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City Island Historical Society and Nautical Museum 190 Fordham St;

718-885-0008; cityislandmuseum.org. Saturday and Sunday, 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Learn a bit of the area's history at the free City Island Historical Society and Nautical Museum, which is housed in a 19th-century building that was a school until 1976. Check out the display of wooden boats and the original school desks. The community room is another kid favorite—you'll find an old typewriter and sewing machine and a topographic map of the area.

Derfner Judaica Museum + The Art Collection The Hebrew Home at Riverdale

5901 Palisade Avenue; 718-581-1596; Directions: Please call 718.581.1000, email: eoleary@hebrewhome.org

Monday- Thursday 10:30 am-4:30 pm

As a member of the American Association of Museums, the Derfner Judaica Museum + The Art Collection at the Hebrew Home at Riverdale is committed to displaying its expansive fine art collection throughout the public areas of the campus. The art collection is comprised of modern art, large-scale sculpture, and ceremonial art from Africa and the Americas. It also houses the Elma and Milton A. Gilbert Pavilion Gallery which features rotating exhibitions. The Derfner Judaica Museum exhibits art and artifacts from Jewish life and culture, and its collection includes objects in wood, silver and ivory, varying in style and date from the 18th to the 20th century. The 19-acre campus also features a sculpture garden which overlooks the Hudson River.

Edgar Allan Poe Cottage

Grand Concourse and East Kingsbridge Road. 718-881-8900 Saturdays 10:00 am - 4:00 pm / Sundays 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

America's first great literary master lived in this farmhouse at the end of his life, and today, the small, modest home looks very much as it did when Poe lived here 1846- 1849. While living at the cottage, Poe wrote *Annabel Lee*, *Ulalume*, *The Bells* and *Eureka*. Administered by The Bronx County Historical Society since 1975, the cottage is restored to its original appearance, with authentic period furnishings. A film presentation and guided tour help bring Poe Cottage to life. Visitors can see the bed in which Virginia died and the rocking chair Poe used. In the kitchen, the dishes on the table appear as if the great author had just stepped out for air. The house tour is complemented by an award-winning video that provides insight into the writer and the man. General Admission \$3. Students/Seniors/Children \$2. Group tours by appointment only: call (718) 881-8900.

Maritime Industry Museum at Historic Fort Schuyler

6 Pennyfield Avenue, located on the SUNY Maritime College campus. 718-409-7200; email: pperez@sunymaritime.edu

Monday - Saturday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Admission and parking are free.

If there is a bonafide case of "labor of love" for a worthwhile endeavor, the Maritime Museum at Fort Schuyler must be recognized as a prime example. The museum is funded, staffed, operated and maintained strictly through volunteer support and monetary contributions. Many Maritime College cadets volunteer time to serve as museum tour guides and provide exhibit construction and upkeep, while alumni participate in periodic "work parties" to do their share.

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Brooklyn Bridge Park Events

Pier 6, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

7:30am

Early morning Yoga with Dodge YMCA

This hour-long yoga class on Pier 6 integrates postures, breathing exercises, relaxation and meditation to stretch, strengthen and condition. All levels are welcome. Limited mats available. Takes place every Monday until August 19.

7:00pm

Outdoor Strength

Brooklyn Strength leads challenging and fun outdoor fitness classes that focus on strength training and aerobic intervals in and around Brooklyn Bridge Park. Meet at Pier 6, but make sure to arrive

on time because the class is mobile!
Granite Prospect, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201
7:00pm

Books Beneath the Bridge

These events take place every Monday

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201, Meet in Main Street
6pm-8pm

Green Team

Join this dedicated corps of volunteers who beautify the park every week! The Green Team provides essential horticultural care to the park, including planting, mulching, and removing invasive plants. The Green Team is a wonderful opportunity to learn about gardening, enjoy nature, and make the park look its best. No experience necessary.

Pier 6, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

7:00pm

Green Series: Gardening with Native Plants

These events take place every Tuesday.

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Pier 1 Entrance, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201
6:30pm

History Tours: A Key to the Continent

7pm-8pm

Sunset Pilates

This event takes place every Wednesday.

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Pier 2 Dock, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201
5:30pm-6:45pm

Thursday Kayaking

Get out on the water for kayaking with the Brooklyn Bridge Park Boathouse, located between Piers 1 and 2 (across from the Pop-Up Pool)!

Children under 18 must have an adult guardian present. Please be aware that you must sign a waiver before getting on the water. Due to water quality concerns, public and youth kayaking events will be cancelled if rainfall exceeds one inch in the preceding 24 hours.

Pier 1 Promenade, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

8:30-10:30

Journey to the Stars

Volunteers from the Amateur Astronomers Association will guide your eyes across the sky as you discover the wonders of the universe.

These events take place every Thursday.

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Pier 2 Dock, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201
10am-3pm

Saturday Kayaking

Get out on the water for kayaking with the Brooklyn Bridge Park Boathouse, located between Piers 1 and 2 (across from the Pop-Up Pool)!

Children under 18 must have an adult guardian present. Please be aware that you must sign a waiver before getting on the water.

Due to water quality concerns, public and youth kayaking events will be cancelled if rainfall exceeds one inch in the preceding 24 hours. This event happens every Saturday.

Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11213, phone # 718-735-4400
4:15PM

Animal Adventures

Join us for an animal adventure! Learn about and meet a real animal from our collection.

This event takes place every Tuesdays.

Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213, 718-735-4400
2:30-3:30 pm

Pet-a-Pet

Meet and greet one of our museum animal friends! Investigate their habitat, diet, and create a unique animal artwork.

Ages 5 & under
11:00-11:30 am

Wonderment Wednesday

Explore and uncover amazing wonders from our collection as we explore something new every week! Unravel the mysterious secrets of objects from across the ocean and right in our own backyards. All ages.

These events take place every Wednesday.

Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213, 718-735-4400
11:30 am—12:30 pm

Blooming Babies: The Big Bubble

What is inside a bubble? Come experiment with bubbles big and small and investigate the science of bubble-ology. Create your own bubble wand with recycled materials to take home.

Ages 18 mos.—2 ½ yrs.
11:00-11:30 am

Folktale Friday: Creature Feature

From African folktales to Aesop's Fables, animals can teach us so much! Come hear a cherished tale and meet our featured creature! *All Ages.*

Takes place every Friday.

On Stage at Kingsborough 2013 Hot Summer Nights Free Concerts**JULY 6: Star Spangled Summer Concert**

Brooklyn's beloved Community Wind Ensemble & Concert Band, conducted by Ray Wheeler, pays musical tribute to the USA with an evening of patriotic pops in their Star Spangled Summer concert. The gates open at 7:00 pm and picnicking is welcomed. A limited number of seats are available, but all are welcome to bring blankets and folding chairs for the grassy areas as well. There is ample free parking. In the event of rain or extreme heat, the concerts will be relocated to the air conditioned Leon M. Goldstein Performing Arts Center. Updated location information will be available on the box office line - (718) 368- 5596 - starting at 4:00 p.m. on concert days. 8:00 pm

JULY 13: The George Gee Swing Orchestra

Get ready to jump, jive, and wail with the George Gee Swing Orchestra. This swingin' band deeply enjoys its hard-earned reputation as the swingin'-est, blowin'est, hippest classic big band in NYC. 8:00pm

JULY 20: The Hot Sardines

Take a blustery brass lineup, layer it over a rhythm section led by a Fats Waller-style stride-piano virtuoso, and tie the whole thing together with a magnetic, one-of-the-boys frontwoman whose voice recalls another area, and you have The Hot Sardines. Gates open at 7. No reservation required. 8:00pm

JULY 27: David Ostwald's Louis Armstrong Centennial Band

Inspired by jazz pioneer Louis Armstrong, Duke Ellington, Jelly Roll Morton, and more, this Grammy Award-nominated band breathes life and passion into America's own great art form. 8:00pm

Summercreen

McCarren Park, Between Bedford Avenue and North 12th Street, Brooklyn

July 24: Film: The Craft

The new girl in a Catholic high school falls in with a group of outcasts. Together they use witchcraft to rule the school.

Snacks and drinks available. Movie begins at dusk.

August 8th: The Smurfs**August 15th: Audience Pick****Celebrate Brooklyn!**

Prospect Park Bandshell, 9th Street & Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, NY 11215
7:30pm

July 25th: BEBE WINANS / ALICIA OLATUJA

Carrying on the legacy of America's first family of gospel, six-time Grammy and ten-time Dove Award-winner BEBE WINANS' "polished R&B sound helped transform the...genre in the '80s and '90s." (*Detroit Free Press*), The Brooklyn native ALICIA OLATUJA brings an operatic range to gospel-infused jazz and pop sprinkled with grace notes from her bandleader husband Michael Olatuja's African heritage.

July 26th: TRAMPLED BY TURTLES / THE DEVIL MAKES THREE / BROWN BIRD

A night of dangerous old-timey music. Combining fierce musicianship with an intense energy, TRAMPLED BY TURTLES invest their "supercharged songs with a hooky playfulness and white-knuckle power" (*Esquire*) that's dragging bluegrass kicking and screaming into the modern world. They're abetted here by THE DEVIL MAKES THREE, who traffic in "bluegrass, folk, rockabilly, and Piedmont blues and ragtime, all played with a blazing punk-rock attitude," (*SF Weekly*) and the Thomas Paine-quoting Rhode Island duo BROWN BIRD, who favor a dark and dreamlike take on American roots. JULY 26

July 27th: ROBERT PLANT PRESENTS THE SENSATIONAL SPACE SHIFTERS

Led Zeppelin's frontman Robert Plant continues to rock with his latest band, Robert Plant presents The Sensational Space Shifters. The band will play some new tunes as well as songs from Zeppelin's catalog re-imagined with African rhythms, twinges of folk and even funk.

August 2nd: JAMIE LIDELL / DAN DEACON / THE STEP KIDS

The soul singing dance music eclecticist JAMIE LIDELL is "the progenitor of his own completely original genre that no one else has been able to recreate" (KCRW) and "a master-craftsman of genre hybrids packing potent lyrical punches of love." (*Stereogum*) Can't argue with that! Co-headlining is the Baltimore absurdist composer and party instigator DAN DEACON, wielding a participatory Smartphone app that turns the crowd into a sound and light show of its own. "If Dan Deacon comes your way, go... It will change your life forever." (*NPR*) With the psychedelic soul of THE STEP KIDS.

August 3rd: Bud Light Latin Music Series**EDDIE PALMIERI SALSA ORCHESTRA / BANDA MAGDA**

Nine-time Grammy winner EDDIE PALMIERI, the Spanish Harlem-born granddaddy of salsa and Latin jazz piano, "at once the Miles Davis and James Brown of the genre," (*Minneapolis City Pages*) returns to Celebrate Brooklyn with an orchestra in tow to ignite the dance floor. "This is music so vital and joyous...a totally celebratory sound, bouncing, shuffling, weaving and grooving along on a beat so mesmeric and soul-wrenchingly right that you want it to go on forever." (*Time Out London*) The multi-lingual tropical grooves of the enchanting BANDA MAGDA start the evening off on a sunny note.

August 4th: BECK

Four-time platinum artist Beck brings his wide-ranging sound to the Bandshell for a Benefit Concert not to be missed. Always inventive, Beck freely combines rock, hip-hop, R&B, and folk, yielding a stream of underground and mainstream hits that have defined a generation.

2013 BAM Rhythm & Blues Festival

MetroTech Center in the Civic Center/Borough Hall area of Downtown

July 11: Sly & Robbie

Prolific Jamaican rhythm section and production team Sly and Robbie have been the backbone, if not the soul, of reggae for over three decades. They first partnered to work with the inimitable Jimmy Cliff in 1975, and have since produced or recorded with Toots and the Maytals, Black Uhuru, Bob Dylan, Mick Jagger, Madonna, and countless others. For MetroTech, they offer a breezy set with singer William "Bunny Rugs" Clarke from the popular Jamaican reggae band Third World.

July 18: Fatoumata Diawara**July 25: Bombino**

Nigerien guitarist and songwriter Omara "Bombino" Moctar is an international sensation, having turned heads with the inventive Saharan guitar rock of his 2011 release, *Agadez*. On his latest album, *Nomad*, muscularly produced by the Black Keys' Dan Auerbach, Bombino's vocals and fuzzy guitar sound dance in lockstep with tight grooves, imbued with hope and sun.

August 1st: Sheila E.

Best known as Prince's drummer on Sign 'O' the Times, Black Album, and Lovesexy, Sheila E is an in-demand as percussionist come, having performed or recorded with Cyndi Lauper, Ringo Starr, Gloria Estefan, Beyonce, Lionel Richie, Marvin Gaye, Diana Ross, and countless others. The niece of original Santana member Coke Escovedo, Sheila E is also accomplished actor with credits that include roles in *The Adventures of Ford Fairlane* and *Krush Groove* alongside Run DMC.

August 9th: Aloe Blacc

Now in its 18th year, the festival continues to feature R&B legends alongside vibrant and groundbreaking newcomers.

Brooklyn Bridge Park – Syfy Movies with a View 2013

Join us for the 13th season of our movie series on Thursdays this summer! DJs from Brooklyn Radio kick off the evening, shorts curated by BAMcinématek follow, and bike valet provided by Transportation Alternatives will be available all evening. To maintain our luscious and green lawns, chairs are not permitted on the park lawns.

July 11th: Ferris Bueller's Day Off**July 18th: Enter the Dragon**

Join us for the 14th season of our free, outdoor film series! This year's theme, "With Love From..." tours cities from around the globe with a lineup of fantastic films.

Under the guise of an international martial arts competition, Bruce Lee and partners John Saxon and Jim Kelly infiltrate the hidden island fortress of a powerful drug syndicate off the coast of Hong Kong. Perhaps the seminal Kung Fu film of the 1970's, Lee's final film features the martial arts master at the height of his career with superbly staged fight scenes in a variety of styles. [R] Short film: *Catnip: Egress to Oblivion* by Jason Willis DJ: Hahn Solo

July 25th: Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory

Harbor View Lawn, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201(6pm)

When young Charlie Bucket finds the final golden ticket wrapped inside a Wonka Bar, he is granted access to the secret mysteries of Mr. Wonka's (Gene Wilder) chocolate factory. The 1971 musical adaptation of Roald Dahl's classic children's book whisks five kids into a world of pure imagination complete with chocolate rivers, fizzy lifting drink, and singing Umpa Lumpas. [G] Short film: *Irish Folk Furniture* by Tony Donoghue DJ: Ayres.

August 1st: 8 Mile

Rapper Eminem made his acting debut in this semi-autobiographical journey of a white kid trying to make it as a hip-hop artist in the bombed out heart of inner city Detroit. After freezing up during an important rap battle, the young rapper, Rabbit, thinks he is at a dead end, but his girlfriend (Britney Murphy) helps him build up the courage to take one last shot. [R] Short film: *Until the Quiet Comes* by Kahlil Joseph DJ: Who Am I.

August 9th: Barefoot in the Park

Pier 1 Harbor View Lawn (6pm)

August 16th: The Big Chill**August 22nd: Vertigo**

Retired private eye, Scottie Ferguson (Jimmy Stewart) battles acrophobia in one final case, trailing the enchanting Madeleine Elster (Kim Novak). Hailed as one of Alfred Hitchcock's greatest works, winding through the streets of San Francisco in dazzlingly rich Technicolor, *Vertigo* weaves a dizzying story of love and obsession. [PG] Short film: *My Favorite Picture of You* by Dan Lindsay and T.J. Martin DJ: Geko Jone

August 29th: Public Vote!

As is tradition, Brooklyn Bridge Park Conservancy and Syfy invite the public to vote on the last film of the summer starting on August 22. Check out the contenders below (rained-out films will also be entered into the running):

Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas

Raoul Duke (Johnny Depp) and his attorney Dr. Gonzo (Benicio del Toro) take on the spiraling psychedelic safari of 1970s Las Vegas on a savage journey to the heart of the American Dream. Terry Gilliam's highly stylized trip of a film captures all the wit, humor and horror of Hunter S. Thompson's classic work of Gonzo journalism. [R]

Good Will Hunting

At one of Boston's top universities, MIT janitor Will Hunting (Matt Damon) is discovered after solving one of the schools most vexing math equations, but the future of this brilliant mind depends on the guidance of the therapist Sean Maguire (Robin Williams). [R]

Lost in Translation

Two lonely strangers, Charlotte (Scarlett Johansson) and Bob Harris (Bill Murray), forge a touching and unexpected friendship while adventuring through high-speed Tokyo in Sofia Coppola's Oscar-winning film. [R]

GrowNYC Markets

Our markets are as diverse as the city itself! No matter where you are in NYC, you can find a bustling space filled with neighbors, families, office workers and chefs all shopping side-by-side for the freshest of products. Regardless of their size, each market is an anchor to its community providing not only fresh, locally-grown food, but a gathering place where neighbors can come together, share recipes, watch a cooking demonstration, take a tour with a chef and learn about local agriculture. For more specific location information, call 311.

Now Open in Brooklyn:

Bartel-Pritchard Sq - Wednesday
 Bay Ridge - Saturday
 Bensonhurst - Sunday
 Boro Park - Thursday
 Brooklyn Borough Hall – Tuesday, Thursday
 Brownsville Pitkin Youthmarket – Saturday
 Brownsville Rockaway Youthmarket - Friday
 Carroll Gardens - Sunday
 Cortelyou Rd – Sunday
 Cypress Hills Youthmarket – Friday
 East Williamsburg Youthmarket - Thursday
 Fort Greene Park – Saturday
 Grand Army Plaza - Saturday
 Greenpoint McCarren Park - Saturday
 Kensington Youthmarket – Saturday
 Sunset Park - Saturday
 Williamsburg - Thursday
 Windsor Terrace - PS154 - Sunday

Flea Markets in Brooklyn

Coney Island - BK Festival
 Stillwell Avenue at 12th Street, Coney Island.
www.bkfestival.com

Aquaduck Flea Market
 700 Fountain Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11208
 Open Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Tuesday

Fort Greene - Brooklyn Flea
 176 Lafayette Avenue (between Clermont and Vanderbilt Avenues).
 Saturday, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm. www.brooklynflea.com

Williamsburg - Brooklyn Flea
 East River State Park
 Sunday, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm. www.brooklynflea.com

Brooklyn Bridge Waterfront Workouts: Pilates with the Fitness Guru

Tuesdays, until the end of August
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

The Fitness Guru returns with Pilates Mat classes overlooking the New York Harbor on the Empire Fulton Ferry Boardwalk. Join Michael Feigin as he teaches you to properly activate the muscles of your abdomen and back to create an incredible amount of stability in your torso. Pilates is designed to restore the natural curvature of the spine while rebalancing the muscles around the joints. Registration begins at 6:30pm each evening. Remember to bring a mat if you have one (a limited number of mats are available for rental for free - with valid ID). Classes are open to those 16 years old and older. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. In the case of rain, classes are held in the tent located in the Tobacco Warehouse.

Macy's Fishing Clinics

Meet at the Audubon Center in Prospect Park Saturdays in July and August, 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm Sundays in July and August, 2:00 pm

The decades-old Macy's Fishing Contest has become the new and improved Macy's Fishing Clinics! This exciting program offers kids quality fishing instruction. Children 15 and under will

learn about the recreational sport of fishing, fishing safety, and fish-friendly techniques, all while casting their lines on a spectacular summer day in the Park! Kids must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Spots are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Call (718) 287- 3400 x303 for details.

Coney Island Fireworks

Coney Island Boardwalk at W 10th St (718-449-8836, wonderwheel.com).
9:30 pm

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Borough Park Library - 1265 43rd Street at 13th Avenue, 718-437-4085 Tuesdays,
6:00 pm

English Conversation Group (Adults)

Practice English in an informal and fun setting. No registration required.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Brooklyn Heights Library - 280 Cadman Plaza West at Tillary Street, 718-623-7100
Wednesdays, 10:45 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play. Reservations required.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Brower Park Library - 725 St. Marks Avenue at Nostrand Avenue, 718-773-7208 Tuesdays,
10:30 am

Story Play (Birth to Five Years) Play with toys and hear stories. RIF (Kids)

Wednesdays, 4:00 pm

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Bushwick Library - 340 Bushwick Avenue, 718-602-1348 Tuesdays, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Create a new craft each week.

Story Time (Birth to Five Years) Wednesdays, 11:00 am - No session Jul 4 Listen to songs and hear stories.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Business & Career Library - 280 Cadman Plaza West at Tillary Street, 718-623-7000 Thursday,
Jul 19, 6:00 pm

Growing Dollars and Sense: Investing 101 (Adults)

Unbiased, practical information from financial experts for choosing investments, whether preparing for college, a family or retirement. Register at www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/locations/business/events or call 718.623.7000 (option 4).

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Carroll Gardens Library - 396 Clinton Street at Union Street, 718-596-6972 Tuesdays, 4:00 pm

Knitting Club (All Ages) Basement Auditorium Wednesdays, 6:15 pm Chess Club (All Ages)

Play and improve your game. Bring your own chess clock.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Central Library - 10 Grand Army Plaza - Dweck Center, 718-230-2191 Monday,
July 2, 5:00 pm

Brooklyn Open Mic (Teens)

An open mic for poets, spoken word artists, emcees, scholars and activists. Arrive early to get on the list. Co-hosted by Urban Word NYC.

Saturday, July 28, 10:00 am & 4:00 pm, Room 216

Internet Class 1 (Adults)

Learn how to explore, navigate and search the web. Tuesdays, 4:00 pm, No session Jul 24 & 31,

Youth Wing GameSpace: Teen Gaming (Teens)

Peer exchange, counseling, life skills coaching and tutoring. For girls ages 10 and up.

Adult female relatives and caregivers are welcome.

Saturdays, 10:00 am and 4:00 pm, Room 216, No session July 28

Microsoft Word Class (Adults)
Basic computer knowledge required.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Clarendon Library - 2035 Nostrand Avenue, 718-421-1159 Wednesday, July 18, 1:30 pm
Internet Workshop: Free Money for College (Adults)

Learn how to search online for grants, scholarships and more. Wednesday, July 18
2:30 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Have fun doing arts and crafts. Thursdays, 2:30 pm, No session July 26 GameSpace: Wii
Gaming (Teens). Make new friends and play Wii games.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Clinton Hill Library - 380 Washington Avenue at Lafayette Avenue - 718-398-8713 Tuesdays, 1:00
pm, No session Jul 3

Summer Movies (Adults)

Call for titles. Tuesdays, 4:15 pm

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play.

Thursdays, 4:15 pm, No session Jul 26

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Crown Heights Library - 560 New York Avenue at Maple Street, 718-773-1180 Mondays, 10:30 am,
Wednesdays, 10:30 am

Computer Basics Class (Adults) No experience necessary. Wednesdays, 10:30 am

Story Play with FirstRIF (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories. Also earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Dyker Library - 8202 13th Avenue at 82nd Street, 718-748-6261 Mondays, 3:00 pm, No session Jul
2 & 30

Top Trumps (Kids)

Educational card game competition. Monday, Jul 30, 3:15 pm

Teen Time

Enjoy books, games and music.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Eastern Parkway Library - 1044 Eastern parkway - 2nd Floor, 718-778-9330 Saturday, Jul 14, 12:00
noon

Knitting (Adults)

Learn and share knitting skills. Thursdays, 10:30 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.) Enjoy stories and play. **Saturdays, 12:00 noon Resume Writing (Adults)**

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Flatbush Library - 22 Linden Boulevard at Flatbush Avenue - 718-856-0813 Tuesdays, 2:30 pm
Crochet & Knitting Circle (Adults)

Work on current or new projects.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Flatlands Library - 2065 Flatbush Avenue at Avenue P - 718-253-4409 Wednesday, Jul 11, 11 :00
pm

Internet Basics Class (Adults)

Basic computer knowledge required. Tuesdays, 2:00 pm, No session Jul 10 Chess (Kids)

Learn to play chess. Fridays, 11:00 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Gerritsen Beach Library - 2808 Gerritsen Avenue (Bartlett Place), 718-368-1435 Mondays, 11:00
am

Toddler Time with RIF (18 – 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play.

Wednesdays, 2:00 pm, No session Jul 4

Arts & Crafts (Kids) Fridays, 2:00 pm RIF (Teens)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Gravesend Library - 303 Avenue X at West 2nd Street, 718-382-5792 Mondays, Jul 16 & 30, 2:00 pm

Knit & Crochet Circle (Adults)

Learn to knit or crochet. Bring yarn and knitting needles or a crochet hook to start a project.

Thursdays, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)**Brooklyn Public Library - July**

Greenpoint Library - 107 Norman Avenue at Leonard Street, 718-349-8504 Wednesdays, 1:30 pm, No session Jul 4

Babies & Books (0 – 18 mos.)

Enjoy books, songs and rhymes. Reservations required. Wednesdays, 1:30 pm

Computer Basics Class (Adults) No experience necessary. Thursdays, 4:00 pm

RIF (Kids)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Homecrest Library - 2525 Coney Island Avenue at Avenue V, 718-382-5924 Mondays, 1:30 pm

Movie (Adults)

Call for titles.

Tuesday, 2:30 pm, Fridays, 2:30 pm

RIF (Kids & Teens)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Fridays, 3:30 pm

Electronic Games (Teens)**Brooklyn Public Library - July**

Kensington Library - 419 Ditmas Avenue between East 4th and East 5th Streets, 718- 435-9431

Tuesday, Jul 17, 6:30 pm Bedtime Stories (All Ages) Friday, Jul 20, 2:30 pm Henna Party (Teens)

Get a temporary henna tattoo while listening to music. Tuesday, Jul 31, 4:00 pm

Making Music (Teens)

Bring your instruments.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Kings Bay Library - 3650 Nostrand Avenue (near Avenue W), 718-368-1709 Saturday, Jul 21, 2:00 pm

Kings Bay Art Gallery: New Exhibition Opening (All Ages)

Enjoy work created by artists from the Jewish Folk Crafts Guild.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Mapleton Library - 1702 60th Street, 718-256-2117 Tuesday, Jul 17, 6:00 pm

GameSpace: Family Gaming Night (All Ages)

Play video and interactive games with family and friends. Wednesday, Jul 18, 4:00 pm

Forensics and Crime-Solving (Teens)

How do the police solve a crime? Find out with fun science activities. Wednesdays, 11:00 am, No session Jul 4

Story Play with FirstRIF (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories. Also earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Midwood Library - 975 East 16th Street at Avenue J, 2nd Floor Meeting Room, 718-252-0967

Thursday, Jul 5, 2:00 pm

Crochet Club (Adults)

Brooklyn Public Library - July

New Lots Library - 665 New Lots Avenue at Barbey Street, 718-649-0311 Thursdays, 3:00 pm

RIF (Kids & Teens)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Wednesdays, 1:00 pm

Babies & Books (0 – 18 mos.)

Enjoy books, songs and rhymes.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Pacific Library - 25 Fourth Avenue at Pacific Street, 718-638-1531 Thursday, Jul 19, 11:00 am

Computer Basics Class (Adults)

No experience necessary.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Red Hook Library - 7 Wolcott Street at Dwight Street, 718-935-0203 Mondays, 10:30 am

Story Play (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Sheepshead Bay Library - 2636 East 14th Street at Avenue Z, 718-368-1815 Fridays, 11:00 am
Knitting Club (Seniors)

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Stone Avenue Library - 581 Mother Gaston Boulevard, 718-485-8347 Mondays, 2:00 pm

Movie Madness Mondays (Kids)

Escape the summer heat and relax with a movie. Tuesdays, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Summer arts and crafts for kids of all ages. Thursday, Jul 12, 2:00 pm

Talent Show (Kids)

Show friends, family and your community how talented you are.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Sunset Park Library - 5108 4th Avenue at 51st Street, 718-567-2806

Tuesdays, Jul 10 & 24, 10:30 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.) Enjoy stories and play. **Wednesday, Jul 11, 11:00 am**

Introduction to Computers in Spanish (Adults)

Thursday, Jul 12, 1:00 pm **Computer Basics Class (Adults)** No experience necessary.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Ulmer Park Library - 2602 Bath Avenue at 26th Avenue, 718-2650-3443 Wednesdays, 11:00 am - No session Jul 4

Music & Story Time (2 – 5 yrs.) Enjoy stories, music and play. **Thursdays, 3:00 pm**

RIF (Kids)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Fridays, 3:00 pm

Chess (Teens)

Weekly open chess playing time.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Walt Whitman Library - 93 Saint Edwards Street between Myrtle and Park Avenues, 718-935-0244
Wednesday, Jul 11, 5:00 pm

Family Night (All Ages)

Everyone is invited! Call for the evening's activity. Wednesday, Jul 18, 2:00 pm

Spread the Word (All Ages)

Share your interest in poetry or spoken word.

Brooklyn Public Library - July

Windsor Terrace Library - 160 East 5th Street at Ft. Hamilton Parkway - 718-686-9707 Mondays, 3:00 pm - No session Jul 2

Games Workshop (Kids)

Play Monopoly, Scrabble, Top Trumps cards and more. Tuesdays, 11:00 am and 3:00 pm, No

session Jul 3 at 11:00 am Scrabble (Adults)

Improve your game and learn new strategies. Wednesdays, 3:00 pm, No session Jul 4

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

For ages 3 to 5.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Borough Park Library - 1265 43rd Street at 13th Avenue, 718-437-4085 Tuesdays, 6:00 pm

English Conversation Group (Adults)

Practice English in an informal and fun setting. No registration required.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Brooklyn Heights Library - 280 Cadman Plaza West at Tillary Street, 718-623-7100 Wednesday, Aug 1, 8 & 15 10:45 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos)

Enjoy stories and play. Reservations required; please see librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Brower Park Library - 725 St. Marks Avenue at Nostrand Avenue, 718-773-7208 Tuesdays, 10:30 am

Story Play (Birth to Five Years) Play with toys and hear stories. Wednesdays, 4:00 pm

RIF (Kids & Teens)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Bushwick Library - 340 Bushwick Avenue, 718-602-1348 Tuesdays, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Create a new craft each week. Wednesdays, 11:00 am

Story Time (Birth to Five Years)

Listen to songs and hear stories.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Carroll Gardens Library - 396 Clinton Street at Union Street, Basement Auditorium 718-596-6972

Tuesdays, 4:00 pm Knitting Club (All Ages) Wednesdays, 6:15 pm Chess Club (All Ages)

Play and improve your game. Bring your own chess clock.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Central Library - 10 Grand Army Plaza - Room 216, 718-230-2191 Saturday, Aug 4, 4:00 pm

Internet Class 2 (Adults)

Learn how to explore, navigate and search the web. Saturday, Aug 11, 10:00 am and 4:00 pm

Microsoft PowerPoint Class 1 (Adults)

Basic computer knowledge required. Saturday, Aug 18, 10:00 am and 4:00 pm

Microsoft PowerPoint Class 2 (Adults) Basic computer knowledge required. Saturday, Aug 25, 10:00 am and

4:00 pm Microsoft PowerPoint Class 3 (Adults) Basic computer knowledge required. Wednesdays,

5:15 pm, Youth Wing

Sacred Jewel Sorority for Girls (Tweens & Teens)

Peer exchange, counseling, life skills coaching and tutoring. For girls ages 10 and up. Adult female relatives and caregivers are welcome to attend.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Clarendon Library - 2035 Nostrand Avenue, 718-421-1159 Thursdays, Aug 2, 9 & 16, 2:30 pm

GameSpace: Wii Gaming (Teens)

Make new friends and play Wii games. Tuesday, Aug 7, 1:30 pm

Computer Basics Class (Adults) No experience necessary. Wednesday, Aug 8 & 22, 2:30pm Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Clinton Hill Library - 380 Washington Avenue at Lafayette Avenue - 718-398-8713 Thursdays, Aug 2, 9 & 16, 4:15 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Tuesday, Aug 7, 14 & 21, 1:00 pm

Summer Movies (Adults)

Call for titles.

Thursday, Aug 16, 4:00 pm

Comic Book Design (Teens)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Crown Heights Library - 560 New York Avenue at Maple Street, 718-773-1180 Wednesdays, 10:30 AM

Story Play with FirstRIF (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories. Also earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Mondays, and Wednesdays 10:30 am

Computer Basics Class (Adults)

No experience necessary.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Cypress Hills Library - 1197 Sutter Avenue at Crystal Street, 718-277-6004 Thursday, Aug 9, 4:00 pm

Make a Dream Diary (Kids)

Find out what your dreams mean while journaling! Tuesday, Aug 28, 6:00 pm

GameSpace: Family Gaming Night (All Ages)

Play video and board games with siblings, cousins and the whole family!

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Dyker Library - 8202 13th Avenue at 82nd Street, 718-748-6261 Monday, Aug 6, 1:15 pm

Computer Basics Class (Adults) No experience necessary. Tuesdays, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Summer arts and crafts for kids of all ages. Tuesday, Aug 7, 14 & 21, 4:00 pm

Teen Time

Enjoy books, games and music.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Eastern Parkway Library - 1044 Eastern parkway - 2nd Floor, 718-778-9330 Saturday, Aug 4, 11 & 18 12:00 noon

Resume Writing (Adults)

Get one-on-one assistance to tailor your resume or cover letter to get the job you want. Saturday, Aug 18, 12:00 noon

Knitting (Adults)

Learn and share knitting skills with friends Thursdays, 10:30 am, No session Aug 30 **Toddler Time (18 - 36 mos.)**

Enjoy stories and play.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Flatbush Library - 22 Linden Boulevard at Flatbush Avenue - 718-856-0813

Thursday, Aug 9 & 23 2:00 pm

Sing Along (Kids)

Come hear Mr. Avrum the librarian play some of your favorite tunes. Tuesdays, 2:30 pm

Crochet & Knitting Circle (Adults)

Start new projects or work on old ones. Wednesdays, 1100 pm

Preschool Storytime (Kids)

Stories for children ages 3 to 5.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Gerritsen Beach Library - 2808 Gerritsen Avenue (Bartlett Place), 718-368-1435 Wednesdays, Aug 1, 8 & 15, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

Mondays, Aug 6, 13 & 20, 11:00 am

Toddler Time with RIF (18 - 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play. Also earn free books by reading. See your librarian for details. Fridays, 2:00 pm

RIF (Teens)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Gravesend Library - 303 Avenue X at West 2nd Street, 718-382-5792 Thursdays, Aug 2, 9 & 16, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Kids)

For ages 5 to 11.

Mondays, Aug 13 & 27, 2:00 pm

Knitting & Crochet Circle (Adults)

Join the company of others as you knit or crochet! Please bring knitting needles or a crochet hook and worsted weight yarn.

Friday, Aug 17, 2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Teens)

For ages 12 and up.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Greenpoint Library - 107 Norman Avenue at Leonard Street, 718-349-8504 Wednesday, Aug 1 & 29, 1:30 pm

Babies & Books (0 – 18 mos.)

Enjoy books, songs and rhymes. Space is limited. Free tickets are available the afternoon of the program.

Tuesday, Aug 7, 2:00 pm Arts & Crafts (Kids) Come and be creative! Tuesdays, 2:00 pm Movie (Adults)

Screenings of late 20th century films. Call for titles.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Homecrest Library - 2525 Coney island Avenue at Avenue V, 718-382-5924 Mondays, 1:30 pm **Movie (Adults)**

Call for titles.

Wednesdays, 11:00 am, No session Aug 29

Story Play w/First RIF (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories. Also earn free books by reading. See your librarian for details.

Fridays, 3:30 pm, No session Aug 31

Electronic Games (Teens)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Kensington Library - 419 Ditmas Avenue between East 4th and East 5th Streets, 718- 435-9431

Tuesday, Aug 21, 6:30 pm

Bedtime Stories (All Ages)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Macon Library - 361 Lewis Avenue at Macon Street, 718-573-5606 Tuesday, Aug 14, 6:00pm

Book Discussion (Adults)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Mapleton Library - 1702 60th Street, 718-256-2117 Wednesday, Aug 1, 8 & 15, 11:00 am

Story Play w/FirstRIF (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories. Also earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details.

Tuesday, Aug 7, 4:00 pm

Ghost Stories & Horror Writing (Teens)

Learn how to write a bone-chilling tale to terrify your friends! Tuesday, Aug 28, 6:00 pm

GameSpace: Family Gaming Night (All Ages)

Play video and interactive games with family and friends.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

New Lots Library - 665 New Lots Avenue at Barbey Street, 718-649-0311 Thursday, Aug 2, 3:00 pm **RIF (Kids & Teens)**

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Wednesdays, 1:00 pm

Babies & Books (0 – 18 mos.)

Enjoy books, songs and rhymes.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

New Utrecht Library - 1743 86th Street at Bay 17th Street, 718-236-4086 Thursdays, 4:00 pm

Teen Time

Enjoy books, games and music. Mondays, 11:00 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.)

Enjoy stories and play.

Fridays, Aug 10 & 24, 3:30 pm

Philosophy Discussion Group (Adults)

Discuss topics chosen by members of the group.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Pacific Library - 25 Fourth Avenue at Pacific Street, 718-638-1531 Thursday, Aug 16, 11:00 am

Computer Basics Class (Adults)

No experience necessary.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Red Hook Library - 7 Wolcott Street at Dwight Street, 718-935-0203 Mondays, 10:30 am

Story Play (Birth to Five Years)

Play with toys and hear stories.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Sheepshead Bay Library - 2636 East 14th Street at Avenue Z, 718-368-1815 Fridays, 11:00 am
Knitting Club (Seniors)

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Stone Avenue Library - 581 Mother Gaston Boulevard, 718-485-8347 Wednesdays, Aug 1, 15 & 29, 10:30 am

Story Time (Kids) Stories and activities. Mondays, 2:00 pm

Movie Madness Mondays (Kids)

Come out of the summer heat and relax with a movie! Wednesdays, 4:00 pm

Board Games (Kids)

Come play games with others.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Sunset Park Library - 5108 4th Avenue at 51st Street, 718-567-2806 Tuesday, Aug 7 & 21, 10:30 am

Toddler Time (18 – 36 mos.) Enjoy stories and play. **Thursday, Aug 9, 1:00 pm** **Computer Basics Class (Adults)** No experience necessary.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Ulmer Park Library - 2602 Bath Avenue at 26th Avenue, 718-2650-3443 Wednesdays, 11:00 am,
No session Aug 29

Music/Story Time (Kids)

For ages 2 to 5.

Thursdays, 3:00 pm

RIF (Kids)

Earn free books by reading! See your librarian for details. Fridays, 3:00 pm

Chess (Tweens & Teens)

Open chess playing time.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Walt Whitman Library - 93 Saint Edwards Street between Myrtle and Park Avenues, 718-935-0244
Wednesday, Aug 1, 5:00 pm

Family Night (All Ages)

Everyone is invited! Call for tonight's activity.

Brooklyn Public Library - August

Windsor Terrace Library - 160 East 5th Street at Ft. Hamilton Parkway - 718-686-9707
Wednesdays, Aug 1, 8 & 15, 3:00 pm

Arts & Crafts (Birth to Five Years)

For ages 3 to 5.

Mondays, Aug 6 & 13, 3:00 pm

Games Workshop (Kids)

Play Monopoly, Scrabble, or Top Trumps cards and more.

Tuesdays, Aug 7 & 14, 11:00 am, Tuesdays, 3:00 pm

Scrabble (Adults)

Improve your game and learn new strategies.

Heart of Brooklyn (HOB) First Saturday Shuttle

Loop from the Brooklyn Museum to the Brooklyn Public Library.

www.heartofbrooklyn.org/connection for more information

On the first Saturday of each month, Target First Saturday draws thousands of visitors to free art and entertainment at Brooklyn Museum from 5-11pm. The HOB Connection takes you from Target

First Saturday to neighborhood restaurants, coffee shops, bars

and boutiques between 6-10pm* for FREE. All programs are hop-on, hop-off rides featuring tour

guides, coupon books offering discounts and special values at Brooklyn's best restaurants and

shops, and maps and brochures from Brooklyn cultural attractions.

Millennium Skate Park

Bay Ridge, Inside Owls Head Park, Brooklyn

Offers an opportunity for individuals to perfect their skills on inline skates, skateboards, and bikes.

Unless otherwise specified, the Department of Parks & Recreation will provide an attendant during official operating hours. Each participant will be required to sign a waiver (those under 18 will need

their guardian's signature) before being allowed to use the facility. Requirements for use: A signed liability waiver; helmet; knee pads; elbow pads. Get an online liability form at:

http://www.nycgovparks.org/sub_things_to_do/facilities/af_skate_park.html.

Prospect Park - www.prospectpark.org

Meet at the Picnic House parking lot at 9:45 am. Picnic House in Prospect Park, West Drive and

Third Street, Brooklyn, (718) 965-8960

10:00 am–2:00 pm

Weekend Woodland Corp

This event repeats every week on Saturday. Join volunteers committed to the ongoing restoration of Prospect Park's more than 250 acres of forest. Every weekend except holiday weekends.

Prospect Park - www.prospectpark.org

Imagination Playground

Every Saturday in July - August, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Ezra Jack Keats Story Hour

Gather around Peter and Willy, the statue of two beloved Keats characters, for storytelling adventures. Sponsored by the Ezra Jack Keats Foundation.

Prospect Park - www.prospectpark.org

Audubon Center at the Boathouse, 95 Prospect Park West Brooklyn, NY

(Near the Lincoln Road/Ocean Avenue entrance) (718) 287-3400

3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

This event repeats every week on Sunday and Saturday

Discover Tours

Talk a walk with one of our naturalists to watch for animals, and investigate little-known facts about the Park and its animal residents.

Prospect Park - www.prospectpark.org

Picnic House in Prospect Park, West Drive and Third Street, Brooklyn, (718) 965-8960 7:00 a.m.–9:00 a.m.

This event repeats on the 1st Saturday of every month

Coffee Bark

Prospect Park - www.prospectpark.org

The Carousel

12:00 noon - 6:00 pm. This event repeats every Thursday in August

Free Carousel Rides!