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Aurora Public Library | June 2023

7th Annual
Aurora Craft Brews Tour

June 15 – Oct. 7

Experience Aurora’s craft brews scene when you grab a passport at any Aurora Public Library branch or at any participating locations.

This year, a record-number of breweries are participating in the tour, 14!

Bent Barley Brewing Co.
6200 S. Main St. #110

Cheluna Brewing Co.
2501 Dallas St. #148

Comrade Brewing Co.
7667 E. Iliff Ave., Suite F

Danico Brewing
18490 E. 66th Ave.

Dragon Meadery
2708 S. Helena Way

Dry Dock Brewing Co.
2501 Tower Road (North)
15120 E. Hampden Ave. (South)

Haykin Family Cider
12001 E. 33rd Ave. Unit D

Jade Mountain Brewery and Teahouse
4233 S. Buckley Road

Lady Justice Brewing
9735 E. Colfax Ave.

Launch Pad Brewing
884 S. Buckley Road

Second Dawn Brewing
2302 Dayton St.

Six Capital Brewing and BBQ
16701 E. Iliff Ave.

Two22 Brew
4550 S. Reservoir Road

Ursula Brewery
2101 N. Ursula St.

Prizes available, while supplies last, at select Aurora Public Library branches through Saturday, Oct. 14. *Must make a purchase at participating location to receive a stamp

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Central and Tallyn’s Reach Libraries are open
Monday–Thursday 9 a.m.–8 p.m. and Friday–Sunday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

All other libraries are open Monday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

All library locations will be closed Monday, June 19 in observance of Juneteenth.
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STORYTIME: UKULELE SING-ALONG
CENTRAL LIBRARY

SUPPORTING DÍA DEL NIÑO CELEBRATION

FANTASY TERRARIUM
TALLYN’S REACH LIBRARY

SUPPORTING DÍA DE LAS MADRES CELEBRATION
BOOK CLUBS

NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB
Tuesday, June 6, 1 p.m., CEN
Experience a lively discussion on a new book title every month. June’s Book: “Vesper Flights” by Helen Macdonald

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS BOOK CLUB
Saturday, June 10 and 24, 1 p.m., TRL
Participating in Battle of the Books this school year? Get together every other Saturday this summer to share notes, strategies and thoughts about the books! Open to rising third through fifth graders. No registration required but learn more on PerfectMind.

BOOKS AT THE BAR*
Saturday, June 3, 1 p.m.
Meet for lively discussions on popular and contemporary literature. Register online and adults 21 and over only. Please contact the Hoffman Heights Library for more information at 303.739.1572. June’s book is “The Wrong End of the Telescope” by Rabih Alameddine

LGBTQ+ BOOK CLUB
Saturday, June 10, 3:30-4:30 p.m., MLK
Celebrate PRIDE! Discuss queer books and authors from a variety of genres in the inaugural LGBTQ+ book club. Meetings are bi-monthly. June’s book is “The Thirty Names of Night” by Zeyn Joukhadar.

COOKBOOK CLUB*
Sunday, June 11, 4 p.m. TRL
Pick a recipe from “Dessert Person: Recipes and Guidance for Baking with Confidence” by Claire Saffitz to make and share at our meeting. Please register to avoid duplicate dishes.

SPANISH BOOK CLUB, CLUB DE LECTURA
Saturday, June 17, 4 p.m. MLK
Este grupo lee un libro en español y se reúne en la biblioteca Martin Luther King Jr. para hablar de la lectura juntos. El libro del mes: Recuérdame de Mario Escobar.

SHORT STORY BOOK CLUB*
Saturday, June 17, 4 p.m., WebEx
A virtual book club for busy adults with monthly readings you can finish in an hour or less. Copies of each month’s short stories may be found at the Mission or Iliff front desks or requested via email (library@auroragov.org).

BANNED BOOKS BOOK CLUB FOR CAREGIVERS
Saturday, June 17 and June 24, 10 a.m., TRL*
A school librarian will lead a discussion for adults on titles commonly banned or challenged in elementary and middle school libraries. Please see PerfectMind for the title list and more information.

DAYTIME BOOKLOVERS’ BOOK CLUB
Wednesday, June 21, 10:30 a.m., CEN

BOOKS ABOUT BOOKS BOOK CLUB
Sunday, June 25, 3:30 p.m., TRL
Do you like books about books? Join this club to read fiction and non-fiction centered on the world of books, meet-up for lively discussions. June: “Papyrus: The Invention of Books in the Ancient World” by Irene Vallejo.

BOOK OF THE MONTH
Tuesday, June 27, 4 p.m., HOF
Try out a new book! Read the featured book of the month and join us for tea and snacks to tell us what you think! June: “Thorn” by Intisar Khanani

BOOK REVIEWS

“PAPYRUS: THE INVENTION OF BOOKS IN THE ANCIENT WORLD”
BY IRENE VALLEJO
In this 2022 international bestseller written by Spanish author Irene Vallejo, she combines her personal love for reading with her all-encompassing knowledge of the history of books and finds a way to keep the reader hooked and not bored with facts about the evolution of books. From oral tradition, to strips of the pith of papyrus plants being cut from the Nile and used to create scrolls, to the creation of the Library of Alexandria and hunters being sent across the ancient world to collect every book in existence for the library, Vallejo keeps you surprised with the important and miscellaneous facts about the materials used for books, the writers of ancient books, the dangers of books and the ways books have transformed societies. No matter which genre is your favorite, “Papyrus" is sure to intrigue any reader, and after reading it, you will feel more thankful for the millions of books we have access to today, thanks to the ingenious inventions of ancient book lovers.

Reviewed by Travis Jimenez, Library Assistant, Tallyn’s Reach Library

HAVE YOU READ THESE BOOKS?
Share your thoughts on social media with #ReadWithAPL
LEARN AND PLAY
Tuesdays, 11 a.m., HOF
Wednesdays, 11 a.m., CHA
Wednesdays, 11 a.m., TRL
Listen to music and play with early literacy toys while connecting with other kids and caregivers. No registration required; meets after Family Storytime. Designed for kids 18 mos. to five yrs.

MUSIC PLAY GROUP
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11 a.m., TRL
Listen to music and play with toys and instruments while connecting with other kids and caregivers. No registration required; meets after Tots Tunes. Designed for kids 18 mos. to five yrs.

FUN FRIDAY STORYTIME
Fridays, 10:30 a.m., MLK
Dynamic, engaging weekly storytime for all-ages. Enjoy puppets, parachutes, shaker eggs, songs and stories!

BABY PLAYGROUP
Fridays, 11 a.m., TRL
Listen to music and play with age-appropriate toys while connecting with other caregivers. No registration required; meets after Baby Storytime. Designed for babies under 23 mos.

SPECIAL STORYTIME: LUAU PARTY
Thursday, June 15, 10:30 a.m., MVL
Finish out our fun Polynesian week with stories and crafts to learn about the different Pacific Islands and their cultures!

SPECIAL STORYTIME: SING ALONG, MOVE ALONG
Tuesday, June 27, 10:30 a.m., HOF
Swallow Hill Music is here to help your tiny tot learn dances, creative movement, and interact with musical instruments in a special hands-on musical class!

*Registration is required via CityofAurora.PerfectMind.com
STEAM CLUB*
Tuesdays, 4 p.m., TRL
Explore science, technology, engineering, art, or math each week! Open to rising first through fifth graders.
Tuesday, June 6 Special: Stroke Awareness with UC Health.
Tuesday, June 20 Special: Water Conservation with Aurora Water.

WHAT IF?’ CLUB
Tuesdays, 4 p.m., CHA
Thursdays, 4 p.m., HOF
Hang out with friends while playing with Legos, testing out science experiments or creating fun crafts.

BETWEEN THE NOTES
Wednesdays, 4 p.m., TRL
Keep your skills sharp this summer! Teen volunteers provide free tutoring for young musicians on cello, viola and violin. Students must bring their own instrument.

CHESS CLUB
Fridays, 4 p.m., TRL
Learn to play and tips!

MOVERS AND SHAKERS*
Saturdays, 2 p.m., TRL
Starting Saturday, June 10! Don’t let summer throw off your groove. Weekly music and movement program for rising first through fifth graders.

MARBLE SEARCH AND FIND
Saturday, June 3, All Day, HOF
We’ve lost our marbles! Find them to win a sweet treat.

RAINSTICK CRAFT*
Wednesday, June 7, 4:30 p.m., MVL
These instruments mimic the sound of rain and are a fun sensory experience for kids.

AURORA BIRDS
Tuesday, June 13, 3 p.m., MLK
Learn about Colorado wild birds of prey, such as falcons, eagles and hawks, from a biology expert. Hawkquest will present live animals.

SPACE PAINTS*
Tuesday, June 13, 4:30 p.m., ILF
Want to paint a spaceship? Dream of creating another planet? All kids invited to paint space-themed wooden decorations – it’ll be out of this world!

MOVIE DAY: MOANA
Wednesday, June 14, 10:30 a.m., MVL
A fun movie morning for kids, with free popcorn included! We’ll be watching Moana as a part of this week’s Polynesian culture theme.

MATARIKI STAR WEAVING*
Wednesday, June 14, 4:30 p.m., MVL
Weave Matariki stars based on the Māori New Year celebration in this fun and simple yarn craft.

READ TO A THERAPY DOG*
Saturday, June 17, 10:30 a.m.-noon, MVL
What better way to practice reading aloud than with a friendly dog? Call 303.326.8600 to register for 15-minute sessions.

PAN FLUTES AND TUNES*
Tuesday, June 27, 4:30 p.m., ILF
Make your own pan flute and learn to play a simple song!

STORYBOOK CRAFT*
Wednesday, June 28, 4:30 p.m., MVL
Cut out a variety of characters and props to fill in a storybook. This craft was designed by teen volunteers in the Teen Advisory Group.

EMBRYOLOGY
Come visit the embryology displays and incubators at Chambers Plaza Library starting June 14 and Hoffman Heights Library starting June 16

EGGS-PERIMENTS
Wednesday, June 14, 4:30 p.m., CHA
Friday, June 16, 4:30 p.m., HOF
How strong is an eggshell? How can you tell if an egg is bad without cracking it open? Are eggs with different colored shells different on the inside? Find out! For kids in first through fifth grade.

EGG CANDLING
Wednesday, June 21, 4 p.m., CHA
Saturday, June 23, 4 p.m., HOF
Let’s look inside some eggs—literally! We’ll dissect some unfertilized eggs like those you’d find in a grocery store and compare them to the inside of eggs with chicks by candling them.
TEEN HANG
Thursdays, 4 p.m., CEN
Meet new friends, create something amazing, learn new skills, or simply chill out. Designed for students in middle school and high school.
· June 1: Canvas Spray Painting
· June 8: Grilled Cheese Day
· June 15: Jeopardy
· June 29: Denver Metro Science Group

LIBRARY GAME NIGHT:
TEEN SESSION*
Fridays, 5:30 p.m., WebEx
Connect from home to play party games with others! Newcomers are welcome. This month:
· June 2: Bring Your Own Book
· June 9: Taboo
· June 16: Poll Mine
· June 23: Half Truth
· June 30: Second Chance

CRAFT TEST DAY
Thursday, June 1, 3 p.m., MVL
A volunteer opportunity for teens to test crafts suggested during Teen Advisory Group, including a popcorn trebuchet. We’ll also be drawing designs to use in a children’s storybook craft.

WATER WARS
Tuesday, June 6, 4 p.m., HOF
Is there anything more fun than running around a park throwing soaking wet, foam puffs at another person?

BAD ART DAY
Thursday June 8, 4 p.m., MLK
Come let your creative side free. No worries about how good in looks, in fact, work to make the worst art you’ve ever seen. Glitter, pom-poms, paint and a fun time will all be provided.

DUNGEONS AND DUCKS
Thursday, June 8, 4:30-6 p.m., MVL
Test your mettle with a series of fun challenges. See if you can last a minute and win a prize!

SNACKS + STORIES
Thursday, June 8, 4:30 p.m., TLR
Thursday, June 22, 4:30 p.m., TLR
You’re never too old for story time! Get comfy, have a snack, doodle, or just listen while a novel is read out loud. Open to tweens and teens in fifth through twelfth grades

TEEN TEA TASTING*
Saturday, June 10, 4 p.m., TRL
Try different teas, accompaniments, and try your hand at tea dueling! Open to rising sixth through twelfth graders.

YOUR AURORA STORY
Thursday, June 15, 4:30 p.m., TRL
Learn about the role of journals and diaries in history and get your own record started with some journaling prompts. Presented by the Aurora History Museum. Open to rising sixth through twelfth graders.

NEBULA JARS
Thursday, June 15, 4 p.m., MLK
Create a personal galaxy to take home.

RAINBOW COOKIES*
Thursday, June 15, 4:30 p.m., MVL
Decorate cookies in your favorite flag colors or make custom designs of your own.

TIE DYE SESH*
Saturday, June 17, 4 p.m., TRL
Get groovy! Dyes, supplies and accessories will be provided, but feel free to bring your own wares to funkify! Open to rising sixth through twelfth graders.

CANDY ART EXHIBITION
Tuesday, June 20, 4 p.m., HOF
Can you make a Picasso out of Skittles? Are Oreos your sculpture medium of choice? Let the sugar rush inspire genius!

MANDALA CRAFT
Wednesday, June 22, 4:30 p.m., MVL
Use your creativity to make your own special mandala plate craft!

NOON CARTOONS
Saturday, June 24, noon, MLK
Enjoy classic Saturday morning cartoons! Bring pillows, blankets and come dressed in pajamas. A cereal bar will be available!

TEEN MOVIE DAY: PUSS IN BOOTS LAST WISH
Saturday, June 24, 3 p.m., MVL
By popular request! Bean bags and popcorn will be provided so you can relax and hang out with other teens.

ICE CREAM LAB*
Saturday, June 24, 4 p.m., TRL
Make your own ice cream with a variety of mix-ins! Open to rising sixth through twelfth graders.

KARAOKE AND JUST DANCE PARTY
Thursday, June 29, 4:30 p.m., MVL
Rock out at this goofy hang out event. We’ll have karaoke, the Just Dance game for Nintendo Switch and plenty of snacks.

EGG DROP CHALLENGE*
Friday, June 30, 3 p.m., MVL
Put your engineering skills to the test and see how high you can drop an egg from without it breaking.

TEEN ADVISORY GROUP (TAG)
Teens! Let your voice be heard. Create displays, plan programs and plan activities while earning volunteer time.
· Wednesdays, 2 p.m., MLK
· Thursday, June 1, 4:30 p.m., TRL
· Thursday, June 22, 4:30 p.m., MVL
· Thursday, June 22, 4 p.m., CEN
· Friday, June 30, 4 p.m., HOF

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GAME CLUB
Tuesdays, 4 p.m., MLK
Play board games, card games and more from a huge collection of fun classics.

CHESS CLUB
Wednesdays, 4 p.m., HOF
Experience friendly games of chess! Chess sets will be provided, but you are welcome to bring your own.

HOF CINEMARK
Fridays, 3 p.m., HOF
Bring a blanket and a pillow! We have the movie and popcorn!
Call the Hoffman Heights Library to find out what movie will be presented. Each week library visitors can vote on which movie to show.

STORIES WITH HUGO JON
Saturday, June 3, 1 p.m., TRL
Born on the continent of Africa and remade through the eyes of African American folklore are told by a Weaver of tales and award-winning author and storyteller.

SPELLBINDERS STORYTIMES
Saturday, June 3, 4 p.m. and Sunday, June 4, 1 p.m. and 4 p.m., TRL
Miss all the fun on Saturday or want more side-splitting tales? The Spellbinders will provide two rounds of great stories!

STORYTELLING WITH LEON JOSEPH LITTLEBIRD
Tuesday, June 6, 4 p.m., CEN
Using many types of ancient instruments, Littlebird’s performance demonstrates how music came to be an integral part of life in the tribes from mountains to plains to the southwest. Adults and children alike will be surprised by the unique look at local history.

SUNDAY MOVIES AT TALLYN’S REACH
Enjoy Movie & Popcorn Sundays!
- June 11, 12 p.m.: Cheaper by the Dozen (PG)
- June 11, 3 p.m.: Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs (PG)
- June 18, 12 p.m.: A Goofy Movie (G)
- June 18, 3 p.m.: Chicken Run (G)
- June 25, 12 p.m.: Moana (PG)

FAMILY SHOW AND TELL
Monday, June 12, 6 p.m., TRL
Got a cool lucky charm or story to tell? Share it with us at this family-friendly Show and Tell open mic.

THE WORK TOGETHER COMEDY, MAGIC AND JUGGLING SHOW
Friday, June 23, 2-2:45 p.m., MLK
Anything can happen when the kids work with Ann along with her live rabbit and dove to create fun entertainment. Lots of volunteers will help! The kids have an opportunity to pet the live animals after the show!

SUPER-GROOVY FAMILY DISCO
Saturday, June 24, 6 p.m., ILF
Dance away the decades! Enjoy tasty snacks as you groove to old and new musical favorites.

FAMILY TRIVIA
Sunday, June 25, 4 p.m., TRL
In what year did the Titanic sink? What’s the state bird of Colorado? Show off your skills at Family Trivia!

MONDAY MOVIE MAGIC
Monday, June 26, 5 p.m., CEN
Watch and snack on some movie treats. Bring a comfy pillow or blanket, bring some snacks to share, but above all bring yourself and enjoy the movie. For more information, call 303.739.6630.

SEED LIBRARY
April 2 - Sept., TLR, HOF
The Seed Library is a collection of open-pollinated and heirloom seeds that you can borrow to plan and grow at home. Our seed collection depends on donations and seasonality. Check in frequently to see what’s available.

DANCE WITH DEEPALI
Share your story through the art of dance. Learn traditional moves from Northern India. Appropriate for kids five and older and their families.
- Thursday, June 8, 2 p.m., HOF
- Friday, June 9, 2 p.m., CHA
- Sunday, June 11, 11 a.m., CEN
- Saturday, June 17, 3 p.m., TRL
- Tuesday, June 20, 2 p.m., MVL
- Wednesday, June 21, 10:30 a.m., MLK

SUMMER JAM AND STORYTIME
Enjoy storytimes from the Bookmobile and live performances all summer long!
Tuesday, June 6 at Red-Tailed Hawk Park, 23701 E. Hinsdale Way
Storytime at 4:30 p.m.
Ninety Percent 90s at 5:30 p.m.
- Ninety Percent 90s is a 3-piece band covering the best and worst hits from the 90s.
Wednesday, June 21 at Del Mar Park, 1200 E. 6th Ave.
Storytime at 4:30 p.m.
Kalama at 5:30 p.m.
- Like the flame, Kalama’s dancers ignite and dance in the tropical wind.

AURORA RHYTMS
Enjoy monthly live music from June to December inside different library branches.

VIOLINIST
Tuesday, June 20, 6:30 p.m., MVL
Hip-Hop and Dubstep music with unique violin melodies.
ADULT

DIY

OPEN FIGURE DRAWING*
Saturday, June 3, 3-5 p.m., HOF
This is an opportunity to draw or paint from a live model without instruction. One model provides a variety of quick and sustained poses. Registrants must bring their own supplies.

NEEDLE AND THREAD
Wednesday, June 7, 5 p.m., ILF
Learn to cross-stitch or work on existing projects! New patterns and materials provided.

BAD ART DAY
Thursday June 8, 4 p.m., MLK
Come let your creative side free. No worries about how good in looks, in fact, work to make the worst art you’ve ever seen. Glitter, pom-poms, paint and a fun time will all be provided.

ADULT ART: FEATHER BOOKMARKS*
Saturday, June 10, 4 p.m., MVL
A relaxing amateur art class for adults. This month we’ll be making feather bookmarks.

ADULT WATERCOLOR CLASS*
Share your story through the art of watercolor. Hilliard Moore will instruct a 2 hour beginner class.
- Sunday, June 18, 3:30-5:30 p.m., CEN
- Monday, June 26, 5:30-7:30 p.m., TRL
- Saturday June 24, 1-3 p.m., HOF

NEEDLE FELTING
Tuesday June 20, 4 p.m., MLK
Get started on the crafting trend of needle felting! Make a cute octopus to take home. Supplies provided.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH
Monday, June 26, 4-6 p.m., HOF
Interested in quilting? Create a quilt block!

SUMMER SEASHELL WREATH*
Wednesday, June 28, 6 p.m., CEN
If you love shell crafts, then get ready to create a fun shell wreath to add a touch of the beach to your front door. second and third place

GET SOCIAL

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION
Mondays, 10:30 a.m., MVL
Every Monday enjoy coffee with a special activity. Refreshments always provided.
- June 5: Movie Morning: “Mrs. Harris Goes to Paris”
- June 26: Coffee and Games: Clue

LIBRARY GAME NIGHT: ADULT SESSION
Fridays, 8 p.m., WebEx
Connect from home to play party games with others! Newcomers welcome. This month we’ll be playing:
- June 2: Bring Your Own Book
- June 9: Taboo
- June 16: Poll Mine
- June 23: Half Truth
- June 30: Second Chance

OPEN MIC NIGHT WITH AHJA FOX
Wednesday, June 21, 6 p.m., TRL
Hosted by Aurora Poet Laureate Ahja Fox! Enjoy an evening of poetry, stories and more. Sign-ups begin at 5:30 p.m. with performance starting at 6 p.m.

BUZZED SPELLING BEE
Saturday, June 24, 4 p.m., Launch Pad Brewery
Participate in an adult spelling bee! Form a team of two to four people and work your way through 25 increasingly difficult words. Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place.

CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP
Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., CEN
Do you enjoy creative writing? Are you working on your own fiction project? Come together weekly to discuss projects and works toward improving the craft.

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THE MORE YOU KNOW

DROP-IN COUNSELING
Hoffman Heights Library – by appointment – call 303.739.1572
Free, on-site counseling sessions in partnership with Spark the Change Colorado. All sessions are private and confidential.
Please contact the Hoffman Library at 303.739.1572 for more information or to register for a session.

COMPUTER TUTORING
Hoffman Heights Library – by appointment – call 303.739.1572
One-on-one instruction on from computer basics, such as Microsoft Word, Excel or PowerPoint. Call for available dates and times to register.

ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP/CLASES DE CONVERSACIÓN EN INGLÉS
Mondays, 4:30 p.m., CEN
Practice speaking and listening with others in English. Free, walk-in classes. For more information, call 303.739.6630

LEGAL CLINIC
Tuesday, June 6, 3:30 p.m., CEN
Free Legal Clinic via computer for those with no attorney. No registration is required, and the clinic is on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call 303.739.6630.

BEGINNING YOUR FAMILY HISTORY: GENEALOGY 101
Saturday, June 10, 2 p.m., CEN
Have you always wanted to organize your family tree? Are you unsure of how to get started? Work with the Aurora Genealogical Society to uncover the absolute basics of researching and organizing your family history.

HOMEOWNERSHIP SEMINAR
Saturday, June 17, 11 a.m., TRL
An expert presenter will guide a discussion about investment strategies available to everyday folks, owner-occupied loan products, “house-hacking,” and opportunities for owners to short-term rent their homes so they can make money on their real estate.

GENEALOGY FRIENDS GROUP
Sunday, June 18, 3:30 p.m., TRL
Are you interested in family history? Come join the Genealogy Friends Group to learn how to navigate MyHeritage, get help doing research, and discuss family tree display ideas.

MEDICARE AND RETIREMENT PLANNING SEMINAR
Monday, June 12, 10:30 a.m., MVL
An expert presenter will guide a discussion about applying for Medicare and planning for retirement. Coffee and brunch will be served! Our speaker is from Colorado Retirement Specialists.

HUNGER FREE COLORADO: APPLY FOR SNAP AND FOOD ACCESS RESOURCES
Monday, June 12, 1-6 p.m., CEN
Hunger Free Colorado can assist with screening for all federal nutrition programs, offer referrals to food pantries and free meals, provide information on child and senior nutrition programs and answer any questions about food assistance.

GARDENS A TO Z
Thursday, June 29, 4 p.m., Nome Community Garden
This class will focus on different topics such as trellising, weed and pest control and ID, pruning, pinching, deadheading, plant reproduction, harvesting, seed saving, and garden observations. Nome Community Garden, 1200 Nome St., Aurora, CO 80010. For more information call 303.739.6630.
**Tuesday, May 30, all day, MVL**
Explore the library in our summer scavenger hunt!

**Wednesday, May 31, 4-6 p.m., ILF**
Come dive into summer reading as we fish up new library finds, create our own stories and sign up for this summer’s learning adventure.

**Friday, June 2, 4 p.m., MLK**
Get inspired with performances from the Aurora Poet Laureate, Ahja Fox, and the award-winning musical group, Gamelan Tunas Mekar, with traditional and new music and dance of Bali.

**Saturday, June 3, All-Day, TRL**
Kick off begins at 10:30 a.m. with a Mo Willems Pigeon-themed storytime. Take photos with Pigeon and explore a school bus! Local storyteller Hugo Jon Syles will share African American tales at 1 p.m. and the Spellbinders storytellers will take the stage at 4 p.m. Craft and activity stations will be available between the stories!

**Saturday, June 3, 2-4 p.m., CEN**
Discover new ways to share your story with special performances from Aurora Poet Laureate, Ahja Fox, Ballet Folklorico, Sangre de Mexico and Aurora’s own Aurora Dance Hearts troupe. Bring the whole family for outdoor fun on the Great Lawn, located between the Aurora Municipal Building and Aurora Central Library.

**Saturday, June 3, 2-4 p.m., MLK**
Think Like a Scientist will provide a hands-on, family-oriented, come-and-go event. Enjoy building your own brain cell activity. Also play video games in the FIVE-O gaming trailer hosted by the Aurora Police Department Community Relations team.

**Saturday, June 10, 3-5 p.m., HOF**
Party in the park! Start your summer off right with food, games and community booths. Sign up for summer reading and get a free book while you’re at it!

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