

 The Urbana Free Library



Summer Reading Program May 11 - July 31

KICK OFF CELEBRATION

May 16 | 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. | Cherry Alley

Summer Reading starts with a celebration! Plant seeds with Sola Gratia, enjoy live music with Mariachi Tigres de Urbana, make crafts, play games, enjoy a sweet treat, and sign up for summer reading!

May 2026
For All Ages



The
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Library

PROGRAM
SCHEDULE

Weekly Programs

MON Project READ: Drop-in Tutoring for Adults

🕒 10:00 am - Noon | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

TUE Books and Bounces!

🕒 10:15 - 10:40 am | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● CHILDREN

Teen Open Lab

🕒 3:00 - 5:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN

WED Teen Open Lab Featuring Musicology 101 with Street College (May 27 | 3 - 5 pm)

🕒 3:00 - 5:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN

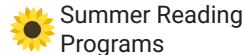
THU Crafty Tales

🕒 10:15 - 10:45 am | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● CHILDREN

Teen Open Lab

🕒 3:00 - 5:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN

May Programs



01 FRI Make and Take Craft

🕒 All Month | Children's Area
● CHILDREN

02 SAT Free Comic Book Day/Comic Giveaway Day

🕒 10:00 am - Noon | 📍 Cherry Alley
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

02 SAT Concert for Kids

🕒 11:00 am - 11:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

02 SAT Young Artist's Studio: Children's Day with the Japan House

🕒 3:00 - 4:00 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● CHILDREN

04 MON Star Wars: May the Fourth Be With You!

🕒 3:00 - 5:00 pm | 📍 Children's Area
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

04 MON Make Your Own Miniature Zen Garden

🕒 5:30 - 6:30 pm | 📍 MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

05 TUE Paving Pathways: Infant Playgroup

🕒 10:45 am - 11:45 am | 📍 Megan's Reading Room
● CHILDREN

05 TUE Craft Happy Hour: Design Your Own Tarot Card!

🕒 6:00 - 7:00 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

07 THU Conversation Café @ Health and Wellness Center

🕒 5:30 - 6:30 pm | 📍 Health and Wellness Center
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

08 FRI Teen Movie Friday

🕒 3:45 - 5:45 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN

09 SAT Cemetery Restoration Workshop

🕒 10:00 am - 1:00 pm | 📍 The Urbana Free Library
● ADULT

09 SAT Conversation Café

🕒 11:00 am - Noon | 📍 First Floor
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

09 SAT Art Lab: Leaf Stamping!

🕒 2:30 - 4:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

10 SUN UFLive! Presents Parkland Guitar Ensemble

🕒 2:00 - 3:00 pm | 📍 Busey-Mills Reading Room
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

11 MON Senior Movies & Sharing

🕒 1:00 - 4:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

12 TUE Paving Pathways: Infant Playgroup

🕒 10:45 am - 11:45 am | 📍 Megan's Reading Room
● CHILDREN

12 TUE Stitching Circle

🕒 5:00 - 7:30 pm | 📍 MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room
● ADULT

16 SAT 🌞 Plant a Seed, Read: Summer Reading Kickoff!

🕒 2:00 - 4:00 pm | 📍 Cherry Alley
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

18 MON Death Cafe

🕒 6:00 - 7:30 pm | 📍 MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

18 MON 🌞 Swipe Right: A Romance Book Club

🕒 6:30 - 7:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

19 TUE Stitching Circle

🕒 5:00 - 7:30 pm | 📍 MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room
● ADULT

20 WED Babel-On with R.F. Kuang

🕒 7:00 - 8:00 pm | 📺 Online
● ADULT

20 WED Watch Party for Babel-On with R.F. Kuang

🕒 7:00 - 8:00 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

23 SAT Picture Frame Frenzy

🕒 11:00 am - Noon | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT ● TEEN ● CHILDREN

23 SAT Friendship Bracelets

🕒 2:00 - 4:00 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN ● CHILDREN

24 SUN/25 MON Memorial Day

Library Closed

26 TUE Puzzling Colors Club - For Adults

🕒 6:00 - 7:30 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● ADULT

28 THU Senior Happy Hour

🕒 Noon - 1:30 pm | 📍 MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room
● ADULT

29 FRI Teen Movie Friday

🕒 3:45 - 5:45 pm | 📍 Lewis Auditorium
● TEEN