



2015 December Children's Events at the Camden Public Library



Join us for a special showing of the Original Star Wars Movie in honor of the new Star Wars movie coming out this month! Come in costume and enjoy the movie with us upstairs! Dec. 17th at 6:30.

Babbling Books: - An informal read-aloud program. Join me in the children's room Monday morning at 10:00 for pre-school and toddler stories. Read with someone, it's twice the fun!

Kindergarten classes from Rockport Elementary School will be joining us on Tuesday, Dec. 15th at 9:30 for a holiday sing-along concert performed by them, immediately followed by snacks in the Picker Room. This is always a wonderful treat!.

Bring your hats, mittens and gloves by Dec. 17th to help keep local families in need, warm this winter! Help decorate the mitten tree and spread a little warmth! Upstairs in the Reading Room!

Saturday Storytime!

Join Miss Katie for theme-based stories, crafts and fun!

- Dec. 5th No Storyhour...Santa arrives at noon for storytime!
- Dec. 12th Wiggly Pigs!
- Dec. 19th Holiday Fun!
- Dec. 26th Playful Puppies!

MSBA book club: Dec. 15th, 5:30-7. We'll have a dessert buffet and game night! Let's play minute to win it! Let me know you're coming and what you'll be bringing.

Pre-school Story Hours Join Miss Amy for themed stories, crafts and other activities weekly. 4 & 5 year olds on Thurs. and 2 & 3 year olds on Friday at 10:00.

Dec. 3rd & 4th Crafty Chaos!

Dec. Dec. 10th & 11th Holiday fun!

Dec. 17th Star Stories!

Dec. 18th **The Library is CLOSED for staff training!**

Dec. 24th No Story hour. Open 1-3pm

Dec. 25th CLOSED-Happy Holidays to Everyone!

Dec. 31st Surprise Storytime!



Creative Art Afternoon! Dec. 16th from 3:30- 4:30 we'll gather together to celebrate the holidays with a gingerbread story and then we'll build and create one of our own gingerbread houses. Please bring a bag of small candies to share, we'll have all other materials. All little elves are welcome! ?'s call 236-3440.

SANTA'S Story Hour 12:00 pm in the rotunda at the library! Enjoy The Night Before Christmas read by Santa himself! Sat., Dec. 5th during Christmas By The Sea.



BookTime for Babies...Developing Great Minds! For children birth to age 2, every **Wednesday** morning at 10:00am in the Jean Picker Room. Join Miss Amy for songs, finger plays, read-alouds and more!
No Story Hour on Dec. 18th... library will be closed for staff training!

Join us **Sunday, Dec. 6th** for **The Ho, Ho, Holiday Children's Book Fair 2-4** at the library. Authors, Chris Van Dusen, Roni Arno, Susan Hood, Wendy Ulmer & Sandy Crabtree, Russ Cox, Cathryn Falwell, Sarah Thompson, Licia Morelli, Douglas Coffin, G. A. Morgan, Fran Hodgkins and Liza Kleinman. This is a fabulous meet & greet event. Perfect for gift giving time!

Thank you to the generous supporters of **children's books and programs.**

The Van Strum Foundation, Stock the Stacks donors and individual members. **We appreciate all you've done** for the children and families of our greater community! Also, thank you to all our wonderful volunteers who have donated their time in so many ways this year!

Looking for a way to support the library? The children's dept. is currently providing 5 regular story hours weekly. Our craft supplies are consumable, so we are always in need of stuff. Any and all craft supplies will help us re-stock our craft closet for the New Year! Glue sticks, googly eyes, construction paper, glitter, sequins...tape, thread, fabric, buttons, etc. Drop off in the children's room.

Thank you in advance.

Children's Librarians
Miss Amy and Miss Katie

LEGO CLUB... Let's build together on the 9th of December at 3:00. Bring your own bucket or play with the library's.

