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~ Media Advisory ~

Summer Reading Kickoff

For Kids and Families at Springfield Public Library

Families are invited to our annual Summer Reading Kickoff on Tuesday, June 27 to see the incredible Kacey McCallister, visit with community partners Willamalane, Team Duckling, and Little Hands Can, register for Summer Reading, and select their free book! Each year the library begins the Summer Reading Program with this large event on the Fountain Plaza of City Hall. Participants will receive a ticket when they arrive along with a welcome bag and registration slip. Families will be called in order to come and turn in their slip and select their free book after Kacey McCallister's program is finished. This program is sponsored by the Springfield Utility Board, The Friends of the Springfield Public Library, the Gray Family Foundation, the Cressey Family Charitable Trust, and the Springfield Library Foundation. Thank you!

What: Summer Reading Kickoff

When: 1-3 p.m., June 27

Where: Fountain Plaza of City Hall and Springfield Public Library, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield OR

Additional Information: Taylor Worley, 541.726.2243, taylorlgkw@gmail.com

Free Teen Field Trip to Oregon State Capitol

Provided by Springfield Public Library

Build a Better World beginning right here in Oregon. Teens are invited to hop on a Willamalane bus and travel to Salem to tour the Oregon State Capitol Building and meet with our state legislators. We will also take a short tour of the Oregon State Library. The bus leaves from Springfield Public Library at 10 a.m., Thursday, June 29. Bring a bag lunch to enjoy on the lawn and a signed permission slip from your parents. Permission slips are available in the library and on our website. Advance registration is at: <https://willamalane.org/class/oregon-state-capitol-trip>. This trip is for teens ages 12 to 18. This trip is made possible by generous funding provided by the Gray Family Foundation.

What: Free Teen Field Trip to Oregon State Capitol

When: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., June 29

Where: Departing from Springfield Public Library

Additional Information: LuCinda Gustavson, 541.726.2287, lgustavson@springfield-or.gov

Summer Spanish Language Storytime at the Springfield Library

Families are invited for a weekly Monday Cuentos storytime

During the summer we are offering bilingual storytimes outside in the City Hall Fountain plaza at 12:45 p.m., every Monday from June 27 until August 29. Join us each Monday for interactive bilingual stories, songs and a craft. Each week we will have a special theme. See our event calendars for more details. Families of all ages are welcome!

Join us at 12:45 p.m., Monday, June 27 for *cuentos de la transportación* or, transportation stories. We'll have special guests from LTD's Point to Point program and a free bicycle helmet giveaway for kids. Families of all ages are welcome!

What: Cuentos / Bilingual Story time in Spanish

When: 12:45 p.m., Monday, June 27

Where: The Springfield Public Library, outside plaza, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield OR

Additional Information: Contact Kristen Curé at 541.726.2232

CUENTOS BILINGÜES EN ESPAÑOL EN LA BIBLIOTECA DE SPRINGFIELD ESTE VERANO

Se invite las familias a los Cuentos cada lunes en Español

Durante el verano vamos a ofrecer *Cuentos* bilingües en la plaza de la fuente enfrente de la biblioteca de Springfield todos los lunes a las 12:45 p.m. (del 27 de junio al 29 de agosto). Acompáñenos cada lunes para cuentos bilingües, canciones y manualidades. Cada semana tendremos un tema especial. Lea nuestro calendario de eventos para más información. ¡Se invita a las familias con niños de todas las edades!

Acompáñenos el lunes, 27 de junio, a las 12:45p.m. para cuentos bilingües de la transportación. Estarán nuestros invitados especiales del programa Point to Point de LTD y van a regalar cascos a los niños. ¡Se invita a las familias con niños de todas las edades!

Que: Cuentos Sabatinos Bilingües en Español

Cuando: Lunes, 27 de junio, 12:45pm

Donde: La Biblioteca Pública de Springfield, en la plaza de la fuente

Para más información se puede comunicarse con Kristen Curé al 541.726.2232