

Avoid Summer Slide

Bring your children to the library to read and discover new things!

By reading regularly, families can prevent the “summer slide,” which is when kids return to school in the fall at a lower academic level than when they finished the previous school year. This is due to a lack of intellectual engagement and learning opportunities during their break. All are welcome to come to the library to win prizes for reading, participating in programs, or expressing their creativity.

Join the summer challenge by signing up today!



How to Sign Up

Important Dates

June 1: First day to sign up online.

June 1: The first day you can get prizes.

Aug 31: The last guaranteed day to pick up prizes.

If you have internet at home:

1. Go to www.sdcl.org/summer
2. Click on “Sign Up Here.”
3. Fill out the form and click “Save.”
4. If you like, pick up a paper reading log from the reference desk to keep track of your reading at home.



Summer Learning Challenge

June 1 - August 31, 2024

www.sdcl.org/summer

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Kids Events

Thursdays @ 11am

June 13 Gold: The Big Ventriloquist Show with the hilarious Marc Griffiths. A super fun event for the whole family, full of big puppets, magic & lots of audience participation!

June 20 Amazing Dana: This enchanting Library Magic Show promises to seamlessly blend entertainment while promoting crucial themes of conservation, sustainability, and recycling.

June 27 Cygnet Theatre presents From the Page to the Stage: Join us for a fun, new, musical experience where stories are brought to life to inspire a love of reading in children and adults through the magic of live theatre.

July 11 Walk on the Wild Side: Wild Wonders has your passport to adventure with animals from all over the world – including South America, Africa, Australia, Asia, and North America!

July 18 Kyle's Cartoon Platoon: Do you love to draw, and are hoping to learn some new skills? Join us for a completely interactive draw along show.

July 25 Adventure of the Lost Treasure: Science and stories collide on a treasure hunting adventure deep within the jungle! Join us as Science Heroes take us on an adventure where the audience gets involved

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Teen Events

After Hour Events Friday Evenings

June 7 Science Lab-Action and Reactions: All new science workshop for teens to synergize, explore, and investigate our world through hands-on experiments and exciting challenges. *6-7pm

July 26 Laser Tag & Photo Booth: Join us as professional gamers lead us in an after-hours party of laser tag. *6-8pm

*These events happen after-hours and require a parent permission form if you will be attending without a parent.



Adult Events

Saturdays @ 3 pm

June 15 Walk on the Wild Side: How much do you know about San Diego County's native plants & animals? Do you know how a little lizard saves human lives? Join us to increase your knowledge & appreciation of the beneficial qualities & beauty of our native flora & fauna.

June 22 Musician Fred Benedetti: World-Renowned guitarist Fred Benedetti, an emeritus professor of music at Grossmont College, lead the guitar studies program which allowed him to travel and perform for dignitaries such as the King & Queen of Malaysia. He now will be showcasing his talents for the Lakeside community.

June 29 Ready to Learn About Herbs?: Whether you have a yard, patio area, small balcony, or just a windowsill, you can grow herbs! Join us for this educational talk to discuss common uses, growing tips, and more.

July 7 Olaf Wieghorst Museum Presentation: Volunteers from the Museum will present on the historical significance of Danish-American twentieth century painter, and East County Resident Olaf Wieghorst.

July 13 Zentangle Art Class: Want to learn how to relax while drawing? Zentangle is an easy art method that creates beautiful images. During this process you relax, focus and feel a sense of well-being.

July 20 Peter Sprague's Musical Trio: Award winning jazz guitarist and composer Peter Sprague teams up with pianist Danny Green and bassist Mack Leighton to play music that includes jazz, samba, The Beatles, and much more.

July 27 Musicians Bruce Dorcy & Beverly Reese Dorcy: Join musical duo Bruce and Beverly Dorcy for a light-hearted look at some of their most requested tunes including pieces from Beethoven, Mendelsohn, and so much more.