SUMMER PROGRAM GUIDE JUNE - AUGUST 31/21



CONLINE STORY TIMES



CHILDREN (INFANTS-5 YEARS OLD)

I Spy A Book-Reading Log

0 to 5 years old

Use the Reading Log and keep track when reading together. Enter for a chance to win a fun prize! Pick up the I Spy a Book-Reading Log at your local library branch or download online at www.orl.bc.ca/summer-family-challenge. Available all summer. June 14-September 4

Online Story Times

Family Registration Required Story times for all! Wonderful stories, rhymes and songs will keep the family dancing, singing, and learning together! Join the fun online from the comfort of home. Weekly on Mondays 10:30am-11:00am PST Weekly on Wednesdays 10:30am-11:00am PST Weekly on Thursdays 10:30am-11:00am PST Weekly on Fridays 10:30am-11:00am PST July 5-August 21 Presented by Downtown Kelowna, Salmon Arm & Vernon Libraries

ONLINE STORY TIME REGISTRATION

Online Story Times no matter where you live! Register online to get the link information for ALL programs. Please include your email.

www.orl.bc.ca/kids-teens/kids/story-time

Pyjama Story Time

Family Registration Required Snuggle up for Pyjama Story Time! Featuring longer books, songs, and rhymes. Don't forget your Stuffie! Recommended for children 3-6 years but all are welcome. Weekly on Tuesdays 6:30pm-7:00pm PST July 6-August 17 Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library





ASL Story Time

Family Registration Required Enjoy story time while learning American Sign Language. Join in for stories, rhymes, and games. Presented in both American Sign Language and English. Weekly on Wednesdays 11:00am-11:30am PST July 7-August 25 Financial assistance provided by the Central Okanagan Foundation. Presented by Rutland Library

Puppet Palooza

Family Registration Required The Revelstoke Puppeteers present their final Spring Puppet Show. Join in for short, sweet, and slightly wacky puppet-y fun! Thursday, June 17 2:00pm-2:30pm PST Presented by Revelstoke Library

KIDS (5-12 YEARS OLD)

SUMMER READING CLUB

Crack the Case!

School Age Registration Required Read all summer long to earn your Medal! Two fun ways to participate: #1 Pick up your free SRC package starting June 14 at your local library branch. Packages available all summer. #2 Join Online SRC www.orl.bc.ca/src. Available all summer. June 14-September 4





2021 Challenge Tracker

School Age Registration Required Challenge yourself this summer by being inventive, creative and active. If you are up for the challenge, you could win a GRAND PRIZE! Two fun ways to participate: #1 Pick up your free Challenge Tracker starting June 14 at your local library branch. Available all summer. #2 Download the Challenge Tracker Online www.orl.bc.ca/src. Available all summer.

June 14-September 4

ONLINE SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR KIDS

Full Calendar of Summer Programs

Join in for these online programs no matter where you live! Register online to get the participant link information for ALL programs. Please include your email. www.orl.bc.ca/src-events



Summer Reading Club Kick-Off with Magician Leif David

Family Registration Required Become a magical detective in this children's magic show by decoding classified documents, matching fingerprints, and watching the magic closely for extra clues. In the end, will you be able to solve the mystery and "Crack the Case?" Saturday, June 19 10:30am-11:30am PST

Out of this World Mysteries with Royal Astronomical Society

Family Registration Required Black holes, quasars, the Big Bang! How do we know about these things when they're so far away and so long ago? Saturday, June 26 11:00am-11:30am PST Thursday, August 19 2:00pm-2:30pm PST



"Crack the Case!" with Magician Leif David

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ASL Basics for Kids

Ages 6-12

Registration Required

Have you ever wanted to learn sign language? Now is the time! Learn the basics of American Sign Language and gain exposure to Deaf culture in a fun, engaging, creative way. Your experienced teacher will use rhymes, stories, and games to help you learn a new language.

This is a very popular program; please be sure you can commit to attending all classes before you register. There are 6 classes in each session.

July 5, 7, 12, 14, 19 & 21 9:30am-10:30am PST August 9, 11, 16, 18, 23 & 25 9:30am-10:30am PST Financial assistance provided by the Central Okanagan Foundation. Presented by Rutland Library

Draw Your Own Adventure with Zoe Si

Ages 7-12

Registration Required

Zoe is the BC Summer Reading Club artist this year! Zoe will share her lifelong journey to becoming a professional illustrator. Zoe will guide participants in designing and drawing detective characters that reflect their own unique personalities and traits, or whatever else is in their imagination. Limited to 25 participants. Wednesday, July 7 3:00pm-4:00pm PST

Star Gazing with Canadian Planetariums

Family

Registration Required

This presentation will give you the tools you need to begin star gazing at home. Constellations, planets, shooting stars and more will be introduced. How do telescopes work and are binoculars any use? There is no need to miss out! Wednesday, July 8 2:00pm-3:00pm PST

Puppet Fun

Ages 5-8 Registration Required Playful puppets will assist Val with presenting stories about summer activities. Friday, July 9 11:30am-12:00pm PST Presented by Vernon Library

Dusting for Prints

Ages 6-12 Registration Required See who touched what by taking fingerprints! Use inexpensive household items to make your own fingerprint powder and learn the technique to recover fingerprints! *Friday, July 9 2:00pm-3:00pm PST* Presented by Rutland and Vernon Library

Rainforest in a Bottle

Ages 7-12 Registration Required Make your own rainforest in a bottle! You only need to water it once. Amazingly, your rainforest will keep itself watered by making "rain" just like a real rainforest! *Tuesday, July 13 2:00pm-3:00pm PST* Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Simon and Chester: Super Detectives with Cale Atkinson

Ages 7-12

Registration Required

Mystery! Clues! Moody lighting! Get out your best sleuthing hat and join author/illustrator Cale Atkinson as he talks about all things mysteries! Cale will share from his graphic novel Simon and Chester - Super Detectives, and discuss the elements that make up a good mystery story. Working together, the group will create/draw a new detective character, and collaborate on a nail biting mystery case that our detective must crack! *Wednesday, July 14 2:00pm-3:00pm PST*

Online Origami

Ages 8-12 Registration Required The art of paper folding. You will need paper cut into squares or origami paper for this program. Thursday, July 15 11:00am-12:00pm PST Presented by Salmon Arm Library

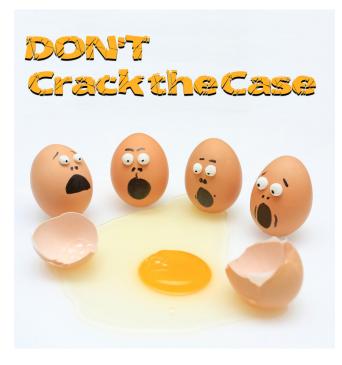
Mrs. Chicken and the Hungry Crocodile Puppet Show

Family Registration Required Join online for some silly puppet fun with Lily and Coco. Will Mrs. Chicken outsmart the hungry Crocodile?! Thursday, July 15 11:00am-12:00pm PST Thursday, July 29 11:00am-12:00pm PST Presented by Westbank Library

DON'T Crack the Case

Ages 7-12

Registration Required Join us in this fun 1-hour virtual program as we experiment with NOT cracking the case. We will build, suspend, and drop everyday objects in hopes that we can save them from breaking! *Friday, July 16 11:00am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Westside Learning Lab



Art Attack: Children's Arts & Crafts Circle

Ages 5-9 Registration Required Creative Power for the younger set! Participate online with us this summer for two awesome, fun projects. Friday, July 16 3:00pm-4:00pm PST Friday, August 13 3:00-4:00pm PST Presented by Westbank Library

Fairy Tales

Ages 5-8 Registration Required Once upon a time...listen to classic and reimagined fairy tales. *Tuesday, July 20 10:30am-11:00am PST* Presented by Vernon Library

Sisters Grimm Book Chat

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Let's chat about the Sisters Grimm series by Michael Buckley and other fairy tale adaptations. *Tuesday, July 20 2:00pm-2:30pm PST* Presented by Vernon Library

Code Combat

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Can you code your way through the maze of ogres and gems to glory? Join us for a fun and educational experience! Wednesday, July 21 2:00pm-3:00pm PST Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Who Ate My Snack? An Exploration of Okanagan Animals

Ages 6-12 Registration Required Put on your detective hat and follow along as we meet possible suspects and find the snack thief! We will explore Okanagan animals, what they eat and where they live, gathering clues along the way. This is an interactive Zoom program presented by Kelowna Museums. Thursday, July 22 2:00pm-3:00pm PST Wednesday, August 18 2:00pm-3:00pm PST

Kitchen Story Time

Ages 5-12

Registration Required

Join us online for a story and food creation adventure! We will be creating a travel themed snack based on the book we read during the story time. Friends, siblings, and adult are invited to join. Caregiver must be present to help. *Saturday, July 24 11:00am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Westbank Library



Code Makers

Ages 8-12

Registration Required

Send secret messages! How can you send a message that only you and people you trust can read? Learn to make an unbreakable code (yes, really) using one-time pads in this free online program. Only addition and subtraction are needed for security that's stronger than what top tech companies use!! Saturday, July 24 3:00pm-4:00pm PST Friday, July 30 3:00-4:00pm PST Presented by Vernon and Rutland Library



Mystery Story Time

Ages 5-8 Registration Required Can you solve the mystery in these stories that have questions and suspense? Tuesday, July 27 11:00am-11:30am PST Presented by Vernon Library

Art Sculptures

Ages 7-12 Registration Required Get creative in this program! Try out figure sketching and foil sculpting. Wednesday, July 28 2:00pm-2:45pm PST Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Creative Power

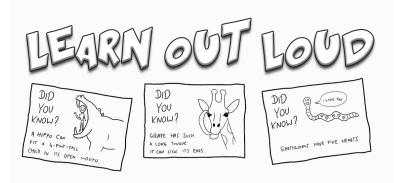
Ages 10-13

Registration Required

Keep your creative juices flowing through the summer. Participate online with us for exciting creative projects. Projects we have done in the past include terrariums, mandalas, bath bombs and more! *Friday, July 30 4:00pm-5:00pm PST Friday, August 27 4:00pm-5:00pm PST* Presented by Westbank Library

LOL: Learn Out Loud

Ages 5-8 Registration Required Non-fiction story time with fun facts about animals! Tuesday, August 3 2:00pm-2:30pm PST Presented by Vernon Library



Virtual Scavenger Hunt

Ages 8-12

Registration Required

Hunt for items around your house to earn points. Be quick! You'll be timed!

Wednesday, August 4 2:00pm-2:30pm PST

Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Mouse Stories

Ages 5-8 Registration Required Did someone cut the cheese?! I hope so, for these stories starring mice! *Thursday, August 5 11:30am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Vernon Library

Mystery Monster!

Ages 6-12 Registration Required In this fun and goofy imagination exercise, we'll draw everyday objects as mysterious monsters! How many can you track down in your house? That old boot looks suspicious! Saturday, August 7 1:30pm-2:30pm PST Presented by Golden Library

Escape The Library!

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Will you be able to escape the library in this virtual escape room? *Tuesday, August 10 11:00am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Salmon Arm Library

Making Plastic Toys from Milk

Ages 7-12 Registration Required Known as casein plastic, the process of making plastic from milk has been used for over 100 years! You can try it out at home. *Tuesday, August 10 2:00pm-3:00pm PST* Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Paint & Lore

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Listen to the tales of Warhammer as you create and share your craft. Wednesday, August 11 3:30pm-4:30pm PST Presented by Vernon Library



Sncewips Heritage Museum Tour

Ages 6-12

Registration Required

The Sneewips Heritage Museum aims to educate through a uniquely sqilx^w perspective that fosters cultural awareness of the Syilx Nation. This tour will take you on a journey from past to present as a celebration of the stories, histories, and culture of the Okanagan's first people, the Syilx People. What's more, as a living museum many of the traditional tools, practices, and stories you will learn about are still used or shared by the Syilx People! *Thursday, August 12 2:00pm-3:00pm PST*

Shadow Show

Ages 5-8

Registration Required How the Frog Lost Its Tail and other tales not necessarily about tails, presented as a shadow show. *Friday, August 13 11:30am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Vernon Library

STOP the Clock to Crack the Case

Ages 7-12 Registration Required The countdown has started! Solve riddles and puzzles to crack the case and stop the clock! We need your help to save the day. *Friday, August 13 11:00am-*12:00pm PST Presented by Westside Learning Lab



Somethin's Fishy!

Ages 9-12

Registration Required Calling all detectives! If you like to solve puzzles, riddles, or CRIMES, we need your help! A fish has robbed a bank and we need to use the clues we found to figure out where this fish lives. You will get the case file emailed to you with all the clues and some

pre-case work. *Tuesday, August 17 11:00am-12:00pm PST* Presented by Westside Learning Lab

ONLINE BOOK TRIVIA

Hardy Boys Trivia

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Play on Kahoot to test your Hardy Boys knowledge! July 5-10 Presented by Vernon Library

Nancy Drew Trivia

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Play on Kahoot to test your Nancy Drew knowledge! July 12-17 Presented by Vernon Library

Sisters Grimm Trivia

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Play on Kahoot to test your Sisters Grimm knowledge! July 19-24 Presented by Vernon Library

ONLINE CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURES

A Night in the Library Mystery

School Age Registration Required You have been stranded in the library for the night! Can you solve the mystery and escape? Choose-your-own-adventure style fun for the whole family, with a chance to win a prize! June 14-August 31 Presented by Westbank Library

Hardy Boys Mystery

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Choose your own adventure to solve a case as the Hardy Boys. Chance to win a Hardy Boys collection! July 5-10 Presented by Vernon Library

Nancy Drew and the Missing Dinosaur

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Choose your own adventure to solve a case as Nancy Drew. Chance to win a Nancy Drew collection! July 12-17 Presented by Vernon Library

The Great Mouse Detective

Ages 8-12 Registration Required Choose your own adventure to find a missing mouse. Chance to win a book and DVD! August 3-7 Presented by Vernon Library



ONLINE REGISTRATION

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TEENS!

SUMMER TEEN CHALLENGE

There are plenty of choices that can be done throughout the summer for a chance to win a grand prize. Pick up the Summer Teen Challenge at your local library branch or download online at www.orl.bc.ca/stc. |Available all summer. June 14-September 4



Teen Writing Contest

Ages 13-18

Submit your best poem, short story, or song lyrics for a chance to win a \$75 gift card! For complete details visit orl.bc.ca/teenwriting-contest or pick up a brochure at your local library branch. Send your submission to: contest@orl.bc.ca Deadline: Saturday, September 4

Slam! Open Mic Night

Ages 13-18 Registration Required Kick off the writing challenge by sharing your voice with other loves of the written word! A \$25 gift card and a book of poetry will be awarded to the winner of the slam. *Tuesday, July 6 6:30-7:30PST* Presented by Vernon Library

Writing Workshops

Ages 13-18

Registration Required

Join the online writing workshop group to polish your work for the teen writing contest! Connect with other writers, learn tips to improve your writing process, and get supportive feedback on your work. Local author Ashley Little will run a Character Building workshop on Wednesday, July 14.

Weekly on Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm PST July 14-August 4

ASL Basics

Teens

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ADULTS!

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New Adult Summer Reading Club (ASRC)!

Adults

New this year, a Summer Reading Club just for adults! Watch for more details on how your summer can be filled with stories and exploring – even while staying close to home. Look out for reading logs, reading lists, and challenges and ways to earn prizes throughout summer!

The Readers: Conversations about Books

Adults

Registration Required

Are you looking to connect with other readers, learn about new books, or share your opinions? The Readers is a program to connect with others and discuss books and reading with fellow book lovers. To help the discussion flow, each week starts with a question or theme and the conversation goes from there. We are open to all kinds of readers – as any type of reading is reading! The program is over the phone – no computer knowledge is required. Please email call 778-658-6394 or email access@orl.bc.ca to receive the conference line phone number and access code. *Weekly on Tuesdays 2:00pm –3:00pm PST June 2-August 31* Presented by ORL Access Services

Summer Photo Scavenger Hunt

Adults

Registration Required

Get out there and show off your photography skills and your area! This summer we challenge you to finish our scavenger hunt! By the end of this program, we want to put a photography book together that highlights our communities and the spirit of the Okanagan! Not a professional photographer? That's awesome! We want all skill levels and all types of work – from the artful compositions to the silly snapshots. Challenge yourself and be a part of something wonderful! Register for your hunt list and all the other details! *June 14 to September 4* Presented by Westside Learning Lab

Depression Workshops

Adults

Registration Required

Depression is more common than you may realize and it's not something to be ashamed of. Whether you suffer from symptoms of depression or are simply curious how counseling can improve your mental health, join us for an inclusive, five-part program hosted by Chrissi Stronach and learn how you can improve your well-being. Weekly on Tuesdays, 6:30pm-8:00pm PST June 15 to July 13 Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Rupaul's Drag Race Trivia

Adults Registration Required Celebrate Pride Month with Okanagan Regional Library by testing your Rupaul's Drag Race knowledge! Start your engines and may the best superfan win! Prizes available! Saturday, June 19 6:30pm-7:30pm PST Present by Westbank Library





- 2. Visit <u>www.libraryPlus.ca/myRecipe</u>
- 3. Submit your recipe

Seed Banks: Rewards vs Risks

Adult

Registration Required

From St. Petersburg to Mexico City to Longyearbyen, Jennifer Cockrall-King takes us on a photo tour of the international seed banks that she's visited over the past 5 years in preparation for her upcoming book. Along the way she poses the question: Are seed banks the best way to ensure a resiliency in agriculture, deliciousness at our tables, and nutrition in food? Jennifer is a Naramata-based food culture writer and author of the books Food and the City: Urban Agriculture and The New Food Revolution, Food Artisans of the Okanagan: Your Guide to Locally Crafted Fare. Jennifer is also co-author of tawâw: Progressive Indigenous Cuisine with her friend Chef Shane Chartrand.

Monday, June 21 7:00pm-8:00pm PST Presented by Naramata Library

Talking TED

Adult

Registration Required

Join us as we discuss TEDTalks! Watch three selected TEDTalks on a common theme, and then join the discussion online. Learn about a new topic and connect with other curious minds! *Wednesday, June 23 6:00pm-7:00pm PST* Presented by Downtown Kelowna Library

Designing a Logo

Adults/Teens

Registration Required Stand out from the crowd with your own custom logo! Learn the core elements of design and how they apply to branding and logos. Learn what shapes and colors will enhance your brand and feel confident about creating your own logo! Saturday, June 26 3:00pm-4:00pm PST Presented by Westside Learning Lab

Two Thumbs Up for Virtual Film Club

Adults Registration Required Join the online discussion of a feature film, streamed for free through ORL's Kanopy or available on DVD at the library. Wednesday, June 30 7:30pm-9:00pm PST Presented by Summerland Library

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Skribbl Party!

Adults

Registration Required

Draw and guess online with us and some strangers! Remember Pictionary? It's like that! Join other fun grown-ups as we play a silly doodle game online! Lack of drawing skill encouraged! Play with us on computer or smart devices! The website is free and easy! No sign-up needed!

Tuesdays July 13 & 27 10:00am-11:00am PST Tuesdays August 10 & 24 10:00am-11:00am PST Presented by Westside Learning Lab

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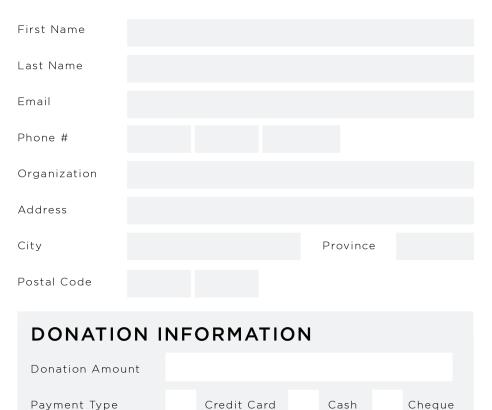




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