



# S.T.A.M.P.S

StoryTimes And More Program Schedule

**July 2024**

## Local History Week July 22 - 27

Join us for the 6th Annual Local History Week! Enjoy two virtual scavenger hunts during the week. For more information about Local History Week or the scavenger hunts, go to

<https://sjpl.lib.mo.us/localhistoryweek>

You can also find information about traveling exhibits, virtual guided tours, and oral history project kits and archival kits.

## Library Closings

**Independence Day**

July 4

## All Ages

### Programs

- July 2 @ 1 p.m., **Crafternoon** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 2 @ 4 p.m., **Tricky Tuesday** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 6 @ 10:30 a.m., **Book Buddies Reading Dogs** at the East Hills Library.
- July 9 @ 1 p.m., **Crafternoon** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 9 @ 4 p.m., **Tricky Tuesday** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 10 @ 10 a.m., **Tie-Dye Adventures** at the East Hills Library.
- July 16 @ 1 p.m., **Crafternoon** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 16 @ 4 p.m., **Tricky Tuesday** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 18 @ 10 a.m., **Touch-A-Truck** at the East Hills Library.
- July 18 @ 6 p.m., **LEGO Club** at the East Hills Library.
- July 23 @ 1 p.m., **Crafternoon** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 23 @ 4 p.m., **Tricky Tuesday** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 24 @ 10 a.m., **Animal Adventures with Ms. Sarah** at the East Hills Library.

## All Ages

### Programs

- July 25 @ 8 p.m., **Throwback Thursday Movies** featuring the 1991 film *Fried Green Tomatoes* [PG-13] in the park at Carnegie Library.
- July 26 @ 6 p.m., ¡**Lotería en la Biblioteca!** at the Downtown Library.
- July 27 @ 3:30 p.m., **Teen Theater Camp - Performance** at the East Hills Library.
- July 30 @ 1 p.m., **Crafternoon** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 30 @ 4 p.m., **Tricky Tuesday** at the Washington Park Library.

## Pre-Kindergarten

### Programs

- July 1 @ 10 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 3 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 8 @ 10 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 10 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 11 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 12 @ 10 a.m., **Messy Munchkins** at the East Hills Library.
- July 15 @ 10 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 17 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 19 @ 10 a.m., **Messy Munchkins** at the East Hills Library.
- July 22 @ 10 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 24 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 26 @ 10 a.m., **Messy Munchkins** at the East Hills Library.
- July 29 @ 10 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 31 @ 10:30 a.m., **Summer Storytime** at the Carnegie Library.

### **Adventure Begins at Your Library Join the Summer Reading Program!**

Babies, children and teens are all invited to participate in the Summer Reading Program through July 31st. For every 4 hours of reading you will get prizes. There are 3 prize levels for a total of 12 hours of summer reading fun!

Register and participate through [sjplibrary.beanstack.org](http://sjplibrary.beanstack.org) or visit your local library.

# Kindergarten-8th Grade

## Programs

- July 5 @ 1:30 p.m., **Summer Camp Crafts** for 7 - 10 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 11 @ 1 p.m., **4H STEAM Fun: Rocket Science** for 8 - 12 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 11 @ 2 p.m., **A+ Readers** at the East Hills Library.
- July 12 @ 1:30 p.m., **Summer Camp Crafts** for 7 - 10 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 15 @ 4 p.m., **Make a Splash** for 4 - 10 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 17 @ 10 a.m., **Astronaut Adventures** for 3 - 8 year-olds at the East Hills Library.
- July 18 @ 2 p.m., **A+ Readers** at the East Hills Library.
- July 20 @ 1 p.m., **STEAM Saturday: Ice Cream Taste Test** for Kindergarten - 8th graders at the East Hills Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 25 @ 1 p.m., **4H STEAM Fun: It's Sew Cool** for 8 - 12 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 25 @ 2 p.m., **A+ Readers** at the East Hills Library.
- July 29 @ 4 p.m., **Bird Feeder** for 4 - 10 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 31 @ 4 p.m., **Unconventional Art Club** for 8 - 13 year-olds at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**

# 7th-12th Grade

## Programs

- July 1 @ 6 p.m., **Stamp Art Paper Fan** at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 1 @ 6 p.m., **Un-bored Game Night** at the East Hills Library.
- July 3 @ 2 p.m., **Teen Greek Mythology - The Myth of Sisyphus/Painting** at the Downtown Library. **Sign-up required.**
- July 12 @ 1 p.m., **Teens Hangout** at the East Hills Library.
- July 17 @ 4:30 p.m., **Anime Club** at the East Hills Library.
- July 18 @ 4 p.m., **Paint with Gems** at the Washington Park Library. **Sign-up required.**

## Teen Theater Camp - Reader's Theater

July 22 - 27 @ 2 p.m.

This whole week, we will be rehearsing "Bad Auditions for Bad Actors" by Ian McWethy. This 40 minute play will be performed at 3:30 P.M Saturday July 27th. A Reader's Theater is a way to get students involved with theater, but does not put the pressure of memorizing lines on them. This gives them an opportunity to focus more on technique and reading practice. Join us to work on your acting skills!

**Sign-up required.**

# 18 and up

## Programs

- July 1 @ 1 p.m., **Armchair Travel Series - Romantic Europe** at the East Hills Library. Sign-up required.
- July 1 @ 6 p.m., **Stamp Art Paper Fan** at the Downtown Library. Sign-up required.
- July 2 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Tuesday Night Movies** featuring the 1939 film *The Wizard of Oz* [PG] at the East Hills Library. Hosted by movie critic Bob Shultz.
- July 6 @ 2 p.m., **History Speaks - From Goosetown to Midtown: How Immigration Shaped a Neighborhood** at the Downtown Library.
- July 8 @ 6 p.m., **DIY Book Nooks** at the East Hills Library. Sign-up required.
- July 9 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Tuesday Night Movies** featuring the 1965 film *Beach Blanket Bingo* [G] at the East Hills Library. Hosted by movie critic Bob Shultz.
- July 9 @ 6:30 p.m., **Final Girl Book Club** at The Provident, 513 Francis St.
- July 10 @ 6 p.m., **Spanish Club for Adults** at the Downtown Library.
- July 11 @ 2 p.m., **BYOBook Club** at the Washington Park Library.
- July 11 @ 5:30 p.m., **Crêpe! That's Delicious!** at the Downtown Library. Sign-up required.
- July 15 @ 6 p.m., **Bingo Night** at the East Hills Library.
- July 16 @ 10 a.m., **East Hills Book Club** at the East Hills Library. This month's book is *Jackie: Public, Private, Secret* by J. Randy Taraborrelli.
- July 16 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Tuesday Night Movies** featuring the 1996 film *Twister* [PG-13] at the East Hills Library. Hosted by movie critic Bob Shultz.
- July 18 @ 6 p.m., **True Crime Time: St. Joe's Murderous Past** at the Downtown Library.
- July 20 @ 10:30 a.m., **Tea Time with Jenny** at the Carnegie Library.
- July 20 @ 1 p.m., **Ancient Astronomy Explained: VAT 243: The Solar System Seal** at the Downtown Library.
- July 22 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Book Club Downtown** at the Downtown Library. This month's book is *Tom Lake* by Ann Patchett.
- July 23 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Tuesday Night Movies** featuring the 1988 film *Great Outdoors* [PG] at the East Hills Library. Hosted by movie critic Bob Shultz.
- July 24 @ 6 p.m., **Spanish Club for Adults** at the Downtown Library.
- July 25 @ 6 p.m., **Casual Commander Club** at the East Hills Library.
- July 27 @ 1 p.m., **Ancient Astronomy Explained: The Principles of Divination** at the Downtown Library.
- July 27 @ 4 p.m., **Afternoon Tea Book Club** at Alchemy Tea Co, 617 Felix St. This month's book is *The Summer Book Club* by Susan Mallery.
- July 30 @ 6:30 p.m., **Friends Tuesday Night Movies** featuring the 2023 film *Migration* [PG] at the East Hills Library. Hosted by movie critic Bob Shultz.
- July 31 @ 7 p.m., **Virtual Murder, She Read: Cozy Mystery Book Discussion with Author.** This month's book is *An American in Scotland* by Lucy Connelly. Virtual on Zoom, sign-up required.



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For more information or for any required registration, please contact the corresponding library or visit our web calendar at [sjpl.librarymarket.com](http://sjpl.librarymarket.com)

**Carnegie Library** - 316 Massachusetts St., St. Joseph, MO 64504, 816-238-0526.

**Downtown Library** - 927 Felix St., St. Joseph, MO 64501, 816-232-7729 (Adult Circulation),  
816-232-3812 (Children's Department) & 816-232-8151 (Reference)

**East Hills Library** - 502 N. Woodbine Rd., St. Joseph, MO 64506, 816-236-2136 (Adult Circulation),  
816-236-1424 (Children's Department)

**Washington Park Library** - 1821 N. 3rd St., St. Joseph, MO 64505, 816-232-2052.

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