


April 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 10:15am Firefighters Storytime Spring Reading Program Begins!	2 3:00-4:00pm Drop-In LEGO
3 1:00-2:00pm Listening Tails	4 6:30pm Chestermere Loop Around the Lake Meeting	5 10:15-10:45am Stories to Go! At Waiting Room Café 7:00-8:30pm Bible Stories for Grownups	6 10:15am Storytime 1:30pm Baby & Me	7 7:00pm Novel Book Club 7:00-8:00pm Mad Science: Dinosaurs 7:00-9:00pm "Paint Nite" Fundraiser at the Landing	8 10:15am Storytime	9 3:00-4:00pm Drop-In LEGO
10 1:00-2:00pm Listening Tails	11 10:30-11:30am Meet & Greet with the Chestermere Therapy Dogs	12 10:00am Bee Talk with Preston Pouteaux	13 10:15am Storytime 1:30pm Baby & Me	14 12:00-1:00pm Lunch & Learn 7:00pm Library Board Meeting	15 10:15am Storytime 3:30-4:30pm Awesome Book Club	16 3:00-4:00pm Drop-In LEGO
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24	25	26 7:00-8:00pm Prize Wheel Event	27 10:15am Storytime 1:30pm Baby & Me 7:00-8:00pm Mad Science: Mad Machines	28 7:00-7:30pm RISE - Guided Meditation with Bonnie Harvey	29 10:15am Storytime 3:00-4:00pm Prize Wheel Event	30 3:00-4:00pm Drop-In LEGO Last Day of Spring Reading Program!
						



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Friday 10:00am—5:00pm
Saturday 10:00am—5:00pm
Sunday 12:00pm—4:00pm
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Program Guide

Spring Reading Program Friday, April 1 to Saturday, April 30

This program is designed to promote literacy and instill a love of reading. Sign up with your Library card and track your reading minutes. Everyone is welcome to participate in activities. The fun begins with a special Firefighters Storytime on Friday, April 1 at 10:15am. The Spring Reading Program runs April 1 to April 30.

Chestermere Loop Around the Lake Monday, April 4 at 6:30pm

This meeting is for anyone interested in helping out with this year's Loop Around the Lake. The run takes place on Sunday, June 26 and volunteers are needed to help plan and facilitate at the event.

Stories to Go! Tuesday April 5, 10:15am & Tuesday April 19, 10:15am

Join us for special storytimes at Waiting Room Café, 101, 288 Kinniburgh Blvd.

Paint Nite Thursday, April 7 at 7:00-9:00pm

Don't miss out on the fun. Our first Paint Night fundraiser is at Chestermere Landing Dockside Bar & Grill, 109 East Chestermere Drive. Tickets are \$45. The Library appreciates your support.

Mad Science: Dinosaurs (Grades 1-6) Thursday, April 7 at 7:00-8:00pm

Join the fun and examine real fossil casts. Discover the difference between the teeth of herbivores & carnivores. Be a paleontologist in a mini excavation and stain a fossilized T-Rex tooth to take home.

Register for this free event at <http://www.chestermerepubliclibrary.com/madscience>.

Meet & Greet with Therapy Dogs Monday, April 11 at 10:30-11:30am & Tuesday, April 19 at 7:00-8:00pm

Haven't met the dogs from Chestermere Therapy Dogs yet? Come down to the Library and meet some of these amazing animals and learn about what they do in and around our community.

Bee Talk with Preston Pouteaux Tuesday, April 12 at 10:00am

Preston is a local beekeeper who will share his love of bees at this entertaining and informative talk.

Lunch & Learn Thursday, April 14 at 12:00-1:00pm

"The Story of Chestermere!" Step into our history and see it come alive with this engaging, interactive program! Presented by: *The Chestermere Historical Foundation*. For more information, call Beth-Anna at (403) 207-7047.

RISE: Yoga & Alternative Healing Thursday, April 21 at 7:00-8:00pm

Inner Focus Yoga's Bonnie Harvey's personal experience with finding yoga and alternative healing.

Prize Wheel Event Tuesday, April 26 at 7:00-8:00pm and Friday, April 29 at 3:00-4:00pm

We're bringing in the Prize Wheel as part of our Spring Reading Program. This event is always a big hit. Join us for fun and prizes on one or both days.

Mad Science: Mad Machines (Grades 3-6) Wednesday, April 27 at 7:00-8:00pm

Students will have fun learning how wheels, levers, axels & pulleys make our lives easier. Students will get to experiment with each type of simple machine and will take home a drag racer.

Register for this free event at <http://www.chestermerepubliclibrary.com/madscience>.

RISE: Guided Meditation Thursday, April 28 at 7:00-7:30pm

One of the easiest ways to experience the overall benefits of meditation is through a guided experience. Join Bonnie Harvey of Inner Focus Yoga in this video conference session for just 30 minutes and feel worlds better!

Storytime Wednesdays & Fridays 10:15am

Bring your little ones to the Library for stories and songs.

Chestermere Baby & Me Wednesdays 1:30-3:30pm

You and your baby are invited to this free drop-in program. You can socialize with other parents and their babies and enjoy an informative talk or activity at 2:00pm. This program is brought to you by the Chestermere Public Library and Kidz 1st Network Parent Link Centre.

Apr. 6	Lullabies & Rhymes with Andrea
Apr. 13	Cassandra McManus Certified Holistic Nutritionist
Apr. 20	Tip Talk with Parent Link
Apr. 21	No speaker

Drop-In LEGO Saturdays 3:00-4:00pm

Come & build something wonderful with our LEGO. Open to children ages 8+ (adult supervision required for younger children).

Book Clubs There is no registration required for Chestermere Public Library book clubs. Just ask for the monthly book at the desk and attend the meeting!

Novel Book Club	Adults	The Elegance of the Hedgehog by: <i>Muriel Barbery</i>	Apr 7 @ 7:00pm
Awesome Book Club	Kids grades 7+	The Face on the Milk Carton by: <i>Caroline B. Cooney</i>	Apr 15 @ 3:30pm