



Stanislaus County Library

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July Events at the Oakdale Library

Community members are invited to enjoy free Story Times, computer classes, book club programs, activities, and crafts at the Oakdale Library this July.

Preschool Story Time will be held on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. Story Times feature new and classic picture books, flannel board and puppet stories, fingerplays, music and dancing, for preschoolers ages 3 to 5 and their caregivers, however all ages are welcome.

Wiggle Worms will be held every Wednesday at 10 and 11 a.m. Wiggle Worms is a special Story Time program designed for babies, active toddlers, and adult caregivers, however all ages are welcome to attend. Wiggle Worms participants can enjoy stories, lap bounces, music, dancing, rhythm activities, fingerplays and more.

“Computer Basics, Part Two” will be held on Tuesday, July 10 at 10:30 a.m. A class on Microsoft Word will be offered on Thursday, July 12 at 6 p.m. Internet Basics will take place on Tuesday, July 17 at 10:30 a.m. Advance registration is required for all computer classes. Please call 209-847-4204 to sign up.

The Teen Book Club will meet on Tuesday, July 10 at 3 p.m. Participants are invited to bring their own books to discuss. During the program, teens will have an opportunity to make manga-themed bookmarks.

A “Minute to Win It” style program will be offered on Thursday, July 12 at 3 p.m. Children can test their skills in competitive activities that use everyday household objects.

A Family Story Time will be held on Saturday, July 14 at 10 a.m. Families are invited to visit the library together to enjoy stories, music and movement.

Toddlers and preschoolers are invited to enjoy “Wee Move and Play” Mondays, July 16 and 30 at 11 a.m. This program features an hour of music, movement, and sensory play.

Children are invited to a Craft-a-Palooza on Wednesday, July 18 at 3:30 p.m. Crafters will have an opportunity to use a variety of materials to make unique and imaginative crafts.

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Thursday, July 19 at 3 p.m. is LEGO® Day. Finished LEGO® creations will be displayed at the library. Children under the age of 4 are welcome to participate, however they must have direct parental supervision at all times.

July 23 through 28 is Shark Week at the Oakdale Library. Children who find the shark hidden in the library will receive a prize.

The Friends of the Oakdale Library will meet Monday, July 23 at 1:30 p.m. at the Oakdale Library. The public is invited to attend this meeting of library supporters.

A meeting of the Oakdale Library Book Club will be held on Tuesday, July 24 at 11:30 a.m. Participants will discuss *The Tenth Circle* by Jodi Picoult. Book clubs allow community members to expand their knowledge of books through meaningful discussions with others.

Teen Book Club, Wee Move and Play, Craft-a-Palooza, LEGO® Day, and Shark Week are sponsored by the Friends of the Oakdale Library. The Oakdale Library is located at 151 S. First Ave. For more information, please call the Oakdale Library supervisor, Karina Mendoza, at 209-847-4204.

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