NEWSBEAT
SUMMER 2024

BIRTHDAY BASH
AUG. 22-24

WARREN WHEELS
JUNE 2

Also Inside: Parks and Rec and Library Events!

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WARREN’S BIRTHDAY BASH

THURS AUG 22 - SAT AUG 24
LIVE MUSIC * BEER TENT * FOOD TRUCKS * CARNIVAL

WARREN CITY SQUARE LOCATED AT 1 CITY SQUARE, WARREN, MI 48093

LIVE MUSIC from Larry Lee & The Back in the Day Band from 1-3 PM
Cruisers and Car Clubs welcome!
Come park your car at City Square!
Come enjoy these timeless classic cars!

Touch a Truck Event
For the Kids!
Featuring Tour de Warren
with International Food Vendors

For the Warren Wheels Website
WARREN CITY SQUARE
1 City Square Warren, MI
cityofwarren.org/warrenwheels
Phone: 586-268-8400

WARREN WHEELS is a part of Cruisin’ 53, an annual car show and cruise that takes place on M-53 (Van Dyke) between 8 Mile & 14 Mile.

The official Cruisin’ 53 Car Show with parked prizes is located in front of Alls Warehouse at 10 and Van Dyke. Enter at City Center Plaza, 25005 Van Dyke Ave., Center Line, MI 48035.
Located next to the Center Line Independence Festival Carnival.
The best cars in the county are a must see!
$2,200 in cash prizes for both Stock and Modified on Engine pools:
FIRST PLACE: $500
SECOND PLACE: $300
THIRD PLACE: $100
- OVERALL BEST IN SHOW (only one): $1,000
- 40 car registration fee

car Show opens at 10 am
parade starts at 11:30
Car Show Awards at 4-6 p.m. at center stage
General parking located adjacent to Bank of America!

For a full list of Cruisin’ 53 activities and details on the Official Cruisin’ 53 Juried Car Show, visit Cruisin53.com.

Don’t miss the Official Cruisin’ 53 Car Parade at Noon!
Memberships Available for Warren, Center Line, & Sterling Heights Residents

**MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP:**
- YOUTH: $20
- ADULT: $25
- SENIOR: $20
- HOUSEHOLD: $50 ($10 PER ADDITIONAL YOUTH)

**YEARLY MEMBERSHIP:**
- YOUTH: $189
- ADULT: $249
- SENIOR: $189
- HOUSEHOLD: $480 ($48 PER ADDITIONAL YOUTH)

INCLUDES:
- AQUATIC CENTER
- LAP SWIMMING
- LAZY RIVER
- PLAY STRUCTURE
- HOT TUB
- SAUNA
- STEAM ROOM
- FITNESS CENTER
- GROUP FITNESS CLASSES
- OPEN BASKETBALL
- CHILDCARE
- BILLIARD ROOM

586-268-8400

**CHECK OUT WARREN PARKS AND RECREATION'S NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM.**
Login for information on class schedules, youth, adult, and senior activities, sports leagues, pavilion rentals, and much, much more!

**CLICK HERE FOR THE ONLINE REGISTRATION PAGE**

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**NEW!**
**ONLINE REGISTRATION!**

**ATTENTION SENIORS!**
Join us at the Fitzgerald Recreation Center every Tuesday and Thursday from 9am-2pm

**Pinocchio**
Tuesday at 10am

**FREE Prize BINGO**
every Thursday at 10am

**Chair Exercise with Sandy**
Tues. 10-11am & Thurs. 11am-noon ($2 ea. day)

**Come see us, or give us a call!**

(586) 759-0920

**Monthly Birthday Parties / Meet new friends**
Pot Lucks, Puzzles, and much more!

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**Swim Classes**

**PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM**
**AGES 4 AND UNDER**

- **Baby & Me:** With the parent's or adult's assistance, infants will learn water adjustment and basic water skills. Skills will be introduced through games, songs, and activities. Swim diaper and plastic pants required. For ages, 2 and under.
- **Tot & Me:** With the parent's or adult's assistance, toddlers will focus on water exploration, floating, basic locomotion, stroke readiness and stroke development. Skills will be introduced through games, songs, and activities. Swim diaper and plastic pants required for those under 3. For ages, 2 to 4.

**Preschool 1:** For children who are in class for the first time without a parent. Focusses on enjoyment in and on water adjustment (students do not go under water). Students are supported by a teacher for all skills. For ages, 3-4.

**Preschool 2:** For children who are not afraid of the water. This class will build upon basic swimming skills so children can gain more experience in the water. Students begin to go underwater and float, glide, kick, and swim with little to no assistance in this class. For ages, 3-4.

**Preschool 3:** Students will float, glide, kick, and swim with no assistance. Students will perform skills for longer durations/greater distances. Must be able to go underwater and swim on the front and back unassisted before enrolling. For ages, 3-4.

**LEVEL PROGRAMS-AGES 5 AND UP**

- **Level 1:** Students will work on coordination and refinement of strokes to increase endurance and efficiency while swimming. Flip turns will be introduced. Students must know all six strokes before enrolling. Ages, 7-14.

- **Level 2:** Students will work on coordination and refinement of strokes in order to swim with more ease, efficiency, power and smoothness over greater distances. Fitness elements will be taught to students. Must be proficient in all six strokes before enrolling. Ages, 8-14.

- **Level 3:** Students will increase endurance for front crawl/elementary backstroke. Participants will learn the backcrawl, sidestroke, breaststroke and butterfly. Class is held in deep water; must pass Level 2 before enrolling. Ages, 6-14.

- **Level 4:** Students will work on coordination and refinement of strokes to increase endurance and efficiency while swimming. Flip turns will be introduced. Students must know all six strokes before enrolling. Ages, 7-14.

- **Level 5:** Students will work on coordination and refinement of strokes in order to swim with more ease, efficiency, power and smoothness over greater distances. Fitness elements will be taught to students. Must be proficient in all six strokes before enrolling. Ages, 8-14.

**TEEN PROGRAM-AGES, 10-15**

- **Beginner Teen:** This class is for students that have minimal swimming experience. Students will learn how to float, glide, kick and swim on the front and back. This class is for students who cannot do skills independently. Ages, 10-15.

- **Intermediate Teen:** This class is for students who can already float, glide, kick and swim on the front and back. Students will be taught proper form and technique for swimming front and backcraw. Rhythmic breathing, elementary backstroke, and breaststroke will be introduced. Ages, 10-15.

- **Advanced Teen:** This class is for students that can proficiently swim the front crawl and back crawl, elementary backstroke and breaststroke. Sidestroke and butterfly will be introduced. Students will begin to learn advanced techniques such as turns, and will begin distance/endurance swimming. Ages, 10-15.

**ADULT PROGRAM-AGES, 16 AND UP**

- **Beginner Adult:** For those that have never swam before and have a fear of the water. Class focuses on becoming comfortable in and around the water. Skills will include going underwater, floating, gliding, kicking and swimming with the assistance of a flotation device and/or instructor if necessary.

- **Intermediate Adult:** For those that have completed the Beginner class or are comfortable in the water. Students should be able to swim independently before enrolling. Class focuses on various strokes such as the front crawl, back crawl, breaststroke, elementary backstroke, sidestroke and butterfly. Correct form/technique will be taught.

- **Advanced Adults:** For those who are strong swimmers and want to get a swim team type workout. This class will include proper stretches, warm-ups, workouts and cool downs.

**GROUP SWIM LESSONS**

Classes are once per week, 30 minutes. No make-ups or refunds due to missed classes. If the pool is closed due to maintenance issues or inclement weather, a make-up class will be scheduled at the end of the session. No refunds will be issued after the first class. Refunds will only be processed by the Aquatic Supervisor or Swim Lesson Coordinator. Facility usage is NOT included in swim lesson fees. Please refer to the class descriptions to determine the appropriate placement of your student. It is highly encouraged if unsure of student placement to attend the free testing day.
Gymnastics

8 Weeks
Wednesdays
June 12 - August 21
(No June 19, July 3 or 31)
A. 4-6 yrs (Co-Ed)  10-11am
B. 7-12 yrs (Girls)  11:15am-12:15pm
C. 4-6 yrs (Co-Ed)  5:30-6:30pm
D. 7-12 yrs (Girls)  6:30-7:30pm

Thursdays
June 13 - August 15
(No July 4 or August 1)
E. 2-3 yrs w/Adult   10-11am
F. 7-12 yrs (Girls)  11:15am-12:15pm
G. 4-6 yrs (Co-Ed)   5:30-6:30pm
H. 7-12 yrs Girls (Advanced)  6:30-7:30pm

Fee:
$80- Residents
$90 - Non-Residents

Builds: Strength & Flexibility
Just bring your enthusiasm!

• WEAR COMFORTABLE CLOTHES.
• Class is held in the BACKSTAGE room.
• ALL Leisure class participants need to enter at the Auditorium entrance on west side of building.

Register Online by scanning the QR code or go to https://web1.myvscloud.com/wbwsc/miwarrenvt.wsc/splash.html or call (586) 268-8400

Karate Classes
Summer 2024

Classes are
9 weeks

$90  Beginner Residents
$100  Advanced Residents
$10  Additional: Non-Residents (for either class)

• YOUTH (4-14 yrs.)  ACTIVITY #21701 (no class: July 6)
A. Beginner  10am - 11am  Saturdays: June 22 - Aug. 24
B. Advanced  11am - 12:30pm + 6pm - 7pm  Saturdays: June 22 - Aug. 24

• ADULT (15 yrs. & Up)  ACTIVITY #22708 (no class: July 6)
A. Beginner  7pm - 8pm  Mondays: June 24 - Aug. 19
B. Advanced  7pm - 8pm + 12:30pm - 1:30pm  Mondays: June 24 - Aug. 19

• Wear comfortable clothes.
• Class is held in the EXERCISE ROOM.
• ALL Leisure class participants need to enter at the Auditorium entrance on west side of building.

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COOKING CLASSES
with chef Andrea

Each class is taught by Andrea Janssen. Email: supplylist@gmail.com or call (586) 256-8144 for supply list.

Fee: (for each class) $30
Minimum of each class $30
Maximum: 20

Italian 3-Cheese Ravioli & Tortellini (1 day) Activity #22702
Saturday: June 15
1-3:30pm
Prepare dozens of delicious, all from scratch stuffed pasta over stuffed with your own custom-made fillings! Take home, cook & enjoy when you are ready.

Perfect Pierogies (1 day) Activity # 22701
Saturday: June 22
1-3:30pm
Make dozens of fresh, all made from scratch pierogi over stuffed with your favorite fillings. Take home, cook & enjoy when you are ready.

Michigan Pasties (1 day) Activity # 22704
Saturday: June 29
1-3:30pm
Create 8 amazing made from scratch pasties over stuffed with fresh veggies and seasoned meat or chicken filling. Take home, cook & enjoy when you are ready.

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Sign up now

SATURDAYS in JUNE
1PM - 3:30PM

Belly Dancing

THURSDAYS FOR 6 WEEKS
6-7PM
A. JUNE 6 - JULY 18 (NO JULY 4)
B. JULY 26 - AUG. 29

AGES: 18 YRS. & UP
FEE:
RESIDENTS: $60
NON-RESIDENTS: $70

Movement & Expression

ACTIVITY # 22716
Aims to provide a dynamic and inclusive space for individuals to explore the joy of movement and self-expression.
Class Objectives:
-Enhance physical fitness, flexibility and coordination
-Build confidence and self-esteem through movement
Class Structure:
Each session will consist of warm-up, technique drills, choreography and cool down exercises
*Bring a mat, water and wear comfortable clothes
WARREN
2024 SUMMER KIDS CLUB–PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

EACH DAY
10AM–3PM

AGES: KIDS 6-13 YEARS OLD
ACTIVITIES: SUPERVISED, SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES INCLUDING ACTIVE AND PASSIVE GAMES, CRAFTS, SPORTS,
& TOURNAMENTS
STAFF: ON-SITE TO PROVIDE OUTDOOR PROGRAMMING
FORMAT: DROP-IN PROGRAM (NOT CHILD CARE) CHILDREN MUST BE PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE!
ATTENDANCE: PARENT/GUARDIAN RESPONSIBILITY
WEATHER POLICY: PLAYGROUND SITE SHUTS DOWN IN SEVERE WEATHER
EMERGENCY PROTOCOL: EMERGENCY CARD REQUIRED; STAFF WILL CALL 911 IF NEEDED

DAYS/TIMES: MONDAY–THURSDAY, 10AM–3PM
SITES AND DATES: SHAW PARK, VETERANS PARK, MILLER PARK, MILLER PARK, MILLER PARK
END TIME: PROGRAM ENDS PROMPTLY AT 3PM; CHILDREN MUST VACATE SITE BY THEN

THIS PROGRAM IS FREE!

WARREN PARKS & RECREATION INTRODUCES:
"IT’S NOT JUST A PARK, IT’S AN ADVENTURE!"
JOIN US AT YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD PARK FOR A "FUN EVENING OF ACTIVITIES"

FRIDAYS/6–9PM:
JUNE 21–VETERANS PARK
(MOVIE: MIGRATION)
JUNE 19–SHAW PARK
(MOVIE: LITTLE MERMAID)
AUG. 16–BUSCHER PARK
(MOVIE: WISII)

ACTIVITIES ARE FREE AND INCLUDE:
– INFLATABLES
– AIRBRUSH FACE PAINTER
– KID GAMES
– KID CRAFT
– KID SHOW (7PM)
– MOVIE AT 8PM
(bring your blanket and enjoy)

ITEMS FOR PURCHASE
– FUN FOOD EXPRESS–FOOD TRUCK/SWEET DELIGHTS ICE CREAM TRUCK
– CRAFT & SPECIALTY VENDORS ON HAND TO SELL THEIR PRODUCTS

EVEN IF YOU DON’T LIVE NEAR THE PARK, COME AND HAVE FUN!
SUMMER PICKLEBALL LADDER LEAGUE

WED • June 26-Aug 7 • 6-8 PM

For players 2.5 to 4.0 level. This covers advanced beginner to advanced players. Open to men and women, league will be gender neutral. The ladder league format ensures we will have competitive matches. Each week players will play a round robin of 4 doubles matches with different partners. Higher scoring players move up. Lower scoring players move down. Players must know the rules of pickleball and how to keep score. There will be no referees. Players must show good sportsmanship and be able to resolve conflicts amicably. We will need subs over the course of the league.

Contact Coach Chip with any questions about what level is appropriate
313-670-3277
OR DROP US AN EMAIL TO chip@ifirstserve.net

20 PLAYERS MAX
Event # 23220

WARREN PARKS and REC PRESENTS

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$78
6 WEEKS (Skip July 3rd)

YOUTH ART POP UP

July
8th & 15th
Max per class: 15

$40/session

Monday (July 8)
A. 5-7 yrs. old 2–4pm RAINBOW TREE PAINTING
B. 8-12 yrs. old 4:30-6:30pm SUMMER SUNSET PAINTING
- Intro To Acrylic Painting
- Go over primary colors, color wheel
- Basic painting to apply new art concepts learned

Monday (July 15)
C. 5-7 yrs. old 2–4pm WATERMELON SLICES PAINTING
D. 8-12 yrs. old 4:30-6:30pm CITRUS FRUIT PAINTING
- Intro. To Watercolor technique painting
- Watercolor painting to apply art concepts of watercolor paint

WARREN COMMUNITY CENTER
ROOM 418

Supplies included: Art Easel
Paint: Acrylic, Watercolor, paint brushes, Canvas

Activity # 21710

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WARREN COMMUNITY CENTER
5460 Arden
Warren, MI
48091

Register online by scanning the QR code!
Warren Public Library
Happenings Summer 2024

Registration is required for library programs and begins one month prior to the event. To register, please call the library branch or visit our programs calendar at warrenlibrary.net. Warren residents have first priority.

The Warren Public Library provides accommodations to individuals with disabilities upon request. Please contact us at least five days in advance to discuss accommodations for both online and in-person events.

Seed Libraries
Seed Libraries are once again available at the Civic Center and Burnette Branch Libraries. Seeds include flowers, herbs, milkweed, fruits, and vegetables. Households can check out up to 3 seed packets per visit with a maximum of 12 packets per growing season and at the end of the season, return any harvested seeds to the donation box. If you have any questions, please call either the Civic Center Library at 586-751-0770 or the Burnette Branch Library at 586-353-0579.

Thank you to our 2024 seed library sponsors:
Grow Organic/Peaceful Valley
Seeds 4 Needs (Mgardener)
Snake River Seed Cooperative
Fedco Seed
Extra Credit Union
Baker Creek Heirloom Seed Co.
Peaceful Valley (groworganic.com)
Rochester Pollinators
Hudson Valley Seed Company
Buffalo Seed Company
Seed Savers Exchange

Computer Classes
Please call the library branch or visit our online calendar at warrenlibrary.net to register.

Introduction to Computers
6:00 pm Thursdays, July 11 & 18, Burnette Branch Library
This is a very basic beginning class on using a computer.

Introduction to the Internet
10:00 am Fridays, June 21 & 28 or 6:00 pm Thursdays, August 8 & 12, Burnette Branch Library
This is a very basic class on the Internet. Mouse and keyboard skills are required.

Adult Programs Summer 2024
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Social Security with Lakeshore Legal Aid
6:00 pm Tuesday, June 4, Burnette Branch Library
Join Aksha Johnson, Litigation Director at Lakeshore Legal Aid, for an informational presentation on Social Security (SSD/SSI).

Violent Positivity
6:30 pm Tuesday, June 11, Civic Center Library
Join former Selfridge Air National Guard Commander and retired Brigadier General Doug Siocum as he shares tales of his military journey and exalts his leadership style that he brands “violent positivity”.

Mythological Hero Perseus and the Gorgon with Harry Campion
6:00 pm Thursday, June 13, Miller Branch Library
Learn about the mythological quest of Perseus.

Embracing a Plant-Based Lifestyle
6:00 pm Tuesday, June 18, Civic Center Library
The library welcomes Kim and Marc, certified Food for Life instructors from the non-profit organization Chickpea and Bean, who will extoll the virtues of a plant-based lifestyle.

Adult Painting Craft
6:00 pm Thursdays, June 20 or 27, Civic Center Library
Join us as we learn to paint a summer sunset on canvas.

Fiber Arts Meetup
6:00 pm Thursdays, June 21, July 19 and August 22, Burnette Branch Library
Join other fiber art enthusiasts for a casual evening of fun and conversation. Bring your own project and supplies.

Garden Club
9:30 am Wednesdays, June 26, July 17 and August 21, behind the Burnette Branch Library
Join other garden enthusiasts to tend to the raised beds behind the library. The Burnette Garden Club welcomes members of all ages, however we suggest children be at least five years old to participate. We suggest you bring a pair of garden gloves, a water bottle, and a hat or sunglasses. Weather permitting.

Mini Latch Hook Rugs
6:00 pm Wednesday, June 26, Busch Branch Library
Learn how to latch hook. You will learn how to create a cute design that you can use as a coaster, small rug, or as artwork.

Adult Scavenger Hunt
July 1-31, Civic Center Library
Find all of the landmarks from around the world hidden in the adult services area and be entered in a drawing to win a gift card.

The Legend of the Sleeping Bear Dunes
6:00 pm Tuesday, July 2, Civic Center Library
Local author Martin Hahn hosts this fun and educational program that explores Michigan’s own Sleeping Bear Dunes. This is a family-oriented program, so all ages are welcome.

Hudson's: Detroit's World-Famous Department Store with Local Author Bruce Kopyst
6:00 pm Thursday, July 11, Miller Branch Library
Come join architect and historian Bruce Allen Kopyst as he leads you on an intoxicating journey of exploration through this lost Detroit landmark.

Carved Eraser Stamps
6:00 pm Wednesday, July 17, Busch Branch Library
Learn how to make your own stamp by carving a design into a rubber eraser.

Abstract Painting Craft
6:00 pm Thursday, July 25, Burnette Branch Library
Make a beautiful abstract painting using acrylic paint and canvas.

Yoga with Ania
6:30 pm Tuesday, August 13, Civic Center Library
Join Ania for an all-levels yoga class at the library. Wear comfy clothes, bring your mat and prepare for a rejuvenating and relaxing hour-long yoga session.

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**Teen Programs Summer 2024**

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**WPL Teen Book Box**

**All Library Branches Grades 6-12**


**Book Club & Trivia**

2:30 pm Saturdays, June 1, July 6, and August 3, Civic Center Library

Grades 6-12

Check out the book before the program, and then come discuss it. We will have games or trivia, a book discussion, and lots of rubber ducks. Open to all, even if you haven’t read the book.

**Teen Scavenger Hunt**

9:00 am-4:30 pm Saturday, June 8, Miller Branch Library

Summer Reading begins today. To celebrate (and to win a prize, of course), go on a scavenger hunt and discover how well you know your library.

**Teen Volunteer Council**

5:00 pm 2nd Thursdays, June 13, July 11, and August 8, Civic Center Library

Grades 7-12

Are you interested in volunteering to improve your community? Do you need service hours for NHS, Confirmation, or another activity? Projects vary but may include planning teen events, discussing goals for council, preparing crafts for library events, creating content for our teen social media page, and more.

**Chia Pet Pots – Teen Maker Night**

6:30 pm Thursday, June 13, Burnette Branch Library

Teens and tweens can DIY their own chia pet by painting a terracotta pot and planting seeds for “hair” inside.

**DIY Sqishy Plush**

2:00 pm Saturday, June 15, Civic Center Library

Make a sqishy plush in the style of Squishmallows. Sewing experience is not necessary for this craft, but we will be using needles and hot glue.

**Cruel Summer: a Taylor Swift Party**

6:00 pm Tuesday, June 18, Busch Branch Library

Dress as your favorite album era and join other Taylor Swift fans for an evening of friendship bracelets, karaoke, photo op, and more for this after-hours event.

**Geek Club**

6:00 pm 3rd Thursdays, June 20, July 18, and August 15, Civic Center Library

Do you enjoy things like comics, anime, video games, Kpop, or D&D? Whatever you stan, Geek Club is the place for you.

**CraftTeens: Adventure Journals & Trivia**

6:00 pm Tuesday, June 25, Miller Branch Library

Join us to decorate your own bucket-list journal for the (hopefully) adventure-filled summer ahead. Then we will have some adventure-themed trivia to get in the spirit.

**Adventure at Your Library**

**Guessing Jar**

July 1-31, Burnette Branch Library

Stop in to make a guess on the library’s jar of candy. Closest guess gets to take the jar home.

**Library Olympic Games**

6:30 pm Tuesday, July 9, Burnette Branch Library

Be the next Olympian by competing in library games, Kpop, or D&D? Whatever you stan, Geek Club is the place for you. Projects vary but may include planning teen events, discussing goals for council, preparing crafts for library events, creating content for our teen social media page, and more.

**Passport to Adventure Summer Series**

2:00 pm Wednesdays, July 10-August 21, Civic Center Library

Explore arts, culture, and food of peoples and places from around the world. Create your own art that is inspired by what you learn.

**Pirate Party Lock-In**

6:00 pm Friday, July 12, Miller Branch Library

Ahoy, me hearty! Join the library landlubbers for snacky grub and seafaring fun. Pirate attire welcome.

**Minecraft Flowers**

3:00 pm Friday, July 19, Busch Branch Library

Twens and teens will create a flower straight out of the Minecraft game using simple wooden blocks, glue, and paint.

**Adventure Path – The Sequel**

2:00 pm Saturday, July 20, Civic Center Conference Room

Our continuing adventure is determined by the decisions you make in this real-life program that combines elements of Dungeons and Dragons and the Choose Your Own Adventure book series.

**Anime Club**

6:00 pm Thursday, July 25, Civic Center Library

Grades 7-12

Watch anime and make a boba keychain. Please, no younger siblings for this event.

**Top That! Mini Brownie Edition**

6:00 pm Wednesday, August 14, Busch Branch Library

Enjoy a sweet treat topping mini brownies with various toppings while hanging out playing various board games.

**Retro Recess**

2:00 pm Saturday, July 20, Civic Center Library

Back by popular demand. Join us for outdoor games and activities. Wear clothes that can get wet and dirty.

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All Branches
Grades 3-5

Summer Scavenger Hunt
June 1-30, Busch Branch Library
Ages 3-11
Look throughout the library, find all the suns, and win a prize.

PAWS to Read
5:00-6:00 pm Wednesdays, June 5-August 28, Civic Center Library
Storytime Room
Children of all ages can read to a certified therapy dog. No registration is required for this drop-in program. Please call within an hour prior to each session to confirm that the therapy dog will visit.

Scavenger Hunt Adventure
9:00 am-4:30 pm Saturday, June 8, Miller Branch Library
Ages 3-11
Today we will celebrate the official start to Summer Reading in style. We will hear a story, learn about summer reading and all the activities planned at the library, sign-up for summer reading, and decorate a hot air balloon to help decorate the library.

Father's Day Craft
6:00 pm Thursday, June 13, Miller Branch Library
Ages 3-11
Create a special craft for your dad, grandpa, uncle, or other special person you would like to celebrate on Father's Day.

Adventures on a Picnic Story Time
1:00 pm Saturday, June 15, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
We will meet outside the library for this special picnic story time. Please bring a lunch and a blanket or towel to sit on. If it rains, we will hold our picnic inside.

Sky STEAM: Cool Clouds
6:30 pm Monday, June 17, Busch Branch Library
Ages 5-10
Curious about clouds? Learn how clouds form, make a cloud in a jar with hot water, ice, and hairspray, and take home your own cloud spotter.

Adventures Under the Sea Story Time and Craft
6:30 pm Tuesday, June 18, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
Join us to hear stories and songs about sea creatures and make a special craft.

Bug STEM
6:00 pm Thursday, June 20, Miller Branch Library
Ages 5-11
We will read bug stories, share bug facts, and create a glowing firefly.

Fun at the Fountain
3:00 pm Fridays, June 21, July 19, and August 9, Outside the Civic Center Library at the Fountain
Meet us at the Book Bike. We will have fun giveaways for children and their family. This program will be held weather permitting.

Crazy for Cookies
2:00 pm Saturday, June 22, Civic Center Conference Room
Children of All Ages
Come learn about different types of reptiles including snakes, lizards, turtles, and more during this interactive presentation.

Summer Story Time
6:30 pm Monday, June 24, Busch Branch Library
Ages 3-8
Let's celebrate the start of summer a little bit early with some stories, songs, and a craft.

Adventures Begins at Your Library
6:30 pm Tuesday, June 25, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
Join us as we kick off Summer Reading in style. We will hear a story, learn about summer reading and all the activities planned at the library, sign-up for summer reading, and decorate a hot air balloon to help decorate the library.

Summer Reading Kick-off 2024
6:00 pm Wednesday, June 26, Civic Center Library
Ages 3-5
Let's kick-off our Summer Reading 2024 with some fun outdoor crafts and enjoy a popsicle.

Fourth of July Crafts
6:00 pm Thursday, June 27, Miller Branch Library
Ages 3-11
Join us to make some fun patriotic crafts to decorate for Independence Day.

Adventure At Your Library Guessing Jar
July 1-31, Burnette Branch Library
Ages 3-5
Stop in to make a guess on the library's jar of candy. Closest guess gets to take the jar home.

Family Game Night
6:30 pm Monday, July 1, Busch Branch Library
Ages 5-10
Join us as we meet one of our Warren Firefighters and hear about his job. We will also look at a fire truck.

Nature Explorers Story Time
6:30 pm Monday, July 8, Busch Branch Library
Ages 3-8
We will learn about tropical animals and create Anglican crafts and an adventurous story time.

Adventures in Gardening
6:30 pm Tuesday, June 25, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
Join us to decorate a special flower pot and plant a seed.

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Explore all things nature in this story time about camping, hiking, and the great outdoors. After story time, we will make a campfire craft.

Adventures in Space Story Time and Craft
2:00 pm Tuesday, July 9, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
Join us as we meet one of our Warren Firefighters and hear about his job. We will also look at a fire truck.

Cookies & Canvas Jr.
6:00 pm Wednesday, July 10, Civic Center Atrium
Grades K-5
Join us to create a masterpiece of your very own and enjoy some cookies.

Suncatcher Art
6:00 pm Thursday, July 11, Miller Branch Library
Ages 5-11
Add some color to your windows with tissue paper suncatchers that we will be crafting at the library.

Fireman Visit
2:00 pm Saturday, July 13, Civic Center Library
Children of All Ages
Join us as we meet one of our Warren Firefighters and hear about his job. We will also look at a fire truck.

Fold and Fly
6:30 pm Monday, July 15, Busch Branch Library
Ages 5-10
Learn the basics for making some paper airplanes and then fly them to test their accuracy.

Kids Campfire Sing-Along
6:30 pm Tuesday, July 16, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
The entire family is encouraged to join us around our faux campfire to sing some silly camp songs. A snack will be provided.

Garden Stepping Stone Craft
6:00 pm Wednesday, July 17, Civic Center Library
Grades K-5
Children can make their own garden stepping stone out of a quick drying cement and objects from nature.

Shark Story Time
6:00 pm Thursday, July 18, Miller Branch Library
Ages 3-9
Shark week starts next week, so let's celebrate with some stories and a craft.

Adventures with Summer Crafts
10:00 am Saturday, July 20, Burnette Branch Library
Children of All Ages
A variety of summer crafts will be available for children to make.
**Adventures at the Zoo Story Time and Craft**

2:00 pm Tuesday, August 6, Burnette Branch Library

Children of All Ages

We will take an imaginary trip to the zoo with stories, songs, and a craft.

**Tote Bag Painting**

6:00 pm Wednesday, August 7, Civic Center Library Garden

Grades K-5

Join us to decorate a reusable tote bag.

**End of Summer Reading Celebration**

3:30 pm Saturday, August 10, Busch Branch Library

Children of All Ages

Celebrate a job well done with this year’s Summer Reading Club with crafts, treats, and prizes.

**Back to School Story Time**

6:30 pm Monday, August 19, Busch Branch Library

Ages 3-8

It’s almost time to go back to school. We will have stories and a craft to start the school year right.

**Pirate Adventure Scavenger Hunt**

6:00 pm Wednesday, August 21, Civic Center Library Children’s Area

Ages 3-9

Children can join us for a swashbuckling adventure to find the pirate’s treasure using a map and make a pirate craft.

**Rubber Ducky Day**

2:00 pm Saturday, August 24, Civic Center Conference Room

Ages 3-9

Join us for a ducky day. We will hear stories, decorate a duck, and choose a rubber ducky to take home.

**Library Garden**

6:00 pm Wednesday, August 7, Civic Center

Sand Art

6:30 pm Tuesday, August 15, Miller Branch Library

Children of All Ages

We will celebrate our summer reading stars with a show with Nick Thomas as he entertains us with his comedy juggling and slinky show.

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11:00 am Fridays, June 21-July 26, Miller Branch Library

Ages 3 ½-5

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Fee: $80 Residents
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Ages 7 & Up
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C. 7:10-7:40pm
D. 7:45-8:15pm
E. 8:20-8:50pm

Wednesdays
July 10, 17, 24 and Aug 7
F. 6:00-6:30pm
G. 6:35-7:05pm
H. 7:10-7:40pm
I. 7:45-8:15pm
J. 8:20-8:50pm

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- Actors Connection: New York with Tony Nation, Alison Frank, Brette Goldstein
- Locally: Magic Company Show Choir/Jeff Hinkle and Macomb Children’s Chorus with Janice Haines, Jeffery Zurkan & Betsy Marsh

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Thank You!
To everyone who participated in Warren’s Park Cleanup event on May 4th! Volunteers helped beautify Warren's parks by picking up trash and planting over 200 trees! The event was a great success!

Volunteers were stationed at all 29 parks in Warren. Trees were planted at Ridgewood Park, 13333 Rocine Rd., and Shaw Park, 22001 Warner Ave.

The Warren Parks and Recreation Department provided buckets, garbage bags, clippers and grabbers for the cleanup event.