

Children's

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Animal Houses

Alafaya Branch

Saturday, July 1, 2 p.m.

South Creek Branch

Saturday, July 8, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Saturday, July 15, 2:30 p.m.

North Orange Branch

Wednesday, July 19, 5:30 p.m.

Windermere Branch

Thursday, July 20, 3 p.m.

From deep down under the sea to way up high in a tree, how do animals build their homes? Explore animal habitats with us! Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

DIY Fairy House Night Lights

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, July 1, 2 p.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Saturday, July 1, 2:30 p.m.

Southwest Branch

Monday, July 3, 3 p.m.

Herndon Branch

Wednesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.

North Orange Branch

Wednesday, July 5, 5:30 p.m.

South Trail Branch

Tuesday, July 11, 2:30 p.m.

Washington Park Branch

Monday, July 17, 4 p.m.

Alafaya Branch

Saturday, July 29, 11 a.m.

Light up the world by painting and designing your own fairy house using recycled materials. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Run with the Bulls!

South Creek

Saturday, July 1, 2:30–4 p.m.

Come dressed in white to run safely with the bulls and learn about the unique culture of Navarre, Spain. Ages 6–12.

Southwest Homeschool Club: Stars and Stripes Jubilee

Southwest Branch

Monday, July 3, 1 p.m.

Wear something red, white or blue to this Fourth of July celebration! Learn about America's independence and have fun with patriotic stories, crafts and activities. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Super Summer Scientists

West Oaks Branch

Mondays, July 3 & 10, 3 p.m.

Eatonville Branch

Tuesdays, July 11 & 18, 2:30 p.m.

Hiawassee Branch

Wednesday, July 12 & 26, 2:30 p.m.

Join us as we build up our brains with Summer Science activities! Strengthen your science and math skills while having fun exploring our world through exciting experiments and fun. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Building Boredom Busters

Hiawassee Branch

Wednesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.

Southwest Branch

Monday, July 10, 3 p.m.

Alafaya Branch

Saturday, July 15, 11 a.m.

Eatonville Branch

Thursday, July 20, 2:30 p.m.

Windermere Branch

Saturday, July 29, 10:30 a.m.

Beat summer doldrums by building fun boredom busters. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Super Sharks

Eatonville Branch

Wednesday, July 5, 1:30 p.m.

Learn about the top predators of the ocean during this dangerously entertaining program. Join us for shark-themed crafts, trivia and activities . . . and remember, whatever you do, stay out of the water. Ages 6–12.

Drop In Chess

Orlando Public Library

Wednesdays, July 5 & 19, 2 p.m.

Drop in for a game of chess at the library! Chess sets are available for play and rule sheets are provided. All ages.

Home Depot Helping Kids to Build A Better World

Edgewater Branch

Thursdays, July 6–27, 1 p.m.

Through a generous donation from Home Depot and support from their staff, kids will learn to build a variety of projects at these fun workshops at the library this summer! Registration required. Ages 6–12.

Crafting for a Cause

Washington Park Branch

Thursday, July 6, 4 p.m.

What makes someone a community helper? Is it someone who is brave, helpful and trustworthy? Did you know that you could be a community helper, too? Join us for a very special program where we salute community helpers and craft cards for the military. Ages 6–12.

The Glass Slipper

Eatonville Branch

Friday, July 7, 2:30 p.m.

It's time for a royal movie! Join us as we watch *Cinderella* and make regal crafts. Ages 4–12.

The CREATE Space

Orlando Public Library

Fridays, July 7, 14 & 28, 3 p.m.

What will you create today? Explore, experiment or be entertained. Ages 6–18.

Do You Believe in Fantastic Beasts?

West Oaks Branch

Friday, July 7, 3 p.m.

Washington Park Branch

Wednesday, July 12, 4 p.m.

South Trail Branch

Tuesday, July 25, 2:30 p.m.

Find out how much you know about fantastic beasts and the magic of Harry Potter with games, trivia and magical activities. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Cookies & Milk with a Cop

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, July 8, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Saturday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.

Bring your kids to meet our local police officers for cookies and milk! This will be a great time to interact with officers in a fun and informative environment. Sponsored in part by the Orlando Police Department, the Winter Garden Police Department and Oerther McDonald's. Ages 6-12.

Messy Science Mondays

North Orange Branch

Mondays, July 10–31, 11 a.m.

We bring the wonders of science to kids and journey into the unknown! During this four-week series mad scientists will focus on hands-on fun experiments. Registration required. Ages 6–12.

Bits 'N Pieces Puppet Theatre Presents *Rumpelstiltskin*

Alafaya Branch

Tuesday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.

Orlando Public Library

Thursday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.

Southwest Branch

Monday, July 17, 2 p.m.

Edgewater Branch

Wednesday, July 26, 10:30 a.m.

Can the prince travel to the end of the world, learn a little man's name and save the day? Find out as Bits 'N Pieces Puppet Theatre brings this classic fairy tale to life! Ages 6–12. Seating is limited.

Can It Really Rain Frogs?

Washington Park Branch

Thursday, July 13, 4 p.m.

This program will examine basic weather conditions and forecasting as well as strange weather events. Hands-on activities and experiments will be included with a take-home weather related item which may or may not be a craft. Ages 6–12.

Under Construction with DoDad's Lab

Herndon Branch

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

Winter Garden Branch

Thursday, July 20, 6:30 p.m.

West Oaks Branch

Monday, July 24, 5 p.m.

Washington Park Branch

Thursday, July 27, 6 p.m.

Explore the science of simple machines and how they make the world better with experiments, original music, puppetry and laughter for all! Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

NASA Kennedy Engage to Innovate

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, July 14, 1 p.m.

Southeast Branch

Saturday, July 15, 1 p.m.

West Oaks Branch

Monday, July 17, 1 p.m.

Orlando Public Library

Friday, July 21, 1 p.m.

North Orange Branch

Friday, July 28, 1 p.m.

The Kennedy Space Center's Engage to Innovate program inspires and motivates participation in STEM through a NASA Mission presentation and hands-on activities. Ages 6–12. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Block Party

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, July 15, 2 p.m.

Explore the Orlando Public Library with multiple floors of activities for the whole family as we celebrate together with MIX105.1!

Angel Paws to Read

Sign up to practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, furry listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children with certified therapy dogs. Meet these pups at multiple locations. Visit ocls.info/paws for dates, times and locations.