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Main Library
5959 W. Brown Street
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JUNE 2017 GLENDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENT AND ACTIVITY LISTINGS

GLENDALE, Ariz. – The following featured activities are offered by the Glendale Public Library in June. Locations include the Main Library (5959 W. Brown St.), the Foothills Branch Library (19055 N. 57th Ave.), and the Velma Teague Branch Library (7010 N. 58th Ave.). All library programs are free. To view many more programs and events, or to sign up for a program which requires registration, please visit <http://www.glendaleaz.com/Library/LibraryEvents.cfm>.

ALL THREE GLENDALE LIBRARY LOCATIONS

For more information, call 623-930-3537.

Enjoy Twice the Fun with Two Summer Reading Programs for All Ages at the Glendale Public Library!

Visit any of the three Glendale libraries for a reading adventure this summer. These popular programs run from June 1 through August 1.



***Express Yourself** - Stop by any Glendale Public Library branch and ask for a reading record to track your reading, then bring it back to the library to collect fun prizes. Be sure to pick up a program calendar, too -- arts and crafts, live music, book discussions, storytimes and more await you at the library!



Maricopa County Reads - "Build a Better World" by reading 20 minutes a day this summer! Register at www.maricopacountyreads.org and log your reading time online to earn a free meal at Chipotle and an Arizona State Parks free admission pass. Reach 1,000 points to earn a free book!



Community Services Department

Glendale Public Library is the vital link to our rapidly changing world. Our mission is to empower our community by providing free and equitable access to information, technology, cultural, educational and life enhancing materials and services.

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°Chef Larry Canepa Presents: Build a Better Plate. This simplified food guide — with tastings! — will help optimize your health, boost your energy levels, and keep your weight down. Registration is required. **Thursday, June 1, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Business Counseling with SCORE. Get advice on all areas of business. Call 602-745-7250 for an appointment. **Saturdays, June 3, 10 & 24, 12-4 PM. Small Meeting Room.**

****Writer in Residence Office Hours with Aprilynne Pike.** Get expert writing advice from published author Aprilynne Pike! Book an appointment at the Ask Here desk. Office hours continue until the end of August. **Saturdays, June 3, 10, 17 & 24, 12-2 PM; Mondays, June 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2-4 PM. Creative Space.**

Backyard Stargazing for Everyone. View the night sky through telescopes outside after a short talk by Tony La Conte. All ages. For more information, call 623-979-1393. **Monday, June 5, 7-9 PM. Auditorium.**

****"I'm Not Sure What My Story Is."** Have you got a story, but aren't quite sure where it fits? Join Writer in Residence Aprilynne Pike for an interactive workshop about genre. Registration is required. **Tuesday, June 6, 6-7:30 PM. Creative Space.**

ASU Startup School/Stage 5: Creating a Profitable Company. This 6-part series teaches entrepreneurship. This session covers cost structures, revenue streams, sales forecasts, etc. Registration is required. **Tuesday, June 6, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Glendale Coffeehouse: Red Rock Crossing. Hear live acoustic music performed by local musicians. June: Red Rock Crossing - bluegrass, country, rock and pop. **Thursday, June 8, 6:30-7:30 PM. Auditorium.**

Simple Steps 5: Funding Sources for Starting Your Own Business. Learn about financing sources, from creditors and equity sales to crowdfunding portals, from certified SCORE mentor Michael D. Riley. **Saturday, June 17, 1:30-4:30 PM. Auditorium.**

ASU Startup School/Stage 6: Grow Your Company. This 6-part series teaches entrepreneurship. This session covers marketing plans, sales strategies, customer relationships, etc. Registration is required. **Tuesday, June 20, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

***Live @ the Library: Mill Ave Chamber Players Explore Music and Emotion.** Come early to make your own music on a Makey-Makey controller. Learn how composers use music to convey emotions without words. **Thursday, June 22, 6:30-7:30 PM. Auditorium.**

Strategies for a Sustainable Income in Retirement. The Society for Financial Awareness will discuss retirement goals, estimating income, and tax advantaged savings vehicles. Registration is required. **Tuesday, June 27, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

MAIN LIBRARY TEEN (ages 12-18)

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***Stop-Motion!** Get ready for July's Teen Indie Film Fest by learning or improving your stop-motion skills! Bring your friends and your smartphones/tablets, or use one of the library's tablets to create and workshop your 3-5 minute book-related film! Registration begins 5/29. **Monday, June 12, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

****Writing YA When You're Still a YA.** In this interactive program, Writer in Residence Aprilynne Pike will help you learn how to write accurate and compelling teen characters, as well as how to fit that writing into your own teen life. Registration is required. **Tuesday, June 13, 6-7:30 PM. Creative Space.**

°Self-Defense with Krav Maga. Learn about the self-defense system of Krav Maga with instructor Derrek Hofrichter. Presentation will include demonstrations of defenses to common situations. Learn how to build a framework for protecting yourself and your family. **Monday, June 19, 6-7 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

MAIN LIBRARY YOUTH

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***Chick Lit.** This fun book discussion and craft for girls going into 3rd-5th grade features a different book each week! Registration begins one week before each meeting. **Thursdays, June 1-22, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM. Storytime Room.**

***Thursday Thingamajigs: Water Watchers Extraordinaire.** Our own Glendale Conservation & Sustainable Living Division team brings a fun-filled hour of games and activities that remind us all that desert dwellers are water-wise. **Thursday, June 8, 2-3 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

***Keeping Cool: Crafty Kids – Mad Hatters!** Make a “kool kraft” at this drop in program. June’s craft: build a visor or baseball cap! First come, first served. Ages 5-12. **Wednesday, June 14, 4-5 PM. Storytime Room.**

***Thursday Thingamajigs: Kawambe-Omowale African Drum and Dance Theater.** Enjoy a glimpse of West African culture through storytelling, drumming, dancing, and singing. **Thursday, June 15, 2-3 PM. Auditorium.**

***Thursday Thingamajigs: Messy Masterpieces.** What better way to express yourself than with a little paint? Ages 5-11. Space is limited; first come, first served. **Thursday, June 22, 2-3 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Keepin’ Kool: Game On! Come hang out with us and play some fun board and card games. Ages 5-11. **Wednesday, June 28, 4-5 PM. Storytime Room.**

***Thursday Thingamajigs: Arizona Broadway Theatre Presents *Junie B. Jones*.** Sneak a peek into the “Top-Secret Personal Beeswax Journal” of the outspoken and lovable Junie B. Jones! Ages 5 and up. Tickets will be distributed to those waiting in line at 1:40 PM. **Thursday, June 29, 2-3 PM. Auditorium.**

FOOTHILLS BRANCH LIBRARY

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Foothills Coffeehouse. Enjoy acoustic music performed by local musicians. June: Joe Fetzer - folk and country of the 40s, 50s, and 60s; TNT - folk, Americana and pop. **Wednesday, June 7, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Summer Craft Series: Vintage Wall Art.** Create a wall-hanging with an old piece of wood and a variety of decorative materials. Each piece will be unique - a beautiful expression of you! Instructed by Tammy Nowatski. Registration begins 5/15. **Wednesday, June 14, 6-8 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

Improving Hand Dexterity in Stroke Patients Through Brain Stimulation. Learn about stroke, stroke rehabilitation, and how brain stimulation can improve dexterity in stroke patients. Najmeh Hoseini, PT, Ph.D. of Midwestern University will discuss past and current research in methods of stroke treatment. **Tuesday, June 20, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Healthy Living for Healthy Aging: Brain and Body. Explore the latest research on diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity, and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to create a plan for healthy aging. Presented by the

Alzheimer's Association. **Wednesday, June 21, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

°**Cooking with Chef Larry: Foods That Shaped the World.** Explore foods that changed the world in profound and delicious social, political, and economic ways. This fun and fascinating lecture from Certified Culinary Educator Chef Larry Canepa includes tasty samples! **Wednesday, June 28, 6-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

FOOTHILLS BRANCH LIBRARY TEEN (ages 12-18)

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°**STEAM and Robotics.** Learn sportsmanship, problem solving, and robotics in this hands-on program. Registration begins 5/20. **Saturday, June 3, 1-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Glass Fusion Pendants.** Create unique glass pendants with instructor Beth Maggio. Because glass fusion takes a special kiln, participants will design the jewelry in the session, then return to pick up their creations. Registration begins 5/31. **Wednesday, June 7, 6-7:30 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

***Water Balloon Art.** Come have fun and create a unique piece of art with water balloons! Registration begins 6/14. **Wednesday, June 21, 6-7 PM. Storytime Room.**

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°**Arizona Rick: The Great Grand Canyon Balloon Show.** Arizona Rick tells stories, plays games, and performs magic using incredible balloon creations! Tickets will be distributed at the Youth Desk at 1:45 PM. **Monday, June 5, 2-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Guys Read!** Guys going into 3rd-5th grade can talk about amazing books, play games, and make cool stuff. Registration begins one week before each meeting. **Wednesdays, June 7-28, 2-3 PM. Storytime Room.**

***Drum Circle.** Play percussive instruments in a group led by Dr. Lydia. Ages 2-adult. Registration begins 6/5. **Monday, June 12, 2-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Minecraft 3D Heads.** Make pixilated art! Ages 7-12. Registration begins 6/12. **Monday, June 19, 2-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Water Watchers! The Glendale Conservation & Sustainable Living Division team brings games and activities to remind us all that desert dwellers are water-wise. **Friday, June 23, 2-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

^**Taste Your Yard & Hotel Saguaro.** Visit the Youth Department to learn about the Glendale Xeriscape Garden and taste test some goodies. Then line up by 2:45 PM for tickets to Great AZ Puppet Theater's *Hotel Saguaro*! **Monday, June 26, 2-4 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

VELMA TEAGUE BRANCH LIBRARY
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ESL Testing. Take the pre-test for placement in ESL autumn classes. **Monday, June 5, 12 & 19, 4-8 PM.**

Know the 10 Signs of Alzheimer's Disease: Early Detection Matters. We've all misplaced keys or glasses, but memory loss that disrupts daily life may be a symptom of Alzheimer's disease. Learn the 10 signs in this talk with Martha Burrue from the Arizona Alzheimer's Association. Registration is requested. **Monday, June 19, 6:30-7:30 PM. City Hall B Rooms.**

***Felted Cactus Garden.** Design and sew your own cactus garden that will never require watering, using a variety of stitches and fabrics, with renowned fiber artist Christy Puetz. Registration is required. **Saturday, June 24, 12-2 PM.**

VELMA TEAGUE BRANCH LIBRARY TEEN (ages 12-18)

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***Nebula in a Bottle.** Explore the galaxy by creating a beautiful jar that will keep you wondering about our vast universe. All supplies will be provided. Ages 10-18. Registration is required. **Thursday, June 1, 6-7:30 PM.**

Proactive Teen Parenting Classes for Teen Parents. These free classes from Teen Outreach Pregnancy Services, for teen parents ages 12-21, cover topics such as nutrition, playtime, developmental milestones, and positive discipline. Participants are eligible for raffle prizes, free diapers, CPR classes, and free snacks! Children may attend with participants. To register, contact Kelley Rodriguez at 623-334-1501. **Wednesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28, 3:45-5:45 PM.**

***Murder Mystery @ The Teague.** Discover clues, interview suspects, and solve the crime at this after hours event! Start with free pizza and then begin your investigation! Registration begins 6/1. **Saturday, June 17, 6-8 PM.**

VELMA TEAGUE BRANCH LIBRARY YOUTH

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***Nebula in a Bottle.** Explore the galaxy with your very own nebula in a bottle! These beautiful jars will keep you wondering about our vast universe. Ages 10-18. Registration begins 5/12. **Thursday, June 1, 6-7:30 PM.**

***Family Stargazing.** Focus Astronomy will bring the wonders of the universe closer to the library during this all ages event. Get an up-close look at meteorites. Create an out-of-this-world craft. Then, head outside to view the sky through telescopes in Murphy Park! **Thursday, June 1, 7-8:30 PM.**

Summer Fun Book Bingo. Kids, ages 5-12, can join us for a few rousing rounds of Bingo. Win a book and a prize from our treasure chest! **Wednesday, June 7, 2-3 PM.**

***Clay Rainbow Fish.** Use your imagination to create a unique rainbow fish using self-hardening clay and sparkling sequins! All supplies provided. Ages 6-12. Registration begins 5/12. **Saturday, June 10, 1-3 PM.**

Water Watchers Extravaganza! Our own Glendale Conservation & Sustainable Living Division team brings a fun-filled hour of games and activities to remind us all that desert dwellers are water-wise. **Wednesday, June 14, 2-3 PM.**

Arizona Broadway Theatre Presents: *Junie B. Jones*. Sneak a peek into the "Top-Secret Personal Beeswax Journal" of the outspoken and lovable Junie B. Jones! This stage adaptation is sure to motivate kids to read about this sassy first-grader. **Wednesday, June 21, 2-3 PM.**

***Getting Crafty with Miss Janet.** Come and join in the fun! Create a cool craft to keep or give as a gift! Make a different craft each month. June's craft: foam fish aquarium. Crafters younger than 6 years old will need an adult helper. **Thursday, June 22, 4-5 PM.**

***Kawambe-Omowale African Drum and Dance Theater.** Kids of all ages and their families are invited to enjoy this performance offering a glimpse of West African culture through storytelling, drumming, dancing, and singing. **Wednesday, June 28, 2-3 PM.**

***Express Yourself/**Writer in Residence:** *These projects are supported by the Arizona State Library, Archives & Public Records, a division of the Secretary of State, with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. For more information, visit www.glendaleaz.com/library.*

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