

SUMMER READING

at Tacoma Public Library

S. Tacoma Library

3411 South 56th Street

August Children and Family Events

Storytimes



Family Storytime | ALL AGES

Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

August 7, 14, 21, 28

Join us for stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

Baby Storytime | BIRTH-18 MOS.

Fridays at 11:30 a.m.

August 7, 14, 21, 28

Fun for you and your baby with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Other In-Person Events

Up and Atom STEAM Days

GRADES K-8 | Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

Fridays at 3:30 p.m.

- August 7: Shake It to Make It
- August 14: Snap Circuits from the WSU 4-H program of Pierce County
- August 21: Paper Mache
- August 28: 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.

System-Wide Events

Scavenger Hunts

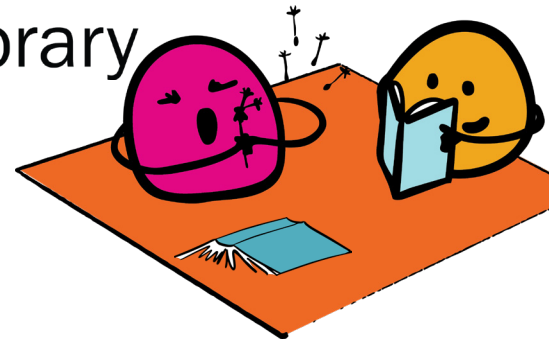
GRADES K-8 | All Locations

- 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

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 •••••

Money, Me, and Key | ADULTS

Join KeyBank for a series of free informational workshops.

Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.

- August 4: Developing a Business Plan
- August 11: Small Business Financial Statements
- August 18: How Businesses Obtain Credit

Upcycled Jewelry Workshop with Remakery | ADULTS & TEENS

Tuesday, Aug. 4 at 6 p.m.

Connect recycled shapes with beads and fabrics to create unique, upcycled jewelry. All supplies and tools provided.

Drop-In Tech Help | ADULTS

Fridays at 3 p.m. | August 7, 14, 21, 28

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

Master Gardeners: Container Veggie Gardening | ADULTS

Saturday, Aug. 8 at 11 a.m.

Learn to grow plants in a limited space, bringing beauty and fresh produce right to your doorstep! This presentation will cover choosing the right containers, selecting appropriate plants, understanding soil and watering needs, and providing essential nutrients.

South Tacoma Weekend Crafters

ADULTS | Saturday, Aug. 8 at 2:30 p.m.

Whether you're a seasoned crafter or learning something new, this program is for people that want to create, connect, and unwind.

Blood Drive with Bloodworks Northwest | ADULTS

Thursday, Aug. 13, 11 a.m.–5 p.m.

Visit bloodworksnw.org/giveblood or scan the QR code to book your one-hour appointment.



Free Legal Aid Pop-Ups | ADULTS

Thursday, Aug. 13, 2–4 p.m.

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



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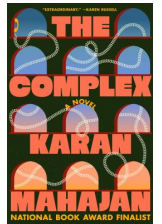
Books on Tap | 21+

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 | Wednesdays at 5 p.m.

August 5, 12, 19, 26

Meet new friends, relax, play games, work on homework, or make a craft.

We'll do something different each time!

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