

LINCOLN CITY LIBRARIES | PROGRAM GUIDE



The 87th year of the Lincoln City Libraries Summer Reading Challenge is on!
Friday, May 24 to Wednesday, July 31, 2024

Adventure begins at Lincoln City Libraries!

Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge for the chance to win fantastic prize packages.

Splish Splash Storytime

An interactive storytime at the pool! Geared for ages five and under with their adult. This free program is co-sponsored by Lincoln City Libraries and Lincoln Parks and Recreation. Children two and under must wear a swim diaper. Children five and under must be within arm's reach of a parent or guardian. All children must be accompanied by someone 16 years of age or older.

- Highlands Aquatic Center**
06/07 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Woods Spray Park**
06/14 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Ballard Pool**
06/21 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Arnold Heights Pool**
06/28 FRI 10:00–11:00

- Star City Shores Aquatic Center**
07/05 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Belmont Pool**
07/12 FRI 10:00–11:00
- University Place Aquatic Center**
07/19 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Eden Pool**
07/26 FRI 10:00–11:00
- Irvingdale Pool**
08/02 FRI 10:00–11:00



Library Appreciation Night at the Saltdogs Stadium!

Celebrate Summer Reading at the Library Appreciation Night at the Saltdogs Stadium!

- 06/07 FRI 7:00–9:00
- 08/06 TUE 7:00–9:00



Teen Book Swap

It's back! We're doing the teen book swap again, but this summer we're doing it at Peter Pan Park (32nd and W Streets)! Whether you bike, skate or walk, bring your gently used books to trade; we'll be close to the skate park and the trail. Lincoln City Libraries will be there with fun swag and a chance to sign up for the summer reading challenge.

- 06/09 SUN 1:00–3:00

Join us at these places in the Lincoln area for storytimes — featuring stories, movement, music and more.

All sessions are 30 minutes. Storytimes are geared toward children ages 5 and under, but all ages are welcome.

Prairie Pines

Join us OUTSIDE at Prairie Pines Nature Preserve. You are welcome to bring blankets or towels for more comfortable seating. After storytime, attendees are invited to explore the trails and Nature Ninja Course. Admission to Prairie Pines is free.

- 06/14 FRI 10:30–11:00

Larsen Tractor Museum

Join us at the Larsen Tractor Museum (N 35th and Fair Streets) for a tractor and farm-themed storytime. Admission is free for storytime attendees.

- 06/21 FRI 10:30–11:00

Sheldon Museum of Art

Join us OUTSIDE for an art-inspired storytime with one of Sheldon's outdoor sculptures. You are welcome to bring blankets or towels for more comfortable seating.

- 06/28 FRI 10:30–11:00

Museum of American Speed

Join us at the Museum of American Speed (599 Oakcreek Drive) for a car-themed storytime with movement, music and more. After storytime, attendees are welcome to explore the museum. Admission is free for storytime attendees.

- 07/12 FRI 10:30–11:00

International Quilt Museum

Join us at the International Quilt Museum (1523 N 33rd Street) for a storytime that explores the colors, shapes and textures in quilts. Admission is free for storytime attendees.

- 07/19 FRI 10:30–11:00



YOUTH Continued

Heavy Equipment Encounter

Meet in the library parking lot to explore some of the machinery used by Lincoln's Transportation and Utilities Department!

07/02 TUE 1:30-2:15 ANDR

Wildlife Encounter

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07/09 TUE 1:30-2:15 ANDR

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TEENS

Friendship Bracelets

Everybody loves a friendship bracelet. Stop by the Library to learn a few different techniques. Make one to give to your bestie and one to keep for yourself! This is a Teen event intended for grades 6-12.

06/03 MON 1:30-3:00 ANDR

I Love to Read

Calling all readers! Grab your friends and your favorite teen book! Help us make a Booktok and pose for your very own READ poster before you go. This is a Teen event intended for grades 6-12.

06/17 MON 1:30-3:00 ANDR

Food Frenzy

Jelly beans, donuts, and whip cream pies! Do you have what it takes to Go for the Gold? Space is limited.

Registration is required. This is a Teen event intended for grades 6-12.

06/24 MON 1:30-3:00 ANDR

Book Art

Join us for an afternoon of book-folding. Find out how to turn an old book into a new work of art! This is a Teen event intended for grades 6-12.

07/15 MON 1:30-3:00 ANDR

ALL AGES

Family Bingo

Grab your grandma, call your cousins, find a friend, and join us for a fun evening of BINGO! Light refreshments will be served. All ages are welcome!

07/23 TUE 6:00-7:30 ANDR

YOUTH

Edgerton Explorit Center: Sparks

Sparks fly, and so does the fun when students meet the Van de Graaff generator during this exploration of static electricity. Participants will learn how energy moves in simple experiments, some of which are even a little "shocking" and "hair-raising" but always fun. Space is limited. Admittance begins one hour prior to event.

06/04 TUE 1:30-2:15 ANDR

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Sing! Dance! Act!

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06/18 TUE 1:30-2:15 ANDR

Outside the Box

Whether you see a spaceship, a tugboat or a fire truck, it's not a box. Join us for a day of building and imagination. Space is limited. Admittance begins one hour prior to event.

06/25 TUE 1:30-2:30 ANDR

Magic Begins with Adventure!

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07/16 TUE 1:30-2:15 ANDR

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Closing Ceremonies

Just as the Summer Games begin in Paris, we're wrapping up Summer Reading here at Lincoln City Libraries. Stop in for some gold medal crafts, games and fun. Don't forget to pick up your Summer Reading prize coupons while you're here!

07/30 TUE 2:00-3:30 ANDR

ADULTS

At Home on the Road

You are invited to hear library staff member Christina S. describe traveling the country in an RV, accompanied by her husband and their dogs. Working different jobs along the way, they saw national parks, famous landmarks and natural wonders. Whether you have dreamed of doing this yourself, or just want to hear a great travel story, you will love hearing about life on the road and seeing some great photos. For a real taste of the nomadic life, we will also be sampling some of Christina's favorite road trip snacks.

06/13 THU 6:30-7:30 ANDR



Downtown Parking is FREE:

- at meters on Sundays
- weekdays after 6 p.m.
- 1-hour free parking in Eagle Garage

FREE

ALL AGES

LIED CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Page-To-Stage with Lied Center for Performing Arts: To Kill a Mockingbird Q&A

Catch up with members of the "To Kill a Mockingbird" cast and crew before their performances at the Lied Center. Part of the Page-to-Stage Partnership.

06/11 TUE 12:00-1:00 BMPL

YOUTH

Edgerton Explorit Center: Amazing Bubbles

Bubbles are lots of fun and educational! There will be no lack of bubble making and revealing the science of bubbleology. What are bubbles made of and why can't we make them out of plain water? What shapes do they come in? What other observations about bubbles can be made? And best of all, have you ever been inside a bubble? Would you like to be?

06/06 THU 10:30-11:15 BMPL

Stroller Stories

Bring your little ones dressed for the weather and in their stroller (or wagon) and head out on a guided walk through downtown Lincoln that's full of reading, rhymes and songs. We'll take off on this walk from the N Street doors located on the south side of the building and explore downtown together. Afterward, feel free to stay at the library where you can grab a cold drink (iced coffee or sparkling water) and play in our children's area or courtyard.

06/12 WED 9:45-10:15 BMPL

06/26 WED 9:45-10:15 BMPL

07/10 WED 9:45-10:15 BMPL

07/24 WED 9:45-10:15 BMPL

08/07 WED 9:45-10:15 BMPL

YOUTH Continued

Learn about Raptors!

The Raptor Conservation Alliance provides care for injured and orphaned raptors (birds) in our Nebraska community. Join RCA volunteers and real raptor ambassadors as we learn about raptors importance and how to keep them safe.

06/13 THU 10:30-11:15 BMPL

Block Party!

This event has everything: LEGO Bricks, Mega Bloks, giant cardboard blocks and more! We will provide a book-inspired prompt, but you're free to follow that or just use our variety of blocks to build whatever you'd like. We'll also provide some cool tunes and party lighting. Join us for this informal, drop-in event.

06/18 TUE 4:30-6:30 BMPL

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06/20 THU 10:30-11:15 BMPL

Yoga for Kids

Kids and caregivers are invited to join Yoga instructor Deb Buck in a 45-minute yoga practice geared toward children. Practice poses, breathing, and different techniques to leave the session feeling strong and centered. Please bring a yoga mat or blanket if you can.

06/27 THU 10:30-11:15 BMPL

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TEENS

Troll for Initiative: Dungeons & Dragons Gameplay

We're going on an adventure! Where are we going? We don't know, but we'll have fun doing it. This group is meant for beginner and intermediate level DnD players. We'll meet the second and fourth Monday of each month. If you have questions, please contact Scott C. at (402) 441-8530 or (402) 441-8525.

06/10 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

06/24 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

07/08 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

07/22 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

08/12 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

08/12 MON 4:30-6:00 BMPL

The "Tradition" in Traditional Folk Music

Join David Seay in this interactive folk music presentation. He'll share stories and demonstrate folk instruments such as the harmonica, penny whistle, ocarina, pan pipes, yak horn, and more!

07/25 THU 10:30-11:15 BMPL

ADULTS

Adult Storytime

Everyone likes being read to, so why should kids have all the fun? Join us for an evening of live readings (from books, poetry, plays, song lyrics, essays, etc.), music samples with a Nebraska connection, and optional carry-away adult coloring sheets, crafts and reading lists.

06/20 THU 6:30-7:30 BMPL

07/18 THU 6:30-7:30 BMPL

08/15 THU 6:30-7:30 BMPL

B.Y.O.B(ook) Club

This is not your traditional book club! Join us with a title (or titles) from your reading life that follow the monthly discussion prompt and add to your own To Be Read list with recommendations from the group. This month's prompt: a book with an unreliable narrator.

06/26 WED 6:30-7:30 BMPL

This month's prompt: a book with a cold setting for a warm month.

07/17 WED 6:30-7:30 BMPL

This month's prompt: a book you hid from your parents.

08/21 WED 6:30-7:30 BMPL

ADULTS Continued

Just Desserts Mystery Fiction Discussion Group

Looking for a thrilling read? This is the book discussion group for you. After the assigned reading portion of each meeting, there is a round-robin for attendees to share recommendations, with an emphasis on mysteries/suspense/thrillers.

William Landay's "All That is Mine I Carry With Me."

06/27 THU 6:30-745 BMPL
Emma Rosenblum's "Bad Summer People."

07/25 THU 6:30-745 BMPL
2023 mystery novel "Crook Manifesto" by Colson Whitehead, the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of "The Underground Railroad" and "The Nickel Boys."

8/29 THU 6:30-745 BMPL

LEGO Brick Building for Grownups

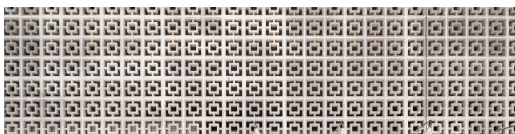
Create your own adventure at the library! We think you are never too grown-up to enjoy building with LEGO bricks and deserve some adult time to explore your imagination. We will provide the blocks for you to free-build or get inspired by a design from one of our books. Space is limited. Registration is required.

07/14 SUN 2:00-3:30 BMPL

Lincoln Cinema History: The Sequel!

In an interactive sequel to last summer's Lincoln History presentation, join us for a walking tour in the downtown area covering the locations of historic movie houses from Lincoln's past. Starting at Bennett Martin Public Library, this walking tour will cover approximately 14 blocks of downtown sidewalks. Listen as tour guide and cinema enthusiast Scott Clark shows you where movie theaters used to exist in downtown Lincoln, from the early 1900s through today. Attendees will receive a Downtown Lincoln Cinemas walking tour pamphlet to follow along.

08/04 SUN 2:00-3:30 BMPL



ADULTS Continued

Crafternoon - Mini-Room in a Laundry Bottle

This month we will upcycle something everyone has in their home - a laundry detergent container! Our guest presenter, Carrie K., will guide the class on how to turn this everyday object into a mini-laundry room using templates and other small items. All supplies are provided, but space is limited. Registration is required.

06/23 SUN 2:00-4:00 BMPL

Crafternoon - Origami Butterfly Garland

Create a beautiful and delicate origami butterfly garland to decorate your home. Using old book pages, we will learn to fold butterflies in the origami style and string them together to create a lovely garland. All supplies are provided, but space is limited. Registration is required.

07/28 SUN 2:00-4:00 BMPL

Crafternoon - Soda Can Windchimes

Take advantage of those windy Nebraska days by creating something beautiful for your outdoor space! This month we will be upcycling soda cans to create fun and attractive windchimes. We will provide the supplies and tools, but space is limited. Registration is required.

08/25 SUN 2:00-4:00 BMPL

Polley Music Library
136 S. 14th Street

Regular Hours
Tue, Wed, Fri, and Sat; 2-6 p.m.
Thurs 3-7 p.m.

Songwriting/Composing Club

Are you a songwriter or composer interested in sharing your work? Need help with writer's block or a particular part that doesn't feel quite right? Join the Songwriting/Composing Club at the Polley Music Library and meet other musicians in the area! Bring an instrument, your laptop, sheet music, lyrics, or just come to talk about what you're working on.

06/13 THU 6:00-7:00 BMPL
07/13 SAT 2:00-3:00 BMPL
08/08 THU 6:00-7:00 BMPL



Music Exploration with Music Studio LNK YOUTH

Music Studio LNK staff will lead little ones through a music exploration experience using a hands-on approach to explore a variety of instruments, musical styles, and movement while fostering a lifelong love for music, all within the safe environment of discovery. The program is designed to make music education fun, engaging, and accessible for children.

06/12 WED 10:30-11:00 BMPL
06/26 WED 10:30-11:00 BMPL
07/10 WED 10:30-11:00 BMPL
07/24 WED 10:30-11:00 BMPL
08/07 WED 10:30-11:00 BMPL

Nebraska Crossroads Festival Baby Concert

This is a free event that's part of the Nebraska Crossroads Music Festival with Polley Music Library. Performers from around the world and here at home will come together to present a short concert aimed at little ones and their families. This is a great introduction to a wide range of musical traditions!

08/04 SUN 12:30-1:30 BMPL

Nebraska Crossroads Festival Storytelling Slam

This is a free event that's part of the Nebraska Crossroads Music Festival with Polley Music Library. The Storytelling Slam is part of the annual tradition of the Festival and often contains musical elements since music has been part of the storytelling tradition across many times and places.

08/05 MON 6:00-7:00 BMPL

YOUTH

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Arctic Blast**

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06/06 THU 2:30–3:15 BETH

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07/18 THU 2:30–3:15 BETH

ADULTS

Bethany BookTalks Weekly Group

Join other readers for book chats, where book lovers are invited to come together and share information about what they have been reading recently. All are welcome! Registration is not required, and drop-in attendance is encouraged.

FRIDAYS 10:30–11:30 BETH

ALL AGES

Movie Day

Get ready for Father's Day with a movie that has it all - an evil mastermind surrounded by his evil henchmen who becomes a dad when orphans come calling.

06/09 SUN 2:00–3:30 EISE

Come play with LEGO Bricks at Stay and Play and then stay for the movie about the popular toy!

07/14 SUN 2:00–3:30 EISE

Bingo

B-I-N-G-O and bingo is the game-o! We're playing bingo again this summer. Join in the fun and win some swell prizes.

06/23 SUN 6:30–7:30 EISE

07/28 SUN 6:30–7:30 EISE

International Friendship Day

Whether your friends live near or far, drop by Eiseley to make a friendship bracelet. Supplies will be available in Youth Services.

07/30 TUE 2:00–4:00 EISE

YOUTH

**Edgerton Explorit Center:
Spaceflight Explorers**

In this show, we investigate the science of spaceflight: how we get into space (and where it begins) and how living and working in space is different compared to Earth. We'll even perform an astronaut training exercise! Many materials and curriculum in this show are supplied by NASA's Spaceflight Explorers program. Don't be fooled by the subject. You'll learn a lot about science on Earth as well as in space!

06/03 MON 10:30–11:15 EISE

Ahoy, Mateys!

Adventure awaits at Eiseley! Susan is looking for a crew to help sail into summer! Join her for stories and adventures on the high sea. Dress for adventure!

06/04 TUE 6:30–7:30 EISE

Camping Day

Pack your bug spray and experience the great outdoors from the comfort of your library! We'll have a variety of camping-related activities for everyone.

06/12 WED 2:00–3:30 EISE

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06/18 TUE 12:00–12:45 EISE

YOUTH

Outside the Box!

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06/26 WED 2:00–3:30 EISE

Heavy Equipment Encounter

Meet in the library parking lot to explore some of the machinery used by Lincoln's Transportation and Utilities Department!

07/01 MON 10:30–11:15 EISE

Pop into Storytime

Celebrate summer with stories that pop! We'll have some fun summer games and stories.

07/02 TUE 6:30–7:30 EISE

Play Day

Start your holiday weekend off with a bang! ALL of our developmental toys will be out for free play.

07/03 WED 2:00–3:30 EISE

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07/08 MON 10:30–11:15 EISE

Illustrator Visit with Chloe Burgett

Join artist Chloe Burgett at the library to hear more about how she draws pictures for children's books! All artists are welcome to draw a fun character with Chloe for your own story.

07/09 TUE 7:00–7:45 EISE

Hobbit Field Day

Celebrating the 70th anniversary of the Lord of the Rings, we're hosting a hobbit field day. Make sure to fuel up with your second breakfast to compete; there will be feats of speed, agility and skill for all.

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07/15 MON 10:30–11:15 EISE

Adventures in Art

Come paint, sculpt, and scribble your way to a masterpiece!

07/24 WED 2:00–3:30 EISE

Sprinkler Day

Finish summer with a splash and join us for sprinkler day. You bring the sunscreen; we'll bring the fun!

07/31 WED 2:00–3:30 EISE



TEENS

Perler Patterns

Whether you're decorating your backpack or making a key chain, we'll have perler beads in every color for your craft.
06/20 THU 6:30-7:30 EISE

Once Upon a Crime - YA Edition

Can't get enough true crime podcasts and documentaries? Join us to deep dive True Crime in books! We'll explore topics such as crimes of the past, restorative justice, and more. Bring your favorite stories to share and get ready to discuss all things criminal.
Crimes of the Past—Murder Among Friends: How Leopold and Loeb Tried to Commit the Perfect Crime by Candace Fleming.
06/27 THU 6:00-7:00 EISE
Restorative Justice—The 57 Bus: A True Story of Two Teenagers and the Crime That Changed Their Lives by Dashka Slater.
07/25 THU 6:00-7:00 EISE

Painted CDs

Update your décor with painted CDs. We'll provide the supplies; you provide the talent.
07/18 THU 6:00-7:30 EISE

ADULTS

After-Hour Mocktails at the Eiseley Speakeasy

Come after-hours and learn how to mix some flavorful zero proof libations. Our password is Adventure. Find out what's happening at your library this summer. There will be samples for this adults-only program.
06/07 FRI 6:15-7:30 EISE

Once Upon a Crime

Do you love True Crime and local mysteries? Join us for all things criminal the second Tuesday of every month where we discuss current crime obsessions. Bring your favorite stories to share, and get sentenced to FUN!
Crimes of the Rich and Famous
06/11 TUE 6:30-7:45 EISE
Unsolved Mysteries
07/09 TUE 6:30-7:45 EISE
Sports Crimes
08/13 TUE 6:30-7:45 EISE

ALL AGES

Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

This summer, Adventure Begins at Your Library. Drop by to sign up for the summer reading challenge and explore activities and crafts for the whole family.
06/01 SAT 1:00-3:00 GERE

Family Fun Night: Camp Crafts

Enjoy making crafts like those you brought home from summer camp and playing classic camp games. Gere Family Fun Nights feature crafts, games and activities for families to enjoy together.
06/04 TUE 5:30-7:00 GERE

Ukulele Club

This 4-part program will be an introduction to the Ukulele that can help get beginners up and running.
06/05 WED 6:30-7:30 GERE
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Theater Arts Academy Preview

Join us for a preview of the Theater Arts Academy's upcoming musical. This short program will feature performances by youth enrolled in the Theater Arts Academy at the Lincoln Community Playhouse.
Willy Wonka Kids.
06/28 FRI 11:30-12:00 GERE
The Jungle Book Kids
07/12 FRI 11:30-12:00 GERE
Finding Nemo Kids
07/26 FRI 11:30-12:00 GERE
Imagine a Dragon
08/09 FRI 11:30-12:00 GERE

Family Fun Night: Blanket Forts

Come build a blanket fort with your family using blankets or sheets from home or with supplied materials and then cozy up with a snack and a book. Gere Family Fun Nights feature crafts, games and activities for families to enjoy together.
07/02 TUE 5:30-7:00 GERE

Family Fun Night: Family Challenge

Compete with your family in a variety of silly challenges to see who will come out on top. Gere Family Fun Nights feature crafts, games and activities for families to enjoy together.
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Camp Build-It

Drop in and see what you can create with the library's collection of LEGO bricks, DUPLO bricks, KEVA planks, magnetic blocks and more.
06/06 THU 1:30-3:00 GERE
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07/18 THU 1:30-3:00 GERE

Summer Fun Day

Come participate in a variety of fun physical games and activities inside and outside the library.
06/12 WED 1:30-3:00 GERE

Camp Read-A-Lot

Join our storytellers as we share picture books, camp songs, STEAM activities and crafts with school age youth. Stories and activities will be relevant for early elementary students (K-2). Daycare groups - please call 402-441-8560 to register in advance.
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06/20 THU 12:00-12:45 GERE

Movie Day: Trolls Band Together

Join us Wednesday afternoon for a showing of Trolls Band Together. You are welcome to bring a blanket or pillow to sit on. Popcorn and lemonade will be provided. The doors will open at 1:15 pm, and the movie will start at 1:30 pm.
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07/17 WED 3:00-3:45 GERE

Movie Day: Wonka

Join us Wednesday afternoon for a showing of Wonka. You are welcome to bring a blanket or pillow to sit on. Popcorn and lemonade will be provided. The doors will open at 1:15 pm, and the movie will start at 1:30 pm.

07/24 WED 1:15-3:00 GERE

TEENS

Ready to Ride: Teen Biking Basics

Learn the rules of riding on the road and basic bike repair and maintenance from Lincoln Bike Kitchen volunteer Dale Holt. This event is part of our Teen Programming schedule and intended for ages 11-17.

06/03 MON 2:00-3:00 GERE

Random Fandom: Hunger Games

Do you have what it takes to escape from the Hunger Games? Test your knowledge of The Hunger Games series against other fans during trivia and take on an escape room style challenge. This event is part of our Teen Programming and is intended for ages 11-17.

06/10 MON 5:30-7:00 GERE

Random Fandom

Whether you're into anime, comic books, video games, RPGs, books, movies, or TV shows, our Random Fandom club is the place for you! Join us to discuss and celebrate all things pop culture. Discover new fandoms, connect with friends new and old, and release your inner geek with a variety of activities from cosplay to trivia. This program is part of our Teen Programming schedule and intended for ages 11-17.

07/08 MON 5:30-7:00 GERE

TEENS

Babysitting Basics for Teens

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07/19 FRI 1:00-3:00 GERE

Gere Teen Advisory Board Mixer and Open House

Gere's Teen Advisory Board will host this summer celebration! Join in the festivities while learning all about the library's teen leadership opportunities. Drop in or stay the whole time!

08/05 MON 5:30-7:00 GERE

ADULTS

Gere BookTalks

A staff member will do a presentation of several books from Lincoln City Libraries. Those attending will then have the opportunity to talk about a book they recently read.

06/04 TUE 2:00-3:00 GERE
07/02 TUE 2:00-3:00 GERE
08/06 TUE 2:00-3:00 GERE

Chair Yoga

We will do some gentle stretches while sitting in a chair. No need to get on the floor! Ideal for adults with limited mobility. Wear loose clothing. June 10 to August 26.

MONDAYS 2:00-2:45 GERE

Trivia Night - Music from the 2000s

Impress your friends and learn a few new facts about music from the 2000s at library trivia night! Doors open at 6:00 pm with trivia starting promptly at 6:30 pm. Compete as a team or as an individual.

06/25 TUE 6:30-7:45 GERE

Adventures in Sewing: Make Do and Mend

Are there holes in your favorite sweater or rips in your comfiest pants? Join us for a hands-on exploration of creative ways to save money (and the environment) by extending the life of your clothing. This class will use hand-sewing and felting methods. Bring your own items that need mending. A variety of fabric scraps, darning tools, needles and thread will be available to practice with. This session is geared toward adults (ages 19+).

07/23 TUE 6:30-7:30 GERE



Regular hours:
Monday-Thursday: 12-3 p.m.
Sunday: 2-5 p.m.

The Heritage Room of Nebraska Authors offers a multifaceted reflection of the rich literary culture of our state.

Our mission is to preserve and promote works by and about Nebraska authors, past and present.

The collection strives to gather in one location a representative sample of written works by all Nebraska authors.

Today, the Heritage Room contains more than books alone. You can also find archives of unpublished correspondence and manuscripts by and about Nebraska authors, and information files that trace author careers in clippings from newspapers, magazines, and literary journals.

The Heritage Room preserves photographs, audio, and video of original artwork by authors and their illustrators, and other memorabilia that document the lives and work of Nebraska authors.

We will be glad to assist you with any questions you may have about Nebraska authors.

NebraskaAuthors.org is a collaborative project of the UNL Center for Digital Research in the Humanities and the Jane Pope Geske Heritage Room of Nebraska Authors.

The website includes information on more than 4,000 Nebraska writers, past and present.

ALL AGES

Family Fun Night: Camp Crafts

Enjoy making crafts like those you brought home from summer camp and playing classic camp games. South Family Fun Nights feature crafts, games and activities for families to enjoy together.

06/20 THU 5:30-7:00 SOUTH

Family Fun Night: Family Challenge

Compete with your family in a variety of silly challenges to see who will come out on top. South Family Fun Nights feature crafts, games and activities for families to enjoy together.

07/18 THU 5:30-7:00 SOUTH

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08/15 THU 5:30-7:00 SOUTH

YOUTH

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06/04 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

Sing! Dance! Act!

Theatre Arts for Kids will bring you an exciting musical theatre program of Broadway favorites. *This event will be held at Westminster Church - 2110 Sheridan Boulevard.*

06/11 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

Saltdogs at the Library for Kids

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06/18 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

Summer Fun Day

Come participate in a variety of fun physical games and activities inside and outside the library.

06/25 TUE 10:30-12:00 SOUTH

Heavy Equipment Encounter

Meet in the Westminster Church parking lot - 2110 Sheridan Boulevard - to explore some of the machinery used by Lincoln's Transportation and Utilities Department!

07/02 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

YOUTH

Independence Day Celebration

Celebrate Independence Day a little early with crafts and a family friendly movie.

07/03 TUE 2:00-4:00 SOUTH

Wildlife Encounter

Step into the wild world of adventure this summer at your library! Join us for a captivating wildlife reading presentation where the journey begins with the turn of a page. Our theme, "Adventure Begins at Your Library," invites you to explore the animal kingdom like never before! *This event will be held at Westminster Church - 2110 Sheridan Boulevard.*

07/09 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

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07/16 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

Illustrator Visit with Chloe Burgett

Join artist Chloe Burgett at the South Branch library to hear more about how she draws pictures for children's books! All artists are welcome to draw a fun character with Chloe for your own story.

07/23 TUE 10:30-11:15 SOUTH

Movie Day: Wish

Join us Tuesday afternoon for a showing of Wish. You are welcome to bring a blanket or pillow to sit on. Popcorn and lemonade will be provided. The movie will start at 1:30 pm.

07/30 TUE 1:30-3:00 SOUTH

TEENS

Random Fandom: Fashion Remix!

Time for a new you? Bring a piece of fashion to up-cycle into something new or swap with a friend! Shred, patch, dye, cut and create your way into some new threads. The library will have lots of cool supplies for you to use. This event is part of our Teen Programming and is intended for ages 11 - 17.

06/17 MON 2:00-3:30 SOUTH

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06/18 TUE 6:30-7:30 SOUTH

Adventures in Sewing: Get to Know Your Sewing Machine

Do you have a sewing machine sitting idle and need a little encouragement to get it moving? Bring it to the library and sewing expert Kath Conroy will help you understand your machine so you can get busy making wonderful things. Class size is limited. Registration is required.

07/29 MON 6:00-7:30 SOUTH

Adventures in Sewing: Sew a Tote Bag

Sew your own book bag in this hands-on sewing class. Basic sewing knowledge is helpful. The supply list can be emailed to you or picked up at South Branch. A few sewing machines and limited supplies will be available the night of the class. Class size is limited. Registration is required.

08/20 TUE 6:00-7:30 SOUTH



ALL AGES

Pixel Party

Kick back and relax with the whole family for a summer of blockbuster movies featuring some of our favorite adventure flicks.

Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Mutant Mayhem

06/14 FRI 3:00–5:00 WALT

Wonka

06/28 FRI 3:00–5:00 WALT

Jumanji

07/12 FRI 3:00–5:00 WALT

Sonic 2

07/26 FRI 3:00–5:00 WALT

3D Printer/Fusion 360 Training

Learn how to use a 3D printer and software! Come be trained on Walt's Luzbot mini 3D printer and 3D design software AutoCAD Fusion 360. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460. Must be 13+ or attend with an adult.

06/18 TUE 4:30–5:30 WALT

07/16 TUE 4:30–5:30 WALT

08/20 TUE 4:30–5:30 WALT

10/11 WeatherShield

Come for a presentation about extreme weather from a channel 10/11 meteorologist at 2:00 and 3:00pm and also tour the WeatherShield in person!

06/22 SAT 2:00–4:00 WALT

YOUTH

Edgerton Explorit Center: Spaceflight Explorers

In this show, we investigate the science of spaceflight: how we get into space (and where it begins) and how living and working in space is different compared to Earth. We'll even perform an astronaut training exercise! Many materials and curriculum in this show are supplied by NASA's Spaceflight Explorers program. Don't be fooled by the subject. You'll learn a lot about science on Earth as well as in space!

06/03 MON 1:30–2:15 WALT

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YOUTH Continued

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06/21 FRI 10:30–11:15 WALT

You Be The Architect

Imagine the different cities and structures you can design and build. Then come to the library and use Lego Bricks, Keva planks, boxes, and other building materials to make your plans come to life.

06/26 WED 2:00–3:30 WALT

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Meet in the library parking lot to explore some of the machinery used by Lincoln's Transportation and Utilities Department!

07/01 MON 1:30–2:15 WALT

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07/15 MON 1:30–2:15 WALT

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Project Innovate

Set off on a reclaimed adventure using cardboard, duct tape, and other recycled objects to create gadgets and crafts to fuel your imagination. What will you create?

07/24 WED 2:00–3:30 WALT

Great Book Chase

Wrap up your summer adventure by completing the chapters in your adventure book. It is also a great time to complete your summer reading challenge!

07/29 MON 1:00–3:00 WALT

TEENS

Manga/Anime Club

Join us for an evening of crafts, snacks, manga and anime!

Action and Adventure

06/03 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

Slice of Life

06/17 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

Giant Robots/Mecha

07/01 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

Sports

07/15 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

Movie

08/05 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

Comedy

08/19 MON 6:00–7:30 WALT

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06/05 WED 2:00–3:00 WALT

Dice Guild

Come one and all! Players of all levels! A guild for adventurers, mystery-seekers and pathfinders of imagination! Featuring: Dungeons and Dragons 5E. Meets on the first and third Thursday, beginning June 6, 2024.

06/06 THU 3:30–5:30 WALT

06/20 THU 3:30–5:30 WALT

07/18 THU 3:30–5:30 WALT

08/01 THU 3:30–5:30 WALT

08/15 THU 3:30–5:30 WALT

Positive Vibes Guide: Crystals 101

Bring your good energy, enthusiasm and curiosity as Carissa, owner of Euphoria Boutique, explains the naturally occurring qualities and characteristics of crystals. This event is part of our Teen Programming and intended for ages 11-17.

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07/17 WED 1:00–3:00 WALT

TEENS Continued

Dice Guild One-Shot: Kids on Bikes

A guild for adventurers, mystery-seekers and pathfinders of imagination! In this special one day session, we'll enter the world of a new tabletop RPG. Learn the mechanics, create a character (or two), and prepare for battle! Featuring: Kids on Bikes.

07/20 SAT 2:00-5:00 WALT

Button Maker Lab

Buttons for your backpack! Design your own using the library's button maker to create one-of-a-kind buttons for yourself or friends. All supplies will be provided. This event is part of our Teen Programming and is intended for ages 11-17.

07/30 TUE 3:00-4:30 WALT

Pixel Party Plus - Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire

Kick back and relax with friends for one last adventure flick before the first day of school. This event is part of our Teen Programming schedule and is intended for ages 11-17.

08/02 FRI 3:00-5:00 WALT



ADULTS

Circle of Friends

Circle of Friends is an adaptive program for adults accompanied by a support person. Activities may include crafts, games, exercise and stories. All abilities and skill levels encouraged.

TUESDAYS 1:00-2:30 WALT

ADULTS

Crafternoon - Watercolor Techniques

Enjoy an afternoon practicing your watercolor skills with other painters and maybe even learn a new technique or two. Registration is required online or by calling 402-441-4460.

06/09 SUN 2:00-4:00 WALT

Crafternoon - String Art

Bring back your camp memories and create a beautiful piece of art with string. Bring your own design or select from ones provided. All materials will be provided. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460.

07/14 SUN 2:00-4:00 WALT

Crafternoon: Beaded Animals

Celebrate the end of Summer vacation with a camp classic! Create a little beaded critter to carry with you on all your adventures. All materials provided. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460.

08/11 SUN 2:00-4:00 WALT

B.Y.O.B(ook) Club

This is not your traditional book club! Join us with a title (or titles) from your reading life that follow the monthly discussion prompt and add to your own To Be Read list with recommendations from the group.

This month's prompt: a book with an unreliable narrator.

06/20 THU 11:30-12:30 WALT

This month's prompt: a book with a cold setting for a warm month.

07/18 THU 11:30-12:30 WALT

This month's prompt: a book you hid from your parents.

08/15 THU 11:30-12:30 WALT

Sewing Quest: Pillowcase Edition

Sewing a pillowcase is no mystery with sewing expert Kath Conroy. Bring your sewing machine and scout your favorite fabric to embark on a sewing adventure. Then prop up on your new pillowcase and jump into your next adventure story. Space is limited. Supply list provided after registering. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460.

06/23 SUN 2:00-4:00 WALT

Cricut Class: Travel Stickers

Come learn something that might stick! Join us for this highly-requested session to learn how to print and cut stickers on the Cricut machine. Space is limited. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460.

06/26 WED 5:30-7:00 WALT

Trivia Night: Spies and Detective Edition

Come dressed as your favorite spy or detective to inspire you at this special edition of Trivia Night! Sign in starts at 5:30 pm with trivia starting promptly at 6:00 pm. Register a team of up to six adults online or by calling 402-441-4460. Walk-ins welcome

07/07 SUN 6:00-7:30 WALT

Introduction to the Cricut Machine

Curious about the Cricut? Join us for an introduction to these crafty cutting machines and become trained to use the library's Cricut. Space is limited. Register online or by calling 402-441-4460. Must be 19+ or attend with a guardian.

07/28 SUN 5:30-7:00 WALT

ALL AGES

Crafty Tuesday

Open to kids of all ages! We'll be hosting a weekly craft program with a variety of projects. No registration necessary. Just drop in and create!

JUNE TUESDAYS 11:00-12:00 WILL
JULY TUESDAYS 11:00-12:00 WILL

YOUTH

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06/06 THU 10:30-11:15 WILL

Camping Day

Pack your bug spray and experience the great outdoors from the comfort of your library! We'll have a variety of camping-related activities for everyone.

06/13 THU 1:00-1:45 WILL

Saltdogs at the Library for Kids

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06/21 FRI 1:00-1:45 WILL

Outside the Box!

Whether you see a spaceship, a tugboat or a fire truck, it's not a box! Join us for a day of building and imagination.

06/27 THU 1:00-1:45 WILL

Heavy Equipment Encounter

Meet in the north Arnold Elementary parking lot (via West Cuming Street) to explore some of the machinery used by Lincoln's Transportation and Utilities Department!

07/03 WED 10:30-11:15 WILL

Play Day

Start your holiday weekend off with a bang! ALL of our developmental toys will be out for free play.

07/03 WED 1:00-1:45 WILL

YOUTH Continued

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Adventures in Art

Come paint, sculpt, and scribble your way to a masterpiece!

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07/17 WED 10:30-11:15 WILL

TEENS

Williams Lock-In

Join us in the library after-hours! We'll kick off the night with some pizza followed by a craft and then a challenge. This program is open to tweens and teens, 11-18 yrs. Please register online or by calling 402-441-8580.

06/14 FRI 6:00-8:00 WILL

Perler Patterns

Whether you're decorating your backpack or making a key chain, we'll have perler beads in every color for your craft.

06/24 MON 11:00-12:00 WILL

Painted CDs

Update your décor with painted CDs. We'll provide the supplies; you provide the talent.

07/29 MON 11:00-12:00 WILL

ADULTS

Beautify Your Book Bag

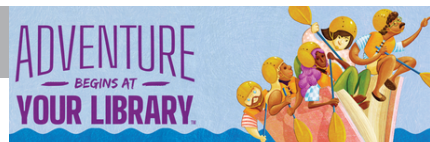
Make your book bag stand out with a marbled paint job! Learn how to create a beautiful marble pattern using paint and shaving cream. We will have supplies available.

06/08 SAT 1:00-2:30 WILL

Pat's Favorites - Book Talk

Find your next read! Pat Leach will be sharing some of her favorite books.

06/11 TUE 1:00-1:45 WILL



Teen Advisory Boards

Hey teens! We need YOU! Advise library staff about materials, programs and services that you would like to see in the library.

This is your chance to make a difference!

Scan the QR code or head to lincolnlibraries.org to learn more about volunteering on a Teen Advisory Board at your nearest branch library.



Explore all of our Storytimes at lincolnlibraries.org!



LOCATIONS AND HOURS

BENNETT MARTIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

136 S. 14th Street
(402) 441-8530

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–6 PM

ANDERSON BRANCH LIBRARY

3635 Touzalin Avenue
(402) 441-8540

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–8 PM

BETHANY BRANCH LIBRARY

1810 N. Cotner Boulevard
(402) 441-8550

Hours:

Monday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: Closed

EISELEY BRANCH LIBRARY

1530 Superior Street
(402) 441-4250

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–8 PM

GERE BRANCH LIBRARY

2400 S. 56th Street
(402) 441-8560

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–8 PM

SOUTH BRANCH LIBRARY

2675 South Street
(402) 441-8570

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–8 PM

WALT BRANCH LIBRARY

6701 S. 14th Street
(402) 441-4460

Hours:

Monday–Thursday: 10 AM–8 PM

Friday–Saturday: 10 AM–6 PM

Sunday: 12–8 PM

WILLIAMS BRANCH LIBRARY

4900 Mike Scholl Street
(402) 441-8580

Hours:

Monday–Friday: 10 AM–2 PM

Saturday and Sunday: 12–4 PM

Lincoln City Libraries Mobile Apps Menu



Search the Library catalog, place holds, renew materials, and manage your account on your mobile device. Store your library card and link multiple cards to one access point.



The Libby mobile app is designed to make borrowing and enjoying eBooks and audiobooks easier.



Hoopla provides streaming of movies, TV shows, music, eBooks, audiobooks, and comics to your browser or mobile device.



HelpNow for Homework provides free homework help, online tutoring, and preparation for standardized tests for students from kindergarten to adult in the areas of math, English, science, social studies, and more.



Lessons in foreign languages, plus English for speakers of other languages.



Track your reading to earn incentives at your library and stay motivated to read.



Includes Peterson's Test and Career Prep to find all the tools you need to discover your passion, ace your exams, and excel in your career; and Chilton Library for automotive repair information.



TumbleBook Library is a collection of animated talking picture books that includes foreign language titles, Read-Alongs, and eBooks.



Our Lied Bookmobile brings individualized library service to areas throughout Lincoln and Lancaster County.

The team brings books, movies, audiobooks, video games and more for youth and adults to a location near you! Internet access is available for on-board.

The Bookmobile visits:

- Towns and cities in Lancaster County
- Areas in Lincoln not close to existing libraries

HOLIDAYS CLOSINGS

MEMORIAL DAY
Sunday, May 26, 2024
Monday, May 27, 2024

JUNETEENTH
Wednesday, June 19, 2024

INDEPENDENCE DAY
Thursday, July 4, 2024



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