

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

FOR CHILDREN & TEENS

After-School Zone for kids ages 8-19 years:
Mondays-Thursdays, 3:15-5PM

Unplugged Arcade for kids ages 10-19 years:
Fridays, 1-5PM

Toddler Storytime for ages 2-3 years:
Wednesdays, 10:30AM

Baby Storytime for ages 6-18 months:
Wednesdays, 1PM

FOR ADULTS

TECH HELP: Thursdays 10AM-12PM Drop-in

ESL Classes [Call 746-4341 to register]:

Beginning Level: Mondays & Tuesdays 10-11AM

Multi-Level Intermediate & Advanced: Mondays
11:10AM-12PM & Wednesdays 10AM-12PM

Conversation Group: Tuesdays 11:10AM-12:30PM

GED Classes [Call 746-4341 to register]:
Fridays & Saturdays 9:30-11:30AM

Resume & Career Counseling [Drop-In]:
Fridays 11:35AM-1PM

Reading Help [Call 746-4341 for a time slot]
One-to-One Tutoring

BOOK CLUB SELECTIONS

Jr Kids' (1st-3rd graders): *Dragons and Marshmallows (Zoey & Sassafras #1)*

Kids' (3rd-5th graders): *Meanwhile*

Middle School Book Club: *First Test*

Kids' Books for Adults: The last three Caldecott winners

Mystery: *One Perfect Couple*

Noon: *In the Midst of Winter*

Cook the Book: Exploring food culture through books for kids

Books available at the Customer Service Desk.

Events and times are subject to change. Please check our website for the most current information.

BENICIA PUBLIC LIBRARY MAY EVENT CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Children's activities are in ORANGE Adult events are in BLUE – Online in ITALICS Teen events are in TEAL Events for all ages are in PURPLE Don't forget to look at the list of <u>weekly</u> events too!		Program funding provided by the Friends of the Benicia Library. Donations accepted at bit.ly/donatetobpl or the QR code below.	1	2	10am-12pm Friends' Donation Saturday 3 2pm Free Comic Book Day
	   			3:15pm Lego Club	2pm Writers' Salon 6pm Board Games	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	6:30pm Shut Up and Write!	3:30pm Kids' Book Club 6:15pm First Tuesday Poetry Group	11am Dr. David Rosmarin [Online Author Talk] 12pm Noon Book Club	6-8pm Lawyer on the Line (registration opens 4/30) 6-8pm Members Only Book Sale	6pm Board Games	10am-4pm Friends' \$5 Bag Sale 3pm (sign-ups) Smash Bros Video Game Tournament
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	6pm AP Café	6:30pm Library Board Meeting [Council Chambers] 7pm Movie Screening: <i>Matter of Mind: My Alzheimer's</i>	4pm Liann Zhang [Online Author Talk]	10:30am Carquinez Village Speaker Series: Clara Mendez 3:15pm Lego Club	2pm Writers' Salon	10am-12pm Friends' Donation Saturday 10am-12pm Food is Free Distribution 1pm Cuddle Club
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
2pm Movie Screening: <i>Join or Die</i>	6:30pm Shut Up and Write!	3:30pm Middle School Book Club 7pm Movie Screening: <i>Home Court</i> 7pm Kids' Books for Adults Book Club (Via Zoom)	11am Rachelle Bergstein [Online Author Talk]	9am Dan Heath [Online Author Talk] 7pm Mystery Book Club		11:30am ASL Storytime
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	 MEMORIAL DAY	12pm Cook the Book Book Club 3:30pm Jr Kids' Book Club				1pm Movie Screening: <i>We Want the Funk!</i> 6pm Lucha Libro: Chapter 3

CITY FIGHTS WRESTLING PRESENTS
LUCHA LIBRO: CHAPTER 3
MAY 31 at 6PM
 ALL AGES WELCOME!

Live Pro Wrestling after hours in the Library!

BENICIA PUBLIC LIBRARY
MAY 2025

INDIE LENS **POP UP**
 Join us for a film screening for adults.

MATTER OF MIND: MY ALZHEIMER'S
 WATCH THE FILM & JOIN THE CONVERSATION

Three revealing stories about how family dynamics change when a loved one has Alzheimer's disease.

MAY 13 7PM

MAY 18 2-4PM

FREE FILM SCREENING OF:
JOIN or DIE
 A film about why you should join a club...and why the fate of America depends on it.

Rotary Benicia, CA

SMASH BROS VIDEO GAME TOURNAMENT
 SATURDAY MAY 10
 Sign-ups at 3PM
 Tournament starts at 4PM
 Ages 8 and up.

AP CAFÉ
MAY 12 from 6-8:30PM

STUDY FOR AP EXAMS AND ENJOY FREE COFFEE AND SNACKS

Doña Benicia Room

INDIE LENS **POP UP**
 Join us for a film screening for adults and teens.

HOME COURT
 WATCH THE FILM & JOIN THE CONVERSATION

An Asian American high school star pursues her hoop dream as recruiting intensifies.

MAY 20 7PM

May brings multiple movie showings at the Library! We'll see you in the Doña Benicia Room.

Scan the code to add any event to YOUR calendar!
bit.ly/beniciacalendar

BENICIA PUBLIC LIBRARY

INDIE LENS **POP UP**
 Join us for a film screening for adults.

WE WANT THE FUNK!
 WATCH THE FILM & JOIN THE CONVERSATION

Stanley Nelson's syncopated voyage through the history of funk music, from early roots to 1970s urban funk and beyond.

MAY 31 1-3PM