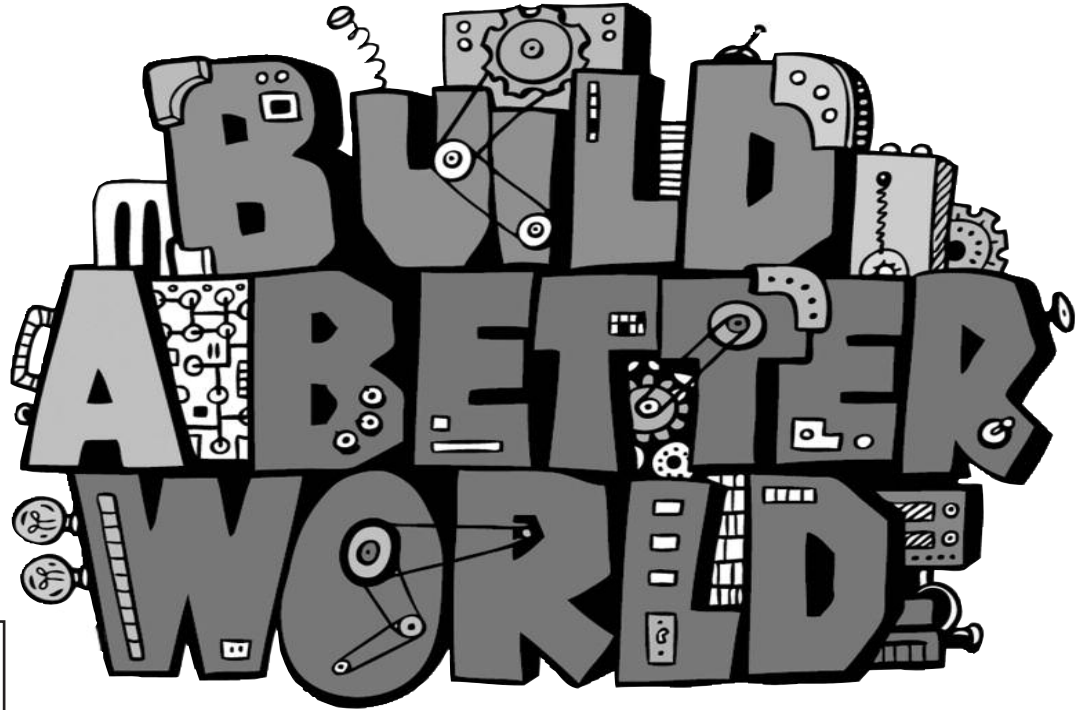


# SUMMER 2017

SUMMER READING PROGRAM | SATURDAY, JUNE 10 – SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

# PROGRAMS FOR KIDS



SANTA MONICA  
PUBLIC LIBRARY  
AT THE BEACH  
10:00am-3:00pm

SEASIDE STORY TIME &  
NAUTICAL CRAFTS @ 10:30am

**FRIDAY, JULY 7:**  
Annenberg Community  
Beach House  
415 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY

**SATURDAY, JULY 15:**  
Dorothy Green Park  
OCEAN PARK BLVD. & BARNARD WAY

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 11:**  
Annenberg Community  
Beach House

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 26:**  
Dorothy Green Park

## STORY TIMES

### MAIN LIBRARY & BRANCHES

**BABY TIME** Story series for **babies ages 0 to 17 months** with an adult. (20 min.)

**Main** Tuesdays at 10:15 and 11:00 am / June 20–August 8

**Fairview** Mondays at 10:00 am / June 12–July 17 / August 7–Sept 11

**Montana** Wednesdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am / June 14–July 26 / August 23–October 4

**Ocean Park** Thursdays at 10:00 and 10:45 am / June 22–July 27 / August 17–Sept 21

**TODDLER TIME** Story series for **toddlers ages 18 to 35 months** with an adult. (20 min.)

**Pico** Mondays at 10:00 am / May 22–June 26 / July 17–August 21

**Ocean Park** Tuesdays at 10:00 and 10:45 am / June 20–July 25 / August 15–Sept 19

**Montana** Thursdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am / June 15–July 27 / August 24–October 5

**Main** Thursdays at 10:15 and 11:00 am / June 22–August 10

**PRESCHOOL STORY TIME** Story series for **3 to 5 year olds**. (30 min.)

**Montana** Mondays at 11:15 am / June 12–July 24 / August 21–October 2

**Main** Wednesdays at 11:15 am / June 21–August 9

## SPANISH STORY TIME

**CUENTOS PARA PEQUEÑOS** PARA NIÑOS DE 2-5 AÑOS DE EDAD

En **PICO BRANCH** Martes a las 10:00 am [30 MINUTOS]: 23 de mayo al 27 de junio / 18 de julio al 22 de agosto

En **FAIRVIEW BRANCH** Miércoles a las 10:00 am [30 MINUTOS]: 14 de junio al 19 de julio / 7 de agosto al 13 de septiembre

THE MAIN & BRANCH LIBRARIES  
WILL BE CLOSED TUESDAY, JULY 4

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**LIBRARY**

## MAIN LIBRARY

601 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD • 310-458-8621

All programs are held in the Activity Room unless otherwise noted.

# SUMMER READING KICKOFF Saturday, June 10

## THE WACKO SHOW

11:00 am [45 min] | MLK Jr. Auditorium | For Families  
Enjoy delightful sleight-of-hand magic with a touch of comedy.

## LIBRARY LUAU

1:00-5:00 pm | Main Lobby & Central Courtyard | For All Ages

Build a better world through "aloha," which means love, peace and compassion. Learn hula, try out the ukulele, and enjoy other aloha-themed activities, then cap off your day at 3:00 pm with a screening of Disney's *Moana* (107 min; PG).

## SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAMS

Mondays at 2:30 pm [45 min] | MLK Jr. Auditorium  
Ages 4-11. Free tickets will be available at 2:00 pm.

### JUNE 26 | Mad Science: Up, Up, and Away!

Learn about the air with a vortex generator, hot air balloons, and a hovercraft.

### JULY 3 | Bubble Mayhem

Step inside the world of bubbles - literally, in this lively show about the science of bubbles.

### JULY 10 | Reptile Family Animal Show

Experience the wonder of these gentle creatures in this nurturing, hands-on presentation.

### JULY 17 | Polynesian Paradise Dancers

Learn about the Polynesian culture while enjoying this high-energy dance show.

### JULY 24 | S.T.E.A.M. Works! Puppet Musical

Characters from Noteworthy Puppets strive to take top prize in the Build a Better World Science Fair.

### Build a Better World Through Music!

Wed, June 14 at 11:00am [30 min] / Ages 2-5

A musical story time with books, puppets, instruments and songs.

### Make It! @ Main: Tech Projects

Using a drag-and-drop motion, learn how code can be used to create three unique projects.  
No prior experience needed!

#### • Your Animated Greeting!

Wed, June 14 at 2:00 pm [90 min] / Ages 6-12

Create your own animated short greeting with moving characters and objects.  
A perfect gift for dads and grads.

#### • Your Own Video Game!

Fri, June 23 at 2:00 pm [90 min] / Ages 7-12

Learn new skills to help you create a hide-and-seek style video game.

#### • Your Own Chat Bot!

Thu, June 29 at 2:00 pm [90 min] / Ages 8-12

Create a program that gives computers the ability to talk with people.

### Preschool Explorers

10:30 am [60 min] / Ages 3-5

Explore a new science topic each month with stories and hands-on activities.

Sat, June 17 – SOUND

Sat, July 29 – CONSTRUCTION

Sat, Aug 26 – OCEAN ANIMALS

### Pajama Storytime

6:30 pm [30 min] / For Families

Mon, Jun 19 – LET'S GO CAMPING!

Mon, Aug 21 – GLOW IN THE DARK

### LEGOS & Games

Thursdays, June 22, July 20 & August 17

1:00-3:00 pm / Ages 4-11

### Family Game Night

Tue, July 11, 5:30-7:30 pm / For Families

Multipurpose & Community Rooms

Turn off electronic devices and spend some quality time with your family. Board games provided – or bring your own!

### Design in 3D: Minecraft Party Glasses

Wed, July 12, 2:30 pm [90 min] / Grades 4-8

Create Minecraft-style party glasses using the free 3D design software Tinkercad and the Library's 3D printer. Space is limited.

### Coding Unplugged: Code A Tower

Mon, July 31, 2:30 pm [90 min] / Grades 5-10

Practice coding skills without a computer.

Can you write a code to show a friend how to build your tower design?

### Empowered Parents:

#### Build Better Learners

Sat, Aug 12, 1:00 pm [90 min] / For Parents

Parents will learn techniques to influence the hidden beliefs children have about intelligence, effort, and struggle.

### "Build a Better World"

#### Summer Reading Finale Puppet Show

Wed, Aug 16, 11:00 am [60 min] / Ages 3-11

The Three Little Pigs will show you how to build a better world. Then make puppets to take home!



**📅 SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAMS**

**Fridays at 2:30pm** [45 min]

Ages 4-11. Space is limited. *Free tickets available 30 minutes before each event.*

**JULY 7 | Mad Science: Up, Up, and Away!**

Learn about the air with a vortex generator, hot air balloons, and a hovercraft.

**JULY 14 | Ricky Raccoon and The Green Rangers Puppet Show**

Swazzle presents an interactive show featuring environmental superheroes.

**JULY 21 | Buster Balloon**

A mix of side-splitting comedy, mind-boggling magic, and amazing twisted balloon creations!

**JULY 28 | The Wacko Show**

Wacko mixes delightful sleight-of-hand magic with a touch of comedy.

**AUGUST 4 | Rhythm Child Drumming**

A high energy, interactive family concert that encourages creative expression.

**MONTANA BRANCH LIBRARY**

1704 MONTANA AVENUE • 310-458-8682

**📅 SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAMS**

**Wednesdays at 2:30pm** [45 min] | **Ages 4 & up**

Ages 4-11. Space is limited. *Free tickets available 30 minutes before each event.*

**JULY 5 | Dave Skale**

An afternoon of comedy and magic.

**JULY 12 | Michael Rayner**

Hilarious found-object juggling show.

**JULY 19 | Mad Science: Up, Up, and Away!**

Learn about the air with a vortex generator, hot air balloons, and a hovercraft.

**JULY 26 | Bubblemania**

Get ready to explore the science and fun of bubbles with a certified Bubbologist.

**AUGUST 2 | PARTY!**

Stories and treats. All ages welcome.

**📅 Build-it: Crafts**

**2:00 pm** [30 min] / **Ages 4-10**

- **Monday, June 19** - WIND CAR: Built with recycled materials.
- **Friday, July 14** - STRAW ROCKET: Learn how to put together a paper rocket!
- **Wednesday, August 9** - EDIBLE ARCHITECTURE: Make a building that you can eat.

**📅 LEGO Club**

**Saturdays, 3:00-4:00 pm** / **June 17, July 15 (3:15 pm) and August 19** / **Ages 4-10**

**Ramadan Craft**

**Fri, June 23, 3:30 pm** [30 min] / **Ages 4-10**

Make a suncatcher and paper lantern for Eid al-Fitr, the celebration that marks the end of Ramadan.

**Paws to Read**

**Thursdays & Saturdays, June 29 – August 5 from 2:00 to 3:00 pm**

Practice your reading skills by reading to a trained therapy dog from Paws 4 Healing. Sign up in advance for a 15-minute period starting June 19. Contact branch for details.

**Fairview Open House: Sat, June 24**

A day of fun-filled activities to celebrate summer! .

- **11:00 am** - FOUND OBJECT MOSAICS with reDiscover Center [45 min] / Ages 4-10
- **1:00 pm** - SANTA MONICA YOUTH ORCHESTRA JAZZ BAND [45 min] / All Ages
- **3:00 pm** - PAINTING & CHOCOLATE with Paint:Lab [45 min] / All Ages / Limited Space

**📅 Back-To-School Ice Cream Social**

**Sat, Aug 26, 4:00-5:00 pm**

**Ages 4-10**

Play carnival games and eat ice cream!



**Family Yoga**

**Tue, July 25, 11:00 am** [30 min] / **For Families**

Join us for energizing morning exercise. Bring a mat. *Presented by certified yoga instructor Jai Krishna Kaur.*

**Baby on the Way**

**Tue, Aug 8**

Prepare for the arrival of your bundle of joy! Discover the library's resources and attend workshops. Refreshments provided.

• **How To Organize Your Diaper Bag**  
**10:00am** [30 min]

**For Parents or Expecting Parents**  
Learn how to keep your diaper bag organized and efficient. *Presented by Esther Simon, MSW.*

• **Prenatal Yoga**  
**11:00am** [30 min]

**For Expecting Mothers**  
Enjoy a morning stretch. Bring a mat. *Presented by certified yoga instructor Jai Krishna Kaur.*

**📅 Family Fort Night**

**Tue, Aug 15**  
**6:00 pm** [60 min]  
**For Families**

Build your own fort at the library and read stories in it with your family!



**📖 SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAMS**

**Thursdays at 2:30pm** [45 min]  
Ages 4-11. Space is limited. *Free tickets will be distributed at noon the day of the show.*

**JULY 6 | Bubblemania**

Explore the science and fun of bubbles with a certified Bubbologist.

**JULY 13 | Magic of Rafael & Katia**

An hour of illusions, music, and comedy.

**JULY 20 | Puppet Party**

Join Mr. Jesse and all of his puppet pals for a summer of fun, peace and freedom.

**JULY 27 | Mad Science: Up, Up, and Away!**

Learn about the air with a vortex generator, hot air balloons, and a hovercraft.

**AUGUST 3 | Reptile Family**

Experience the wonder of these gentle creatures in this nurturing, hands-on presentation.

**PICO BRANCH LIBRARY**

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**📖 SUMMER ACTIVITY PROGRAMS**

**Tuesdays at 2:30pm** [45 min]  
Ages 4-11. Space is limited. *Free tickets available 30 minutes before each event.*

**JUNE 27 | Organic Gardening Workshop**

Master Gardener Emi will teach you how to grow vegetables & herbs and care for them at home.

**JULY 11 | Mad Science: Up, Up, and Away!**

Learn about the air with a vortex generator, hot air balloons, and a hovercraft.

**JULY 18 | Magic by Allen Oshiro**

Enjoy illusions performed by an award-winning magician.

**JULY 25 | Animal Kingdom**

Come meet, pet, and read to our visiting animal friends from two local pet shops.

**AUGUST 1 | S.T.E.A.M. Works! Puppet Musical**

Zany characters from Noteworthy Puppets strive to take top prize in the Build a Better World Science Fair.

**Raspberry Pi – An Introduction**

**Wednesdays, June 28 & July 12 | 3:00pm** [90 min] / **Ages 7-12**  
Learn basic coding skills using Raspberry Pi. Limited space; registration starts 6/7.

**📖 Movies @ The Park: MOANA** (2016) PG

**Wed, June 28, 8:00pm** [107 min] / **Virginia Avenue Park**  
Bring your chair, blankets and snacks, and watch a movie under the stars. *Presented by Pico Branch Library, Virginia Avenue Park, and Santa Monica Police Department.*

**📖 Print-A-T-shirt**

**Wed, July 19, 3:00pm** [90 min] / **Ages 8-12**  
Learn about silkscreen printing and print your own t-shirt! Limited space; registration starts 6/28. *Presented in collaboration with Virginia Avenue Park.*

**Build a Better World with Scratch!**

**Wed, Aug 2, 3:00pm** [90 min] / **Grades 1-5**  
Use code to create, animate, and build a better world using your favorite features with Scratch! Limited space; registration starts 7/12.

**📖 Got to Catch'em All! Pokémon Tournament**

**Tue, Aug 8, 3:00pm** [90 min] / **Ages 8-12**  
Catch Pokémon, check out the library's Pokémon collection, trade cards, and win prizes! Limited space; registration starts 7/26.

**Pajama Story Time**

**Mondays: June 5, July 10 and August 7**  
6:30pm [30 min] / For Families  
Wear PJs and bring your favorite stuffed animal.

**📖 Preschool Explorers**

**10:00am** [60 min] / **Ages 3-5**  
Explore a new science topic each month with stories and hands-on activities.  
**Mon, June 12** – REFLECTIONS and LIGHT  
**Mon, July 17** – TRANSPORTATION  
**Mon, Aug 14** – MAGNETS

**Build a Better LEGO World**

**Tue, June 20, 2:30pm** [60 min]  
**Ages 4-11**

**Design in 3D: Gears**

**Tue, July 18**  
**3:30pm** [90 min]  
**Grades 4-8**  
Create a simple gear using the free 3D design software Tinkercad and the Library's 3D printer.



**📖 Rhythm on the Lawn**

**Wed, Aug 2, 2:00-4:00pm** / For Families  
Music-making and snacks on the library lawn. Make your own instruments or jam on the drums.

**Build Your Own "Tin Forest"**

**Tue, Aug 15, 3:30pm** [60 min] / **Grades 1-3**  
Get inspired by *The Tin Forest* by Helen Ward, and build models using upcycled materials. Limited space; free tickets available at noon. *Presented by The reDiscover Center.*

**Toddler Dance Party**

**Mon, Aug 21, 2:30pm** [60 min] / **Ages 2-5**  
*Get down!* Come shake your bodies, make music and have fun at our end-of-summer celebration.

**LIBRARY HOURS**

**MAIN LIBRARY**

MON-THUR: 10:00am-9:00pm  
FRI-SAT: 10:00am-5:30pm / SUN: 1:00pm-5:00pm

**BRANCHES**

MON-THUR: NOON-9:00pm / FRI: NOON-5:30pm  
SAT: 10:00am-5:30pm / SUN: CLOSED



MAIN LIBRARY LINES 1, R10 and 18  
FAIRVIEW BRANCH LINES 8, 16 and 44  
MONTANA BRANCH LINES 18, 41 and 42  
OCEAN PARK BRANCH LINES 1 & 8  
PICO BRANCH LINE 7

**All programs are free and the public is cordially invited to attend.**

Organized children's groups wishing to attend library programs are requested to make arrangements in advance with a children's librarian.