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For more information, call 712-255-2933 x 231

Summer at the Library! July 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
CLOSED			1 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Branch LEGOS at the Library 2-4 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	2	3 LIBRARY CLOSED	4 LIBRARY CLOSED Happy Fourth of July!
	5	6 Adventures 11 am; ages 6-10 Wilbur Aalfs Library	7 Library Storytime 11:00 am; ages 2-5 Perry Creek Branch Read-To-Me Dogs 2:00 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	8 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Branch	9 Into the Woods movie (PG) 2-4:05 pm Wilbur Aalfs Library	10 Super Toddler Dance Party 10-11 am; Up to 3 years old; Wilbur Aalfs Library Please pre-register at 255-2933 x231 beginning June 26
	12	13 Adventures 11 am; ages 6-10 Wilbur Aalfs Library	14 Library Storytime 11:00 am; ages 2-5 Perry Creek Branch Read-To-Me Dogs 2:00 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	15 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Animal Superpowers with the Zoomobile 1:30 pm; repeats at 3 pm; all ages Morningside Branch Free ticket required for admission, available July 1	16	17 Teen Craft: Duct Tape is SUPER! 2-3:30 pm; grades 6-10 Wilbur Aalfs Library
	19	20 Adventures 11 am; ages 6-10 Wilbur Aalfs Library	21 Library Storytime 11:00 am; ages 2-5 Perry Creek Branch Read-To-Me Dogs 2:00 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	22 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Branch Film Festival 2 pm; all ages; Wilbur Aalfs Library	23 Planes: Fire and Rescue movie (PG) 10:30 am to noon Wilbur Aalfs Library	18 
	26	27 Adventures 11 am; ages 6-10 Wilbur Aalfs Library	28 Library Storytime 11:00 am; ages 2-5 Perry Creek Branch Read-To-Me Dogs 2:00 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	29 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Branch	30	31 Last day to pick up Summer Reading Prizes!

The Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library, 529 Pierce St • Morningside Branch Library, 4005 Morningside Ave • Perry Creek Branch Library, 2912 Hamilton Blvd (Lower B)

SPECIAL EVENTS

LEGOS at the Library
Wednesday, July 1 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-4 pm • Grades K-5
Come anytime during this drop-in, free-build event to make awesome creations with our LEGOS!

Super Toddler Dance Party
Friday, July 10 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 10-11 am • Up to 3 years old
Calling all super-babies! This dance party is just for the little ones: babies and toddlers up to 3 years old with an adult caregiver. Wear your favorite superhero costume and join us for upbeat music, fun superhero activities and a story or two!
Must pre-register at 255-2933 x231 beginning June 26.

Animal Superpowers with the Zoomobile
Wednesday, July 15 • Morningside Branch Library • 1:30 pm, repeats at 3 pm
• All ages
Did you know that some animals have superpowers? Join zookeepers from the Great Plains Zoo (Sioux Falls) as they show live animals and talk about their amazing abilities.
Free ticket required for admission, available July 1.

Teen Craft: Duct tape is SUPER!
Friday, July 17 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-3:30 pm • Grades 6-10
Use our duct tape and your imagination to make a superhero mask, power cuffs, or a comic book wallet during this drop-in craft program.

MOVIES & FILMS

Into the Woods (PG)
Thursday, July 9 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-4:05 pm
In this musical inspired by a variety of Brothers Grimm fairy tales, a baker and his wife find themselves cursed by a vengeful witch and forced to procure magical items from Cinderella, Little Red Riding Hood, Rapunzel, and Jack, of Jack and the Beanstalk.

Film Festival (same films each session)
Wednesday, July 22 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2 pm • All ages
Short films based on popular children’s books and characters.
Groups of 10 or more please pre-register at 255-2933 x 231.

Planes: Fire and Rescue (PG)
Thursday, July 23 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 10:30 am to noon
When Dusty learns that his engine is damaged, and he may never race again, he must join a forest fire and rescue unit to be trained as a firefighter, or else his air strip will be shut down!

STORIES & MORE

Library Storytime: A half-hour shared storytime experience for children not yet in school and their parent/grandparent or caregiver. The mix of stories, songs, and fun is a great way for children to explore the Library and the world.

Perry Creek Branch Library: Tuesdays 11:00 am
2912 Hamilton Blvd. (Lower B, Plaza Professional Center)
Morningside Branch Library: Wednesdays 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 am
4005 Morningside Ave.

Adventures: A 40-minute program featuring longer stories and activities for children ages 6-10.
Mondays, June 8 - July 27 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 11 am

Read-to-Me Story Dogs with the K-9 STARS. Children in grades K-5 practice their reading skills with these gentle canine listeners. No appointment necessary.
Tuesdays, June 2 - July 28 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-3 pm

INSTA-REVIEW YOUR SUMMER READS



Adults, let us know what summer reads you are loving (or not so much) in five words or less. Enter for a chance to win prizes with each InstaReview.

Here’s how to participate:
Option 1: Fill out an InstaReview slip at any Library location.

Option 2: Snap a picture and upload your InstaReview to our Facebook page or on Instagram:

#siouxcitylibrary.

You can review as many books as you’d like. Winners will be drawn weekly. All participants’ reviews will be entered in the grand prize drawing to be held August 17.



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C L O S E D	1 Summer Reading Program Kick-off: Local Heroes Are Super Morningside Branch 10 am to noon	2 Library Storytime 11:00 am; ages 2-5 Perry Creek Branch Read-to-me dogs 2:00 pm; grades K-5 Wilbur Aalfs Library	3 Library Storytime 10:30 am, repeats at 11:15 ages 2-5; Morningside Branch	4	5 Hapless Heroes and Their Funny Feats 11 am; repeats at 1:30 pm; all ages; Morningside Branch Free ticket required, available May 26	6
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 Monday, June 1 • Morningside Branch Library • 10 am to noon • All ages
 Sign up for Summer Reading and meet some local heroes at this 2-hour drop-in event. See cool fire trucks and police cruisers! Meet representatives from the Sioux City Fire and Police Departments and the 185th Air Refueling Wing of the Air National Guard.

Hapless Heroes and Their Funny Feats with Jay and Leslie of Laughing Matters
 Friday, June 5 • Morningside Branch Library • 11 am, repeats at 1:30 pm • All ages
 Some are born to be heroic and others just bumble into it. Jay and Leslie explore feats of skill and dumb luck with plenty of juggling and a touch of magic!
Free ticket required for admission, available May 26 at all locations.

10 Ways to Be Super with Tim Read, Children’s Illustrator and Author
 Wednesday, June 17 • Morningside Branch Library • 1:30 pm, repeats at 3 pm • All ages
 Tim uses live cartoon drawing, exciting storytelling, and action-packed activities as he explores ten character-building “super powers” that every child is born with in this fun and interactive program.
Free ticket required for admission, available June 3 at all locations.

MOVIES & FILMS

Big Hero 6 (PG)
 Thursday, June 11 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-3:40 pm
 When a criminal plot threatens the hi-tech metropolis, robotics whiz Hiro Hamada leaps into action with his tech-savvy friends.

Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day (PG)
 Thursday, June 18 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 2-3:30 pm
 Alexander experiences the most terrible, horrible day of his young life and wonders if bad things only happen to him. But he discovers he is not alone when his family lives through their own terrible—and hilarious—day. Based on the children’s book by Judith Viorst.

Film Festival (same films each session)
 Wednesday, June 24 • Morningside Branch Library • 2-3 pm • All ages
 Thursday, June 25 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 1:30-2:30 pm • All ages
 Short films based on popular children’s books and characters.
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After-Hours Teen Movie: Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13)
 Friday, June 26 • Wilbur Aalfs (Main) Library • 6:30-8:30 pm • Grades 6-10
 Free popcorn, soda, and door prizes. Superhero costumes optional, *but awesome!* In this action-packed movie, a group of intergalactic criminals are forced to work together to stop a fanatical warrior from taking control of the universe.
Free ticket required for admission, available June 12 at all locations.

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