Baby Story Time

Tuesday, Aug. 5 and 12 10:30-11:15 a.m.

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

STORY TIMES continued...

Family Story Time



Tuesday, Aug. 5 and 12 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

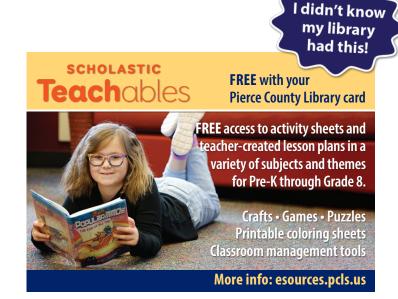
Stories, art activities, rhymes, singing and fingerplays for the whole family.

Ages 0-6.



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Sumner Pierce County Library August Events

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ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS



Hybrid Scribblers' Society: Writing Workshop*

Friday, Aug. 1 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.

Find-a-Friend*

Saturday, Aug. 2 10:30 a.m.-noon



Meet new people, make lasting connections and enjoy casual fun and conversation with games, crafts and engaging activities.

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.

Wednesday, August 13 11 a.m.-noon Experience the magic of reading with magician Jeff Evans. Ages 3-10.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Virtual Author Talk with Dr. Jay Falk*



Tuesday, Aug. 5 11 a.m.-noon

Author Dr. Jay Jinsing Falk discusses his new book "The Bird Book: The Stories, Science, and History of Birds." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

Digital Skills Class

Thursday, Aug. 7 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Learn basic digital skills from trained instructors.

Tabletop Adventures *

Saturday, Aug. 9 and 23 1-4 p.m.



Explore tabletop roleplay games using various systems in a variety of unique settings.

- Aug. 9: DIY terrain. Ages 13 and up.
- Aug. 23: Live play. Ages 18 and up.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Virtual Poetry Circle*

Saturday, Aug. 9 3-4:30 p.m.

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

Virtual Adultish Book Club*



Tuesday, Aug. 12 5-6 p.m.

Read and discuss the monthly young adult or new adult book club pick. Ages 16 and up. August: "Highly Suspicious and Unfairly Cute" by Talia Hibbert

Hybrid Story Hour(ish)*

Wednesday, Aug. 13 6-7 p.m.

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

Main Street Reads

Saturday, Aug. 16 1-2:30 p.m.

Rainier View Park 15603 Meade McCumber Rd. E.



Picnic in the park with a good read. Enjoy silent reading time followed by lively book conversation.

Zine Workshop

Sunday, Aug. 17 2-4:30 p.m.



Explore paper projects, experiment with new techniques and build a zine community.
All ages.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Virtual Author Talk with Casey McQuiston*



Wednesday, Aug. 20 4-5 p.m.

Author Casey McQuiston discusses their new book "The Pairing." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

All Things Medicare

Friday, Aug. 22 2-4 p.m.



Learn more about Medicare rights and options, including Medigap, Medicare Advantage, Medicaid, long-term care and fraud prevention.

Virtual Meditation Practice Group*

Wednesday, Aug. 27 6-7 p.m.



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

Virtual Author Talk with Dr. Tasha Eurich*



Thursday, Aug. 28 11 a.m.-noon.

Author Dr. Tasha Eurich discusses her new book "Shatterproof: How to Thrive in a World of Constant Chaos." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

Board Game and Puzzle Swap

Saturday, Aug. 30 1-4 p.m.



Bring your gently used puzzles and board games to swap with others. All ages.

TEEN EVENTS

Virtual Dungeons & Dragons*

Friday, Aug. 8 and 22 3:30-5:45 p.m.



All Ages

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

Tuesday Hangouts Summer Edition

Tuesday, Aug. 5, 12 and 19 4:30-6 p.m.

Enjoy an inclusive space to hang out with friends and play life-size versions of popular games! Ages 12-19.

Poetry and Writing Club*

Thursday, Aug. 7, 14 and 21 2:30-4 p.m.

More info: summerreading.pcls.us

Write, workshop ideas, share poetry, get feedback, work on your novel, meet writers, enjoy snacks and discuss books. Ages 13-18.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



Craft Table: Puffer Fish Stick Puppet

Thursday, Aug. 7 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Of Stories

Create a paper puffer fish.

While supplies last.

Ages 5-13.

Keychains and Bracelets*

Friday, Aug. 8 1-2:30 p.m.



Create charms, keychains and bracelets with a variety of letter and colored beads. Ages 5 and up.

Reading Magic with Jeff Evans

Wednesday, Aug. 13 11 a.m.-noon

Experience the magic of reading with magician Jeff Evans. Ages 3-10.

More EVENTS on back

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