




# May 2014

For more information on any of the programs listed below, see inside this newsletter.

All programs subject to change and space may be limited. If registration is required, please call the Children's Desk at 720.887.2315 unless otherwise noted. Programs are planned for specific grades and ages. Please respect the grade/age limit for each program.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 <b>Baby Story Time</b> 9:15 or 10:00 a.m. <b>Family Story Time</b> 10:45 a.m. <b>Preschool Story Time</b> 1:30 p.m. "Bugs" <b>ARF! Read to a Dog!</b> 4 - 5 p.m. Grades K-5	2 <b>Parent Toddler Workshop</b> Registration Required See separate Flyer  <b>First Friday Make &amp; Take</b> 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. Ages 2 and up and an adult	3 <b>Family Early Literacy Time</b> 11 - 11:45 a.m. Newborn - Pre-K & an adult
4	5 <b>Toddler Story Time</b> Registration Required	6 <b>Preschool Story Time</b> 10:30 a.m. "Kevin Henkes"	7 <b>Toddler Story Time</b> Registration Required	8 <b>Baby Story Time</b> 9:15 or 10:00 a.m. <b>Family Story Time</b> 10:45 a.m. <b>Preschool Story Time</b> 1:30 p.m. "Kevin Henkes"	9 <b>Parent Toddler Workshop</b> Registration Required See separate Flyer	10 <b>Cuddletime Concert</b> 9:30 - 10 a.m. Newborns - age 2 & an adult
11 	12 <b>Toddler Story Time</b> Registration Required  <b>Giftedness and Stress</b> 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. For Adults Call the Teen Zone at 720.887.2360 (See separate flyer)	13 <b>Preschool Story Time</b> 10:30 a.m. "Bubble Story Time on the Patio"  <i>Parents and siblings are welcome for this special story time. our final story time of the spring</i>	14 <b>Toddler Story Time</b> Registration Required	15 <b>Baby Story Time</b> 9:15 or 10:00 a.m. <b>Family Story Time</b> 10:45 a.m. <b>Preschool Story Time</b> 1:30 p.m. "Bubble Story Time on the Patio"  <i>Parents and siblings are welcome for this special story time. our final story time of the spring</i>  <b>ARF! Read to a Dog!</b> 4 - 5 p.m. Grades K-5	16 <b>Parent Toddler Workshop</b> Registration Required See separate Flyer	17 <b>Third Saturday Fun</b> "Get Ready for Fizz! Boom! Read!" K - 2 1 - 2 p.m. Registration Required  <b>Shep the Turnpike Dog Book Launch</b> Noon - 3 p.m. Broomfield Depot Museum  <b>Astronomy</b> Drop in: 2 - 4 p.m. For the whole family! Registration required Call the TEEN Zone 720.887.2360
18	19	20	21	22	23 <b>Parent Toddler Workshop</b> Registration Required See separate Flyer	24
<p>Look for the <u>new</u> story time summer schedule in our SRP flyer, available in May. Family Story Time, for <u>all</u> ages, toddlers through early elementary, moves to Tuesdays @ 10:00 and 10:45 starting June 10. Baby Story Time resumes Thursday, June 5 same times - 9:15 and 10:00</p>						
25	26 <b>Memorial Day</b> CLOSED 	27 <b>Art Stop On the Go</b> 4 - 5 pm Ages 6 - 12 Registration required starting May 1  <i>Summer Reading..... Not today!</i>	28 <i>Summer Reading..... Not today!</i>	29 <i>Summer Reading..... Not today!</i>	30 <i>Summer Reading..... Not today!</i>	31 <i>Summer Reading..... begins tomorrow!</i>
1 <b>Sunday, June 1st</b> Summer Reading Begins Today! 1 - 5 p.m.						

# Children's Library Newsletter

May 2014

Children's Library: 720.887.2315 www.broomfieldchildrenslibrary.org  
Mamie Doud Eisenhower Public Library 3 Community Park Road, Broomfield, CO 80020



## Children's Book Launch & Book Signing at the Broomfield Depot Museum

On Saturday, May 17, from Noon to 3 p.m. the museum is hosting a special event to celebrate the launch of *Shep the Turnpike Dog* by Charlotte Havey. The beautifully illustrated book is based on the true story of the tollbooth mascot turned Broomfield legend who won the hearts of turnpike drivers in the 1950s and 60s. There will be family activities. Books will be available for purchase and signing by the author. No tickets or pre-registration are required and admission is free. The museum is at 2201 West 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Zang Spur Park.

*In case of inclement weather, the event will be held at the Broomfield Auditorium Gallery at 3 Community Park Rd in Broomfield.*

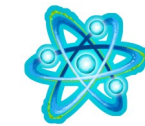
For more information about the Broomfield Depot Museum go to [broomfielddepotmuseum.org](http://broomfielddepotmuseum.org) or call 303.460.6824  
Visit Shep on Facebook, [www.facebook.com/Broomfield.Turnpike.Dog](http://www.facebook.com/Broomfield.Turnpike.Dog)



## Summer Reading Program 2014

Sign-up begins Sunday, June 1st

Newborns – Children going into 5th grade can sign up to read, read, read! (And earn a few fun prizes while they're reading)



And...participate in these summer events!

- Family Story Time
- Baby Story Time
- Wonderful Wednesdays
- Fabulous Fridays
- Family Movie Nights
- Science Programs
- Neighborhood Games
- Early Literacy Fair
- Cuddletime Concerts



More information will be in our summer brochure, available in May!



Many of our regular programs will be taking a summer break. Please see inside for information about the final spring programs for the year!

3rd Saturday Fun, Art Stop on the Go, First Friday Make & Take, A.R.F., Cuddletime Concerts, and our Story Times



Programs are planned for specific grades and ages. Please respect the grade/age limit for each program.  
Call us for more information! 720.887.2315. See the calendar on the back for specific dates!

### Third Saturday Fun For Grades K-2\*

Saturday, May 17, 1 - 2 p.m.  
Registration Required

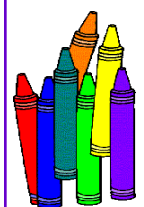
Get Ready for **FIZZ BOOM READ!**  
Fun with books, games and a special science craft!



\*This is a program for children who are enrolled in Kindergarten, 1st or 2nd grade. Kindergarten guidelines are that children be at least 5 years old by 9/30/2013 and in an elementary level kindergarten program (not Pre-K).

### ART STOP ON THE GO

Tuesday, May 27, 4 - 5 pm For ages 6-12  
Registration begins May 1  
720.887.2315



The Children's Library and Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art have teamed up to bring you several art-making workshops in 2014. Express yourself through a variety of art media, with the emphasis on creativity and fun!

This program is made possible by a grant from Scientific and Cultural Facilities District (SCFD).



### Cuddletime Concert

"Bouncing Babies" with Bonnie Phipps  
Saturday, May 10, 9:30 - 10 a.m.  
Upstairs in the Eisenhower Room

Special music programs recommended for babies and toddlers, ages newborn - 24 months and an accompanying adult.  
Funded by the Broomfield Library Friends



### ARF! Afternoon Reading Fun

Thursday, May 1 & 15, 4 - 5 p.m.

Sign-up begins at 3:45 at the Children's Desk  
Afternoon Reading Fun (ARF!) is a program for students in Kindergarten through 5th grade. Children can come to the library to read to a therapy dog trained to listen quietly without correcting or judging. This is especially beneficial to students who are struggling with reading. ARF! is conducted in a relaxing environment where readers can build their confidence and fluency. Students read one-on-one with the therapy dog without being interrupted by parents, siblings and other adults.



### First Friday Make & Take

Friday, May 2, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

A special craft time for children ages 2 and up and their caregivers. No registration is required and all supplies are provided! Come and start your craft anytime between 2:30 and 4:15 on the designated Friday. Children's Story Room

## Story Times :

Please note that our story time schedule changes for the summer.  
Please see the Summer Reading Flyer, available in May, for more information.



### Baby Story Time

For children newborn - 24 months  
and a caregiver  
Thursdays 9:15 - 9:35 a.m. or 10 - 10:20 a.m.

An interactive story time focusing on the three "R" - Rhythm, Rhyme and Repetition. Enjoy age appropriate books, songs, rhymes, and baby sign language - all intended to promote language development and early literacy in a lively and fun atmosphere! Facts on brain development, early literacy and social emotional growth are shared throughout the program. Includes time for adults to socialize and babies to play. **No registration required.**



### Toddler Story Time

For children 21 - 35 months and a caregiver  
Mondays 10 - 10:25 a.m. or 10:45-11:10 a.m. or  
Wednesdays 9:15 - 9:40 a.m. or 10 - 10:25 a.m.

Toddlers actively participate in stories, music and movement enhancing their social, emotional and language development while fostering a love for reading and books. Caregivers will be introduced to early literacy skills they can practice with their children to prepare them for successful learning when they enter school. **Registration is required.**

For more details and a copy the registration form, please see the Toddler Story Time flyer, available in the Children's Library or on the Children's Library/Story Times page of our library's website.

Regular story times end the week of May 12.  
See the calendar on the back for more specific information.  
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### Preschool Story Time

For children 3 - 5 years who can sit on their own  
Tuesdays 10:30 -11 a.m. or Thursdays 1:30-2 p.m.

Preschoolers enjoy stories and songs that develop early literacy skills and foster curiosity. This program is reserved for children ages three to five who can sit on their own and comfortably participate in a variety of literature based activities geared towards preparing children for learning to read. Asking children to attend without their caregivers helps to develop a sense of independence that will be needed as they start school. **No registration required.**



### Family Story Time

All ages welcome Thursdays 10:45 - 11:15 a.m.

This program features participatory stories, songs and movement activities geared towards promoting early literacy and building a foundation for a love of books. Age appropriate activities are presented in three segments from younger to older in order to meet the developmental needs of babies, toddlers, and preschoolers. Transitions are built into the program so younger children can take a break if necessary. Join us for a wonderful shared experience for the whole family! **No registration required**



### Family Early Literacy Time

Families of all ages welcome, but the focus will be newborns - Pre-K  
First Saturday of the month 11-11:45 a.m.

This month: May 3

Stories, books, fingerplays & songs will focus on an early literacy skill, followed by a fun craft. Families will have the opportunity to practice activities they can use at home to learn early literacy skills needed for children to become successful learners in school. Please pick up a FREE ticket at the Children's Desk the morning of the program.

**Science Programs** All science programs are sponsored by the Mamie Doud Eisenhower Public Library Science Task Force.  
Registration is required.  
Call the YA Desk at 720.887.2360 to register.

**Astronomy** Sat., May 17, 2 - 4 p.m.  
Eisenhower Room Discover the wonders of our universe through indoor demonstrations, computer simulations, and hands-on activities.  
This program is open to the whole family!  
Registration Required.

This free, educational parenting series will take place on the 3rd Thursday of every month from 7 - 8 p.m. with an optional half-hour question and answer period to follow for parents who can stay.



**BIPR**  
Boulder Institute for  
Psychotherapy and Research

### Be the Best Parent You Can Be!

To read more about upcoming lectures or to RSVP - Visit the website at: BIPR.org or call 303.442.4562



**May 15:** Raising a Child Who Can Manage Their Emotions: Strategies and Techniques for Parents



**June 19:** Helping Your Child Conquer Fears and Anxieties

## Discovery Lab

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Join us as we explore STEAM concepts (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math) by engaging in active learning and discovery. For ages 9 - 18, 4 - 5 p.m. in the Discovery Lab (1st floor of the library). Drop in to participate in the activities. No registration required.

Want to explore other Discovery lab activities on your own? It's always open when there's not a scheduled session.  
Call the TEEN Zone at 720.887.2360 for more information.

4/29 & 5/1: Travel through a cardiac maze to learn how the heart works. Build a blood model with food.



5/6 & 5/8: The city's dietician visits to explain how your body processes food. Create a life-size outline of your digestive system.

5/13 & 5/15: Explore how the brain works by completing tasks such as sensory deprivation Lego building and tracing with your non-dominant hand.

5/20 & 5/22: Learn Yoga poses to feel more energized or relaxed throughout the day.



## More information from the Children's Library!



**B in the Loop email newsletter.**  
Sign up for one or all of our newsletters to receive information by email about upcoming events, programs, fun activities and lots more library news!

Library-Adult Services  
Library-Children's Services  
Library-Young Adult Services

Click on or

at [www.broomfieldlibrary.org](http://www.broomfieldlibrary.org) and follow the directions to subscribe to email newsletters available from the city.

**Children's Story Line** Call the Story Line to listen to a new story each week! We have a special phone in the Children's Library or call from home or from your cell phone while standing in a long line! 720.887.2317



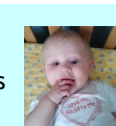
**Facebook** Join our Library's Facebook page! Look on the right side of the front page on our library's website for the Facebook icon.



**Join the Broomfield Library Friends!** Become a member of the organization that supports

YOUR library! The Broomfield Library Friends make many library programs possible. They support our Summer Reading Programs for children, young adults and adults, Cuddletime Concerts, special programs, e-books, Youth in Model Railroad, One Book, One Broomfield and much more.

The Friends raise money for library programs through memberships, annual book sales & the used book and gift shop in the library. It only costs \$12 for a year long membership & your support goes a very long way towards giving the library all the little extras needed to make our programs great!



**New Baby Welcome Program** The Mamie Doud Eisenhower Public Library would like to tell you how happy we are to welcome your new baby as a member of our

community. The Children's Library wants to invite you to receive a few special gifts as part of our Baby Welcome Program. If you are a Broomfield resident and have an infant age newborn to 1 year, (12 months), please contact the Children's Library to reserve your Baby Welcome Program gift packet. Each packet of free materials includes a book, bookmark, gift bag, baby t-shirt and library related informational flyers.

Supplies are limited, proof of residency required. Funding provided by the Broomfield Library Friends.

