

KIDS

SUMMER BREAK

with Ramsey County Library

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2023 Summer Reading Program
June 1 - August 5

JOIN US FOR A SUMMER OF READING!

Participants will have the opportunity to track their summer reading online with Beanstack or on a paper tracker.

Pick up your summer reading program materials, a summer bookmark and an entry pass to Battle Creek Waterworks. You do not need to complete the program to pick up your bookmark and Waterworks entry pass, while supplies last. Ask at your local library location for details!



1. Start your Summer Break!

Use your Beanstack account at rclreads.beanstack.org or scan the QR code to download the Beanstack Tracker app on your device and choose the "Summer Break" program to participate.

OR

Pick up a paper tracker at a Ramsey County Library location nearest to you.



2. Log your reading and activities.

3. Complete the Program!

Earn a free book by earning badges in Beanstack or filling out your paper tracker! Complete the program to be entered into a grand prize drawing for a chance at a family pack of tickets (4) to the Minnesota State Fair or a \$50 gift card!

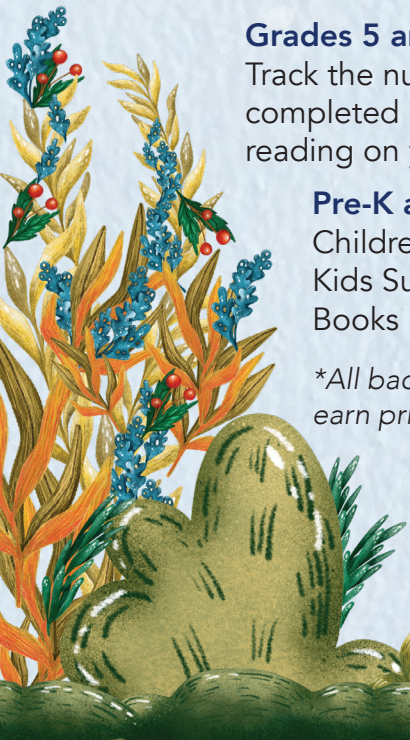
Grades 5 and under

Track the number of books read, time spent reading or activities completed on Beanstack! Or write down titles or time spent reading on your paper tracker.

Pre-K and under

Children ages 6 and younger can participate in both our Kids Summer Break and our year-round program, 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten. Ask your librarian for details.

**All badges or paper tracker must be completed by August 5 to earn prizes.*



KICKOFF CELEBRATIONS

Heat up your summer break with special kickoff events at your local library! Attend the one nearest to you or all of them. You can pick up your summer reading supplies and join fun activities.

Summer Kickoff Celebrations are funded with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund, unless otherwise noted.

THE JOLLY POPS



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Saturday, June 3, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville

CIRCUS MANDUHAI

Saturday, June 3, 11 a.m.
Maplewood Mall
3001 White Bear Avenue N.

BIG FUN SHOW!

Friday, June 9, 11 a.m.
RCL-New Brighton

THE ROE FAMILY SINGERS

Saturday, June 10, 1:30 p.m.
RCL-North St. Paul

KIDCREATE: DONUTS!

Saturday, June 10, 2-4 p.m.
RCL-Mounds View

BRODINI COMEDY MAGIC

Saturday, June 10, 2 p.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake

RAPTOR CENTER*

Saturday, June 17, 11 a.m.
RCL- Shoreview

**This event is funded with money from Ramsey County Library Friends.*



KIDS EVENTS



BABY MEET-UP

Fridays, 10 a.m.

RCL-New Brighton

Appropriate for ages 2 and younger.

A special time set aside for babies and their caregivers to meet up for weekly play at the library.

OUTDOOR PLAY

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

June 7-August 23

RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for ages 4 and younger.

Drop in and play outside in the Children's Reading Garden. Prepare to get a little wet, maybe even dirty! Sunscreen, hats and bug spray encouraged. Weather dependent, call 651-724-6032 for more information.

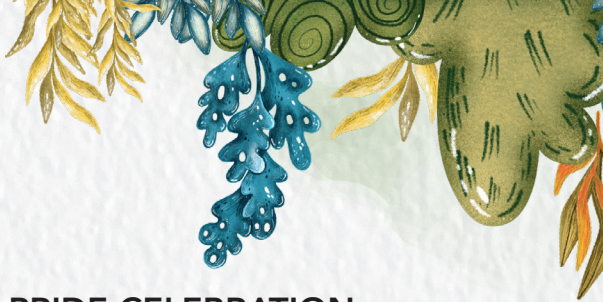
STORY TRAIL: WE ALL PLAY

June 9-June 10

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for all ages.

Enjoy reading "We All Play" by Julie Flett on a stroll down the Clark Avenue boulevard, starting at 2nd Street.



PRIDE CELEBRATION

Sunday, June 11, 1-4 p.m.

RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for all ages.

Join us for an all-ages event with many different LGBTQIA2S+ Pride activities throughout the day!

BIRDWATCHING FOR KIDS

Tuesday, June 13, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Wednesday, June 14, 11 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Friday, June 16, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-New Brighton

Thursday, June 22, 2 p.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Saturday, June 24, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-North St. Paul

Monday, June 26, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for ages 8-12.

Join Amy Simso Dean, a bird-watcher for over 25 years, as we get to know the birds in our neighborhood. Binoculars will be provided. Online registration is required. 📅

FIRST PAGES BOOK CLUB


Friday, June 16, 2-3 p.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 6-10.

Come and listen to the beginning of an early chapter book. Like what you hear? Check out a copy of the book. We will also relax and have fun with board games.





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BITTY KITTY BRIGADE

Saturday, June 17, 2 p.m.
RCL-Roseville

Saturday, July 15, 2 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 6 and older with an adult caregiver.

Come join us in this interactive workshop all about how to adopt some cute felines into your family!

The Bitty Kitty Brigade is a local non-profit specializing in fostering and raising neonate kittens to adoption age of 12 weeks, helping them socialize and find their forever homes. Kittens will be on site, but not available for adoption yet, and able to be petted with a signed waiver handed out that day. Online registration required. 


RHYTHMICALLY SPEAKING

Wednesday, June 21, 10 a.m.
RCL-Mounds View

Thursday, June 29, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-New Brighton

Thursday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for all ages.

Come learn about how groove, interaction and improvisation inspire jazz music and dance. Then, move around with local jazz dance company Rhythmically Speaking. 

LEGO BUILDING CLUB

Wednesday, June 21, 1-2:30 p.m.

Friday, July 21, 1-2:30 p.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 5-11.

We've got the bricks, but need you to bring your imagination and building skills. You can challenge yourself to build to the theme of the day or create something totally original.


CHESS CLUB WITH CSGA

Fridays, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

June 23; July 7; August 4

RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 5 and older.


Make a move and come play chess at the library! Kids and caregivers are invited to practice your chess skills with some new partners and each other. All skill levels welcome. In partnership with Chess and Strategy Game Association. 

STRATEGY GAMES BUFFET

Saturday, June 24, 1-4 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 9-12.

Learn and play some of the latest multi-player tabletop strategy games, including card games and board games. Participants will have some choice of what they want to learn and play, from Settlers of Catan to Exploding Kittens. In partnership with Chess and Strategy Game Association. 

KIDS EVENTS



BOOK BUNCH

Mondays, 2-3 p.m.

June 26; July 24; August 14

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 8-12.



We will read one title a month from the 2024 Maud Hart Lovelace

Division 1 nomination list—then talk, snack and have fun! Pick up the first book starting June 10. Online registration is required. 📖

PINT SIZED POLKA: MUSIC AND MAGIC FRIENDZY

Tuesday, June 27, 1:30 p.m.

RCL-North St. Paul

Mike Schneider will bring kindness and friendship to your day with "Music & Magic Friendzy." The music will have friends of all ages singing, clapping and dancing along. Plus magic, comedy and education are rolled into one fluid, high-energy package show. Age-appropriate trivia questions, jokes and a special edition of name that tune. 🎵

IN THE GARDEN

Explore a variety of topics with the Ramsey County Master Gardeners. Learn about seeds, investigate insects and discover how pollinators help grow our food! 🌱

Appropriate for ages 5-11.

Seed Life

Monday, July 10, 2 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Incredible Insects

Wednesday, July 26, 2 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Powerful Pollinators

Saturday, August 5, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

BOOKS & BIKES

Tuesday, July 11, 1-3 p.m.

RCL-North St. Paul

Appropriate for all ages.

Looking for an opportunity to spend some time on a bike? Borrow a bike to explore North St. Paul and its local trails. A variety of styles and sizes for youth and adults will be available to borrow on a first come, first served basis. Presented in partnership with Ramsey County Parks and Recreation.

WARRIOR CATS ADVENTURE CLUB

Saturdays, 1-2 p.m.

July 13-August 17

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 9 and older.

Have you read the Warrior Cat books by Erin Hunter? If you are a fan of the Warrior Cat books, join us for an hour of fun adventure gaming.





TABLE-TOP GAMING

Fridays, 2 p.m.

July 14; August 18

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 7-12.

Learn how to play a new game or challenge someone to a favorite. Join us for free tabletop gaming!

BRODINI COMEDY MAGIC

Monday, July 31, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for all ages.

Join us for a fun event with Brodini's high energy and hilarious comedy magic show! 🎵🎶

PETITE CONCERTS

Friday, August 11, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for ages 2-6.

Join us in a live music performance with Petite Concerts. Children will sing and move to well-known children's songs and learn more about musical instruments. 🎵🎶

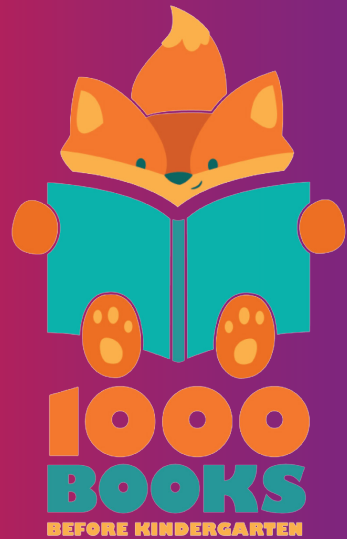
NATURE WALK & LEARN WITH MINNESOTA DNR

Tuesday, August 22, 11 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 6 and older with an adult caregiver.

Join DNR Naturalist Sarah Anderson to explore the natural world around us on a walk along White Bear Lake. We will look for and identify wildlife, investigate natural artifacts, and discuss different types of habitats while on a 1-mile walk.



WHY 1,000 BOOKS?

Studies have shown that reading with your child:

- Builds listening, memory and concentration skills.
- Assists with language development.
- Increases vocabulary.
- Introduces concepts like letters, numbers, shapes and colors in a fun way.

Experts agree that children who learn these necessary skills early do better in school and later in life.

To get started, sign up on rclreads.beanstack.org or download the Beanstack app via the QR code.



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FAMILY STORYTIME

June 12- August 25

Stories, songs and fingerplays designed to enhance your child's early literacy skills.

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

No storytimes June 19; July 4.

Mounds View

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m.

New Brighton

Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.

North St. Paul

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Roseville

Mondays, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Shoreview

Mondays, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesdays, 6 p.m.

No storytimes August 21, 22.

White Bear Lake

Fridays, 10:30 a.m.



BABY & ME STORYTIME

June 12- August 25

Share stories, songs, rhymes and play with your baby at this storytime, designed for the youngest learner.

Appropriate for ages 6-23 months.

Limited to 15 babies with caregivers.

No storytimes June 19; July 3, 4.

Mounds View

Fridays, 9:45 a.m.

Roseville

Thursdays, 9:45 a.m.

Shoreview

Thursdays, 9:45 a.m.

No storytime August 24.

White Bear Lake

Mondays, 9:45 a.m.

FAMILY STORYTIME AT BARNES & NOBLE

Mondays, 10:30 a.m.

June 12, 26

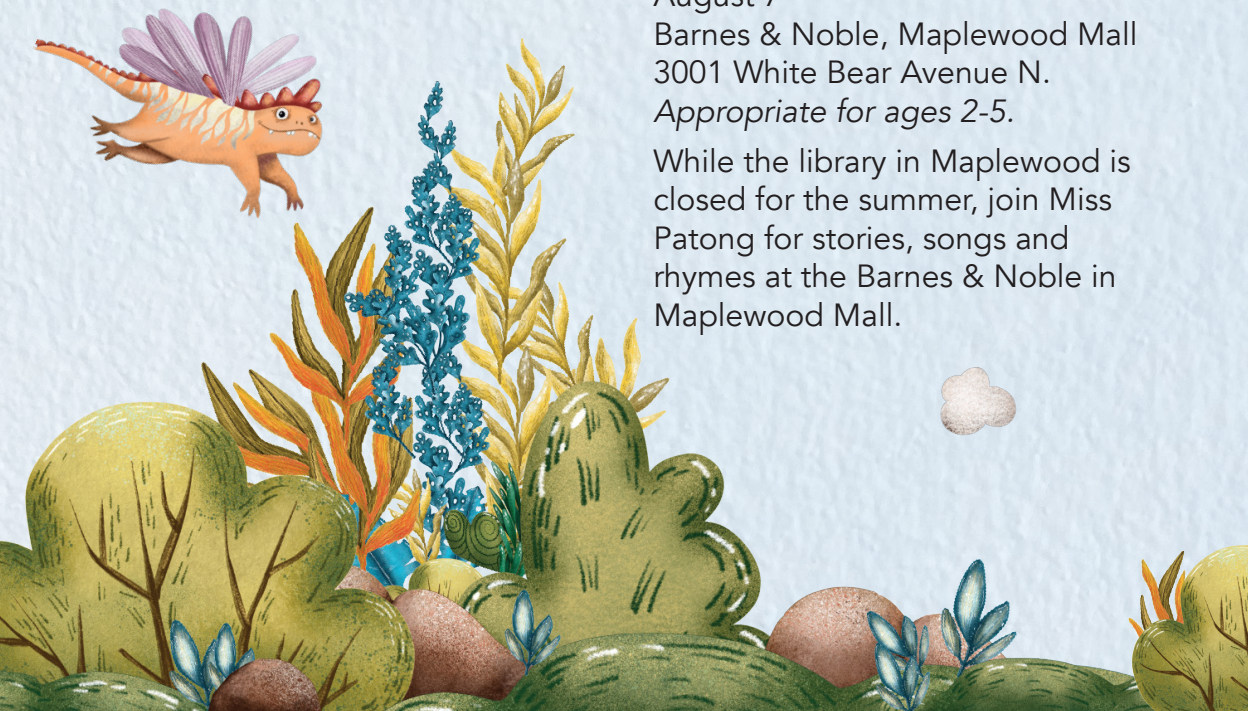
July 10, 17, 24, 31

August 7

Barnes & Noble, Maplewood Mall
3001 White Bear Avenue N.

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

While the library in Maplewood is closed for the summer, join Miss Patong for stories, songs and rhymes at the Barnes & Noble in Maplewood Mall.



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SPECIAL STORYTIMES

SNAKE, RATTLE & ROLL!

Friday, July 7, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Learn about reptiles and amphibians that call Minnesota home – salamanders, turtles, snakes and more. You'll even have a chance to touch and hold reptiles at the end of storytime. 🎨

LEARNING TREE YOGA

Thursday, June 8, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-New Brighton

Friday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Roseville

Friday, July 21, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Monday, July 24, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, July 25, 6 p.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join us for a special yoga storytime featuring Ms. Jessie from Learning Tree Yoga. 🎨

FIRE STATION STORYTIME

Thursday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.

New Brighton Fire Station

785 Old Hwy 8 NW

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Meet our local firefighters and their fire trucks in this special storytime happening at the New Brighton Fire Station, bringing stories and community helpers together.

RAMSEY COUNTY MASTER GARDENERS

Friday, July 28, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join us for a "Farmer's Market" storytime along with special guests from the Ramsey County Master Gardeners. We'll read books, sing songs and learn about food that grows in the garden! Then, explore the White Bear Lake Farmers' Market on a scavenger hunt.

PICNIC WITH THE LIBRARIAN

Wednesday, August 16, 10:30 a.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Celebrate the end of storytime for kids entering kindergarten. This special storytime will include outdoor activities and fun for all attendees. Bring a picnic and blanket if you'd like to enjoy lunch or a snack. 🎨

GUEST STARS



PETITE CONCERTS

Tuesday, June 13, 6 p.m.
Monday, July 10, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Wednesday, June 14, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-North St. Paul

Thursday, June 15, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-New Brighton

Monday, July 17, 10:30 a.m.
Barnes & Noble, Maplewood Mall

Wednesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Mounds View
Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join us in a live music performance
with Petite Concerts. 🎵

TOUCH OF MAGIC

Friday, June 16, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake

Thursday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-New Brighton

Wednesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-North St. Paul

Monday, July 24, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville
Appropriate for all ages.

When pirate siblings inherit their father's pirate ship, they seek to locate the world's greatest treasure! Join these silly pirates as they recruit rookie pirates and embark on an adventure filled with physical comedy, funny magic and uproarious audience participation. 🎵

OUT ON A LIMB

Friday, June 16, 10:30 a.m.
Monday, August 7, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville

Friday, June 30, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake
Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Introduce your little mover to creative movement with Out on a Limb Dance Theater Company and School. 🎵

MUSIC TOGETHER

Family Storytime

Fridays, 10:30 a.m.
June 23; August 25
RCL-White Bear Lake
Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Baby Storytime

Mondays, 9:45 a.m.
June 26; August 21
RCL-White Bear Lake
Appropriate for babies 6-23 months.

Sing, dance, play, and learn with your child. You will learn how to help your baby become confident music makers just by having fun making music yourselves. 🎵



PAWS TO READ

CELEBRATE POLLINATORS WITH THE DNR

Wednesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-North St. Paul

Tuesday, July 25, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Roseville

Wednesday, July 26, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Mounds View

Tuesday, August 8, 6 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join Sarah Anderson, an Interpretive Naturalist from the MN Department of Natural Resources, to learn all about pollinators.

THE BAZILLIONS

Friday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join us for a rockin' good time with the award-winning kid's band, The Bazillions. 🎵🎸🎤

METRO DANCE CENTER

Monday, August 7, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

Join us for a special storytime featuring Metro Dance Center.



Work on your reading skills in a low-stress environment with our licensed therapy dogs. Contact the hosting library to register.

Appropriate for ages 5-8.

Read to Duke or Trevor

Saturdays, 10-11:20 a.m.

June 3, 10, 17, 24

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

August 5, 12, 19

RCL-Roseville

Read to Smokey

Saturdays, 6-7 p.m.

June 3; July 1; August 5

RCL-White Bear Lake

Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

June 13, 20, 27; July 11, 18, 25

RCL-Shoreview

Read to Maxwell

Sundays, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

June 4; July 9, 16; August 6, 27

RCL-North St. Paul

Read to Maslow

Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

June 7, 14, 21

RCL-White Bear Lake

Read to Arthur or Holly

Mondays, 6-7 p.m.

June 12, 26

July 10, 17, 24, 31

August 7

RCL-Shoreview



CREATIVE PASTELS FOR KIDS: AMAZING OCEANS

Wednesday, June 14, 2 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Thursday, June 15, 2 p.m.
RCL-Roseville

Wednesday, June 21, 2 p.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake

Thursday, June 29, 2 p.m.
RCL-Mounds View

Friday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
RCL-New Brighton
Appropriate for ages 7-11.

Join Creative Pastels to create an ocean-inspired work of art. Draw step-by-step with Karen Tan and learn oil pastel techniques along the way. Art supplies will be provided. Online registration is required. 🎵🎶

KINDNESS ROCKS PAINTING

Tuesday, June 27, 3:30-5:30 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview
Appropriate for ages 5 and older.

Drop by the patio in front of the library to paint Kindness Rocks with encouraging messages or fun designs, while supplies last. Keep them, give them to a friend or leave them for people to find. 🌈



ART WITH KIDCREATE STUDIO

Celebrate summer with fun drop-in art programs with KidCreate Studio. Make a hedgehog, a clay unicorn or a sweet donut. 🎵🎶

Appropriate for ages 3-11.

Hedgehogs

Saturday, July 8, 10:30 a.m.-Noon
RCL-White Bear Lake

Unicorns

Saturday, July 1, 1-3 p.m.
RCL-Shoreview

Donuts

Saturday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.-Noon
RCL-North St. Paul

SOMETHING FISHY SWIMS THIS WAY

Wednesday, July 12, 2-4 p.m.
RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 9-12.

Learn hand-building techniques to create your favorite fishy creature or mini school of underwater animals using clay. Creatures will be glazed and fired at the Northern Clay Center, then returned to the library for pickup. Online registration is required. 🎵🎶

MINI-CATAPULTS WITH THE WORKS MUSEUM

Thursday, July 13, 2:30 p.m.
RCL-Mounds View
Appropriate for ages 7-11.

Practice the engineering design process and use a glue gun to construct a small catapult. Find out how far you can fling an object. Online registration is required. 🌈

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YOUNG REMBRANDTS

Join us for a fun drawing series. Learn to design and draw your own comic strip or learn anime/manga drawing basics. Online registration is required. 🎵🎶

Appropriate for ages 7 and older.

Comic Strip Design

Wednesday, July 19, 2 p.m.

RCL-New Brighton

Fashion Runway Anime and Manga Workshop

Wednesday, August 16, 2 p.m.

RCL-New Brighton

TEXTILE CENTER

Join us to learn the art of Kumihimo, the basics of weaving and how to make colorful felted shapes with the Textile Center. Online registration is required. 🎵🎶

Appropriate for ages 7-12.

Kumihimo

Friday, June 16, 1 p.m.

RCL-Roseville

Wednesday, July 19, 1 p.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Weaving with Beads

Friday, June 23, 2 p.m.

RCL-New Brighton

Wednesday, June 28, 2 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Cookie Cutter Needle Felting

Thursday, July 27, 2 p.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Sunday, July 30, 1 p.m.

RCL-North St. Paul



STICKER BOOK FUN

Thursday, August 10, 2 p.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 6-12.

Join us in making a small book and add some stickers to it. 📖

END OF SUMMER ART BUFFET

Saturday, August 12, 10:30 a.m.-Noon

RCL-North St. Paul

Appropriate for all ages.

Help the librarians use up all the leftover summer craft supplies! We'll put out a plethora of craft items for you to choose from, give you the time and space to create, then we'll clean it all up when you're done. 📖

ARE YOU READY FOR SCHOOL?

Thursday, August 24, 2 p.m.

RCL-Mounds View

Appropriate for ages 6-12.

Use a variety of washi tape to personalize your very own notebook and pencil for school. Online registration is required. 📖

MAKERSPACE



MAKER KIDS TAKE-AND-MAKE KITS

Drop by a library location listed below to pick up a Maker Kids take-and-make activity, while supplies last. 🌈

Appropriate for ages 5 and older.

RCL-Mounds View

June 7: Summer Night Sky

July 5: Dragon's Eye

August 2: Squishies

RCL-New Brighton

June 10: Feed the Birds

July 8: Summer Stargazing

August 12: Write-and-Wipe Sensory Bags

RCL-North St. Paul

June 10: Feed the Birds

July 8: Summer Stargazing

August 12: Write-and-Wipe Sensory Bags

Service Center, Maplewood Mall

3001 White Bear Avenue N.

June 10: Feed the Birds

July 8: Summer Stargazing

August 12: Write-and-Wipe Sensory Bags

MAKER KIDS PRE-K TAKE-AND-MAKE KITS

Drop by a library location listed below to pick up a Maker Kids Pre-K take-and-make activity, while supplies last. 🌈

Appropriate for ages 2-5.

RCL-New Brighton

June 4: Summer Fun Pre-K Play and Learn

RCL-North St. Paul

June 4: Summer Fun Pre-K Play and Learn

RCL-Mounds View

June 7: Pom Pom Caterpillar

July 5: Jellyfish Suncatcher

Aug 2: What Can You Create?

MAKE & TAKE A MINI BOOK

Monday, June 12, 2-4 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 5-11.

Drop-in for a book-making craft, then use your mini book to write a story, keep a journal or fill with stickers. This program is self-directed and adult supervision is required.

MAKEDO CARDBOARD CREATIONS


Wednesday, August 9, 2-6 p.m.

RCL-White Bear Lake

Appropriate for ages 6-12 with an adult.

It's not just a box...it's a ship! It's a dinosaur! It's a doghouse! We'll supply the boxes and kid-friendly cutting tools, and you bring your ideas. 🌈





TINKER TUESDAYS

Tuesdays, 1-2:30 p.m.

June 13-August 8

RCL-New Brighton

Appropriate for ages 6-12.

No Tinker Tuesday on July 11.

Young tinkers can drop by the library in New Brighton to join the weekly craft project, or have unstructured craft time with access to our Maker Cart! 📖

MAKER KIDS

Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

June 14-August 23

RCL-Roseville

Appropriate for ages 6-11.

Create. Think. Craft. Tinker. Build.

Try a new activity each week. Come

make with us. Call 651-724-6032

to talk to a librarian if you have any questions. Space is limited on a first-come, first-served basis.

UPPER STORY WORKSHOPS

Join us to learn how to build mechanical computers powered by marbles to solve logic puzzles and more. Online registration required. 📖

Appropriate for ages 8-12.

Turing Tumble

Thursday, June 29, 2 p.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Spintronics

Tuesday, July 11, 2 p.m.

RCL-Shoreview

Tuesday, July 18, 2 p.m.

RCL-Roseville



3D PRINTING WITH TINKERCAD

Wednesday, July 12, Noon

RCL-Shoreview

Appropriate for ages 9-12.

Get a basic introduction to Tinkercad and 3D Printing. You will design your own project, to be printed and picked up later. Online registration required. 📖

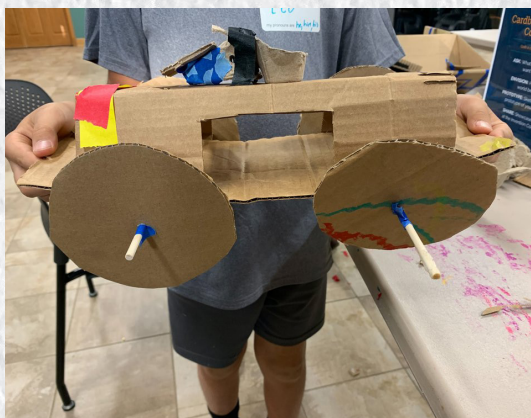
CARDBOARD INVENTION CONVENTION

Friday, August 4, Noon-3 p.m.

Service Center, Maplewood Mall
3001 White Bear Avenue N.

Appropriate for ages 5-10 and families.

Come help us solve problems using Cardboard! Drop by to design, create and share your cardboard solution. Presented by Now.Make.Art. 📖



BATTLE CREEK WATERWORKS

June 10-August 10, 2-7 p.m.

Use your free water pass to swim, splash and slide away the summer heat at Battle Creek Waterworks! Located in Battle Creek Regional Park, Waterworks is the perfect destination for families with children age 10 and younger. Regular admission rates apply to non-pass holders. Visit ramseycounty.us/Waterworks to learn more.

AUTISM-FRIENDLY HOUR

Sundays, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Regular admission rates apply.

Waterworks offers a sensory-friendly hour designed for individuals who are on the autism spectrum or with various sensory needs. This time will provide a chance to experience the water park at a controlled pace, allowing guests to become comfortable with the park before it opens to the general public.

A social narrative (PDF) is available to help participants know what to expect during the event. Download the PDF at bit.ly/RC_SocialNarrative.

This event is offered in partnership with the Autism Society of Minnesota.



TOT TUESDAYS

Tuesdays, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

\$2.50 per person. Children under 12 months are free. An additional fee of \$4.50/person applies if staying after 10:30 a.m.

An hour set aside for kids five years and younger to enjoy splashing around before the park opens to the general public.



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