



Virtual Author Talk with Sana Javeri Kadri and Asha Loupy*

Tuesday, June 23, 11 a.m.-noon

Authors Sana Javeri Kadri and Asha Loupy share about beautiful, simple, seasonal cooking inspired by family spice farms across India and Sri Lanka in their book "The Diaspora Spice Co. Cookbook." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Gig Harbor Nonfiction Book Club*

Thursday, June 25, 6-7 p.m.

Enjoy a book discussion on Zoom with your local librarians and neighbors. Ages 18 and up.

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

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

SUMMER Reading 2026
JUNE 1-AUG. 31

More info: summerreading.pcls.us

Pierce County Library System & Foundation

Explore Pride Stories and Voices this June

Conversation Cafe: Keith Haring Art Exploration

Friday, June 5, 3:30-5 p.m.
University Place Pierce County Library

Exploring Relationship to Land Through Printmaking

Sunday, June 14, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Bonney Lake Pierce County Library

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Steilacoom Pierce County Library

June Events

FREE

2026

ADULT EVENTS



Legal Help Pop-Up

Wednesday, June 10, 3-5 p.m.

Drop-in information and legal assistance from experts at TacomaProbono who will answer basic legal family law questions and eviction prevention assistance from Pierce County Human Services.



Conversation Café:

"Strangers in Town" Documentary

Thursday, June 18, 2-3 p.m.

In celebration of National Immigrant Heritage Month, enjoy the film "Strangers in Town," which tells the story of how global migration transformed and enriched Garden City, Kansas.



Voices of Valor: Honoring 250 Years with Untold Stories of Early America

Thursday, June 25, 4-5 p.m.

In celebration of America's 250th anniversary, journey into untold perspectives of early America, shining a light on the women, Black Americans and Indigenous people who helped shape our country's foundation. Ages 13 and up.

TEEN EVENTS



Wire Jewelry Making*

Wednesday, June 24, 4-5:30 p.m.

Create your own ring and pair of earrings. Ages 13-18.



LIBRARY IS CLOSED: June 19 for Juneteenth

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



Engineering Explorers

Tuesday, June 2, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

LEGO® bricks, Rigamajig building kits and building straws galore! Join us for engineering challenges with different building materials each month. Ages 6-12.



Art Explorers

Tuesday, June 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Show off your creativity with a craft or art project each month. Ages 6-12.



Science Explorers

Tuesday, June 16, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Learn about a science topic, then do an experiment or activity related to it. Ages 6-12.

Free Summer Meals for Kids

June 22-26, June 29 and June 30 11:15 a.m.-noon

Steilacoom Historical School District's Summer Food Service Program for children provides daily meals on weekdays for ages 1-18. Children and families are invited to enjoy their meal in the Library or outside on the lawn.



Story Time for Mixed Ages

**Tuesday, June 30,
11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.**

Stories, songs and movement activities for young children and their caregivers. Ages 0-5.



Magic Tree House Book Party

Tuesday, June 30, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Travel through history with Jack, Annie and your librarians to celebrate this beloved book series with crafts, activities and games centered around different places and time periods. Ages 3-12.

VIRTUAL EVENTS

Virtual Talk Time*

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 with and support ESL learners. Ages 13 and up.

Virtual Author Talk with Mary Savig*

Wednesday, June 3, 11 a.m.-noon



Enjoy a fascinating discussion with Smithsonian Curator Mary Savig on the history and significance of craft at state fairs from blue-ribbon quilts to sculpted butter cows, and so much more highlighted in the book "State Fairs: Growing American Craft." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Hybrid and Virtual LGBTQIA+ Rights with Washington ACLU*

Learn what you need to know about Washington state's anti-discrimination laws and other state-based protections, changes to federal law regarding identification documents and more. Ages 18 and up. Attend virtually or at the following locations:

- Virtual Pierce County Library, Tuesday, June 9, 5-6 p.m.
- Hybrid at Graham Pierce County Library, Wednesday, June 10, 4-5 p.m.
- Virtual Pierce County Library, Thursday, June 18, 5:30-7 p.m.

Virtual Author Talk with Matt Dinniman*

Thursday, June 11, 4-5 p.m.



Local New York Times bestselling author Matt Dinniman of the Dungeon Crawler Carl series chats about his latest book "A Parade of Horribles." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Understanding Immigration Rights and Resources*

Thursday, June 11, 5-6 p.m.

Learn about immigration rights, available resources and ways to navigate challenges faced by immigrant communities. Attend virtually or at the Interim Lakewood Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Dungeons and Dragons: The Ongoing Campaign*

Friday, June 12 and 26, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

Virtual Author Talk with Ted Page*

Thursday, June 18, 11 a.m.-noon



Storyteller and blogger Ted Page shares about his book "Good Grandpa: Stories from the Heart of Grandfatherhood." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.