



Art for Time Travelers (Ages 6-12)

Monday, July 13 at 2:30 p.m.

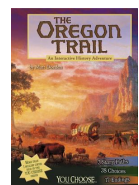
Travel through history and make your own masterpiece! On this creative adventure we'll explore one moment in art history—it could be fossils, cave paintings, or even Picasso—and make one unique work of art inspired by that time. Come see where (and when) our adventure takes us and let your imagination soar! **Registration is required per child.** Please register online or at the Mt. Pleasant Library Children's Desk.



E.C.R.R. Playtime (Ages birth-5 with a caregiver)

Tuesday, July 14, drop-in from 9-10 a.m.

Join us as we explore the five early literacy skills through stations that encourage you to talk, sing, read, write, and play.



Oregon Trail Live! (Ages 6-12)

Monday, July 20 at 10 a.m.

Participate in a live-action version of the notorious Oregon Trail computer game. **Registration required per child.** Please register online or at the Mt. Pleasant Library Children's Desk.



TRIVIA for Time Travelers (Ages 5+)

Monday, July 20 at 3:30 p.m.

Test your knowledge of times other than our own in a fun series of question-and-answer games. Play with a team or on your own.



Playdough Playtime (Ages 3+ with a caregiver)

Tuesday, July 21 at 1 p.m.

Learn and play with fun playdough activities that encourage creativity and develop early literacy skills. This month we will be making our own edible playdough to take home!

Registration required per child. Please register online or at the Children's Desk.

**Some allergens may be present, please inform staff of any food allergy concerns.*



Summer Reading Finale Glow Party (All Ages)

Thursday July 30, drop-in from 1-3 p.m.

Join us as we say goodbye to summer reading and take a glimpse into the future! As you pick up your summer reading prizes, enjoy glow-in-the-dark bowling, build a robot, and much more! The future is bright and we can't wait to celebrate with you!

Storytime Schedule*



Baby Storytime (Ages 0-1)

Wednesdays

July 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29
at 9:30 a.m.



Toddler Storytime (Ages 1-3)

Thursdays

July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
at 10:30 a.m.



Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5)

Tuesdays

July 7, 14, 21 & 28
at 10:30 a.m.

***Due to fire code, capacity is limited.**

Please arrive up to 30 minutes in advance to grab a ticket.



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SUMMER READING IS HERE!



Travel through time with CCPL's 2026 Summer Reading Program, **Endless Eras, Endless Stories.** Readers of all ages are invited to read, earn prizes, and explore special events all summer long.

Visit ccpl.org/summeronline to learn more.



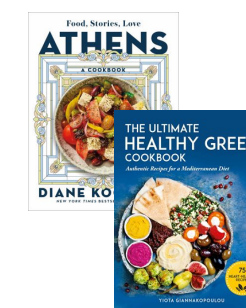
Closure Notice



All CCPL branches will be **closed on Friday, July 3 and Saturday, July 4** for Independence Day



Book Clubs for Adults



Mount Pleasant Cookbook Club Potluck!

Tuesday, July 21 at 5:30 p.m.

Cook a dish from **"Athens: Food, Stories, Love: A Cookbook"** by Diane Kochilas or **"The Ultimate Healthy Greek Cookbook: 75 Authentic Recipes for a Mediterranean Diet"** by Yiota Giannakopoulou (only available on Hoopla).

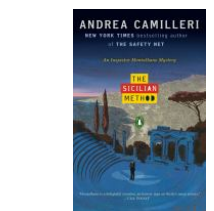
Space is limited, so register online, at the Adult Services Desk or email mtpreference@ccpl.org to save your spot! When signing up, mention your dish to avoid duplicates.



Title Talk

Monday, July 27 at 1 p.m.

Join us for a monthly gathering for book lovers to share thoughts, swap recommendations, and discover new reads. Enjoy relaxed, thoughtful conversation in a welcoming community. All readers are welcome - come for the books, stay for the conversation!



Grounds for Suspicion

Tuesday, July 28 at 2 p.m.

Calling all crime lovers! This month, read **"The Sicilian Method"** by **Andrea Camilleri** and join us for a conversation dissecting the clues, exploring the suspects, and discussing every far-off locale in this globe-trotting series of mysteries. This month: theatrics and infamy in Sicily!

Space is limited, so register online or at the Adult Services Desk to save your spot!

Technology Programs for Adults



What Do I Read Next?

Wednesday, July 1 at 1 p.m.

Learn how to use Goodreads and Novelist to browse reading interests, discover new authors, rate and review your reads, and choose your next literary adventure in this technology class.



Tech Team Help Lab

Thursdays, July 9 and 23, drop-in from 1-3 p.m.

Whether you're struggling with using a device, software, or need some basic tech tips, our librarians are here to help. No appointment necessary, stop by the Adult Services desk during our drop-in hours! Additional appointments may be necessary.

Other Programs for Adults

Take a Paws and Breathe

Wednesday, July 1, drop-in from 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Take a Paws and Breathe is back by popular demand! Join us at the library for a relaxing drop-in visit with certified therapy dogs. Spend some time petting dogs, unwinding, and enjoying a calm, welcoming atmosphere. Designed for comfort, connection, and a little extra joy – no registration required.

Spanish Conversation Group for Adults

Wednesday, July 1 at 3:30 p.m.

Join us for a friendly, supportive Spanish Conversation Group at the library! Whether you're a beginner or looking to improve your skills, this is a great opportunity to practice Spanish in a relaxed, informal setting. Build vocabulary, gain confidence, and connect with others interested in Spanish language and culture. All levels are welcome!

The Intentional Life Lab

Tuesday, July 7 at 1 p.m.

Join us at The Intentional Life Lab, a space to try out mindful minimalism in your everyday life. Through group discussions and gentle accountability, you'll experiment with simplifying your home, habits, and routines – discovering what "less" can really mean for you.

July's theme: Mid-year reset and check-in: what is going well and what is challenging with our new intentional life.

Novel Creations: Recycled TP Roll Birds

Tuesday, July 14 at 1 p.m.

Create colorful decorative birds from cardboard tubes! Paint and personalize your feathered friends, then perch them on branches or hang them from a garland. This fun, eco-friendly craft is a creative way to recycle everyday materials and make something uniquely your own.

Space is limited so register online or at the Adult Services Desk to save your spot!

At the Movies: The Best of 1986: Pretty In Pink, Rated PG-13, Runtime 96 min.

Wednesday, July 15 at 2 p.m.

Andie (Molly Ringwald) is an outcast at her Chicago high school, hanging out either with her older boss (Annie Potts), who owns the record store where she works, or her quirky classmate Duckie (Jon Cryer), who has a crush on her.

Step Back in Time: Regency Dance Class

Friday, July 17 at 1:30 p.m.

Step back in time with a Regency Dance Class led by Kalee Lineberger. Learn elegant moves, enjoy insights into Regency culture, and have fun—no experience needed!

Space is limited so register online or at the Adult Services Desk to save your spot!

At the Movies: The Best of 1986: Ferris Bueller's Day Off, Rated PG-13, Runtime 103 min.

Wednesday, July 22 at 2 p.m.

Ferris Bueller (Matthew Broderick) has an uncanny skill at cutting classes and getting away with it. Intending to make one last duck-out before graduation, Ferris calls in sick, "borrows" a Ferrari, and embarks on a one-day journey through the streets of Chicago. On Ferris' trail is high school principal Rooney (Jeffrey Jones), determined to catch him in the act.

Coffee and Conversation

Monday, July 27 at 10 a.m.

Meet other seniors and learn about what's happening at Mount Pleasant Library while you enjoy coffee, good conversation and a breakfast treat.

Crime After Dark

Monday, July 27 at 6:15 p.m.

Interested in true crime? Join our monthly discussion group where we take a closer look at notable cases and the questions they raise. Each session focuses on a different topic or case. This month: John and Joyce Sheridan.

Other Programs for Adults (continued)

Lowcountry Alligators: Understanding Behavior and Staying Safe

Wednesday, July 29 at 11 a.m.

Wildlife photographer and Coastal Master Naturalist Colin Hocking will share his experiences with Lowcountry alligators through his work as an ambassador volunteer with Charleston County Parks and Recreation. During his talk, he will discuss alligator behavior, habitats, and the safety insights he has gained while educating the public about these remarkable reptiles of the Lowcountry.

Program for Adults and Teens Grades 6-12

Flavors of Japan: A Cultural and Culinary Journey

Tuesday, July 28 at 4 p.m.

Join the Japan-America Association of South Carolina for a live Japanese cooking demonstration! Discover traditional ingredients, step-by-step techniques and the rich culinary culture of Japan as an authentic meal is prepared before your eyes.

Programs for Teens Grades 6-12

Cardboard Loom Weaving

Wednesday, July 8 at 1 p.m.

Tell your story one thread at a time. Create simple cardboard looms and learn the basics of weaving. Perfect for beginners and experienced crafters alike!

Time Capsules

Monday, July 20, drop-in from 3-5 p.m.

Create a personalized time capsule that preserves your voice, memories, and creativity for years to come. Decorate your capsule to represent your unique identity and this moment in time. Then take it home to fill with letters to yourself, keepsakes, and other meaningful objects.

Programs for Children

Time Machine Movies! (All Ages)

Thursdays, July 2 and 16 at 2 p.m.

Zap through time with these movies and a craft! Showing this month: The Princess and the Frog (G) [7/2] and Treasure Planet (PG) [7/16].

Big Bang Boom

Wednesday, July 8 at 10:30 a.m.

Get ready to rock! Designed especially for kids in Pre-K through 5th grade, Big Bang Boom performances blend learning with laughter and music that even grown-ups will love.

Due to fire code, capacity is limited. Please arrive up to 30 minutes in advance to grab a ticket.

STEAMPunk Series! (Ages 6+)

Thursdays, July 9 and 23 at 2 p.m.

Explore all through time with these STEM and STEAM activities! This month: tinfoil boats (7/9) and space art (7/23)!

Magic Tree House Adventure (Ages 5-11)

Friday, July 10 at 10 a.m.

The wind is starting to blow... the tree house is starting to spin! Explore history and geography through activities inspired by Jack and Annie's adventures in the classic series.

Attack the Castle (Ages 6-12)

Monday, July 13 at 10 a.m.

Create your own castle and catapult. Then test the fortitude of your creations.

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