ideas. New kits arrive regularly!

SPECIAL EVENTS this Spring:

PAWS TO READ WITH NESSIE - 10:00AM-12:00PM. Readers of all ages can sign up to read to Nessie, a certified therapy dog, in 15-minute intervals in a comfortable, non-threatening environment to practice their reading skills.

March 2, April 6, May 4

DR. SEUSS SCAVENGER HUNT - Month of March. One fish, two fish, red fish, blue fish, find all twelve fish to finish!! Take home a Dr. Seuss Sticker!

POET TREE - All ages. April is National Poetry/Humor Month. Write a poem or a joke and hang it on the tree in **April**.

VOTING FOR THE GREAT STONE FACE BOOK AWARD (Grades 4-6) and ISINGLASS TEEN READ AWARD (Grades 7-8) during the month of April. **READ AND VOTE!!**

WIZARD OF OZ PRESENTED BY THE HAMPSTEAD STAGE COMPANY - April 27, 10AM in the Wakefield Opera House. Join Dorothy along with Tin Man, Scarecrow, and the Cowardly Lion as she embarks on an enchanting adventure to find her way back home after a tornado whisks her away to the magical Land of Oz. The entire family will enjoy this fantastical play which is open to the public free of charge.

GAFNEY LIBRARY SCAVENGER HUNT - All ages, month of May. So, you think you know the Gafney Library? Pick up a quiz and explore the library. Then turn in your completed quiz for a prize!

ALICE IN WONDERLAND MAD HATTER PARTY - All ages, May 11, 10-11:00AM. Take a tumble into Wonderland and enjoy whimsical activities and games, a craft perfect for a Mad Hatter, and "Eat Me" and "Drink Me" treats with a dash of chaos! **PLEASE REGISTER BEFOREHAND.**



AND FOR THE TEENS...

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD - Grades 7-12, held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month, 5:30-6:30PM. Earn community service credit while joining in a lively discussion about books, library programs, music, gaming, movies, and everything in between. Do you have an idea to make the library even more exciting? Come to a meeting and share your suggestions! Snacks provided.

****LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO SCHEDULE MEETING DATES!!**

HOT AIR BALLOON MOSAIC - Month of March. Add a sticker to the poster each time you visit the library to complete the picture.

BLACKOUT POETRY - Month of April. Be creative using discarded books to compose a poem by blacking out unwanted words.

GAFNEY LIBRARY SCAVENGER HUNT - See above.

**- COMING THIS SUMMER -
2019 SUMMER READING PROGRAM
"A UNIVERSE OF STORIES"
JUNE 25 THROUGH AUGUST 3**



*****THERE IS ALWAYS SOMETHING TO SEE AND DO AT THE LIBRARY. COME AND FIND OUT!!!**

