

#### WETASKIWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

# SUMMER PROGRAMS

2025



**Library Hours** 

Mon - Thu 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Fri & Sat 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Closed Sundays & Holidays

780-361-4446

5002 51 Ave, Wetaskiwin, AB

www.wetaskiwinpubliclibrary.ab.ca



ADULT

TEEN

**CHILDREN** 

BABY & TODDLER

SPECIAL EVENT

**FAMILY** 

**SENIOR** 

**ALL AGES** 



Please visit our website to register for a program or receive reminders.

https://www.wetaskiwinpubliclibrary.ab.ca





#### Book Talk & Walk

Take your love of reading outdoors with this relaxed library program at Jubilee Park! Enjoy a casual walk, share book recommendations, and connect with fellow readers. Comfortable shoes, sun protection, and a love of books are all you need!

Mondays, in July.

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

Ages 16+

6:00 PM

#### **JULY 7th - AUGUST 18th**

#### Silly Story Camp

Join us on Mondays where campers explore a new children's book and dive into social-emotional learning through fun discussions, creative activities, and interactive read-alouds using Novel Effect soundscapes. It's the perfect mix of silly, smart, and heartfelt fun for young readers!

Register online or phone 780-361-4446 Ages 6 - 10 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **LEGO Camp**

This camp is all about teamwork, creativity, and problem-solving through hands-on LEGO challenges and free-build fun. Whether they're building cities, racing cars, or dreaming up new inventions, campers will be engaged, inspired, and having a blast!

Register online or phone 780-361-4446 Ages 6 - 10

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Summer Reading Club

Join the TD Summer
Reading Club! Pick up your
reading log, track
progress, and visit weekly
for treasure chest prizes
and big prize draws!

**Teen & Adult Summer Reading Club Booklets** 

Pick up a free booklet, track your reading, and complete fun challenges to earn prize entries. Read at your own pace, on your own time!

## TUESDAYS

**JULY 8th - AUGUST 19th** 

#### Play in the Park

The Wetaskiwin Public Library will be joining WRPS at Play in the Park every Tuesday morning. For more details, check out:

https://www.facebook.com/PlayInTheParkWetaskiwin 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM





**JULY 9th - AUGUST 20th** 



A fun, hands-on art program where toddlers explore colours, textures, and materials through creative play. Each session encourages self-expression, motor skill development, and parent-child bonding all in a safe, messy, and joyful environment!

Register online or phone 780-361-4446 Ages 1 - 5 with a caregiver 10:45 AM

#### STEAM TEAM

Dive into science, technology, engineering, arts, and math through fun, hands-on projects and activities. Kids will build, design, experiment, and create while exploring how these subjects connect to everyday life. Perfect for curious minds who love to discover, imagine, and get creative!

Ages 7 - 12 5:30 PM

#### Stitchin' in the Stacks

Grab your knitting, crochet, or yarn project and head to the library for a cozy crafting session! Connect with fellow makers, get inspired by our collection, or check out a kit to try something new.

Ages 13+

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

#### Wreck & Reflect

Unleash your creativity in this fun, no-rules journaling workshop! Inspired by Wreck This Journal, you'll design a one-of-a-kind junk journal using recycled materials, prompts, and art supplies. Rip it, write it, paint it, anything goes!

No experience needed, just a willingness to get creative

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

Ages 11 - 17

1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

and a little messy!



## THURSDAYS

#### Family Craft in the Park

Join us at the Friends of the Library Park for a fun, hands-on family craft program! Enjoy a sunny day of creativity and quality time with loved ones as we make unique, take-home crafts together.

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

**All Ages** 

Thursdays, July 10th and August 7th, 5:30 PM

#### BYOB: Bring Your Own Book (Book Bedazzling)

Bring your favourite old book and give it a glam makeover! This creative workshop invites you to decorate book covers with gems, paint, collage, and more. Whether you're revamping a journal or personalizing a paperback, you'll leave with a one-of-a-kind, bedazzled book that reflects your unique style. All art supplies provided, just BYOB!

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

Ages 16+

Thursdays, July 17th and August 14th, 5:30 PM

#### Beaded Wristlets with Karly

Join us for a workshop that celebrates Indigenous art and craftsmanship. Karly will guide participants through the art of beading, teaching the intricate techniques used to create stunning Indigenous beaded wristlets. All materials are provided, but additional time outside of this session may be needed to finish the wristlet.

Instructed by Karly @ladysweetgrassdesigns Register online or phone 780-361-4446

Ages 16+

Thursdays, July 24th and August 21st, 5:30 PM

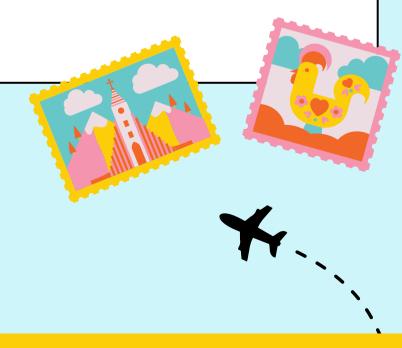
#### Yoto Basics: Cards, Players & More

Discover how Yoto can offer a screen-free way to explore stories, music, and more. Whether you're just getting started or want to make the most of your Yoto, this session will help you feel confident using this fun and educational tool.

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

All Ages

Thursday, July 31st, 5:30 PM





#### JULY 11th - AUGUST 22nd

#### **FUN FRIDAYS**

Join us every Friday, where kids, families, and teens can enjoy free play with toys, games, hands-on activities, and video games. Drop in anytime, it's the perfect way to relax, play, and make new friends!

**All Ages** 

10:30 AM - 4:30 PM



## SATURDAYS

#### **Books & Brushes**

Join us for a creative and relaxing session where literature meets crafting. Paint wooden blocks to resemble your favourite books and decorate the edges of real books. Bring your own or use ones provided by the library.

Register online or phone 780-361-4446

Ages 16+

Saturdays, July 26th and August 16th, 2:00 PM

#### **JULY 12th - AUGUST 16th**

#### Saturday Summer Stories

Join us for a special summer storytime led by our enthusiastic summer student! Enjoy read-alouds, songs, and interactive fun, perfect for young readers.

**All Ages** 

2:00 PM

#### Weekly Scavenger Hunt

Explore Friends of the Library Park to find book covers, solve clues, and complete sentences for prize draw entries. There will be a new hunt each Saturday!

\*Please note that the Friends of the Library Park is now only open during library hours.\*

### OTHER EVENTS & PROGRAMS

#### SRC KICK-OFF PARTY

We're kicking off the Summer Reading Club with a huge street party! The road will be closed for this exciting event featuring bouncy castles, giant games, crafts, a fundraising BBQ, and more. Come get your summer started with fun for the whole family, including a live caricature artist!

All Ages

Friday, July 4th<sup>-</sup> 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

#### **Tech Tutoring**

Need a hand with your phone, tablet, laptop, or another device? Book a one-on-one session to get your questions answered. Just bring your device and any materials you need.

Register online or phone 780-361-4446 Ages 18+

Thursdays, July 10th - August 21st 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM and Saturdays, July 12th - August 16th 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

#### Twilight: 20th Anniversary Party

Celebrate 20 years of Twilight by Stephenie Meyer at the library! Join us for a movie watch party and more. Support your favorite team, whether you're Team Edward, Team Jacob, or proudly Team Charlie (because dads with mustaches need fans too).

Register online or phone 780-361-4446 Ages 16+

Friday, September 26th, 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (After hours)

#### SRC WRAP-UP PARTY

Enjoy games, prizes, treats, and special activities as we wrap up the Summer Reading Club with a party for all ages. Don't miss the chance to celebrate your reading achievements!

**All Ages** 

Saturday, August 23rd, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

#### **Adult Book Club**

Connect with fellow readers each month to discuss our latest pick and share your thoughts. For book reviews and updates, check out our Facebook page!

Register ahead by emailing <u>bschmidt@wetaskiwinpubliclibrary.ab.ca</u> or phone 780.361.4446.

**Ages 18+** 

Tuesdays, July 22nd and August 26th, 5:30 PM

Thursdays, July 24th and August 28th, 2:30 PM & 5:30 PM

#### **Adult Movie Night**

Each month, we're screening a film inspired by the previous month's book club read. Whether you're part of the book club or not, everyone's welcome to come enjoy the movie!

Ages 18+

Thursdays, July 3rd and August 7th, 5:30 PM

