

SUMMER READING

at Tacoma Public Library

Fern Hill Library

765 South 84th Street

August Children and Family Events

Storytimes

Baby Storytime | BIRTH-18 MOS.

Tuesdays at 1 p.m. | August 4, 11, 18, 25
Fun for you and your baby with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.



Family Storytime | ALL AGES

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. | August 4, 11, 18, 25
Stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

Games and Clubs

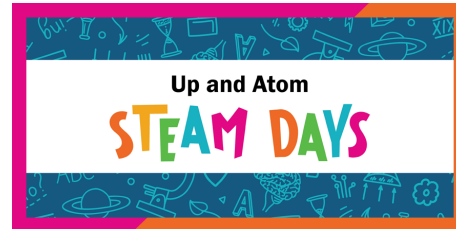
Pokémon League

AGES 6-YOUNG ADULT

Wednesday, August 12 at 4 p.m.

Grab your Pokémon deck and join your friends at our official Pokémon League. All levels welcome.

Other In-Person Events



Up and Atom STEAM Days

GRADES K-8 | Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.
Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

- August 4: Shake It to Make It
- August 11: Snap Circuits, provided by the WSU 4-H program of Pierce County
- August 18: Paper Mache
- August 25: Recycled Rollercoasters

Online Events

Registration required.



Pajama Storytime | ALL AGES

online (Zoom) | Tuesdays at 7 p.m.

August 4, 11, 18, 25

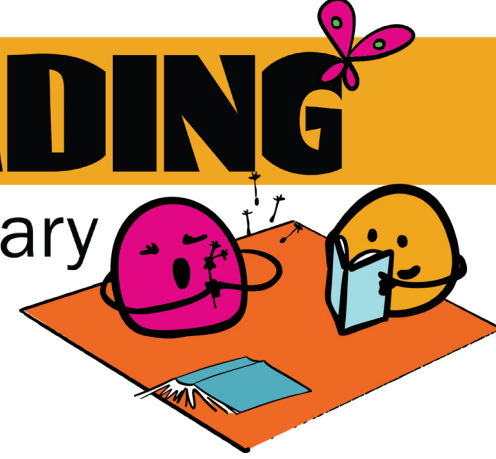
Come join us for an evening of stories, activities, and songs.

Sign up today
for Summer
Reading!



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The last day to pick up prizes
is August 15!



System-Wide Events

Scavenger Hunts

GRADES K-8 | All Locations

- Summer Reading: July 7-August 15
- Back to School: August 18-September 12

Craftopia Program Kits

AGES 3+ | All Locations

- Yarn Octopus: Pick up starting Friday, August 7
- Paper Popsicle Fan: Pick up starting Friday, August 14
- Felt Pocket Pillow: Pick up starting Friday, August 28

Around Town



Studio and Storytime with Tacoma Art Museum | AGES 2-8

Saturday, August 15 at 11 a.m.

TAM (1701 Pacific Avenue)

Read a story, explore art in TAM's galleries, and create a hands-on project in TAM's studio! Presented by TAM and TPL and funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates.



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August Adult and Teen Events

Book Clubs • • • • •

Treat Your Shelf Book Club | ADULTS

Wednesday, August 5 at 6:30 p.m.

We pick the theme, you pick the book!

This month's category is multiple perspectives.

Online Events • • • • •

Registration required.

Knitty Gritty Stitchers | ADULTS

online (Zoom)

Wednesday, August 12 at 6:30 p.m.

Work on your own project, share ideas, meet new people, and show-and-tell the things you have made.

Other Worlds: Online Speculative

Fiction Book Club | ADULTS

online (Zoom)

Wednesday, August 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Join us online to discuss books from across genres. This month, we'll be discussing "The Ministry of Time" by Kaliane Bradley.



In-Person Events • • • • •

Drop-In Tech Help | ADULTS

Tuesdays at 5 p.m.

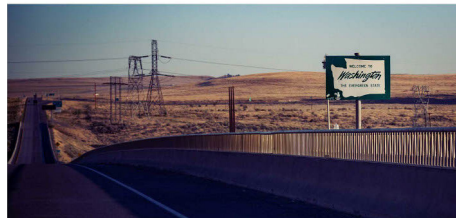
August 4, 11, 18, 25

Learn basic computer skills like email, web searching, MS Office programs, navigating apps, and more.

Free Legal Aid Pop-Ups | ADULTS

Friday, Aug. 14, 2-4 p.m.

Stop by for free, drop-in help, information and resources from Tacomaprobono.



All Over The Map: Stories Behind the Names of Washington Places and Things with Feliks Banel | ADULTS

Wednesday, Aug. 19 at 6 p.m.

How did your town get its name? What about your neighborhood school? Or that locally made candy bar? In this talk, get the big picture of how names were given to geographic places in Washington, as well as to iconic local brands, and how those names can reflect deeper, and sometimes challenging, meanings. Brought to you by Humanities Washington.

Makers' Meetup | ADULTS

Thursday, Aug. 20 at 3:30 p.m.

Grab your current projects, supplies, and a few friends for a crafting session!

Pierce Transit Careers Tabling | ADULTS

Thursday, Aug. 27 at 10:30 a.m.

Join Pierce Transit as we help you "check out" a career in public transportation.



Senior Social Hour | ADULTS

Saturday, Aug. 29 at 11 a.m.

Come spend a relaxing hour with neighbors and friends at our monthly gathering.

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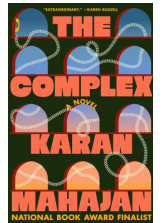
Books on Tap | 21+

Tuesday, August 25 at 7 p.m.

Narrows Brewing Co.

(9007 South 19th Street)

Join us at Books on Tap to discuss "The Complex" by Karan Mahajan.



Just for Teens • • • • •

Teen Time | Thursdays at 2:30 p.m.

August 6, 13, 20, 27 | Middle and high school students are invited to meet new friends, relax, play games, work on homework, or make a craft. We'll do something different each time!

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