

## Why is reading during the summer important?

Secretary of Education Arne Duncan described summer learning loss as “devastating.” Researchers and teachers have often referred to it as “summer slide.”

Research indicates summer school breaks cause the average student to lose up to a month of instruction. Disadvantaged students are even more deeply affected.



### BUILD A BRIDGE

Children who participate in Summer Reading Programs and read a minimum of six books over the summer score higher in reading AND math when they return to school.

## Why offer the program to readers of all ages?

A core Library mission is to support lifelong learning. One of the best inspirations for young readers is to see the adults they love reading for pleasure.

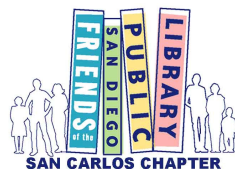
In addition — reading is fun and kids aren't the only ones who enjoy being recognized for their reading!

## Sign up for Summer Reading!

The California Library Association is challenging libraries to achieve one million summer reading sign-ups in 2015!



### Book Sale Dates



Saturday: June 6 and August 1  
9:30 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.

### San Carlos Branch Library

7265 Jackson Dr San Diego, CA 92119

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[www.sandiegolibrary.org](http://www.sandiegolibrary.org)

[www.facebook.com/SanCarlosBranchLibrary](https://www.facebook.com/SanCarlosBranchLibrary)

Mon/Thurs/Fri : 9:30 a.m. — 6:00 p.m.

Tues/Wed : 11:30 a.m. — 8:00 p.m.

Sat: 9:30 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.

[www.sancarlosfriendsofthelibrary.org](http://www.sancarlosfriendsofthelibrary.org)

## 2015 Summer Reading Program June 15—August 15

# READ TO THE RHYTHM!



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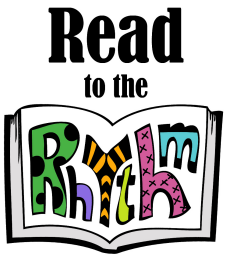
For all of San Diego's  
Readers:  
Kids, Teens & Adults

San Diego Public Library  
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# Readers of all ages are invited to participate!



1. Program runs June 15 through August 15
2. Register online for Summer Reading at [www.sandiegolibrary.org](http://www.sandiegolibrary.org)
3. Record your reading online
4. Pick up your prizes for completing the program at least one week after signing up

## Earn Prizes for Reading

- **CHILDREN: AGES 0-11**  
(10 books OR 10 hours)
- **TEENS: AGES 12-18**  
(10 hours)
- **ADULTS: AGES 18+**  
(3 books)



## Craft Programs

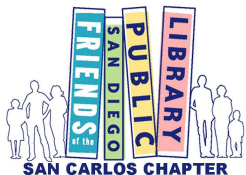
Ages 3 & up

Thursdays, 4:00 p.m.

Supplies and space limited:

Reserve a spot up to 1 week in advance.

Summer programming possible thanks to San Carlos Friends of the Library



## Free Programs for Families

Wednesdays @ 2 pm



- 6/17 **Twinkle Time**  
Colorful, high energy pop concert fusing education, language, arts and pop culture
- 6/24 **Little Cat Bird: Red Riding Hood**  
Original songs that are a mix of folk, pop, jazz, and blues for the whole family to enjoy
- 7/1 **Michael Mezmer: Phenomena**  
Optical illusion, hypnotic suggestion, science, and magic presented with dynamic showmanship
- 7/8 **Wild Wonders Animal Show**  
Furry, feathered and or scaly teachers provide a unique educational experience
- 7/15 **Justin Rivera Clown Magician**  
An engaging, entertaining blend of comedy and magic to delight and amuse
- 7/22 **Slap Jazz Danny**  
Join in the fun with body percussionist, jaw harp master and rhythm instructor Danny
- 7/29 **Nikola Clay: Dance Around the World**  
Sing, clap and dance to rhythms from around the world
- 8/5 **Celia Lawley: Fiddlegirl**  
A high energy one person show that includes a variety of musical styles and instruments
- 8/12 **Scott Land Marionettes**  
Completely contemporary entertainment using hand-crafted, Old World-Style marionettes

## Ongoing Free Events

### Mondays

- Tai Chi @ 9:30  
eReader clinic - walk-in @ 10:00  
Stretch & Tone @ 11:00  
Adult Craft Circle from 1pm - 5 pm

### Tuesdays

- Chair Yoga @ 2:30  
Storytime in Motion @ 4pm

### Wednesdays

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### Thursdays (see dates)

- Self Defense @ 10:30 on 6/18  
Librarian's Book Club @ 12:30 on 6/11, 7/9, 8/13

Kids crafts @ 4pm

Jr Maker Space 4 - 5 p.m on 6/18, 7/18

### Fridays

- Toddler & Preschool Storytime @ 10:00  
OASIS @ 1pm on 6/19

### Saturdays (see dates)

- Meditation @ 9:30 on 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/25, 8/22, 8/29  
SCFOL Book Sale from 10 - 2pm on 6/6 & 8/1

