

Monday, August 18

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Piano in the Park - Roy Eaton

12:00 noon - 1:45 PM

Upper Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Bryant Park Knits

2:00pm–3:30pm

Upper Terrace across from the BP Grill

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

HBO Bryant park Summer Film Festival - Superman

5:00 pm

The Lawn

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Empire-Fulton Ferry State Park

Crochet at Sunset

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Now that you've mastered the basics of knitting, why not try your hand at crochet? FREE!

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Bayside

214-20 Northern Boulevard, (718) 229-1834

Baby & Me

10:30 am

A weekly interactive program for babies 9-18 months and their caregivers including songs, fingerplays and play time. Registration required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Bayside

214-20 Northern Boulevard, (718) 229-1834

Picture Book Time

1:30 pm

Ages 3 1/2 - 5 will enjoy weekly stories, along with music and other activities. Preregistration.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Hollis

202-05 Hillside Avenue, (718) 465-7355

Summer Reading Program

1:30 pm

Meet weekly on Mondays and Thursdays for stories, song, crafts and entertainment. For ages 3-6.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Peninsula

92-25 Rockaway Beach Boulevard, (718) 634-1110

Children's Summer Reading

1:30 pm

Catch the Reading Bug! Children in Grades 4-6 are invited to join us for weekly Summer Reading Club activities beginning July 7th through August 25th. Preregistration required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Broadway

40-20 Broadway, (718) 721-2462

Summer Reading Club Program

3:30 pm

Ages 6-12 will tell a story through creative writing and personal drawings. Preregistration required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Penninsula

92-25 Rockaway Beach Boulevard, (718) 634-1110

Young Adult Summer Reading

3:30 pm

Young adults are invited to join us for weekly Summer Reading activities from July 7th through August 25th. Pre-registration is required.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Windsor Terrace

160 East Fifth Street, (718) 686-9707

Craft Circle

1:30 pm

Work on your craft project with others.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Baychester

2049 Asch Loop North, (718) 379-6700

Do You Yu-Gi-Oh!?

"Do you Yu-Gi-Oh? Check out the Baychester Branch Library's Yu-Gi-Oh group! Meet new players! Start your own tournaments! For ages 12 -18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

Game On @ The Library

3:00 pm

"You want games? We got games! Play your favorite Playstation 3 and Wii games like Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12- 18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Morningside Heights

2900 Broadway, (212) 864-2530

Teen Techno Lounge

3:00 pm

"Need more time to IM, game, chat, email, research or do homework? If so, this hands-on, hour-long, teens-only computer lab time is just for you! For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Hamilton Grange

503 West 145th Street, (212) 926-2147

YTWL: You Talk! We Listen!

4:00 pm

"What's going on in your world? What's on your mind? Voice your opinion of your favorite books, magazines, websites, music and more! Tell us what's hot and what's not. Hang out with your friends! For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 125th Street

224 East 125th Street, (212) 534-5050

11:00 am

Baby Story Programs

Babies from birth to 18 months old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy great books, lively songs, and rhymes, and meet other babies in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bloomingdale

150 West 100th Street, (212) 222-8030

10:30 am

Baby Story Programs

Babies from birth to 18 months old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy great books, lively songs, and rhymes, and meet other babies in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Ottendorfer

135 Second Avenue, (212) 674-0947

10:30 am, 11:15 am & 1:30 pm

Baby Story Programs

Babies from birth to 18 months old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy great books, lively songs, and rhymes, and meet other babies in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Yorkville

222 East 79th Street, (212) 744-5824

4:00 pm

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 67th Street

328 East 67th Street, (212) 734-1717

4:00 pm

Films for Preschoolers

A program for young children featuring a series of short literature-related films and/or videos.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Harlem

9 West 124th Street, (212) 348-5620

3:30 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Soundview

660 Soundview Avenue, (718) 589-0880

3:30 pm

Chess

Learn to play chess and develop your skills with other players in an informal setting.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Wakefield

4100 Lowerre Place, (718) 652-4663

2:30 pm

Computers & Technology

An introduction to the computer and the Internet for children ages 5 to 12 and their parents/caregivers.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 96th Street

112 East 96th Street, (212) 289-0908

4:00 pm

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Chatham Square

33 East Broadway, (212) 964-6598

10:30 am

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Countee Cullen

104 West 136th Street, (212) 491-2070

2:00 pm

Reading Aloud

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Tuesday, August 19

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Bryant Park Tai Chi

7:30am–8:30am

Fountain Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Piano in the Park - Roy Eaton

12:00 noon - 1:45 PM

Upper Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Bryant Park Yoga

10:00am–11:00am

Upper Terrace

Hudson River Park

6:30 pm

Stars of Tomorrow: Jazz

From the New School for Jazz and Contemporary Music

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Empire-Fulton Ferry State Park

Waterfront Workouts with the Fitness Guru

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

The Fitness Guru returns with Pilates Mat classes. FREE.

Children's Galleries for Jewish Culture-www.jclcm.com

515 West 20th Street, NYC (212) 924-4500

Treasure Trunk Design

2:00 - 5:00 pm

Create a personalized treasure trunk for your special treasures using tin foil, beads, and little woodenpieces! Learn how to weave using beautiful multicolored paper and markers! Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Ready, Set....Weave!

Listen to the Greek myth of Arachne and how she challenged the goddess Athena to a weaving contest. Weave your own masterpiece on a cardboard loom using colorful yarn and a wooden shuttle. Ages 5 & older. Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

River to River Event

The Elevated Acre, 55 Water Street

Movies begin at Sundown (between 8:00 and 9:00 pm)

Movie Nights on the Elevated Acre

Featuring a conversation with Filmmaker, Alan Berliner

Everywhere At Once (10 minutes, 1985) - "...a musical montage, a synchronized symphony composed from an infinity of elements at hand...a journey in images at the speed of sound."

City Edition (10 minutes, 1980) - "...the newspaper page...you have very loud and noisy headlines...a mosaic space made up of unconnected items from every part of the world at once.... The total lack of storyline...is as sophisticated as Picasso..." – Marshall McLuhan

Feature Film: Killer's Kiss (67 minutes, 1955) - In Stanley Kubrik's first feature film, Killer's Kiss the streets of Manhattan come alive in the brilliant black and white cinematography. The story is told in a flashback. We see Davy waiting at the old Pennsylvania Station for the train that is to take him to Seattle. He had planned to leave with Gloria, but she seems never to appear; for all we know, he might be waiting in vain.

Alan Berliner is a recipient of Rockefeller, Guggenheim and Jerome Foundation Fellowships, Berliner has received multiple grants from the NEA, NYSCA, NYFA and received numerous awards including three Emmy Awards. Selected retrospectives of his films have been presented at the Museum of Modern Art (NYC), the International Center of Photography (NYC) and at film festivals from Norway and Finland to England, Australia and Brazil. His work has been seen on many television program. He is currently a faculty member at the New School for Social Research in New York City. FREE.

Rudin Management Company, Inc. Presents

345 Park Avenue (corner 51st Street)

Cool Music for Warm Summer Days

12:30 - 1:30 pm

Chuck Braman Quintet

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Hollis

202-05 Hillside Avenue, (718) 465-7355

Summer Reading Program

1:30 pm

Ages 7-11 will meet weekly on Tuesdays and Fridays for reading, games, crafts and entertainment.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Hillcrest

187-05 Union Turnpike, (718) 454-2786

Jewelry Making for Teens

2:00 pm

Teens will learn jewelry making with Pamela Isaac. Preregistration required.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Sheepshead Bay

2636 East 14th Street, (718) 368-1815

Crocheting Circle

1:30 pm

Work on current or new projects with others.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Sunset Park

5108 4th Avenue, (718) 567-2806

Email Class in Spanish

12:00 pm

Learn the basics of email. Basic computer knowledge required.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

Game On @ The Library

3:00 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Hunt's Point

877 Southern Boulevard, (718) 617-0338

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, St. George

5 Central Avenue, (718) 442-8560

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Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12- 18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bloomingdale

150 West 100th Street , (212) 222-8030

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, George Bruce

518 West 125th Street, (718) 662-9727

Game On @ The Library

4:00 pm

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Teen Advisory Group

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Washington Heights

1000 St. Nicholas Avenue, (212) 923-6054

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10:30 am

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Riverdale

5540 Mosholu Avenue, (718) 549-1212

10:30 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 67th Street

328 East 67th Street, (212) 734-1717

6:30 pm

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Soundview

660 Soundview Avenue, (718) 589-0880

11:00 am

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, New Dorp

309 New Dorp Lane, (718) 351-2977

2:00 pm

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mulberry

10 Jersey Street, (212) 966-3424

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts: Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Seward Park

192 East Broadway, (212) 477-6770

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Melrose

910 Morris Avenue, (718) 588-0110

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Morrisania

610 East 169th Street, (718) 589-9268

3:30 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Port Richmond

75 Bennett Street, (718) 442-0158

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Todt-Hill Westerleigh

2550 Victory Boulevard, (718) 494-1642

2:30 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Clason's Point

1215 Morrison Avenue, (718) 842-1235

2:00 pm

Computers & Technology

An introduction to the computer and the Internet for children ages 5 to 12 and their parents/caregivers.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Soundview

660 Soundview Avenue, (718) 589-0880

4:00 pm

Film

Feature movie titles, varying in length from 90 minutes to 2 hours.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 125th Street

224 East 125th Street, (212) 534-5050

3:00 pm

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Aguilar

174 East 110th Street, (212) 534-2930

2:00 pm

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Columbus

742 10th Avenue, (212) 586-5098

4:00 pm

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

Wednesday, August 20

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Piano in the Park - Roy Eaton

12:00 noon - 1:45 PM

Upper Terrace

Bryant Park

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Word for Word Author: Samantha Hunt

12:30pm-1:45pm

Bryant Park Reading Room

River to River Event

Wagner Park, Battery Park City

7:00 pm

La Excelencia

Jose Vasquez-Cofresi and Julian Silva's orchestra performs salsa that has been compared to the New York salsa of the 70's. They recently released their debut album entitled "Salsa Con Conciencia" which features beautiful harmonies and powerful arrangements of free-flowing horns and lively percussions. FREE.

Riverside Park Movie Festival

70th Street Pier Plaza

8:30 pm

All the President's Men (1976)

Robert Redford & Dustin Hoffman

Hudson River Park Movie Festival

Pier 54

Dusk, around 8:30 pm

River Flicks for Grown-ups: The Blues Brothers

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Empire-Fulton Ferry State Park

Music at the Bridge

6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

An evening of live music and comedy curated by our pals at Union Hall. FREE!

Children's Galleries for Jewish Culture-www.jcllcm.com

515 West 20th Street, NYC (212) 924-4500

Arts and Crafts

2:00 - 5:00 pm

Create beautiful "ancient" jewelry out of sheet metal and colorful beads! Build a miniature New York neighborhood out of paper bags, magazine images, colored paper, and markers!

Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Ready, Set...Weave!

Listen to the Greek myth of Arachne and how she challenged the goddess Athena to a weaving contest.

Weave your own masterpiece on a cardboard loom using colorful yarn and a wooden shuttle.

Ages 5 & older. Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors

Damrosch Park; free, no tickets required

Extra Golden Mahmoud Ahmed and Alemayehu Eshete with The Either/Orchestra, Gétatchèw Mèkurya with The Ex

6:00 pm

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors celebrates the summer with the return of its two popular outdoor programs of music and dance, Midsummer Night Swing (July 8–26) and Lincoln Center Out of Doors (August 7–24). Because of the Center's commitment to presenting these popular community events, due to the ongoing construction on Josie Robertson Plaza, both will take place in Lincoln Center's Damrosch Park, W. 62nd Street and Amsterdam Avenue, with Out of Doors having additional performances on the South Plaza (W. 62nd Street between Columbus and Amsterdam Avenue).

Rudin Management Company, Inc. Presents

345 Park Avenue (corner 51st Street)

Cool Music for Warm Summer Days

12:30 - 1:30pm

Joe Hrbek and his SamBossa Group

Staten Island Children's Museum @Snug Harbor Cultural Center -www.sichildrensmuseum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island (718) 273-2060

Boogie Woogie Wednesdays

7:00 pm

Northern Indian: Kathak

Although the word Kathak means "to tell a story" today this ancient dance form is primarily an

abstract

exploration of rhythm and movement. A "light" snack (pizza & drink) is served at 6 pm
The Museum is free after 5 pm on Wednesdays and dancing begins at 7 pm.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Bayside

214-20 Northern Boulevard, (718) 229-1834

Mother Goose Time

10:30 am

An interactive weekly program for babies 18-30 months-old and their caregivers, including songs, fingerplays and play time. Preregistration.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Penninsula

92-25 Rockaway Beach Boulevard, (718) 634-1110

Children's Summer Reading

10:30 am

Catch the Reading Bug! Children in pre-K - Kindergarten are invited to join us for weekly Summer Reading Club activities from July 9th through August 27th. Preregistration is required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Poppenheusen

121-23 14th Avenue, (718) 359-1102

Read-to-Me Club

10:30 am

"Catch the Reading Bug!" at our weekly story and craft times. For pre-schoolers and their adult caregivers. Infants and toddlers welcome. Registration required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Woodhaven

85-41 Forest Parkway, (718) 849-1010

Toddler and Babies Book Club

10:30 am

Summer Reading Club, for ages 3 months to 5 years-old, who will enjoy stories, arts & crafts and prizes until 11:15 am.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Queens Village

94-11 217th Street, (718) 776-6800

Caterpillars: Read-to-Me

11:00 am

Read to Me for ages 2-5. Stories, children's songs, fingerplay and crafts.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Bayside

214-20 Northern Boulevard, (718) 229-1834

Toddler Time

1:30 pm

An active weekly program of stories, music and fingerplays for ages 2 1/2- 3 1/2, accompanied by a caregiver. Preregistration.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Penninsula

92-25 Rockaway Beach Boulevard, (718) 634-1110

Children's Summer Reading

1:30 pm

Catch the Reading Bug! Children in Grades 1-3 are invited to join us for weekly Summer Reading activities beginning July 9th. Preregistration is required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Queens Village

94-11 217th Street, (718) 776-6800

Butterflies: Children's Summer Reading

1:30 pm

Sign up for our Summer Reading Club activities for Grades 1-3.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Poppenheusen

121-23 14th Avenue, (718) 359-1102

Summer Reading Club

3:00 pm

"Catch the Reading Bug!" at our weekly meetings with activities and prizes. Readers are invited to a party at the last meeting. Open to school-aged kids from Grades 1 to 6. Registration required.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Woodhaven

85-41 Forest Parkway, (718) 849-1010

Summer Reading Club for Grades K- 2

3:00 pm

Summer Reading Club for K-2 graders, who will enjoy stories, arts & crafts, and prizes until 4 pm.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Clarendon

2035 Nostrand Avenue, (718) 421-1159

Library Databases Class

12:00 pm

Learn to find information online using library databases.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, McKinley

6802 Fort Hamilton Parkway, (718) 748-8001

Chinese Movie: Xia Ri Ju Chang

2:30 pm

Enjoy this free screening.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Central

Grand Army Plaza, Room 216, (718) 230-2211

Database Class

10:00 am

Learn to search Brooklyn Public Library's electronic resources. Basic computer knowledge required.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, DeKalb

790 Bushwick Avenue, (718) 455-3898

Knitting Workshop

6:00 pm

Learn or perfect this skill.

Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org, Sunset Park

5108 4th Avenue, (718) 567-2806

Microsoft Word Class in Chinese

1:00 pm

Learn to create documents. Basic computer knowledge required.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Woodlawn Heights

4355 Katonah Avenue, (718) 519-9627

Teen Advisory Group

4:00 pm

"What's on your mind? Choose events that will happen in your library! Help make it the place you want it to be. What's your fave book, song, magazine and movie? Voice your opinion! Advise the Library on what's hot and what's not. Earn community service credit for your school! Teens ages 12 to 18 are welcome."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

Summer Reading Raffle

3:00 pm

"What's up at The Library this summer? Need a change? Transform yourself with Metamorphosis @ Your Library. Make new friends! Get your name in weekly raffles for great prizes! Check out hot new titles before they hit the shelves! Make cool stuff! And yes, snacks will be served. For ages

12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Grand Concourse

155 East 173rd Street, (718) 583-6611

Metamorphosis @ The Library Summer Reading Club

4:00 pm

"What's up at The Library this summer? Need a change? Transform yourself with Metamorphosis @ Your Library. Make new friends! Get your name in weekly raffles for great prizes! Check out hot new titles before they hit the shelves! Make cool stuff! And yes, snacks will be served. For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mott Haven

321 East 140th Street, (718) 665-4878

Teen Advisory Group

5:00 pm

"What's on your mind? Choose events that will happen in your library! Help make it the place you want it to be. What's your fave book, song, magazine and movie? Voice your opinion! Advise the Library on what's hot and what's not. Earn community service credit for your school! Teens ages 12 to 18 are welcome."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Moshulu

285 East 205th Street, (718) 882-8239

YTWL: You Talk! We Listen!

3:00 pm

"What's going on in your world? What's on your mind? Voice your opinion of your favorite books, magazines, websites, music and more! Tell us what's hot and what's not. Hang out with your friends! For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bloomingdale

150 West 100th Street , (212) 222-8030

Tween Advisory Group Metamorphosis @ Your Library

2:30 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 115th Street

203 West 115th Street, (212) 666-9393

Teen Advisory Group

4:00 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Jefferson Market

425 Avenue of the Americas, (212) 243-4334

Metamorphosis @ Your Library Summer Reading Club

3:30 pm

"What's up at The Library this summer? Need a change? Transform yourself with Metamorphosis @ Your Library. Make new friends! Get your name in weekly raffles for great prizes! Check out hot

new titles before they hit the shelves! Make cool stuff! And yes, snacks will be served. For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Hamilton Grange

503 West 145th Street, (212) 926-2147

4:00 pm

Baby Story Programs

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Jefferson Market

425 Avenue of the Americas, (212) 243-4334

11:00 am

Baby Story Programs

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Fort Washington

535 West 179th Street, (212) 927-3533

10:30 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Harlem

9 West 124th Street, (212) 348-5620

10:30 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Kips Bay

446 Third Avenue, (212) 683-2520

11:00 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Ottendorfer

135 Second Avenue, (212) 674-0947

10:30 & 11:15 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 96th Street

112 East 96th Street, (212) 289-0908

10:30 & 11:15 am

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Seward Park

192 East Broadway, (212) 477-6770

6:30 pm

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Yorkville

222 East 79th Street, (212) 744-5824

4:00 pm

Films for Preschoolers

A program for young children featuring a series of short literature-related films and/or videos.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 125th Street

224 East 125th Street, (212) 534-5050

3:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Aguilar

174 East 110th Street, (212) 534-2930

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Francis Martin

2150 University Avenue, (718) 295-5287

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mott Haven

321 East 140th Street, (718) 665-4878

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Van Nest

2147 Barnes Avenue, (718) 829-5864

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, South Beach

21-25 Robin Road, (718) 816-5834

2:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Belmont

610 E. 186th Street, (718) 933-6410

2:00 pm

Film

Feature movie titles, varying in length from 90 minutes to 2 hours.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

2:00 pm

Film

Feature movie titles, varying in length from 90 minutes to 2 hours.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Melrose

910 Morris Avenue, (718) 588-0110

2:00 pm

Film

Feature movie titles, varying in length from 90 minutes to 2 hours.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Chatham Square

33 East Broadway, (212) 964-6598

10:30 am

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Epiphany

228 East 23rd Street, (212) 679-2645

2:00 pm

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Thursday, August 21

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Bryant Park Tai Chi

7:30am–8:30am

Fountain Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Piano in the Park - Roy Eaton

12:00 noon - 1:45 PM

Upper Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Bryant Park Yoga

6:00pm–7:00pm

Southwest corner of the Lawn

Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Ready, Set....Weave!

Listen to the Greek myth of Arachne and how she challenged the goddess Athena to a weaving contest. Weave your own masterpiece on a cardboard loom using colorful yarn and a wooden shuttle. Ages 5 & older. Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Empire-Fulton Ferry State Park

Movies with a View

6:00 pm - 11:00 pm

The Conservancy's most popular event returns for its ninth year. FREE!

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors

Damrosch Park; free, no tickets required

Toshi Reagon and BIGLovely with Bernice Johnson Reagon, David Dorfman Dance: underground

7:00 pm

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Staten Island Children's Museum @Snug Harbor Cultural Center -www.sichildrensmu-

seum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island (718) 273-2060

Explore & Discover - House About It-Fish homes

1:30, 2:30 & 3:30 pm

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), Hollis

202-05 Hillside Avenue, (718) 465-7355

Summer Reading Program

1:30 pm

Meet weekly on Mondays and Thursdays for stories, song, crafts and entertainment. For ages 3-6.

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), Queens Village

94-11 217th Street, (718) 776-6800

Honey Bees: Children's Summer Reading

1:30 pm

Sign up for our Summer Reading Club activities for Grades 4-6.

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), Poppenheusen

121-23 14th Avenue, (718) 359-1102

Reading Partners

3:00 pm

Kids reading to kids...what better way to "Catch the Reading Bug"? Whether you read to a toddler or a teen reads to you, have fun reading, entering your books online, and collecting weekly prizes!

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), Forest Hills

108-19 71st Avenue, (718) 268-7934

That's Crafty

4:00 pm

Ages 7-12 are invited to join us for a weekly craft led by teen volunteers. No registration required.

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), East Flushing

196-36 Northern Boulevard, (718) 357-6643

Chess Club

5:30 pm

Chess Club for ages 8 and up meets on Thursdays.

[Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org](http://www.queenslibrary.org), Queens Village

94-11 217th Street, (718) 776-6800

Fireflies: YA Summer Reading

3:30 pm

Sign up for our Summer Reading Club Activities for Teens.

[Brooklyn Public Library-www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org](http://www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org), Central

Grand Army Plaza, Room 216 (718) 230-2211

Email Class

5:00 pm

Learn the basics of email. Basic computer knowledge required.

[New York Public Library-www.nypl.org](http://www.nypl.org), Throgg's Neck

3025 Cross Bronx Expressway Extension, (718) 792-2612

Game On @ The Library

4:00 pm

"You want games? We got games! Play your favorite Wii games like Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12- 18."

[New York Public Library-www.nypl.org](http://www.nypl.org), Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

Teen Advisory Group

4:00 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Grand Concourse

155 East 173rd Street, (718) 583-6611

Game On @ The Library

4:00 pm

"You want games? We got games! Play your favorite Wii games like Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12- 18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mott Haven

321 East 140th Street, (718) 665-4878

Game On @ The Library

4:00 pm

"You want games? We got games! Play your favorite Wii games like Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12- 18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Columbus

742 10th Avenue, (212) 586-5098

YTWL: You Talk! We Listen!

4:00 pm

"What's going on in your world? What's on your mind? Voice your opinion of your favorite books, magazines, websites, music and more! Tell us what's hot and what's not. Hang out with your friends! For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mullberry

10 Jersey Street, (212) 966-3424

10:30 am

Baby Story Programs

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Yorkville

222 East 79th Street, (212) 744-5824

10:30 am

Baby Story Programs

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, 125th Street

224 East 125th Street, (212) 534-5050

11:00 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, George Bruce

518 West 125th Street, (212) 662-9727

10:30 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Jefferson Market

425 Avenue of the Americas, (212) 243-4334

11:00 am

Toddler Story Time

Toddlers from 18 months to 3 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy interactive stories, action songs, and fingerplays, and interact with other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Mulberry

10 Jersey Street, (212) 966-3424

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Jefferson Market

425 Avenue of the Americas, (212) 243-4334

2:00 pm

Preschool Story Time

Children from 3 to 5 years old and their parents/caregivers can enjoy new and classic picture books, action songs, and related activities, and meet other toddlers in the neighborhood.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Webster

1465 York Avenue, (212) 288-5049

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Belmont

610 E. 186th Street, (718) 933-6410

3:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Bronx Library Center

310 East Kingsbridge Road, (718) 579-4244

3:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Morningside Heights

2900 Broadway, (212) 864-2530

4:00 pm

Computers & Technology

An introduction to the computer and the Internet for children ages 5 to 12 and their parents/caregivers.

Friday, August 22

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

GMA Concert - Artist TBA

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Upper Terrace

Bryant Park

Between 40th and 42nd Streets and 5th and 6th Avenues (212) 768-4242, www.bryantpark.org

Piano in the Park - Roy Eaton

12:00 noon - 1:45 PM

Upper Terrace

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors

Damrosch Park; free, no tickets required

Spam Allstars Still Black, Still Proud: An African Tribute to James Brown

7:00 pm

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Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building,

212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Ready, Set....Weave!

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South Street Seaport Music Festival

Music stage at the Seaport

7:00 pm

Artist TBA

Hudson River Park

Pier 46

7:00 pm

Guitar man David Ippolito

Hudson River Park

Pier 46

Dusk, around 8:30

RiverFlicks for Kids: Shrek

Staten Island Children's Museum @Snug Harbor Cultural Center -www.sichildrensmuseum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island (718) 273-2060

Kidz Cook-Pail of Sand - Make & Taste

1:30, 2:30 & 3:30 pm

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Hollis

202-05 Hillside Avenue, (718) 465-7355

Summer Reading Program

1:30 pm

Ages 7-11 will meet weekly on Tuesdays and Fridays for reading, games, crafts and entertainment.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Poppenheusen

121-23 14th Avenue, (718) 359-1102

Game Day

3:00 pm

Join us for weekly board games and puzzles on Fridays this summer!

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Woodhaven

85-41 Forest Parkway, (718) 849-1010

Summer Reading Club for Grades 3 - 6

3:00 pm

Summer Reading Book Club for Grades 3-6. Stories, songs, arts & crafts and prizes.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Bayside

214-20 Northern Boulevard, (718) 229-1834

Book Buddies

4:00 pm

Ages 5-8 will share books and stories with teen reading buddies.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, East Flushing

196-36 Northern Boulevard, (718) 357-6643

Arts and Crafts

4:00 pm

For children ages 4 and up. Registration is required in person with the instructor.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Woodside

54-22 Skillman Avenue, (718) 429-4700

Virtual Rain Forest & Virtual Ecosystems Tour

2:00 pm

Teens are invited to come see live reptiles, amphibians and bugs in a 10 ft. by 10 ft. forest, explore where they live and why they live there. See footage from a Central American rain forest, the Everglades National Park, the wetlands of Long Island, the scrublands of Mexico and Australia. Guess who lives where and learn why they are so important to the environment. Preregistration.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Parkchester

1985 Westchester Avenue, (718) 829-7830

Game On @ The Library

4:00 pm

"You want games? We got games! Play your favorite Playstation 3 and Wii games like Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, Mario Party and more! Challenge yourself and your friends! Create your own tournament in The Library! For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Hunt's Point

877 Southern Boulevard, (718) 617-0338

Game On @ The Library

3:30 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, St. George

5 Central Avenue, (718) 442-8560

Make Paper Beads

3:30 pm

"Cut, roll, glue and design your own paper beads with Cara Kinsey and Sandy Trachte! Then, create your own piece of jewelry with them. Make a bracelet, necklace or whatever you like! All materials will be provided. For ages 12-18."

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Hamilton Grange

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Jefferson Market

425 Avenue of the Americas, (212) 243-4334

Library Arcade

3:30 pm

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Seward Park

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11:00 am

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New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Kips Bay

446 Third Avenue, (212) 683-2520

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Washington Heights

1000 St. Nicholas Avenue, (212) 923-6054

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Allerton

2740 Barnes Avenue, (718) 881-4240

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Sedgwick

1701 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., (718) 731-2074

1:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Spuyten Duyvil

650 W. 235th Street, (718) 796-1202

3:30 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, West Farms

2085 Honeywell Avenue, (718) 367-5376

3:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, West New Brighton

976 Castleton Avenue, (718) 442-1416

4:00 pm

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Fort Washington

535 West 179th Street, (212) 927-3533

3:00 pm

Computers & Technology

An introduction to the computer and the Internet for children ages 5 to 12 and their parents/caregivers.

Saturday, August 23

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors

South Plaza; free, no tickets required

25th Annual Roots of American Music Festival

4:00 pm and 5:00pm

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors celebrates the summer with the return of its two popular outdoor programs of music and dance, Midsummer Night Swing (July 8–26) and Lincoln Center Out of Doors (August 7–24). Because of the Center's commitment to presenting these popular community events, due to the ongoing construction on Josie Robertson Plaza, both will take place in Lincoln Center's Damrosch Park, W. 62nd Street and Amsterdam Avenue, with Out of Doors having additional performances on the South Plaza (W. 62nd Street between Columbus and Amsterdam Avenue).

Central Park Conservancy-www.centralparknyc.org

On the Pool Lawn, Central Park (103rd Street off Central Park West)

Shakespeare for Adults Workshop

5:00 - 5:45 pm

Have an interest in the classical arts of literature, acting, or romancing? Join the Central Park Conservancy and professional actors from New York Classical Theatre to hone your Shakespearean acting skills amidst the Pool's gorgeous backdrop. This workshop focuses on acting, text, speech, poetry, and New York Classical Theatre's unique performance technique, Panoramic Theatre. Advance registration not required. Visit www.centralparknyc.org/drama for details or call 212-310-6600.

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Empire-Fulton Ferry State Park

Kayaking and Community Rowing

11:30 am - 3:30 pm

Get out on the water at Brooklyn Bridge Park. FREE!

HARLEM WEEK

3 of Harlem's Historic Parks: Morningside Park, St. Nicholas Park and Jackie Robinson Park.

Time: TBD

Harlem's Healthy Living Walk-a-Thon

Grab your family, join your neighbors and friends as we take a nature and historic walk.

HARLEM WEEK

Jackie Robinson Park, 145th St. & Bradhurst Ave.

6:00 pm

"Stomping at the Savoy" Swing Jazz Dance

The NYC Department of Parks and Recreation in conjunction with HARLEM WEEK will put on outdoor Swing Jazz Dance for all New Yorkers with a major Jazz Orchestra..

Rubin Museum of Art-www.rmanyc.org

150 West 17th Street, NYC (212) 620-5000

Special Family Workshop: Tibetan Meditation and Lotus Tea Ceremony

RMA is pleased to be collaborating with the Jacques Marchais Museum of Tibetan Art to present

two Saturdays of Tibetan activities. Tickets purchased at either museum are honored at both and are valid all day, both days. The schedule for both days is as follows: 11:30 AM - 12:30 pm: Meditation at the Jacques Marchais Museum of Tibetan Art - guided by the Venerable Thupten Phuntsok, families will participate in a Tibetan meditation session. 2:00 - 3:30 pm: Tibetan Lotus Tea Ceremony at RMA - families are invited to RMA's studio to take part in a traditional Tibetan tea ceremony, where butter tea will be served, Tibetan tea songs will be sung, and wishes will be made. It is strongly recommended that participants register for all programs at least one day in advance by calling (212) 620-5000 x344 as space is limited, and latecomers and unregistered families may be put on a waiting list. All family education programs are FREE for adults with museum admission; FREE for children under 12; and FREE for members of Cool Culture. Contributions of \$5 per family are welcomed. Art materials are provided for all programs. Programs are subject to change, please visit www.rmanyc.org for updates and further information.

Staten Island Children's Museum @Snug Harbor Cultural Center -www.sichildrensmuseum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island (718) 273-2060

"Rainbow Fish"

Noon, 1:00, 2:00 & 3:00 pm

How many colors can one fish be?

Listen to the story and make a beautiful rainbow fish

Governors Island

Lower Manhattan

Battle of Brooklyn Enactment

Governors Island is open every Friday, Saturday and Sunday from May 31st to October 5th (including July 4). On Fridays, the Island is open from 10 AM to 5 PM. On Saturdays and Sundays, the Island is open from 10 AM to 7 PM. The seven minute ferry ride to Governors Island, as well as admission, are FREE! Once on Governors Island, visitors can take a car-free bike ride, enjoy concerts, festivals and programs, and take a tour of the National Historic District. Ferries leave from the Battery Maritime Building in Lower Manhattan, at the corner of South and Whitehall Streets, every hour. For a full ferry schedule, and ideas of what kids can do on Governors Island, please visit www.govisland.com.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Court Square

25-01 Jackson Avenue, (718) 937-2790

Summer Storytime

10:30 am

Stories, games and crafts to enchant children ages 4 to 6.

Queens Public Library-www.queenslibrary.org, Court Square

25-01 Jackson Avenue, (718) 937-2790

Summer Crafts

3:00 pm

Craft workshops for teens ages 12-16. Space is limited. Registration is required.

Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Ready, Set....Weave!

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Summer Street Fairs and Festivals

3rd Avenue from 14th - 23rd Street

Gramercy Park Neighborhood Festival

Most festivals run from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm. Every warm weather week-end brings fairs that offer opportunities to explore new neighborhoods, sample food, and browse for bargains. Some fairs feature live entertainment.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Soundview

660 Soundview Avenue, (718) 589-0880

10:30 & 11:30 am

Arts & Crafts

Hands-on projects using a variety of skills.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Tremont

1866 Washington Avenue, (718) 299-5177

2:00 pm

Film

Feature movie titles, varying in length from 90 minutes to 2 hours.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Westchester Square

2521 Glebe Avenue, (718) 863-0436

2:00 pm

Games

Board games of all types and all skill levels.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Chatham Square

33 East Broadway, (212) 964-6598

10:30 am

Reading Aloud

A Librarian will share favorite picture books, providing children with the wonder of books and the joy of reading.

Sunday, August 24

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors

Damrosch Park; free, no tickets required

25th Annual Roots of American Music Festival

4:00 pm

Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors celebrates the summer with the return of its two popular outdoor programs of music and dance, Midsummer Night Swing (July 8–26) and Lincoln Center Out of Doors (August 7–24). Because of the Center's commitment to presenting these popular community events, due to the ongoing construction on Josie Robertson Plaza, both will take place in Lincoln Center's Damrosch Park, W. 62nd Street and Amsterdam Avenue, with Out of Doors having additional performances on the South Plaza (W. 62nd Street between Columbus and Amsterdam Avenue).

Central Park Conservancy-www.centralparknyc.org

In The Children's Glade, Central Park (Enter the Park at West 106th Street)

Caribbean Island Animals

1:00 - 2:00 pm

A monkey, an iguana, a parrot, a manatee, and a coqui frog are some of the tropical animals and birds that help make the Caribbean islands a colorful place to visit and live in. Bobby Gonzalez, a nationally known multicultural speaker, storyteller, poet, and published author, will delight both children and adults with tales of their adventures and misadventures in this Central Park Conservancy program. Advance registration not required. Visit www.centralparknyc.org/drama for details or call 212-310-6600.

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On the Pool Lawn, Central Park (103rd Street off Central Park West)

Shakespeare for Adults Workshop

5:00 - 5:45 pm

Have an interest in the classical arts of literature, acting, or romancing? Join the Central Park Conservancy and professional actors from New York Classical Theatre to hone your Shakespearean acting skills amidst the Pool's gorgeous backdrop. This workshop focuses on acting, text, speech, poetry, and New York Classical Theatre's unique performance technique, Panoramic Theatre. Advance registration not required. Visit www.centralparknyc.org/drama for

details or call 212-310-6600.

Harlem Meer Performance Festival

110th Street near Fifth Avenue within Central Park between Fifth and Lenox Avenues

(Special concert at the Conservatory Garden)

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Charles Moore Dance Theatre (African Dance)

Staten Island Children's Museum @Snug Harbor Cultural Center -www.sichildrensmuseum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island (718) 273-2060

"Rainbow Fish"

Noon, 1:00, 2:00 & 3:00 pm

How many colors can one fish be?

Listen to the story and make a beautiful rainbow fish

Governors Island

Lower Manhattan

Battle of Brooklyn Enactment

Governors Island is open every Friday, Saturday and Sunday from May 31st to October 5th (including July 4). On Fridays, the Island is open from 10 AM to 5 PM. On Saturdays and Sundays, the Island is open from 10 AM to 7 PM. The seven minute ferry ride to Governors Island, as well as admission, are FREE! Once on Governors Island, visitors can take a car-free bike ride, enjoy concerts, festivals and programs, and take a tour of the National Historic District. Ferries leave from the Battery Maritime Building in Lower Manhattan, at the corner of South and Whitehall Streets, every hour. For a full ferry schedule, and ideas of what kids can do on Governors Island, please visit www.govisland.com.

Hudson River Park

Pier 54 at West 14th Street

2:00 pm - 9:00 pm

9th Annual Blues BBQ

Sit back and chill at New York City's premiere waterfront venue while you listen to the blues and watch amazing local BBQ restaurants fire up their grills and prepare their specialties. For more information: 212-627-2121 or www.hudsonriverpark.org

Children's Galleries for Jewish Culture-www.jcllcm.com

515 West 20th Street, NYC (212) 924-4500

Arts and Crafts

2:00 - 5:00 pm

Create beautiful "ancient" jewelry out of sheet metal and colorful beads! Build a miniature New York neighborhood out of paper bags, magazine images, colored paper, and markers! Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Children's Museum of Manhattan-www.cmom.org

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83d Street, NYC (212) 721-1223

Healthy Lifestyles: Go Green - Water Ways

2:00, 3:00 & 4:00 pm

Learn how swamp (waste) water is cleaned through different steps of the filtration process.

Create your own water filter with stones, pebbles and rubber bands. For ages 5 & older.

Admission: \$9 for children and adults; \$6 for senior citizens; free for children under one year old and members.

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Ready, Set....Weave!

Listen to the Greek myth of Arachne and how she challenged the goddess Athena to a weaving contest. Weave your own masterpiece on a cardboard loom using colorful yarn and a wooden shuttle. Ages 5 & older. Admission: \$8; an annual family membership is only \$25 and includes

admission to exhibitions and all of the day's arts and crafts for up to five members.

Summer Street Fairs and Festivals

3rd Avenue from 23rd - 34th Street

Third Avenue Merchandise Fair

Most festivals run from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm. Every warm weather week-end brings fairs that offer opportunities to explore new neighborhoods, sample food, and browse for bargains. Some fairs feature live entertainment.

New York Public Library-www.nypl.org, Wakefield

4100 Lowerre Place, (718) 652-4663

Teen Advisory Group

4:00 pm

"What's on your mind? Choose events that will happen in your library! Help make it the place you want it to be. What's your fave book, song, magazine and movie? Voice your opinion! Advise the Library on what's hot and what's not. Earn community service credit for your school! Teens ages 12 to 18 are welcome."