



Summer 2019 Early Literacy Newsletter

Corvallis-Benton County Public Library

www.cbcpubliclibrary.net

Summer Reading at the Library

This year's summer reading theme is "A Universe of Stories." Starting June 8th, come to your library to get your free summer reading materials. Children and teens will receive a free bag and a free book (while supplies last) for participating. Those who fill up a reading log during the summer can turn it in at the library for a chance to win a raffle prize.

There are special summer reading events for all ages at the library. Please check them out at our website: www.cbcp.net/summer-reading

Special Free Summer Reading events for young children under 5:

***Kids Library Sleepover**
June 29 overnight starting at 6:45pm
Chaperones and pre-registration required.

Teddy Bear Picnic & Penny Carnival @ Central Park *July 11 10:30am*
Musical performance by Red Yarn and

special appearance by Paddington Bear, followed by Corvallis Parks & Rec Penny Carnival starting at noon.

***Science Saturday**
July 27 10:30am

Space themed storytime & activities for preschoolers.

Family Day @ Benton County Museum
July 27 1:30-3:30

Archaeology to Architecture from the ground up: activities, demos, art and exhibits.

Pool Party @ Osborn Aquatic Center
Aug 10 5:30pm

Free, everyone invited.

***location: Main Meeting Room at the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library**

FREE LUNCH at the Corvallis Public Library for kids under 18.

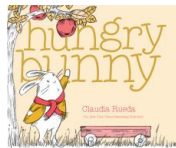
June 24-Aug 23, M-F 12:15 -12:45pm

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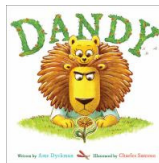
Staff Picks

Elizabeth's Pick



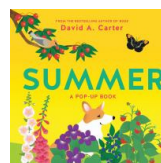
Hungry Bunny by Claudia Rueda

Heidi's Pick



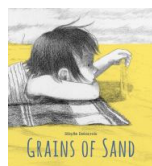
Dandy by Ame Dyckman

Katey's Pick



Summer by David Carter

Kristin's Pick



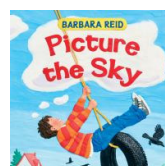
Grains of Sand by Sibylle Delacroix

Kristy's Pick



The Whale in My Swimming Pool by Joyce Wan

Peik-Kuan's Pick



Picture the Sky by Barbara Reid



Early Literacy

Explore science and math concepts through a special storytime and hands-on activities designed for preschool-age children

Science Saturday

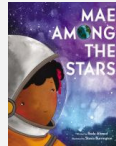
July 27, 2019

10:30am at the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library

Theme: **SPACE**

Space

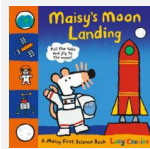
Mae Among the Stars—
E Ahmed, Rosa



Max Goes to Space Station—E Bennett, Jeffrey

Dogs in Space—E Coffelt, Nancy

Tiny Little Rocket—E Collingridge, Richard



Maisy's Moon Landing—E Cousins, Lucy

On the Launch Pad—
E Dahl, Michael

Laika: Astronaut dog—E Davey, Owen

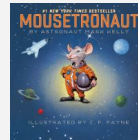
Grandpa Takes Me to the Moon—
E Gaffney, Timothy

The Darkest Dark—
E Hadfield, Chris



Footprints on the Moon—E Haddon, Mark

Mousetronaut Goes to Mars—E Kelly, Mark



Space Boy—E Landry, Leo

If You Decide to Go to the Moon—E McNulty, Faith

Roaring Rockets—E Mitton, Tony



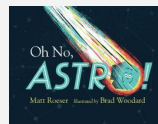
Earth Space Moon Base—E Price, Ben

Space Boy and His Dog—E Regan, Dian

Earthdance—E Reiser, Lynn

Space Vehicles—E Rockwell, Anne

Oh No Astro! —
E Roeser, Matt



A Moon of My Own—
E Rustgi, Jennifer

Zoo Zoom—E Ryan, Candace

Sheep Blast Off—E Shaw, Nancy

Sun Moon Star—E Vonnegut, Kurt

Up, Up, and Away—E-R Hillert, Margaret

Clara and Clem in Outer Space—
E-R Long, Ethan

Professor Astro Cat's Frontiers of Space—
J 520 Walliman



The Solar System—
J 523.2 Ball

Many Moons—J 523.3 Courgeon

Sun! One in a Billion—J 523.7
McAnulty

Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, I Know Exactly What You Are—J 523.8
Kregenow

Curiosity: The Story of a Mars Rover—J 629.295 Motum

A Trip Into Space—J 629.41 Houran

The International Space Station—
J 629.442 Branley



Constellations



Flight of the Last Dragon — E Burleigh, Robert

Starry Skies—
E Chagollan, Samantha

Star Climbing—E Fancher, Lou

Bright Sky, Starry Sky—
E Krishnaswami, Uma

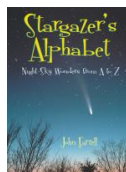
Seeing Stars—E MacKall, Dandi

Star Shapes—E Malone, Peter



Stars Stars Stars—
E Wallace, Nancy

Zodiac: Celestial circle of the sun—J 133.532 Mitton



A Cat's Guide to the Night Sky—
J 520 Atkinson

Stargazer's Alphabet: Night-sky wonders from A to Z—J 520 Farrell

Once Upon a Starry Night: A book of constellations—
J 523.8 Mitton

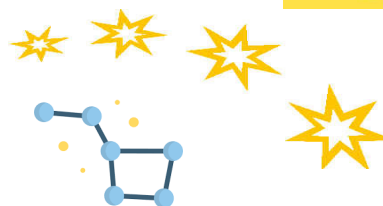
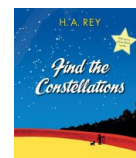


Zoo in the Sky: A book of animal constellations—
J 523.8 Mitton



Super Stars: Biggest, hottest, brightest, most explosive stars in the milky way—
J 523.88 Aguilar

Find the Constellations—
J 523.8903 Rey



Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Educators

Want to know more about space? Check out these resources.

Hubble Space Telescope images

www.nasa.gov/mission_pages/hubble/multimedia

Moon phases almanac

www.almanac.com/astronomy/moon/calendar

Games, pictures with facts, quizzes to help children learn about space

Kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/space/passport-to-space

Local amateur astronomy club that holds meetings, star parties and educational outreach activities -Heart of the Valley Astronomers

www.hvaastronomy.com

Move

Did You Know?

Moving our bodies is not only critical in building a healthy body, but it also enhances learning.

As a child's brain develops, movement helps provide the sensory stimulation to "prompt" learning. Through repeated use, the concepts learned then get strengthened by the creation of a network of brain cell connections.

According to the article, "The Effects of Movement on Development and Learning" (Child1st.com), "daily active movement that involves the whole body, balance, cross lateral movements (alternating one side of the body after the other), activities in which limbs cross the midline (reach right arm across the body to the left, etc.)" can "get the different regions in the brain "talking" with each other so that information stored in various places can be consolidated and used."

Movement can also help with the growth of body awareness and spatial sense. The development of rhythm, timing, balance, coordination, self expression, and language learning are also enhanced through body movement.

This understanding of the importance of movement guides the library staff in how weekly storytimes for young children are conducted, incorporating fingerplays, music and movement alongside picture books.

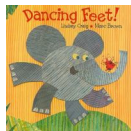
What Can You Do?

Give plenty of opportunities for movement in your daily lives, whether it is raking leaves, kicking a ball, stacking blocks, dancing around the room, or folding the laundry together.

[Books that encourage interactive engagement:](#)

How Do You Wokka-Wokka?—E Bluemle, Elizabeth

Dancing Feet—E Craig, Lindsey



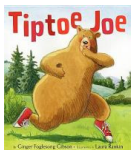
Bounce—E Cronin, Doreen

Bow Wow Wiggle Waggle—E DePalma, Mary

Cha-Cha Chimps—E Durango, Julia

If You're a Monster and You Know It—E Emberley, Rebecca

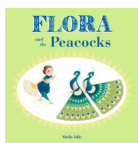
Tiptoe Joe—E Gibson, Ginger



The Animal Boogie—E Harter, Debbie

I Am A Backhoe—E Hines, Anna

Flora and the Peacocks—E Idle, Molly



Move—E Jenkins, Steve

Color Dance—E Jonas, Ann

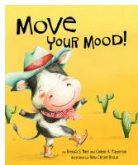
Babies on the Bus—E Katz, Karen

Leap!—E Lawson, JonArno

Can You Dance to the Boogaloo?—E Lickens, Alice

Spunky Little Monkey—E Martin, Bill

Tap the Magic Tree—E Matheson, Christie



Move Your Mood—E Miles, Brenda

Hip Hop Lollipop—E Montanari, Susan

Port Side Pirates—E Seaworthy, Oscar

Bearobics—E Parker, Vic

Shake My Sillies Out—E Raffi

We're Going on a Bear Hunt—E Rosen, Michael



I Got the Rhythm—E Schofield, Connie

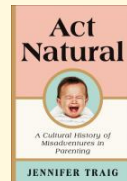
Grumpy Bird—E Tankard, Jeremy

Is Everyone Ready for Fun?—E Thomas, Jan

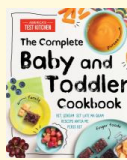
Parenting Picks



Busy Bags Kids Will Love: Make-ahead activity kits for a happy preschooler and stress-free parent by Sara McClure
649.51 MCCLURE



Act Natural: A cultural history of parenting by Jennifer Traig
New Non-Fiction 306.874 TRAIG



The Complete Baby and Toddler Cookbook: the very best purees, finger foods, and toddler meals for happy families
PARENT 641.5 COMPLETE



Read With Me: Engaging your young child in active reading by Samantha Cleaver
PARENT 372.4 CLEAVER

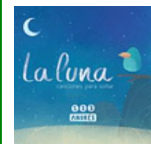


Beyond the Checkup from Birth to Age Four: a pediatrician's guide to calm, confident parenting by Luke Voytas
PARENT 649.1 VOYTAS

Music Picks



Red Yarn's Old Barn by Red Yarn
J CD 781.5 RED-YARN



La Luna: Canciones para sonar by 123 Andrés
J CD 781.523 LUNA



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Enrich, Excite, Explore

CBCPL Storytimes

Monday 7pm Family

Tuesday 10:30 am Infants
(0-12 mo.)

Wednesday 10:30 am Wobblers
(12-24 mo.)

Thursday 10:30 am Toddlers
(2-3 yrs.)

Friday 10:30 am Preschool
(3-5 yrs.)

First Saturday 10:30 am Family

Second Saturday 10:30 am
Los Cuentos (bilingual Spanish
and English) Family

Early Literacy Activity

Make Moon Dough

Recipe from www.mommyevolution.com

- 2 cups flour
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil
- Blue food coloring
- Play tray or baking sheet

Directions:

Mix the flour and vegetable oil together with a fork. Depending on the consistency that you wish to make, add oil as needed. A firmer consistency will make it easier to form shapes like moon rocks and craters.

Add a sprinkle of blue food coloring. The coloring will not completely mix in, but it will create a sort of a sprinkle effect.

Place the dough in a flat tray or baking sheet. Kids can use vehicles, people or utensils to create a playscape. Encourage kids to:

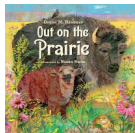
- create stories about their scene
- make letters or numbers with the dough
- pretend to write messages in the dough

Read 1000 Books Before Kindergarten

- Obtain a [free reading log](#) from the library for any child who is not yet attending kindergarten, or download the mobile app "1000 books before kindergarten" by **1000 Books Foundation**.
- For the paper reading log - Cross off or color in 1 circle for each book read. It's ok to count a book more than once if it is read several times.
- There are 100 circles on each paper reading log.
- When you complete a log, show or tell the youth services librarian at any branch library how many books you have read. You can get additional logs to continue tracking.
- If you are using the mobile app for tracking, show a youth services librarian how many books you have read.
- Your child will receive a reward for participating and reaching these milestones at any branch library:
100 books, 500 books, and 1000 books read



American National Parks



Out On the Prairie—
E Bateman, Donna

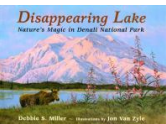
**Do Princesses and Super
Heroes Hit the Trail?** -
E Coyle, Carmela

Buffalo Music—E Fern,
Tracey



The Buffalo Are Back—
E George, Jean

Family Pack—E Markle, Sandra



**Disappearing Lake:
Nature's magic in
Denali National Park**—
E Miller, Debbie

Eat Like a Bear—E Sayre, April

**Yosemite's Songster: One Coyote's
Story**—E Wadsworth, Ginger

The Bunyans—E Wood, Audrey

Nonfiction:

National Parks of U.S.A.—
J 363.68097 Siber



**M Is For Majestic: A
national parks alphabet**—
J 917.3 Domenico

America's National Parks—
J 917.3 Ward

National Parks Guide U.S.A.—
J 917.304 Flynn

**The Camping Trip That Changed
America: Theodore Roosevelt, John
Muir and Our National Parks**—
J 979.447 Rosenstock

You can find books on a particular national park by searching in the catalog by its name, for example, "Glacier National Park." If you need help, please ask a youth librarian.

Space Rhyme

Zoom, Zoom, Zoom

Zoom, zoom, zoom,
we're going to the moon.

Zoom, zoom, zoom,
we're going to the moon.

If you want to take a trip,
climb aboard my rocket
ship.

Zoom, zoom, zoom,
we're going to the moon.

5,4,3,2,1

Blast off!

