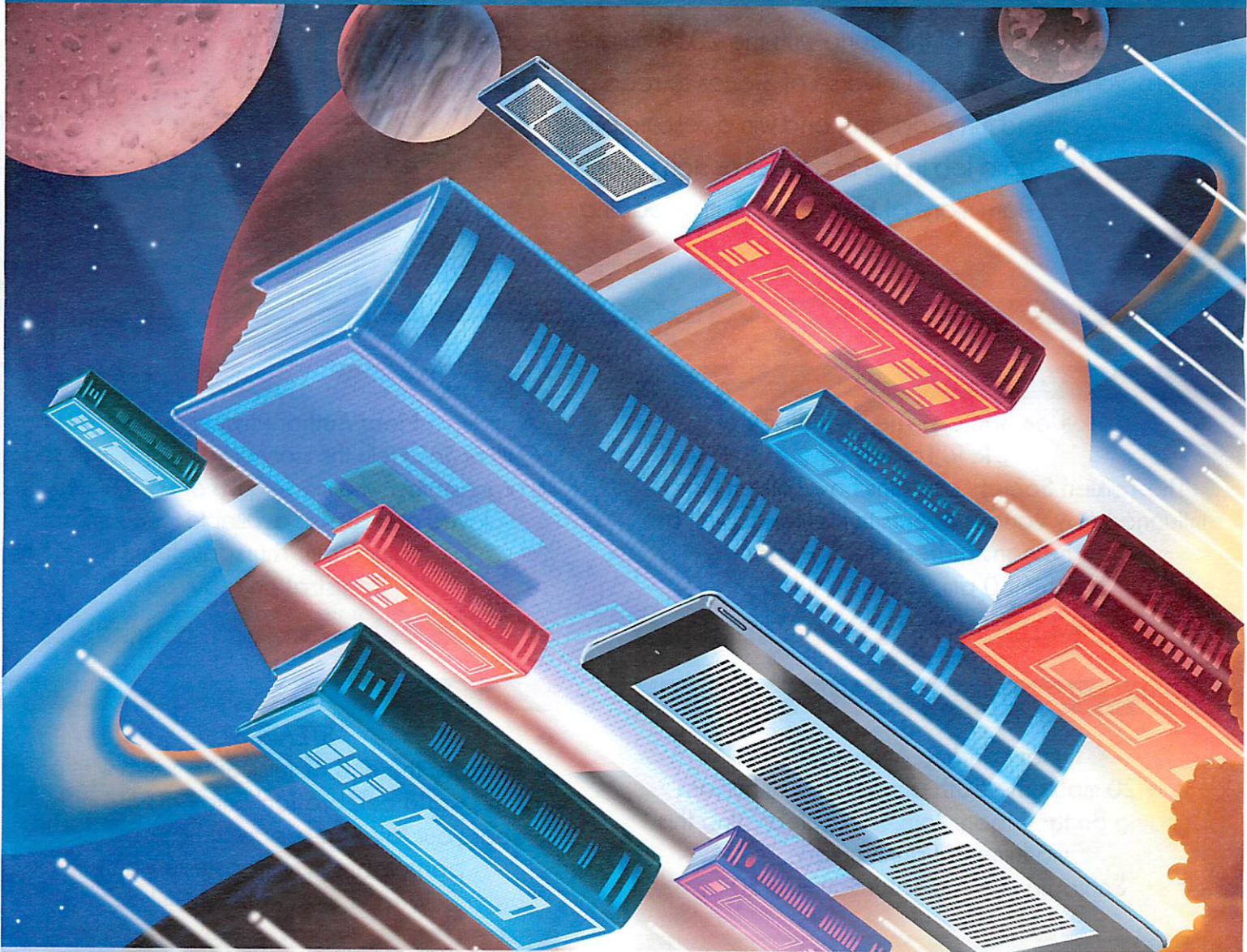


July 2019

@ Kansas City, Kansas Public Library



This Month

Summer Reading Program

Moon Landing, Tolkien, Book Signings, & more!



KANSAS CITY, KANSAS
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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

Summer Reading Program

The library is out of this world with the 2019 Summer Reading Program! Sign up for a Universe of Stories to read great books, attend fun programs, and win awesome prizes! Pick up a log in the branches or sign up online. Learn more at kckpl.org/summer-reading

A **UNIVERSE**
of Stories

The Tolkien Society: The Mythology of J. R. R. Tolkien

The Tolkien Society explains how Tolkien was influenced by various events in his life, as well as how he constructed Middle-earth
South 6:30 pm, Tuesday, July 9

Meet Author Phyllis Lawson

Quilt of Souls tells the story of young Phyllis raised by a grandmother who made quilts out of the clothing of loved ones. Books available for purchase.
Main, 6 pm, Thursday, July 18
Registration required

Lunar Landing Anniversary

July 20 marks the 50th anniversary of humans landing on the Moon. Join us in celebrating this monumental anniversary.
Schlagle, 10 am, Saturday, July 20

STEAM Wars

Celebrate the end of summer reading with an out-of-this world celebration! Enjoy STEAM activities, wear your favorite space-theme costume, and participate in our costume contest.
West, 1 pm, Saturday, July 27

Art Exhibits

Kansas Collection
Main

Stowers Institute
Schlagle

Jan Kobe
South

James Schultz
West

Yazmin Salas
Turner

Announcements



Closings

All library locations will be closed Thursday, July 4, for Independence Day.

Adults & All Ages

Arts & Culture

The Writers' Bloc

West, 7 pm, Mondays

Come Write In

West, 1 pm Saturdays

Write Here at the Library

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 2



NASA's 50th Anniversary of Apollo 11's Historic Moonlanding Webcast
West, 2 pm, Monday, July 15

50th Anniversary Moon Landing Party

West, 9:30 am, Saturday, July 20

Astrology: Traditions and Practical Applications

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, July 29

Book Clubs

My Friend's Bookshelf*

Share what you've been reading
South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, July 3

Katie's Comic Collective*

Main, 2 pm, Sunday, July 7

Lit AF Literature and Films Book Club*

We Need to Talk About Kevin by Lionel Shriver
West, 6 pm, Monday, July 8

Bookfix Book Club*

Never Caught: The Washingtons' Relentless Pursuit of Their Runaway Slave, Ona Judge by Erica Armstrong Dunbar
West, 7 pm, Thursday, July 11

Inspirational Book Club*

Burden of Proof by DiAnn Mills
West, 7 pm, Thursday, July 11

Clueless: A Mystery Book Club*

The Lucky Ones by Tiffany Reisz
Panera at the Legends, 12:30 pm,
Monday, July 15

Back to the Fiction Book Club*

An Anonymous Girl by Greer Hendricks and Sarah Pekkanen
West, 6 pm, Monday, July 15

Common Grounds Book Club*

What the Eyes Don't See by Mona Hanna-Attisha
Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, 17

The Blended and Beautiful African American Book Club*

The Make-Believe Wives by Darliss Batchelor
West, 6 pm, Monday, July 22

Cookbook Club*

Celebrity Cookbooks
South, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 24

The Long Overdue Book Club*

Circe by Madeline Miller
Main, 6:30 pm, Thursday, July 25

African American Book Club*

You Can't Touch My Hair: And Other Things I Still Have to Explain by Phoebe Robinson
Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, July 27

College & Career

Working Mondays*

2 hours computer time for job-related tasks.
West, 12:45 pm, Mondays

Working Wednesdays*

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

Learning Opportunities with Flint Hills Job Corps Center*

Main, 2 pm, Wednesday, July 10
Registration required

Computers & Tech

One on One Computer Help

Library Hours with Appointment at Main, South, Turner, West, & Mobile

Introduction to Computers: Keyboarding and Mousing*

West, 9:30 am, Monday, July 8
Registration required

Microsoft Word*

Main, 10 am, Monday, July 8
West, 9:30 am, Monday, July 15
West, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 16
Registration required

Computer Basics*

Main, 10 am
Registration required
Part I - July 10
Part II - July 17
Part III - July 24

Introduction to the Internet*

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, July 11
Registration required

Microsoft PowerPoint*

Main, 10 am, Monday, July 15
Registration required

Adults and All Ages

Advanced Microsoft Word*

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, July 18
Registration required

Internet for Beginners*

Main, 2 pm, Friday, July 19
Registration required

Microsoft Excel*

West, 9:30 am, Monday, July 22
West, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 23
Registration required

Microsoft Publisher*

Main, 10 am, Monday, July 22
West, 9:30 am, Thursday, July 25
Registration required

Phone Help*

Main, 2 pm, Friday, July 26
Registration required



Digital Privacy and Online Safety*

Main, 10 am, Monday, July 29
Registration required

Intro to Google Drive*

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 30
Registration required

Crafts & DIY

Crafting for Seniors*

West, 11 am, Monday, July 1

Spider-Man Party

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, July 1

Stepping Stones

South, 10:30 am, Wednesday, July 3

Sunday Sewing

South, 2 pm, Sunday, July 7

Lid Art 3D Pictures

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, July 11

Yarn Bottle Vases

Main, 2 pm, Sunday, July 14

Color Craze

West, 1 pm, Saturday, July 20

Make Your Own Galaxy Bath Bombs

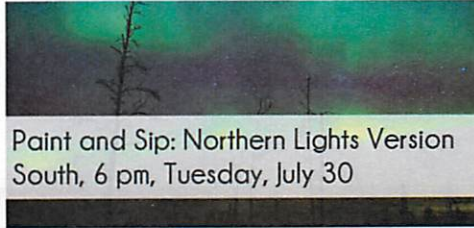
South, 2 pm, Saturday, July 20

Yarn Crafters Club

West, 11 am, Monday, June 22

Memory Shirt Pillows

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 23
Registration required



Paint and Sip: Northern Lights Version
South, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 30

Games & Videogames

Board @ The Library

West, 1 pm, Sunday, July 7 & 21

Family Lego Club

West, 10:30 am, Saturday, July 13

Game On @ The Library

West, 1 pm, Sunday, July 14 & 28

Bingo for Books

South, 6 pm, Monday, July 29

Health & Wellness

Mindfulness and Meditation

Main, 12 pm, Wednesdays

Bilingual Meditation

South, 10 am, Thursdays except 7/4

Conversation Cafe

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, July 18

Medicare Education*

West, 11 am, Thursday, July 11
Registration required

Language Learning

Inglés Básico/English Class

South, 6:30 pm, Tuesdays*
Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Conversational Spanish*

Basic skills needed to participate
South, 2 pm, Tuesdays

Movies

South Family Movie Night

South, 6 pm, Mondays
July 1 - Independence Day
July 8 - Dumbo
July 15 - Little
July 22 - Shazam!

Wednesday Night Movies: July Jams*

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays
July 10 - Belly
July 17 - Krush Groove
July 24 - Juice
July 31 - Hustle and Flow

Mad for the Movies: 1939

West, 6:30 pm, Wednesdays
July 3 - The Wizard of Oz
July 10 - Mr. Smith Goes to Washington
July 17 - Stagecoach
July 24 - Ninotchka
July 31 - The Hunchback of Notre Dame

Thursday Night Theater: Captain Marvel

West, 6 pm, Thursday, July 25

Classic Movie Matinees

South, 10 am, Fridays

Saturday Movies*

Main, 1 pm, Saturdays
July 6 - Captain Marvel
July 13 - Dumbo
July 20 - Shazam
July 27 - Breakthrough

Lion King

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, July 15

Science & Nature

Garden Time

South, 11 am, Fridays

Amazing Arthropods

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 2

StarLab Planetarium

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 9 & 23
Registration required

Snake Day

West, 2 pm, Wednesday, July 17

Kansas Cosmosphere

South, 2 pm, Thursday, July 25

Speakers & Forums

Citizenship Classes*

South, 6 pm, Mondays & Wednesdays
Registration required

Kansas Delaware Tribe of Indians

Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, July 10

Adults & All Ages

Vengeance is Mine Book Signing with Teen Author Calogero Bradley

West, 1 pm, Saturday, July 13
South, 2 pm, Saturday, July 27

Wyandotte County History Lecture

Main, 6 pm, Monday, July 22

Special **Guests**

Operation Wildlife

West, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 9

Percussion Magic

South, 2 pm, Thursday, July 11
Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, July 31

Pirates & Parrots

Turner, 6:30 pm, Thursday, July 11

Kyle's Draw Along

Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, July 17

Mesner Puppet Theater

South, 2 pm, Thursday, July 18

Hula Hale O'kiakahi

West, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 23

Magician Eric Vaughn

Turner, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, July 24

Urban Bucket Brigade

Turner, 6:30 pm, Thursday, July 25

* These programs are adults-only

Children



Kids' Café

Mon-Thurs, 12 pm, Main & West
Through July 25

Join us for snacks provided by
KCKPS for children ages 0-18.
Snacks must be eaten on site.

Book Clubs

Early Readers Book Club

Pete the Cat: A Pet for Pete by James Dean.

West, 6 pm, Monday, July 8

Registration required.

Grades K-2.

Chapter Chat Book Club

Bink and Collie by Kate DiCamillo and
Alison McChee.

West, 6 pm, Monday, July 22

Registration required

Grades 3-5.

Art & Crafts

Bilingual Craft Time

South, 5:30 pm, Thursdays

Tea Light Planets

Main, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 2

Registration required

Fourth of July Jewelry

West, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 2

Patriotic Tambourines

Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, July 3

Registration required

Coffee Filter Planets

Main, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 9

Space Picture Frames

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 10

Make Your Own Space Shuttle

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, July 11

Registration required

Space Ship Porthole

Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, July 11

Registration required

Junk Space Ship

Turner, 2:30 pm, Friday, July 12

Registration required

Glow-in-the-Dark Slime

Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 13

Registration required

Space Suncatchers

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 17



Bird Kites

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, July 18

Nebula Art

Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, July 18

Registration required

Make A Telescope!

Turner, 2:30 pm, Friday, July 19

Registration required

Galaxy Jar

Main, 1:30 pm Saturday, July 20

Straw Rockets

Main, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 23

Button Moons

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 24

Moon Revolution Twirler

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Thursday, July 25

Mars Rover Craft

Turner, 2:30 pm, Thursday, July 25

Registration required

Puzzle Piece Aliens

Turner, 2:30 pm, Friday, July 26

Registration required

Paper Spacecraft Races

Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 27

Storytimes

Main

6 by 6 Storytime

Stories, songs, and loads of fun for Early Learners that focus on the 6 skills preschoolers need to be ready for school.
6 pm, Tuesdays
Ages: 3-5 years

Baby Storytime

Start your little ones on their literacy journey to becoming a lifelong reader with stories, rhymes, and songs.
10 am, Wednesdays
Ages: Birth-24 months

Out of this World Stories

Then join us for a special, space themed story time this summer.
11 am, Fridays
Ages: 2-6 years

Family Storytime

Stories, dance, and songs to help your child build a lifelong love of reading!
11 am Saturdays
Ages: All Ages

Schlagle

Nature Storytime

We'll read a story about a nature related topic and then do an activity.
10:30 am, Wednesdays
Ages: All ages

South

Little Learners Storytime

Stories that focus on 6 by 6 pre-reading skills.
10:30 am, Tuesdays
Ages: All Ages

Paint the Pages

Read a story then paint a picture inspired by the book!
2 pm, Saturday, July 6
Ages: All Ages

Turner

Friday 6 by 6 Storytime

Stories, dance, and games to get kids excited about learning 6 by 6 pre-reading skills!
10:30 am, Fridays
Age: 18 months to 8 years

West

Preschool Storytime

Stories, songs, crafts, and play activities engage attendees in early literacy learning with a focus on 6 by 6: Ready to Read principles.
10 am, Wednesdays
Ages: 3-5 years

Toddler Storytime

Short stories, songs, fingerplays, movement activities, and free play to reinforce early language learning.
10 am, Thursdays except 7/4
Ages: 12-36 months

Read With Me

The trained dogs from Pet Partners will provide a safe and exciting environment for children to read and flourish.
1 pm, Saturday, July 20
Ages: 5-11 years

Mobile Library

Storytime

Blue Route, Angels of Grace, Friday, July 5 & 19
Purple Route, Happy Hearts Learning Center, Wednesday, July 3, 17, & 31

Games & Videogames

Gamers' Adventures

Turner, 3:30 pm, Tuesdays

Lego Club

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Board Game Bonanza!

Main, 3:30 pm, Monday, July 1, 15, & 29

Bubble Party

West, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 16

Learning & Culture

STEAM Power

West, 2 pm, Mondays
Registration required

Astronaut Training

West, 2 pm, Wednesdays

Kid's Science Lab

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesdays
July 3 - Discover New Worlds with Astronomy
July 24 - Environmental Science

Throwback Thursday: Space History Made Fun!

West, 2 pm, Thursdays except 7/4

STEM Saturday: Shooting Star Activities

Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 6

Sensational Spiders

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 30
Registration required

Movies

Movies in Space

Main, 6 pm, Thursdays
July 11 - Space Jam
July 18 - Wall-E
July 25 - E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial

Recreation



Earn-a-Bike with Bike Walk KC
West, 6:30 pm, July 9, 11, 16, & 18

Galaxy Hopscotch

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 16

Special Guests

Slapstick Circus

Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, July 10

Eco Elvis

Schlagle, 10:30 am, Friday, July 12

Teens

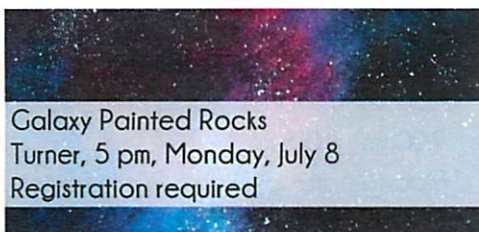
Book Clubs

Wilderness Survival Book Club
My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George
Schlagle, 10:30 am, Mondays

Art & Crafts

Fourth of July Jewelry
West, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 2

Patriotic Tambourines
Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, July 3
Registration required



Galaxy Painted Rocks
Turner, 5 pm, Monday, July 8
Registration required

Space Picture Frames
West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 10

Glow-in-the-Dark Slime
Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 13
Registration required

Space Suncatchers
West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 17

Teen Makerspace Lab
Main, 2 pm, Thursday, July 18

Space Slime
Turner, 5 pm, Monday, July 22

Button Moons
West, 6 pm, Wednesday, July 24

Paper Spacecraft Races
Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 27

Teen Art Night
West, 6 pm, Tuesday, July 30

Games & Videogames

Gamers' Adventures
Turner, 3:30 pm, Tuesdays

Lego Club
Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Board Game Bonanza!
Main, 3:30 pm, Monday, July 1, 15, & 29

Video Game Club
South, 2:30 pm, Wednesdays

Bubble Party
West, 2 pm, Tuesday, July 16

Learning & Culture

Astronaut Training
West, 2 pm, Wednesdays

Throwback Thursday: Space History Made Fun!
West, 2 pm, Thursdays except 7/4

STEM Saturday: Shooting Star Activities
Main, 1 pm, Saturday, July 6

Teen Volunteer Orientation
Main, 6 pm, Monday, July 8 & 22
Registration required

<TeensCode>
West, 2 pm, Friday, July 12 & 26
Registration required

ACT Practice Test
West, 9 am, Saturday, July 13
Registration required

Sensational Spiders
Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 30
Registration required

Movies

Movies in Space
Main, 6 pm, Thursdays
July 11 - Space Jam
July 18 - Wall-E
July 25 - E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial

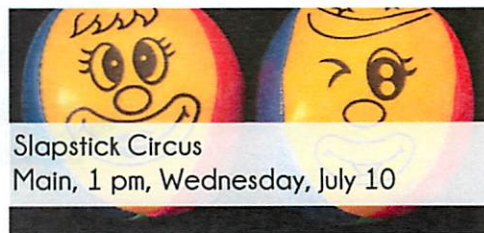
Anime Clubs
Visit [facebook.com/otakuanimecorps](https://www.facebook.com/otakuanimecorps)
Anime Club - Main, 3 pm, Tuesday, July 16
Otaku Anime Corps - Turner, 5 pm, Wednesdays
West Anime Corps - West, 6 pm, July 2, 9, 16, 22, & 30

Recreation

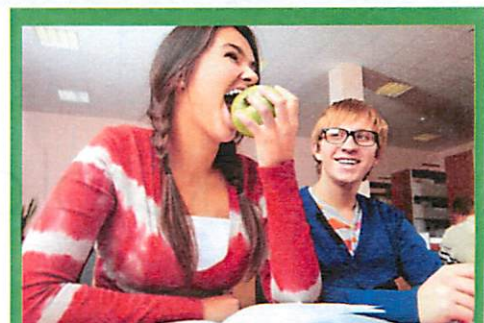
Earn-a-Bike with Bike Walk KC
West, 6:30 pm, July 9, 11, 16, & 18

Galaxy Hopscotch
Schlagle, 10:30 am, Tuesday, July 16

Special Guests



Slapstick Circus
Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, July 10



Kids' Café
Mon-Thurs, 12 pm, Main & West
Through July 25

Join us for snacks provided by KCKPS for children ages 0-18. Snacks must be eaten on site.

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>Monday-Friday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 10:00am - 8:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm	Green Route 913-461-2374
<i>Friday & Saturday</i> 8:30am - 5:00pm	<i>Every Third Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm	<i>Friday & Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm	<i>Friday</i> 10:00am - 5:00pm	<i>Friday & Saturday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm	Purple Route 913-461-5415
<i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	<i>Sunday closed</i>	<i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	<i>Saturday</i> 10:00am - 2:00pm	<i>Sunday</i> 1:00pm - 5:00pm	mobileteam@kckpl.org
			<i>Sunday closed</i>		

Connect with KCKPL

Visit us online at

www.kckpl.org or ecommunity.kckpl.org



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



[@kckpl](https://twitter.com/kckpl)



[@kckpubliclibrary](https://www.instagram.com/kckpubliclibrary)



[/kckpubliclibrary](https://www.youtube.com/kckpubliclibrary)



[/kckpl](https://plus.google.com/kckpl)



[/kckpl](https://plus.google.com/kckpl)