



Baby and Toddler Story Time

Monday, April 7, 14, 21 and 28
10:15-11 a.m.

Interim Lakewood Pierce County Library

Wednesday, April 9 and 23

10:30-11:15 a.m.

Lakewood Family Resource Center

11150 Gravelly Lake Drive SW

Enjoy books, action rhymes, knee bounces, songs and more. Ages 0-3.

Family Story Time

Monday, April 7, 14, 21 and 28

11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Tuesday, April 8, 15, 22 and 29

10:30-11:30 a.m.



Saturday, April 12, 19 and 26
10:30-11:30 a.m.

Stories, art activities, rhymes, singing and fingerplays for the whole family. Ages 0-6.

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YOUR library card saves YOU money!

Enjoy a variety of free services from YOUR Pierce County Library System!

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

Thanks to the Pierce County Library Foundation and FRIENDS of the Lakewood Library which support many of these events and classes.

STORY TIMES continued...

Cuentos Bilingües: Bilingual Story Time

Thursday, April 10, 17 and 24

11 a.m.-noon

Lakewood Family Resource Center

11150 Gravelly Lake Drive SW

Disfrute libros bilingües, rimas, canciones y arte! Edades 3-6.

Enjoy bilingual books, rhymes, songs and art. Ages 3-6.

Fiesta de Pijamas Virtual Bilingüe/ Virtual Bilingual Pajama Party*

Thursdays, 7-7:35 p.m.

¡Venga en pijama a disfrutar de libros bilingües, canciones y más antes de ir a dormir! Edades 2-6. Join in your pajamas and enjoy bilingual books, songs and more before bedtime! Ages 2-6.

Read with a Daffodil Princess

Saturday, April 12, 2-3 p.m.

Enjoy story time with a Daffodil Princess! They will also talk with children and be available for photos. Ages 3-8.

Pierce County Library System
STEAM

Explore, build, game and create with STEAM programming at the library for all ages.

Find a program near you at mypcls.org/calendar

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April Events

FREE

Attend in-person and virtual events!
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Visit mypcls.org/calendar for more Library events and information.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS



Virtual Talk Time: English Conversation for ESL Learners*
Tuesdays, 10-11 a.m. and Thursdays, 6-7 p.m.

Learn, connect and practice English language skills. For ESL learners and English speakers wanting to connect.



Drop-In Tech Help
Thursday, April 3 and 17
1:30-3:30 p.m.

Bring your questions and devices, and staff will help with basic tech problems.

Book Banter

Friday, April 4, 2-3 p.m.

Lakewood History Museum
6114 Motor Ave. SW



Share what you're reading and get suggestions for your next read from Library staff.

Virtual Scribblers' Society: Writing Workshop*

Friday, April 4, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Get together with other writers to write, edit, critique and discuss. Attend virtually or at the Sumner Pierce County Library.

Third Thursday Teen Book Club

Thursday, April 17

4-5 p.m.



Chat about whatever you're reading, watching or listening to over snacks and chill tunes. Ages 13-18.



ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Adultish Virtual Book Club*



Tuesday, April 8
5-6 p.m.

Read and discuss the monthly young adult or new adult book club pick. Ages 16 and up. April: "Unseele" by Ivelisse Housman

Virtual Story Hour(ish)*

Wednesday, April 9, 6-7 p.m.

A story time for grown-ups. Join virtually or at the Bonney Lake Pierce County Library.

Legal Help

Thursday, April 10
3:30-5:30 p.m.



Drop-in information and legal assistance related to landlord-tenant and family law from experts at Tacomaprobono.

Virtual Poetry Circle*

Saturday, April 12, 3-4:30 p.m.

Share poems you love, poems you're currently reading or poems you have written.

More EVENTS inside

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...



Lakewood Readers
Monday, April 21
5:30-6:30 p.m.
Read and discuss
"The Feather Thief"
by Kirk W. Johnson.

Un-American Activities:
The Blacklist Era and Hollywood*
Monday, April 28 **HUMANITIES WASHINGTON**
5:30-6:30 p.m.

Hear stories from Hollywood's blacklist era and how notables such as Humphrey Bogart, Elia Kazan and Charlie Chaplin were swept up in the frenzy from film reviewer Robert Horton.

Virtual Meditation Practice Group*
Wednesday, April 30, 6-7 p.m.

Join us for a meditation practice group for new and experienced meditators.

TEEN EVENTS



Tuesday Teen Hangout
Tuesday, April 1 and 15, 3-5 p.m.

Drop in and hangout with other teens.
Ages 13-18.

Teen Study Social
Wednesday, April 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 3-5 p.m.
and Friday, April 11 and 25, 3-5 p.m.

An inclusive and welcoming space to make homework, studying, reading or crafting more fun by socializing in a chill environment.
Ages 13-18.

Virtual Teen Council*
Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Make friends, play games, plan fun events and work on library projects.
Ages 13-19.

TEEN EVENTS continued...

Lakewood Teen Council
Thursday, April 3, 4-5 p.m.
Make new friends and earn volunteer hours by supporting your local Library.
Ages 13-18.

Virtual Dungeons & Dragons*
Friday, April 4 and 18, 3:30-5:45 p.m.
 Make a character and join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure.
Ages 13-18.

Third Thursday Teen Book Club
Thursday, April 17, 4-5 p.m.
 Chat about whatever you're reading, watching or listening to over snacks and chill tunes. Ages 13-18.

Anime and Manga Club
Tuesday, April 22, 3-4:30 p.m.
Watch, read and talk about your favorite anime and manga.
Ages 13-18.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



Baby and Toddler Open Play
Fridays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.
 Explore and engage with all kinds of toys, music and games.
Ages 0-3.

Read to a Rabbit
Friday, April 4, 3-5 p.m.
Share a story with a local adoptable bunny.
Ages 3-12.

Pokémon Club
Saturdays, 3-4 p.m.
 Learn how to play this famous card game and hang out with friends. Ages 5-12.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

Sunday Funday
Sundays, 3-5 p.m.
 Visit the children's section and play with Boredom Buster Boxes, a jar of distrActions and other games to enjoy. Ages 3 and up.

Family Safety
Monday, April 7, 4-5 p.m.
Build confidence and learn new ways to stay safe.
All ages.

Drop In and Celebrate the Month of the Military Child
Wednesday, April 9, 3-5 p.m.
 A celebration of the Month of the Military Child through the exploration of stations focused on art, engineering and more. All ages.

Make Me: A Community Art Night
Wednesday, April 23, 3-5 p.m.
 Connect with others over a monthly themed project.
All ages.

An Art Afternoon
Friday, April 25, 3-5 p.m.
 Get creative and make something with a variety of materials.
All ages.

Dandelions & Dogs
Wednesday, April 30, 4-5 p.m.
 Create dandelion art while surrounded and supported by therapy dogs and their handlers.
All ages.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...



Dino Afternoon
Wednesday, April 2, 3-5 p.m.
Explore dinosaur specimens from the Burke Museum and dinosaur activities.
All ages.

Bricks4Kids: Spike Prime*
Friday, April 18, 4-5 p.m.
Build and code a LEGO® robot.
Ages 9-14.

Why STEAM?

STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) learning builds critical thinking skills and grows the next generation of innovators.

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Mango Languages

Learn more than 70 world languages!

I didn't know my library had this!

- Self-paced learning
- ESL tutorials in 20+ languages
- Newly added: Mango for American Sign Language

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