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## **July 2016 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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Spokane, Washington – All Spokane Public Library programs are free of charge and disabled access is available.

### **Saturday, July 16, 2016**

**Travel Light with eBooks! – 10 a.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Want to travel lighter this summer? Learn how to download ebooks to your device for free from Spokane Public Library. Bring your charged device, your library card, your Apple ID and Amazon login information. Registration highly recommended.

**Using your Digital Camera – 11 a.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Come learn how to use your point and shoot digital camera in ways to produce great pics! When to use flash mode and not. What are all the other "modes" on your camera used for? Can your smart phone take good pics? How to capture great still shots without being a professional.

**Basic First Aid for Youth – 11:30 a.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Kids will learn basic first aid skills including bandaging a wound, tying a sling, as well as administering back blow and stomach thrusts if someone is choking. We emphasize the importance of calling 9-1-1 in an emergency. Students will take home their own practice First Aid Kit.

**Zootopia– 2:00 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** In a city inhabited by animals who have abandoned traditional predator/prey roles in favor of civilized coexistence, uptight rabbit police officer Judy Hopps is forced to work with charismatic fox con artist Nick Wilde to crack a major case involving the mysterious disappearance of some carnivorous citizens. But when a few of the missing critters reappear, having reverted to pre-enlightenment savagery, it exposes existing anti-predator prejudice among the city's prey that threatens to damage the fabric of their diverse metropolis.

**Cecil the Magician! – 2 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Join Cecil the Magician for an amazing magic show!

**Hillyard Library Crafternoon – 2 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** We're opening our meeting room to crafters to enjoy each other's company as we work! Bring your project and your conversation, and we'll offer light refreshments. We'll also have adult coloring pages and a simple craft available for those who don't bring a project. This month: Ribbon bookmarks!

### **Monday, July 18, 2016**

**Spokane Taiko – 6:30 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Spokane Taiko's energetic performance on traditional Japanese drums will be a great event. The drums have an incredible sound that you feel through your whole body. Who knew that music could be such a workout?

## **Tuesday, July 19, 2016**

**Amazing Science! – 2 and 3:30 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Join the staff from Mobius Science Center for an amazing science show. It's an excellent chance to experience the wonder of our world through science.

**Spokane Taiko – 3 p.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Spokane Taiko's energetic performance on traditional Japanese drums will be a great event. The drums have an incredible sound that you feel through your whole body. Who knew that music could be such a workout?

**Introduction to Fly Fishing – 6 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Join Rick Newman from the Spokane Fly Fishers to learn the basics of fly fishing. What you need, places to go, and the kinds of fish that can be caught will be discussed. A wide variety of flies and gear will be displayed and also images of local rivers and places to go.

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## **Wednesday, July 20, 2016**

**Asset Protection Estate Planning – 1:30 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Join us for a discussion of what you need to know to protect your assets with estate planning.

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**Appy Hour Digital Support – 3:30 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Do you need help with your electronic device? Appy Hour is here to lend a hand! We can help you modernize your online presence, understand your smartphone, learn Microsoft programs or download applications to your tablet.

## **Thursday, July 21, 2016**

**Zumba! – 12:00 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Wonder what Zumba is all about? Come find out with a 'taste of Zumba'! You'll learn what Zumba is, its health benefits, and actually participate in a Zumba class! Wear comfortable clothes, and bring a towel and a water bottle! Our instructor, Lisa, teaches students of all ages and abilities, so don't be afraid to give it a try!

**Amazing Science! – 3 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Join the staff from Mobius Science Center for an amazing science show. It's an excellent chance to experience the wonder of our world through science.

## **Friday, July 22, 2016**

**Amazing Science! – 2 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Join the staff from Mobius Science Center for an amazing science show. It's an excellent chance to experience the wonder of our world through science.

**Tween Craft Club: UV Macramé Bracelets – 2 p.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** We'll make a macramé bracelet decorated with ultraviolet pony beads! For 5th-8th graders.

## **Saturday, July 23, 2016**

**Bicycling for Fun and Exercise! – 10:30 a.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Come get introduced to the sport of bicycling with the Spokane Bicycle Club! Learn about the health benefits, the equipment you need, and where to bike in the Spokane area!

**Exercise Your Mind with Zentangle! – 10:30 a.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Zentangle expert Loretta West will help you stretch and calm your mind with Zentangle, an easy and relaxing way to create beautiful images using paper, pencil and pen. For adults, teens, and children ages 10 and up.

**Tai Chi for Seniors – 11 a.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Tai Chi is an ancient practice of movement which has been clinically proven to effectively improve health, fitness and relaxation. There are many variations of the forms and techniques. These movements are gentle on your body and can be enjoyed by everyone. The movements are slow and steady but you will get warm. Please wear clothing that is light weight and comfortable. Smooth soled shoes or low tread sneakers work fine. Hydration is very important too, so bring a bottle of water.

**Indian Trail Crafternoon – 2 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** We're opening our meeting room to crafters to enjoy each other's company as we work! Bring your project and your conversation, and we'll offer light refreshments. We'll also have adult coloring pages and a simple craft available for those who don't bring a project. This month: Ribbon bookmarks!

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#### **Monday, July 25, 2016**

**Pickle It! – 6 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Come and learn about 3 different ways to pickle your produce. We will discuss fresh refrigerator pickling, fermenting, and shelf stable vinegar brined produce that will be hot water bath canned.

#### **Tuesday, July 26, 2016**

**Amazing Science! – 3 p.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Join the staff from Mobius Science Center for an amazing science show. It's an excellent chance to experience the wonder of our world through science.

**Salish Stories and Songs – 4 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Students from the Salish School of Spokane will present a history of the Salish languages of the Spokane area and efforts to preserve and revitalize those languages. They will also teach some words and songs and present traditional dances and songs in Salish.

**Adult Yoga – 6 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Always wanted to try yoga? Now's your chance! Yoga instructor Lindsey will lead you in a gentle yoga class, and explain the benefits of this form of exercise. Wear comfortable clothes, and bring a towel and water bottle. An Exercise Your Mind event.

**Author Talk: "Death Ride" – 6:30 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Larry Kuntz, the subject of the book Death Ride, is a local resident of Spokane. Learn more about him and other characters as well as the extensive research for their book from authors Tim and Becky Hattenburg!

**Asset Protection Estate Planning – 6:30 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Join us for a discussion of what you need to know to protect your assets with estate planning.

#### **Wednesday, July 27, 2016**

**Good Dinosaur – 2 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** This heartwarming computer-animated Pixar adventure is set in a world where the dinosaurs never went extinct. Arlo, a young Apatosaurus embarks on a journey to reunite with his family and befriends a prehistoric human child known as Spot. Good Dinosaur is rated PG and runs 100 minutes.

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#### **Thursday, July 28, 2016**

**Microgreens and Minigreens – 10:30 a.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Entice friends and family to eat more greens during this informative presentation that shows you how easy it is to grow microgreens for fun, taste and profit! These conversation pieces also make great gifts. With Master Gardener Mia Marcum-McCoy.

**Animal Olympics – 3 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** The best athletes in the world might not be human, they may be from the animal kingdom! Come learn about amazing animal records and see if you can break them!

**Appy Hour Digital Support – 3:30 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Do you need help with your electronic device? Appy Hour is here to lend a hand! We can help you modernize your online presence, understand your smartphone, learn Microsoft programs or download applications to your tablet.

#### **Friday, July 29, 2016**

**Tween Craft Club: UV Macramé Bracelets – 3 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** We'll make a macramé bracelet decorated with ultraviolet pony beads! For 5th-8th graders.

#### **Saturday, July 30, 2016**

**Tech Skills Tutors – 10 a.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Need a little one-on-one help with computer basics, Microsoft Word, using the Internet, or email? If these times aren't convenient, call your branch and ask to "Book a Librarian" at a time that works for you. Registration highly recommended.

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#### **The following is our schedule of weekly programs.**

##### **Sundays:**

**Game Day! –Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Come in anytime during open library hours on Sunday (1-5 p.m.) for Game Day. We will have an assortment of board games available for use in the library.

##### **Mondays:**

**Digital Skills Assistance – 11 a.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Do you need help learning to use an electronic device? Would you like to learn how to use a 3D printer? Or, do you need to update and modernize your resume and online presence? If so, we are here to help! Just stop by our Media Lab and we will help you!

##### **Tuesdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Ages 3 to 5.

**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Ages 3 to 5.

**Build! – 3 p.m. – Indian Trail Library.** Each week we'll put out simple and complex building toys so children of all ages can participate. Come exercise your imagination and engineering abilities at the library.

**Wednesdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.  
**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.  
**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.  
**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – East Side Library, 524 S. Stone.** Ages 3 to 5.  
**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Ages 3 to 5.  
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**Thursdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.  
**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.  
**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Ages 3 to 5.  
**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Ages 3 to 5.  
**Build! – 3 p.m. – Downtown, East Side and South Hill Libraries.** Each week we'll put out simple and complex building toys so children of all ages can participate. Come exercise your imagination and engineering abilities at the library.

**Fridays:**

**Family Storytime – 10 a.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Storytime for the whole family!

**About Spokane Public Library**

Spokane Public Library delivers high quality education for all – opportunities to read, to learn, and discover the world. In accomplishing our mission, we keep in mind certain values that contribute to creating an open and welcoming place where all people can use the services of the library freely.

For general information about the library, please go to our website at [www.SpokaneLibrary.org](http://www.SpokaneLibrary.org) or call us at 509-444-5300.

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