



Save the Date

Get Ready for **JUNE 2024** at the Bridgeport Public Library **Children's Room!**

**925 Broad Street
Bridgeport, CT 06604**

**203-576-7400 EXT. 408, or
www.bportlibrary.org/kids**



Downtown Library Weekly Programs

MONDAYS at 4 pm MONDAY CRAFTERNOONS! Visit us every Monday to make a fun, new art or craft project! We can't promise everything will be "fridge-worthy" but we can promise a great, creative experience for all! Ages 4-12.

TUESDAYS at 11 am LITTLE LEARNERS STORYTIME Join us for storytime every Tuesday as we read brilliant books, sing silly songs, do simple crafts, and even have time for free play & making friends afterward. Most of all, we'll have so much fun and learn a lot, too! Ages: 0-5

WEDNESDAYS at 5 pm SLIMETIME! Our stickiest, gooiest, messiest program is back & better than ever! Paint? Sure! Glitter? Of course! Join us each Wednesday at 5 PM to let your science and creative sides meet & make your own *slime-tastic* creations! Ages 6-12. No registration required.

THURSDAYS at 5pm LEGO CLUB Do you love designing your own creations? Then it's time for you to join other kids who love the ever-popular plastic bricks every Thursday night at our LEGO Club! Your creations will be put on display in the Children's Room for a week and you get a prize every fourth visit! Ages: 4-12.

Special Programs

June 1st—June 18th **MAKE YOUR OWN JUNETEENTH FLAG**

Did you know that Bridgeport has an annual Juneteenth parade? This year, it takes place on Saturday, June 15th at Seaside Park. Come on down to the Children's Department to create your own Juneteenth flag to wave at the parade or display it proudly wherever you'd like! Ages: 0-12.

Wednesday, June 12th at 5:00 PM **DINOSAURS ROCK!**

Join us for a fun, educational, & interactive show all about dinosaurs! You'll see museum quality dinosaur fossils and other prehistoric specimens that are 10,000 to over 500 million years old, then you'll dig for your own genuine fossil to take home! Ages 5-12.

Saturday, June 15th from 10—4:30 **ZOO SCAVENGER HUNT**

Children and their families are invited to search through books on animals and adventure in the Children's Room to find a special card - then you'll scratch to reveal a fun Zoo prize. **One card per child. Available at all BPL locations.**

Friday, June 21st at 2:00 PM **IT'S MAKE MUSIC DAY!**

Hello, friends! Join us for an exciting and entertaining celebration of Make Music Day! City Librarian, Elaine Braithwaite, will perform a medley of Disney songs on her electric violin. Afterwards, she'll play the ukulele & give a free introductory lesson to those who register. **Lessons are for ages 7-12. Registration is required only if you would like a ukulele lesson. Call 203-576-7400 x408 or visit the Children's Room to register.**

Saturday, June 22nd at 1:00 PM **SUMMER READING KICKOFF WITH BUILDWAVE!**

Buildwave is a high energy creative building event that encourages play and collaboration and features lots of the fun building materials you already love, like Lego® bricks, but in a unique format that will amaze you! Seating is limited, so registration is required. **Ages 5+. Please call 203-576-7400 x 408 or visit the Children's Room to register.**

Wednesday, June 26th at 6:30 PM **PRIDE MONTH STORYTIME & CRAFT**

Happy Pride Month - a time to celebrate the experiences of LGBTQ+ people & families that make up our community, as well as everyone's freedom to be who they are. Join us in the Children's Room for a special storytime celebrating diversity, love, and acceptance, then make a fun rainbow craft to take home! Ages: 0-12.

Parents/caregivers must remain in the Children's Room for the duration of these programs.

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MORE BPL
PROGRAMS!



SUMMER READING STARTS SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH! MAKE SURE TO SIGN UP!