

PLUM JAM

Youth Services

July 2008

Get in the Game!

Summer Reading Program
continues through August 3rd

If you haven't signed up for summer reading, don't miss the second half! Register and earn coupons for food & fun, prizes, & a free paperback book!



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DROP-IN EVENTS

Celebrate the Day

Drop-in Story & Craft Day

Independence Day

Wednesday, July 3rd; 10 - 11 AM

Join us for a special story at the beginning of the hour. We'll have everything you need to make a craft after the story. All are welcome at this drop-in family event. **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**

Ready, Set ... Read! Storytimes

Drop-in Family Storytimes for all ages, with a caregiver

Mondays, 7 - 7:30 PM

July 14th, 21st, & 28th

Tuesdays, 10 - 10:30 AM

July 15th, 22nd, & 29th

Everyone is welcome! (No storytimes June 30 - July 8) **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**

Wii™ Got the Beat

Drop-in Game Days

Grades 4 and up

Friday, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

July 11th: Guitar Hero 3 & Wii™

Grades 2 and up

Wednesday, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

July 30th: DDR, Guitar Hero 3 & Wii™

Rock out with Guitar Hero 3! Show your dance moves with DDR! Take on a Wii™ challenge! **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**

You Play, Too!

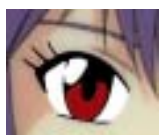
Drop-in family fun for all ages!

Wednesday, July 16th; 10 AM - Noon

Spend some family time together. We've selected a variety of games for you to choose from, and you can play them at the library. Try one or try them all ... you might find a new family favorite!

NO REGISTRATION NEEDED

Graphic Novel Club



Grades 6 - 8

Tuesday, July 15th

3 - 4:30 PM

Bring your favorite manga, comic, or graphic novel to share with the group. Snacks will be provided, just drop-in and join us! **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**

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Movie Mania

Drop-in Movie Days

Saturday

July 12th at 10 AM

Undercover Dora (G)

In this two-part episode, Dora and Boots become secret agents, assigned with stopping the crafty fox Swiper from stealing cupcakes and birthday presents. **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**



Friday

August 1st at 6 PM

Penelope (PG)

A lonely young heiress has spent her life trying to break a strange family curse that has left her with the nose of a pig. When she meets an aristocrat who sees beyond her looks, she learns that loving herself is more important than breaking the curse. Produced by Reese Witherspoon, this modern fairy tale features Christina Ricci in the title role. **NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**



REGISTERED PROGRAMS

Bookopoly

Thursday, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Grades 2 - 3:

Register July 28th for **July 17th**

Book: The Transmogrification of Roscoe Wizzle

Grades 4 - 6:

Register July 12th for **July 31st**

Book: Time for Andrew: A Ghost Story

In Bookopoly, YOU are a piece on a life-sized board game! We'll provide the book for you to read, the story will help you move ahead when you play. We have more hands-on fun planned, too!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Contender!

Grades 4 - 6

Wednesday, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Register July 5th for **July 23rd**

Join us for physical challenges such as bean bag toss and a balloon race. Here's your chance to be a **CONTENDER!** **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Scrabble Night

Grades 4 - 8 with an adult

Wednesday, July 9th; 7 - 8:30 PM

Registration begins **June 14th**

Celebrate the 60th anniversary of **SCRABBLE!** Join us for a night of word game fun. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Wiilympics

Grades 2 and up

Friday, August 8th

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Registration begins **July 19th**

Calling all Wii™ players! Compete in your best Wii™ Sport. Who will reign as champion? Participate in Wiilympics and find out! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



A NOTE ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS:

DROP-IN EVENTS: All are welcome! No registration, ticket, or library card required!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: Present the child's valid Plum Library Card at Youth Services to register.

TICKETS REQUIRED: Present a valid Plum Library Card at Youth Services for each free ticket requested. *If available, free tickets will be offered to the general public beginning one week prior to the event.*

Chess Simul



Experienced chess players, all ages

Friday, July 25th, 7:00 PM

Registration begins **July 5th**

Test your best game against International Chess Grandmaster John Fedorowicz, who will play 30 players simultaneously! Fedorowicz is ranked #5 among U.S. born Grandmasters. He is a former U.S. Open Champion and World Open Champion. Non-residents may register beginning Friday, July 18th if space is available. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

TICKETED PERFORMANCES

talk to me Ventriloquist Wayne Francis

Families with children of all ages

Free tickets beginning June 21st

Event: **Thursday, July 10th, 4:30 PM**

When comedy ventriloquist Wayne Francis and his cast of life-sized characters take the stage, get ready for laughter and excitement! **TICKETS REQUIRED**

Truly Remarkable Loon

Families with children of all ages

Free tickets beginning June 28th

Event: **Friday, July 18th, 7:00 PM**

The Truly Remarkable Loon uses entertaining props for his juggling and balancing feats, including balls, clubs, scarves, a mongoose, Harry Potter's Nimbus 2000, and giant beanbag chairs! **TICKETS REQUIRED**

Animal Encounters

Families with children ages 3 & up

Free tickets beginning July 5th

Event: **Thursday, July 24th,**

Shows at **4:30 PM or 7:00 PM**

Zoologist Dr. Robert James returns this summer to offer interesting facts and an up-close look at a variety of animals at this popular program. Beware! You might see a live alligator, ostrich, bat and python at the library! **TICKETS REQUIRED**

DID YOU KNOW?

Youth Services has a blog! You can find photos of popular events, information about upcoming programs, book reviews and more at our online site: helenplumyouth.blogspot.com

What's New

You can be "the first to know" about upcoming programs if you check our site regularly or **subscribe to have updates delivered directly to your email.** Subscribers will receive an email only if something new has been posted. When updates occur, they are consolidated into a single email for the day. To subscribe, follow the instructions on the blog under the "subscribe via email" option!



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 <i>Celebrate the Day: Independence Day Story & Craft</i> 10 - 11 AM DROP-IN 	3 Beginning & Intermediate Chess Lessons ; 9:30 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED! 	4 HAPPY 4th Library Closed 	5 Free tickets available for Animal Encounters Event: July 24 th Registration begins for Contender! , Grades 4-6 on July 23 Registration begins for Chess Simul Event: July 25 th
6	7 <i>6th Game of the Week</i>	8	9 Scrabble Night 7 - 8:30 PM REGISTRATION REQUIRED	10 Intermediate & Advanced Chess Lessons , 9:30 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED! Ventriloquist Wayne Francis 4:30 PM TICKETS REQUIRED <i>talk to me</i>	11 Wii™ Got the Beat 2 - 3:30 PM Guitar Hero 3 & Wii™ DROP-IN: Grades 4 and up	12 Registration begins for Bookopoly , Grades 4-6 on July 31 10 AM, DROP-IN Movie Mania Undercover Dora
13	14 <i>7th Game of the Week</i> Ready, Set ... Read! 7 - 7:30 PM DROP-IN STORYTIME	15 Ready, Set ... Read! 10 - 10:30 AM DROP-IN STORYTIME Graphic Novel Club Drop-In: 3 - 4:30 PM Grades 6 - 8 	16 Team Toddler 10 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED You Play, Too! 10 AM - NOON DROP-IN FAMILY GAMES 	17 Intermediate & Advanced Chess Lessons , 9:30 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED! Bookopoly , 2 - 3:30 PM Grades 2-3: <i>The Transmogrification of Roscoe Wizzle</i> REGISTRATION REQUIRED 	18 Truly Remarkable Loon 7:00 PM TICKETS REQUIRED 	19 Registration begins for Wiilympics , Grades 2 & up Event: August 8
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27	28 <i>9th Game of the Week</i> Ready, Set ... Read! 7 - 7:30 PM DROP-IN STORYTIME	29 Ready, Set ... Read! 10 - 10:30 AM DROP-IN STORYTIME 	30 Team Toddler 10 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED Wii™ Got the Beat 2 - 3:30 PM Guitar Hero 3, DDR & Wii™ DROP-IN: Grades 2 and up	31 Advanced Chess Lessons , 9:30 AM REGISTRATION REQUIRED! Bookopoly , 2 - 3:30 PM Grades 4-6: <i>Time for Andrew: A Ghost Story</i> REGISTRATION REQUIRED 		

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Game of the Week!

Stop in to play a game or solve a puzzle. We'll offer a new game every Monday morning and select **five prize winners each week!**

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Drawing tickets

Receive a ticket for a chance to win one of the special prizes on display in the library when you check out library materials. Prizes this year include a **Wii™** and a **Radio Flyer Pathfinder™ Wagon!**

