Summer Programs for Children and Teens at the Library

The Quest for Heroes!
TD Summer Reading Club 2006
Sponsored across Canada by the TD Bank Financial Group. Come to a meeting at your local branch where you can get your activity book and poster and get started on a summer of reading fun! Runs throughout July and August. Free.

Drop-in Family Storytime
Stories, songs, and rhymes for children of all ages and their caregivers. Children under the age of 3 must be accompanied by an adult. Runs throughout July. Free.

Special Events
Tickets for all programs with prices indicated will be on sale at the corresponding location starting Tuesday, June 13, 2006 unless otherwise indicated. For professional performances, children under 4 years of age must be accompanied by a paying adult, and admission for infants is free. Tickets are non-refundable. Registration may be required.

Space is limited at all programs, and free programs are offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Parents are responsible for their children's supervision in the Library at all times. The Library reserves the right to limit attendance at any program.

Programs for Teens at the Mississauga Central Library
All programs are held in Meeting Room CL 2, (Administration Wing). For ages 12 and up. Space is limited. Please register in advance by calling 905-615-3200 x 3544.

Thursdays

July 6, 2 - 3 p.m.
Songwriting Workshop
Gregg Lawless presents an introductory workshop. Learn about common elements in popular songs, the nitty-gritty aspects of being a songwriter, and how to get others to believe in your work. - marketing!

July 13, 2 - 3 p.m.
Poetry Workshop
Budding poets wanted! Toronto’s own Mark Truscott guides you through the process of writing and refining your work, followed by an open mic session {if you’re up for it}

July 20, 2 - 3 p.m.
Night Sky Secrets: Explore the Stars!
Discover the fascinating world of astronomy with authors Jane Drake and Anne Love, highlighting their most recent work The Kids Book of the Night Sky. Learn about exciting new space discoveries as well as participate in fun interactive activities and games based on the night sky’s star-show!

July 27, 2 - 3 p.m.
Houdini: a Magical Life
Learn about the greatest real-life magician of all time Harry Houdini! Award- winning author Elizabeth MacLeod explores the amazing life of the magician who stunned audiences with his death-defying tricks such as hanging upside down from skyscrapers, leaping into rivers in chains and being locked and buried in airless coffins.

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Mississauga Central Library, Children's Department
905-615-3200 x3512

Monday- Friday
July 3 – August 25
3 – 4 p.m.
Summer Reading at Your Library: Reading buddies program
Ages 6 - 8 yrs.
Register in person by May 15, 2006. Space is limited.
For more information call: 905-615-3500, x3512.

Mondays
July 3 - July 31
10:30 - 11 a.m.
Drop-in Family Storytime
All ages
2 - 3 p.m.
TD French Summer Reading Club: Héros recherchés
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Tuesdays
July 4 – August 29
2 - 3 p.m.
TD Summer Reading Club: Quest for Heroes!
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Wednesdays
July 5 – August 30
11:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Drop-in Under the Big Top
All ages

July 5
Curious George Scavenger Hunt
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 3 & up $2

July 12
Jeopardy Kids Tournament
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $2

July 19
Chinese Crafts and Stories
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $2

July 26

Thursdays
July 6
Mission Impossible
11 - 11:45 a.m.
Ages 7 & up $2

July 6
Chicken Little, by Applefun Puppetry
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Noel Ryan Auditorium
Ages 3 & up $3

July 13
Origami for Kids!
11 - 12 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $3

July 17
Scavenger Hunt
July 7 – 28
Drop-in: Central's Puppeters present “Once Upon a Time…” puppet plays
11 - 11:30 a.m.
Ages 3 & up $2

July 7 – 28
Drop-in: See the Movie, Read the Book
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 3 - 7 yrs. $2

Thursdays
July 6 – August 24
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Burnhamthorpe Branch
905-615-4635

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 8
Drop-in Family Storytime
2 - 2:30 p.m.
All ages

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 8
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 2:30 p.m.
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Saturday
July 15
Polish Storytime
2 - 3 p.m.
In front of the Library
All ages $2

Burnhamthorpe Branch
905-615-4635

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 8
Drop-in Family Storytime
2 - 2:30 p.m.
All ages

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 24
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Special Events
July 10
St. John's Ambulance Babysitting Course
9 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Ages 11 - 15 yrs.
Course fee $60.
Please register in advance with St. John Ambulance at 905-568-1905.

July 12
Reptile Party
Meet some of our slippery and scaly animal friends.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $4
All people attending must purchase a ticket.

July 17
Scavenger Hunt
We've hidden stuff around the library – can you find it?
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $2
All people attending must purchase a ticket.

July 19
Make a Book with Your Child
Presented in partnership with Ontario Early Years Centres

August 8
Amazing Rainforest Journey through the Amazon rainforest with Loretta Penny
10 - 11 a.m.
Ages 6 & up $3

Wednesdays
July 5 – August 30
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up

Thursdays
July 6 – July 27
Drop-in Family Storytime
10 - 10:30 a.m.
All ages

July 6
Origami Made Easy
A workshop with Kathleen Hong Casimir
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 10 & up $3

July 13
Knitting Workshop
Yarn provided. Bring your own needles.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 10 & up $2

Clarkson Branch
905-615-4840

Tuesdays
July 4
First Nations Presentation
Enjoy the culture through music, artifacts and legends with Native storyteller Emilie Corbiere.
11 - 12 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $3

July 11
Quest for Heroes with Silly Miss Tilly presented by the Clowne Shoppe
11 - 11:45 a.m.
Ages 3 & up $3

July 18
Puppet Show by Jimbo the magician
11 - 11:45 a.m.
All ages $3

July 25
Musicians Shari and Jerry Family musical concert with dance contests and prizes
11 - 11:30 a.m.
Ages 3 & up $3

Courtenaypark Branch
905-615-4745

Mondays
July 10
Jimbo the Clown Puppetry and magic, for children and adults!
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up $3

July 17
Magician Scott Dietrich
Be dazzled by magician and illusionist extraordinaire!
2 - 2:30 p.m.
Ages 4 & up $4

July 24
Musicians Shari and Jerry A family musical concert.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 3 & up $3

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dragon puppet to act with & take home. Materials supplied.
Limit to 25 participants.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up $4

Thursdays
July 13
Tiny World Interactive Slide Show
Professional photography shares many heroes with us (some real, some imaginary) and makes us think about the heroes inside us.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up $3

July 20
Firefighter Bob
A real, live local hero, and recipient of the Ontario Firefighters Medal for Bravery, tells us his stories about fighting fires and saving lives.
A brief storyline will follow.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 5 & up $3

July 27
Get moving!
Play with mime, dance and drama through the basics of fun creative movement led by trained staff.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $2

August 3
Dylan’s Endeavour: For Dog Lovers
John Roe (local author) & his dog Dylan tell the story of Dylan’s own heroic “incredible journey” which inspired John to write his book (copies available)
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 5 & up

August 10
Puppet Show “Little Red Riding Hood” with our Lorne Park Library Puppeteers.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
All ages $2

Malton Branch 905-615-4640

Tuesdays
July 4 – August 15
TD Summer Reading Club
The Quest for Heroes
Start your summer fun here.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

July 11
Super Ape, Super Hero
Before Batman and Superman there was Hanuman. Hear his story and do a craft.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

July 18
Animal Heroes
Why my pet is my hero-stories and craft.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

July 25
Heroes of the Past
Hear stories of past heroes like Robin Hood and others.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

August 1
Champion Spelling Bee
Be a spelling hero.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

August 8
Valiant Videos
Cheer on some heroic videos.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

August 15
Dynamic Activity Day
Games, dancing-let's get moving!
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up.

August 17
TD Summer Reading Club
Superfun End of Program Party
Summer Reading Club members games and prizes!
2 - 2:45 p.m.
All ages.

Meadowvale Branch 905-615-4715

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 29
TD Summer Reading Club
Meet a Local Hero
Meet and hear from some Malton area everyday heroes.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up

July 13
TD Summer Reading Club
Epic Bingo
Everyone's favorite game is back with more prizes to give away.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up

July 20
TD Summer Reading Club
Super Hero Capes
Create your own crest and cape.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up

August 3
TD Summer Reading Club
Crazy Comic Books
Make a comic book.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up

August 10
TD Summer Reading Club
Superhuman Science
Join Malton's super scientist for more science fun.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 4 & up

August 17
TD Summer Reading Club
Superfun End of Program Party
Summer Reading Club members games and prizes!
2 - 2:45 p.m.
All ages

Mississauga Branch 905-615-4670

Special Events
Tuesdays
July 4
Puppet Show Rumpelstiltskin presented by Library Staff
2 - 2:45 p.m.
All ages $2

July 11
Quest for Heroes with Silly Miss Tilley the Clown Shoppe
2 - 2:45 p.m.
All ages $3

July 18
Make a Jacob's ladder. A tricky craft to amaze your friends.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 & up $2

July 25
Musician Shari and Jerry Family musical concert with participation prizes and more.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 3 & up $3

August 1
Origami made easy.
Fold flat sheets of paper into interesting shapes, flowers or animals, or make action origami that jumps, spins and tumbles.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 10 & up $3

Wednesdays
July 5 - July 26
10:30 - 11 a.m.
Drop-in Family Storytime
All ages

July 5 - August 16
Drop-in Family Storytime
10 - 10:30 a.m. and
2 - 2:30 p.m.
All ages.

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Sheridan Branch 905-615-4815

Tuesdays
July 4 - August 29
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 6 & up

Wedsdays
July 5 – July 26
Drop in-Family Storytime
2 - 2:30 p.m.
All ages

Special Events

Thursdays

July 6
Heroes in the Community
Animal Services Heroes will share pet care & dog bite safety tips. See a rabbit and a cat.
2 - 2:45 p.m.
Ages 5 & up
Limited to 40 participants

South Common Branch 905-615-4770

Mondays
July 3 – July 31
Drop-in Family Storytime
10:30 - 11:00 a.m.
All ages

Tuesdays
July 4
Puppet Show Rainbow Fish presented by Library Staff.
2 - 2:30 p.m.
Ages 3 & up
$2

July 11
Teen Reading Scene
Book Chat, latest fiction, graphic novels and magazines.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 12 - 17 yrs.
Registration required.

July 18
The Old West Campfire
Craft and stories.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 - 12 yrs.

Tuesdays
August 1
Scrapping Workshop
Learn how to be creative with your photos. Bring 5 - 6 photographs.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up
$2

August 8
Mythological Creatures
Craft & Stories
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up
$2

August 15
Heroes and Heroines
Around the World
Craft & Stories
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up
$2

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August 16 - 30
Spiderwick Adventure
Come and explore the world of the Spiderwick Chronicles.
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up

Thursdays
July 13 – August 31
TD Summer Reading Club
2 - 3 p.m.
Ages 6 & up

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|                    | Quest for Heroes with Silly Miss Tilly of Clown Shoppe. |
|                    | 2 - 2:45 p.m. |
|                    | Ages 3 & up |
|                    | $3         |

Why do families in Mississauga choose Family Day?

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