

June 2017

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This Month

Miss Burma by Charmaine Craig
Water/Way Exhibit, Summer Reading, and more!



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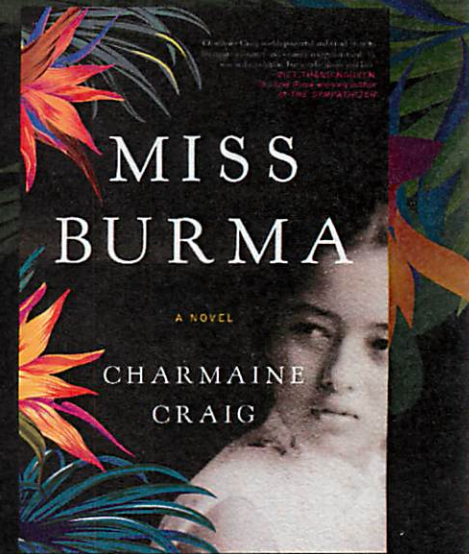
All programs are free and open to the public unless otherwise stated. For more information, contact a library location or check the online calendar at kckpl.org.

Featured This Month

Miss Burma: A Conversation with Charmaine Craig

During her lifetime, Louisa Benson Craig was many things: a daughter, a refugee, a symbol, a controversy, a warrior, a tireless advocate, a mother. Learn about this amazing woman from her daughter, Charmaine Craig, author of the newly published Miss Burma. There will be a Q & A, book signing, and reception with traditional Karen foods provided by Chief Properties.

South, 3:30 pm, Sunday, June 4



Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

Jump start your summer reading program with a fun family night full of music, games, and more! Our special guest will be Kansas City's own Magical, Musical REGGIE REG!
Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 1

Summer Reading Kick-off Party

Challenge your friends to a race through the Nuclear Rampage inflatable obstacle course, make a fun craft, and play lawn games.
West, 1 pm, Saturday, June 3

Water/Ways Exhibit Kickoff

Includes exhibit of WyCo Lake history, wildlife, and personal stories
Schlagle, 10 am, Saturday, June 24

Despicable Me 3 Party

Get ready for Despicable Me 3 by making your own Mini Minions and Minion Googles.
Turner, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 27

Art Exhibits

David Alleyne
Main

Kristina Carbrey
South

KCKCC Art Department
West Gallery

Monte Robinson
West Display Cases

Announcements



Summer Reading Program

The Summer Reading Program starts June 1! Visit www.kckpl.org for more info and sign up at any branch or mobile library.

Adults and All Ages

Arts & Culture

Intergenerational Art Class with The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art

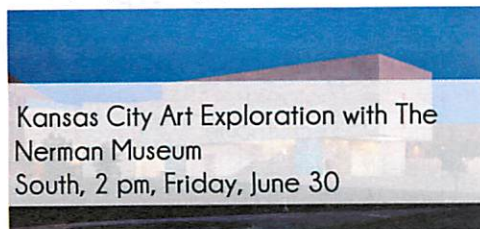
10 am, South, Mondays
Register: 913-295-8250 x3109

The Writers' Bloc

Writer's Group
West, 7 pm, Mondays

Researching Your Family History with The Midwest Genealogy Center

South, 2 pm, Friday, June 9



Kansas City Art Exploration with The Nerman Museum
South, 2 pm, Friday, June 30

Book Clubs

Bookfix Book Club

On the Move by Oliver Sacks
South, 10 am, Thursday, June 1

The Main Thing Book Club

Losing It by Emma Rothbone
Main, 5:30 pm, Thursday, June 1

Brown Bag Book Club

Losing It by Emma Rothbone
Main, 12 pm, Friday, June 2

Next Chapter Book Club

Main, 5:30 pm, Monday, June 5
Ages: 50+

My Friend's Bookshelf

Share what you've been reading
South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Inspirational Book Club

Catching Heat by Janice Cantore
West, 7 pm, Thursday, June 8

Infinite Shades of Brown

And Then There Was Me by Sadeqa Johnson
Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, June 10

Real Inspiration

Heart Made Whole by Christa Black Gifford
CenterPoint Community Church, 7 pm,
Monday, June 12

Clueless: A Mystery Book Club

White Mirror by Elsa Hart
Legends' Panera, 12:30 pm, Monday, June 19

Common Grounds Book Club

Behind Her Eyes by Sarah Pinborough
Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, June 21

College & Career

Working Mondays

2 hours uninterrupted computer time for job-related tasks.
West, 1 pm, Mondays

Working Wednesday

2 hours uninterrupted computer time for job-related tasks.
Main, 1 pm, Wednesdays

Practice ACT Test

Teens can take a full length practice test.
Main, 9 am, Saturday, June 17
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000

Crafts & DIY

Quilting Classes

South, 6 pm, Mondays

Garden Time

South, 10:30 am, Fridays
June 2 - Leaf Art
June 9 - Mosaics
June 16 - Bug Jars
June 23 - Wind Chime
June 30 - Pinwheels

Crafting for Seniors

West, 11 am, Monday, June 5

Garden Stepping Stones

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, June 4
Register: 913-295-8250 x2010

Fishbowl Lanterns

West, 6 pm, Thursday, June 8
Register: 913-295-8250 x5103

Fourth of July Luminarias

Main, 2 pm, Saturday, June 10

Sunday Sewing Series: Easy Aprons

Main, 2 pm, Sunday, June 11
Register: 913-295-8250 x1112

DIY Birdhouses

Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, June 15

Make Your Own Toolbox

Turner, 2:30 pm, Friday, June 16

Balloon Workshop

South, 11 am, Saturday, June 17

Catapults

Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, June 22

Adults and All Ages



Yarn Crafters Club
West, 11 am, Monday, June 26

Tube City
Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, June 29

Edible Architecture
Turner, 2:30 pm, Friday, June 30

Computers & Tech

One on One Computer Help
Library Hours with Appointment at Main,
South, Turner, West, & Mobile Library

Computers 101/Get Comfortable with Computers

Main, 10 am, Monday, June 7
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000
West, 9:30 am, Monday, June 12
Register: 913-295-8250 x5108

Files & Folders

Main, 1 pm, Thursday, June 8
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000

Microsoft Word

Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 8
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000
West, 9:30 am, Monday, June 19
West, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 20
Register: 913-295-8250 x5108

Intermediate Microsoft Word

Formatting
Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 15
Tables and Mail Merge
Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 22
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000

Advanced Microsoft Word

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, June 22
Register: 913-295-8250 x5108

Microsoft Excel

West, 9:30 am, Monday, May 26
West, 6 pm, Tuesday, May 27
Register: 913-295-8250 x5108

Internet for Beginners/Intro to Internet

Main, 10 am, Wednesday, June 14
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000
West, 9:30 am, Thursday, June 15
Register: 913-295-8250 x5108

Creative Smartphone Photography

Schlagle, 10 am, Saturday, June 3
Register: 913-295-8250 x2010

Pinterest

Main, 10 am, Monday, June 19
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000

Introducing Flipster

Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 29
Register: 913-295-8250 x1000

Finance & Legal

Build a Better Future Series

West, 12:30 pm, Wednesdays
Register: 913-295-8250 x5000
June 14 - Budgeting
June 21 - Credit
June 28 - Setting Financial Goals

Understanding Elder Law Basics

South, 2 pm, Friday, June 2

SSA Answers

South, 2 pm, Friday, June 16

Games & Videogames

Game On @ The Library

Experience gaming on our big screen
West, 1 pm, Sunday, June 4 & 18

Board @ The Library

West, 1 pm, Sunday, June 11 & 25

Magic: The Gathering Club

Turner, 3:30 pm, Monday, June 12
Register: 913-295-8250 x4000

Family Game Night

Turner, 6 pm, Thursday, June 15



Loteria
South, 3 pm, Wednesday, June 21

Bingo for Books

South, 6 pm, Thursday, June 29

Health & Wellness

Intergenerational Exercise Class with The Landon Center

South, 2 pm, Tuesdays



Preserving Herbs

Main, 2 pm, Saturday, June 3
Register: 913-295-8250 x1030

Family Yoga in Nature

Schlagle, 1 pm, Saturday, June 10

Turning Over a New Leafy Vegetable

South, 2 pm, Friday, June 23

Language Learning

ESL Classes / Inglés Básico

West, 6:30pm, Mondays
South, 6:30 pm, Tuesdays
Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Conversational Spanish Level II

Basic skills needed to participate
South, 2 pm, Tuesday, June 6
West, 2 pm, Tuesdays

Movies

Monday Movie Night

For children, teens, and their parents/
guardians only.

Main, 6 pm, Mondays
June 5 - Zootopia
June 12 - Lego Movie
June 19 - Wall-E
June 26 - Big Hero 6

Wednesday Night Movies: June Tunes

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays
June 7 - The Court Jester
June 14 - Sweeney Todd
June 21 - An American In Paris
June 28 - How to Succeed in Business
Without Really Trying

Mad for the Movies

West, 6:30 pm, Wednesdays
June 21 - A United Kingdom
June 28 - Land of Mine

Family Movie Night

South, 6 pm, Thursdays
June 8 - The Lego Movie
June 23 - Trolls

Adults and All Ages

Thursday Night Theater

West, 6:30 pm, Thursdays
June 1 - Split
June 8 - La La Land
June 15 - Sleepless
June 22 - Underworld: Blood Wars
June 29 - The Girl with all the Gifts

Friday Family Movie

West, 1 pm, Fridays
June 9 - Moana
June 16 - Finding Dory
June 23 - Trolls
June 30 - Zootopia

Saturday Movies

Main, 1 pm, Saturdays
June 10 - Fist Fight
June 17 - Resident Evil: The Final Chapter
June 24 - John Wick: Chapter 2

Película Familiar en Español

Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, June 3

Speakers & Forums

Build a Better Garden: Kansas Prairie
Star Flowers
KU Master Gardener Donald Crim
West, 2 pm, Friday, June 2

Hispanic American History: American GI Forum

Justice for my People - Dr. Hector P. Garcia
South, 3 pm, Saturday, June 10

Next Chapter Kansas City

West, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 27

Adopt a Pet!

Unleashed Pet Adopt-a-thon

West, 9 am, Saturday, June 17

Humane Society Pet Meet and Greet

West, 9 am, Saturday, June 24

Summer Reading Performers

Wings of Love: Awesome Birds

South, 2 pm, Saturday, June 3

Exotics R Us

Exotic animal encounter
Main, 1 pm, Saturday, June 3
West, 2 pm, Tuesday, June 6
South, 6 pm, Thursday, June 22
Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, June 28

Clement McCrae Marionette Show

Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Percussion Magic

South, 2 pm, Thursday, June 8
Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, June 14

Stone Lion Puppets

West, 2 pm, Tuesday, June 13

Johnny and Adam, Rhythm and Music

Schlagle, 10 am, Saturday, June 17
West, 2 pm, Tuesday, June 20

Reggie Regg The Magic Man

Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, June 21

Magician Eric Vaughn

West, 2:00 pm, Tuesday, June 27

Sign up for the Summer Reading program at one of our branches or online at kckpl.org

Children



Kids' Café

Mon-Fri, 12 pm, Main & West
Join us for snacks provided by KCKPS for children ages 0-18. Snacks must be eaten on site.

Art & Crafts

Art Classes with The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art

South, 3 pm, Mondays
Register: 913-295-8250 x3000

Bilingual Craft Time

Make crafts while learning Spanish and English
South, 5:30 pm, Tuesdays

DIY T-Shirts

West, 2 pm, Monday, June 5

Ice Cream in a Bag

South, 3 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Newspaper Bird

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, June 8



DIY Construction Work Vest

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, June 8
Register: 913-295-8250 x1013

Stepping Stones

West, 2 pm, Monday, June 12

Thumbprint Dandelion

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, June 15

Get Your Art On!!

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, June 15

DIY Wind Car

Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, June 17

Storytimes

Main

6 by 6 Storytime

Stories and songs with a focus on the 6 skills preschoolers need to be ready for school.

6 pm, Tuesdays

Baby Storytime

Focus on interaction between baby and adult with songs, books, and bonding activities.

11 am, Wednesdays

Ages: Newborns through pre-walkers with caregiver

Family Storytime

Bring your children of all ages to enjoy stories, rhymes, songs and fun.

11 am, Fridays

10:30, Saturdays

Read to a Dog

Trained dogs from Pet Partners provide a safe and exciting environment for children to read and flourish.

1 pm, Saturday, June 24

Schlagle

Nature Story Time

10:30 am, Wednesdays

South

Little Learners Storytime

Stories focus on the 6 by 6 pre-reading skills.

10:30 am, Tuesdays

Bouncing Babies Story and Playtime

Focus on interaction between baby and adult with songs, books, and bonding activities.

9:30 am, Wednesdays

Ages: 0-2 with caregiver

La Hora de Cuentos

¡Toda la familia está invitada a disfrutar de cuentos infantiles, canciones y de una divertida manualidad!

5:30 pm, 5 y 19 de junio/June 5 & 19

Turner

Friday 6 by 6 Storytime

Stories, dance, and games to get kids excited about learning 6 pre-reading skills!

10:30 am, Fridays

West

Preschool Storytime

Older preschoolers will enjoy this longer 6 by 6: Ready to Read program

10 am, Wednesdays

Ages: 3-5 with a caregiver

Toddler Storytime

A 6 by 6 program with stories, songs, fingerplays, movement activities, and free play.

10 am, Thursdays

Ages: 18-36 months with a caregiver

Read to a Dog

Trained dogs from Pet Partners provide a safe and exciting environment for children to read and flourish.

1 pm, Saturday, June 17

Lego Stamps

West, 2 pm, Monday, June 19

Build Your Nature Name

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, June 22

Build a Paddle Boat

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, June 22

Register: 913-295-8250 x1013



Draw Along with Kyle Tiernan
South, 2 pm, Thursday, June 22

Open Craft Night

Turner, 6 pm, Thursday, June 22

Register: 913-295-8250 x4000

DIY Catapults

West, 2 pm, Monday, June 26

Pinecone Bird Feeders

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, June 29

Patriotic Flag T-Shirt

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, June 29

Register: 913-295-8250 x1013

Games & Videogames

Lego Clubs

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

West, 10:30 am, Saturday, June 10

Turner, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 13

Build some Fun into Summer Reading!

Video games, board games, and more

Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Learning & Culture

Explorers Club

West, 2 pm, Wednesdays

Register: 913-295-8250 x5014

June 7 - Soda Explosions

June 14 - The Science of Flight

June 21 - Squishy Circuits

June 28 - Marshmallow Engineering

Kids-A-Cookin'

Learn to make kid friendly delicious and nutritious snacks.

Main, 3 pm, 1st & 3rd Wednesday

South, 3 pm, 2nd & 4th Wednesday

STEM Fun!

South, 6 pm, Thursday, June 1

Starlab Planetarium

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, June 13

Music Mayhem

West, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 13

Reptiles

Learn about the reptiles that call the library home

South, 2 pm, Thursday, June 15

Macro Adventures

Learn about invertebrates that live in the lake

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, June 20

Animal Tracks & Clues

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, June 27

Science City: Sub Zero

South, 2 pm, Thursday, June 29

Movies

Movie Mondays

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Mondays

Children

Monday Movie Night

For children, teens, and their parents/guardians only.

Main, 6 pm, Mondays

June 5 - Zootopia

June 12 - The Lego Movie

June 19 - Wall-E

June 26 - Big Hero 6

Family Movie Night

South, 6 pm, Thursdays

June 8 - The Lego Movie

June 23 - Trolls

Friday Family Movie

West, 1 pm, Fridays

June 9 - Moana

June 16 - Finding Dory

June 23 - Trolls

June 30 - Zootopia

Sing

South, 2 pm, Thursday, June 1

Teens

Art & Crafts

Distressed baseball Hats

Turner, 5 pm, Monday June 5

Register: 913-295-8250 x4000

DIY Fidget Spinner

Turner, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 6

Register: 913-295-8250 x4000

Ice Cream in a Bag

South, 3 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Makerspace Monday: String Art

Main, 2 pm, Monday, June 12



Mini Aquarium

Turner, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 20

Register: 913-295-8250 x4000



T-Shirt Rug

West, 6 pm, Thursday, June 22

Register: 913-295-8250 x5103

Makerspace Monday: Blackout Poetry

Main, 2 pm, Monday, June 26

Games & Videogames

Lego Clubs

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

West, 10:30 am, Saturday, June 10

Turner, 6 pm, Tuesday, June 13

Build Some Fun into Summer Reading

Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, June 7

Magic: The Gathering Club

Turner, 3:30 pm, Monday, June 12

Register: 913-295-8250 x4000

Gamers' Adventures

Play board games or video games.

Turner, 5 pm, Monday, June 19

Learning & Culture

Kids-A-Cookin'

Make kid friendly, nutritious snacks.

Main, 3 pm, 1st & 3rd Wednesday

South, 3 pm, 2nd & 4th Wednesday

Teen Volunteer Orientation

Must complete application prior to attending

Main, 6 pm, Thursday, June 8 & 22

Register: 913-295-8250 x1114

South, 2 pm, Wednesday, June 14

Tell Your KCK Story

Interview adults and each other to tell the story of growing up KCK.

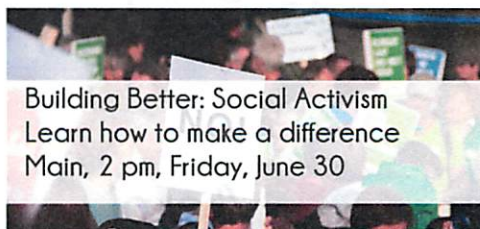
Main, 1 pm, Thursday, June 15

Practice ACT Test

Teens can take a full length practice test.

Main, 9 am, Saturday, June 17

Register: 913-295-8250 x1000



Building Better: Social Activism

Learn how to make a difference

Main, 2 pm, Friday, June 30

Movies

Monday Movie Night

For children, teens, and their parents/guardians only.

Main, 6 pm, Mondays

June 5 - Zootopia

June 12 - The Lego Movie

June 19 - Wall-E

June 26 - Big Hero 6

Family Movie Night

South, 6 pm, Thursdays

June 8 - The Lego Movie

June 23 - Trolls

Friday Family Movie

West, 1 pm, Fridays

June 9 - Moana

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June 23 - Trolls

June 30 - Zootopia

Anime Clubs

Visit us online at

[facebook.com/otakuanimecorps](https://www.facebook.com/otakuanimecorps)

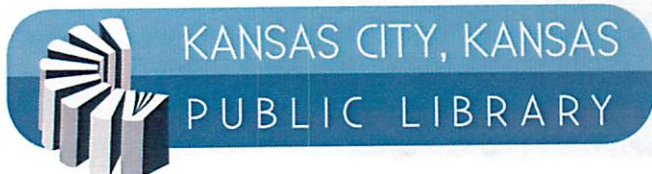
West Anime Corps - West, 6 pm, Tuesdays, June 6, 13, & 20, and Monday, June 26

Ages: 12+

Otaku Anime Corps - Turner, 5 pm, Wednesdays

Ages: 13+

Anime Club - Main, 4 pm, Tuesdays, June 13 & 27



913-295-8250

Visit a KCKPL Location

Main Library	Mr. & Mrs. F. L. Schlagle Library	South Branch Library	Turner Community Library	West Wyandotte Library	Mobile Libraries
625 Minnesota Ave. KCK 66101	4051 West Drive WyCo Lake KCK 66109	3104 Strong Avenue KCK 66106	831 S. 55th Street KCK 66106	1737 N. 82nd Street KCK 66112	Blue Route 913-530-5951
<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 8:30am - 8:30pm <i>Friday & Saturday</i> 8:30am - 5:00pm <i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	<i>Monday-Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm <i>Sunday closed</i>	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm <i>Friday & Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm <i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 10:00am - 8:00pm <i>Friday</i> 10:00am - 5:00pm <i>Saturday</i> 10:00am - 2:00pm <i>Sunday closed</i>	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm <i>Friday & Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm <i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	Green Route 913-461-2374 Purple Route 913-461-5415 mobileteam@kckpl.org

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