



### Baby and Toddler Story Time

**Mondays, 10:15-11 a.m.**

Join in with your child and enjoy books, action rhymes, knee bounces, songs and more. Ages 0-2.

### Family Story Time



**Mondays, 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.**

**Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.**

**Saturdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.**

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

### Cuentos Bilingües: Bilingual Story Time

**Thursday, July 3 and 10  
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.

Sign up for  
e-newsletter:  
[news.pcls.us](http://news.pcls.us)

**YOUR library card saves YOU money!**

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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...

#### German-English Story Hour

**Thursday, July 31, 10:30-11:30 a.m.**

Join us for stories, songs and more in German and English. Ages 2-10.  
Erleben Sie Geschichten, Lieder und mehr auf Deutsch und Englisch. Alter 2-10.

#### Fiesta de Pijamas Virtual Bilingüe/ Virtual Bilingual Pajama Party \*

**Thursday, July 3 and 10, 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.

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my library  
had this!

**LIBRARY IS CLOSED:  
July 4 for Independence Day**

# July Events

**FREE**

**Attend in-person  
and virtual events!**

\* Event requires registration  
at [mypcls.org/calendar](http://mypcls.org/calendar).

Visit [mypcls.org/calendar](http://mypcls.org/calendar)  
for more Library events  
and information.

### Patch Making Workshop

**Saturday, July 19  
1:30-3 p.m.**

Create a one-of-a-kind  
fabric patch using  
reclaimed materials.  
Aged 13-18.



### ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS



#### Virtual Talk Time: English Conversation for ESL Learners\*



**Tuesday, July 8, 15, 22 and 29  
10-11 a.m. and  
Thursday, July 10, 17, 24 and 31  
6-7 p.m.**

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

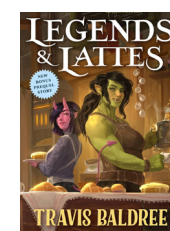
#### Drop-in Tech Help



**Thursday, July 3 and 10  
1:30-3 p.m.**

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

#### Virtual Adultish Book Club\*



**Tuesday, July 8  
5-6 p.m.**

Read and discuss the monthly young adult or new adult book club pick. Ages 16 and up.  
July: "Legends & Lattes" by Travis Baldree

### ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

#### Hybrid Story Hour(ish)\*

**Wednesday, July 9  
6-7 p.m.**

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

#### Hybrid Scribblers' Society: Writing Workshop\*

**Friday, July 11  
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.

#### Virtual Poetry Circle\*

**Saturday, July 12  
3-4:30 p.m.**

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



#### Lakewood Readers

**Monday, July 28  
5:30-6:30 p.m.**

Read and discuss  
"Exhalation"  
by Ted Chiang.

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ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

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

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


**Virtual Author Talk with Pria Anand\***  
**Thursday, July 31**  
**11 a.m.-noon**  
Author Pria Anand discusses her new book “The Mind Electric: A Neurologist on the Strangeness and Wonder of Our Brains.” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.




TEEN EVENTS



**Virtual Dungeons & Dragons\***  
**Friday, July 11 and 25**  
**3:30-5:45 p.m.**


 Make a character and join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

**Virtual Author Talk with Marie Lu\***  
**Thursday, July 17**  
**1-2 p.m.**

 Explore the intricate world of “Legend” with author Marie Lu as she encourages readers to look beyond the surface and reveal hidden secrets. In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 13-18.

**Patch Making Workshop**  
**Saturday, July 19**  
**1:30-3 p.m.**  
 Create a one-of-a-kind fabric patch using reclaimed materials. Aged 13-18.


**Virtual Author Talk with Rex Ogle\***  
**Wednesday, July 23**  
**1-2 p.m.**

 Author Rex Ogle talks about his struggles to navigate sixth grade as written about in his book “Free Lunch.” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 9-18.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



**Pokémon Club**  
**Saturday, July 5, 12 and 26**  
**3-4 p.m.**

 Learn how to play this famous card game and hang out with friends. Ages 5-12.


**Virtual Author Talk with Raúl The Third\***  
**Tuesday, July 8**  
**11 a.m.-noon and 1-2 p.m.**

Join author and illustrator Raúl The Third as he discusses his book “¡Vamos! Let’s Go Read!” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 3-10. Acompaña al autor e ilustrador Raúl The Third en su charla sobre su libro “¡Vamos! ¡A leer!”. En colaboración con el Consorcio de Oradores de la Biblioteca. Edades 3-10.



- 11 a.m.: Presentado en Español.
- 1 p.m.: Presented in English.


**Baby and Toddler Open Play**  
**Friday, July 11, 18 and 25**  
**10:30-11:30 a.m.**

 Enjoy unstructured play with toys and games. Ages 0-3.


**Read to a Rabbit**  
**Friday, July 11**  
**3-5 p.m.**  
Share a story with a local adoptable bunny. Practice your reading aloud skills while entertaining the resident rabbits from the Tacoma Pierce County Humane Society. Ages 3-12.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

**GOT C.L.A.S.S.**  
**Saturday, July 12 and 26**  
**1-2 p.m.**  
Certified peer counselor Frieda Douglas Banks supports and guides children in grades 6-8 through their own self-directed projects and goals. Ages 9-12.

**Gansango Music & Dance**  
**Saturday, July 19**  
**3:30-4:30 p.m.**  
 Enjoy live drumming and dance from the rich cultural traditions of Benin and Ghana in West Africa. Ages 3-18.

**Make Me:**  
**A Community Art Night**  
**Wednesday, July 23**  
**3-5 p.m.**

 Connect with others over a monthly themed project. All ages.

More EVENTS on back



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