

PAWS to



2014 SUMMER READING PROGRAM

MONDAY, JUNE 23 - SATURDAY, AUGUST 9



THE TORRANCE PUBLIC LIBRARY

For Toddlers (3 years old) through Middle School Students

JOIN THE READING PROGRAM - IT'S EASY, FUN, AND FREE!

Visit any Torrance Library beginning June 23; sign up and receive a free book bag and reading log.

Read, read, read! Select books from the library, your own collection, or borrow from friends! If you read for at least 20 minutes a day, you'll complete your reading log by Saturday, August 9.

Visit your Torrance Library and tell the Librarian about what you've read and receive a fun incentive (limit one per day).

Complete your reading log (eight hours); return it to your Torrance Library on or before Saturday, August 9; and receive a Certificate of Completion and a new book!

PARTICIPATE IN A VARIETY OF FUN AND FREE ACTIVITIES.

Check out the magnificent summer line-up - There's something for everyone!



Special Performances

- Whose Paw Is It Anyway? An interactive animal program from The Wildlife Company!
- Puppet Tales: Luce Puppets Presents Aesop's Fables!
- John Abrams combines magic, comedy, music, and live exotic pets in Animal Magic!



Studies show that children who read just **20 minutes a day** during the summer are more successful in school.



Special Events at the Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

- Watch a wildly entertaining movie and have some popcorn!
- Crouching Tigers and Flying Dragons: a martial arts program presented by the United Studios of Self Defense, Torrance!
- Comedian Michael Rayner presents his Unpredictable Comedy Show.
- Juggler David Cousin performs daring juggling deeds!



If you have any questions, please call the Youth Services Department at **310-618-5964**



Visit us on the web for a complete list of programs

www.Library.TorranceCA.Gov



Story and Craft Programs

Join us for a story followed by a fun craft activity for all ages.

- Folding Fidos • Monkeys in Motion
- Clinging Cats • Playful Pandas
- Exuberant Elephants



Storytimes

Babytime, Toddlertime, Family Storytime, and Pajama-Rama are all about stories, songs, and fun! No registration required - just drop in!

Attention Parents: Your child's attendance at any Torrance Library sponsored event constitutes your permission for their photograph to be used for any promotional purposes.

THE TORRANCE PUBLIC LIBRARY WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING SUMMER READING PROGRAM DONORS:

Friends of the Torrance Library ExxonMobil Foundation Torrance Teachers Association





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FREE PERFORMANCES AND PROGRAMS
 Participate in a variety of fun and free activities! Thanks to the Friends of the Torrance Library for funding the Summer Reading Program.

KATY GEISSERT CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY
 3301 Torrance Boulevard • 310-618-5964



Babytime:.....Tuesdays.....10:30 a.m.
Toddlertime:.....Mondays.....10:15 and 11 a.m.
Pajama-Rama, evening storytime:.... Tuesdays7 p.m.

Monday, June 23 2:00 p.m. ... Summer Reading Program Kick-Off Event
 Friday, June 27 2:00 p.m. ... Whose Paw Is It Anyway?
 Monday, June 30 2:00 p.m. ... Monkeys in Motion
 Monday, July 7 2:00 p.m. ... Crouching Tigers and Flying Dragons
 Friday, July 11 2:00 p.m. ... Michael Rayner's Unpredictable Comedy Show
 Monday, July 14 2:00 p.m. ... Exuberant Elephants
 Monday, July 21 2:00 p.m. ... Playful Pandas
 Friday, July 25 2:00 p.m. ... Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Saturday, July 26 2:00 p.m. . Summer Movie Matinee
 Monday, July 28..... 2:00 p.m. .. Folding Fidos
 Friday, August 1 2:00 p.m. .. John Abrams: Animal Magic
 Monday, August 4 .. 2:00 p.m. .. Clinging Cats
 Friday, August 8 ... 2:00 p.m. .. Juggler David Cousin

EL RETIRO LIBRARY
 126 Vista del Parque • 310-375-0922

Toddlertime:Wednesdays.....11 a.m.

Wednesday, June 25 ... 4:00 p.m..... Whose Paw Is It Anyway?
 Wednesday, July 2..... 4:00 p.m..... Playful Pandas
 Wednesday, July 9 4:00 p.m. Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Wednesday, July 16..... 4:00 p.m..... Monkeys in Motion
 Wednesday, July 23..... 4:00 p.m..... John Abrams: Animal Magic
 Wednesday, July 30 4:00 p.m..... Clinging Cats
 Wednesday, August 6... 4:00 p.m..... Folding Fidos

HENDERSON LIBRARY
 4805 Emerald Street • 310-371-2075

Family Storytime:.....Tuesdays10:30 a.m.
Pajama-Rama, evening storytime:Wednesdays.....7 p.m.

Tuesday, June 24..... 2:00 p.m. Whose Paw Is It Anyway?
 Tuesday, July 1 2:00 p.m. Playful Pandas
 Tuesday, July 8 2:00 p.m. John Abrams: Animal Magic
 Tuesday, July 15..... 2:00 p.m. Clinging Cats
 Tuesday, July 22 2:00 p.m. Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Tuesday, July 29 2:00 p.m. Folding Fidos
 Tuesday, August 5 2:00 p.m. Monkeys in Motion

NORTH TORRANCE LIBRARY
 3604 Artesia Boulevard • 310-323-7200

Pajama-Rama, evening storytime:Mondays 6:30 p.m.
Family Storytime:.....Tuesdays 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, June 25 3:00 p.m.... Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Wednesday, July 2 3:00 p.m.... Clinging Cats
 Wednesday, July 9 3:00 p.m.... Monkeys in Motion
 Wednesday, July 16 3:00 p.m.... Playful Pandas
 Wednesday, July 23.... 3:00 p.m.... Folding Fidos
 Wednesday, July 30 ... 3:00 p.m.... John Abrams: Animal Magic
 Wednesday, August 6.... 3:00 p.m.... Whose Paw Is It Anyway?

SOUTHEAST LIBRARY
 23115 South Arlington Avenue • 310-530-5044

Family Storytime:.....Tuesdays..... 11 a.m.

Wednesday, June 25 1:00 p.m..... Whose Paw Is It Anyway?
 Wednesday, July 2..... 1:00 p.m..... Clinging Cats
 Wednesday, July 9..... 1:00 p.m..... Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Wednesday, July 16 1:00 p.m..... Playful Pandas
 Wednesday, July 23..... 1:00 p.m..... John Abrams: Animal Magic
 Wednesday, July 30 ... 1:00 p.m..... Monkeys in Motion
 Wednesday, August 6 ... 1:00 p.m..... Folding Fidos

WALTERIA LIBRARY
 3815 West 242nd Street • 310-375-8418

Pajama-Rama, evening storytime:..... Mondays ... 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 26 4:00 p.m..... Whose Paw Is It Anyway?
 Thursday, July 3..... 4:00 p.m..... Monkeys in Motion
 Thursday, July 10..... 4:00 p.m..... Clinging Cats
 Thursday, July 17..... 4:00 p.m..... Luce Puppets Presents: Aesop's Fables
 Thursday, July 24..... 4:00 p.m..... Playful Pandas
 Thursday, July 31 4:00 p.m..... Folding Fidos
 Thursday, August 7 4:00 p.m..... John Abrams: Animal Magic



SUMMER MOVIE MATINEES
at the Katy Geissert Library
 Select Fridays at 2:00 p.m.
Friday, August 15 • Friday, August 22 • Friday, August 29