

EVENTS FOR ADULTS AUGUST 2026 @ THE LIBRARY

■ **Main Library** 200 W. Green St. • Mon–Fri 9–9 | Sat 9–6 | Sun 12–6 • 217.403.2000
 ■ **Douglass Branch** 504 E. Grove St. • Mon–Thu 10–8 | Fri 10–6 | Sat 10–4 • 217.403.2090
 ■ **FriendShop Bookstore** Main Library, Lower level • Wed–Sun 1–4 • 217.403.5395

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Join the Party! Summer Reading Celebration 12–3 PM

- ★ Live music
- ★ Pick up prizes
- ★ Free icy treats!

Enjoy an all-ages community celebration. Don't forget to pick up your prizes by August 15 for the Join the Party! Summer Reading Challenge.



An Evening with Maggie Su
 Thursday Aug 13 7 pm
 Great Authors at the Library



★Seeing stars?

Sign up at champaign.org/events

Yarn & Shenanigans

Knit or crochet with us!
6 PM at Douglass Branch

Intro to Microsoft Excel

7 PM ★

Your Annual Fundraising Plan | Companion Working Session 1 PM

Intro to Microsoft Word, Part I 2 PM ★

Business & Career Help

Drop in 5–7 PM at Douglass Branch

Intro to Microsoft Word, Part II 2 PM ★

Career Help

Drop in 11 AM–1 PM

Writer's Workshop

Novice to Novelist: The Path to Getting Published 7 PM

Members' Half-Price Sale

FriendShop 1–4 PM

Crafty Adults

Upcycled Map Mobiles 6 PM ★



The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Business Help

Drop in 12–3 PM

Members' Half-Price Sale

FriendShop 1–4 PM

Cover-to-Cover Book Club

A Sorceress Comes to Call by T. Kingfisher 1:30 PM

Coffee and a Craft

Mandala Rock Painting 2 PM at Douglass Branch

The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

An Evening with Maggie Su

Great Authors at the Library 7 PM, Doors open at 6:30

The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Money Matter\$ Retirement:

Making Your Money Last 6 PM at Douglass Branch

Career Lunch & Learn

Navigating a Career Pivot 12 PM

Tag Bag Sale

FriendShop Bookstore 1–4 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours

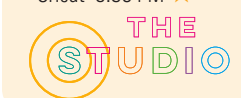
5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Tag Bag Sale

FriendShop Bookstore 1–4 PM

Studio Workshop

Intro to Cricut 6:30 PM ★



Looking for book recommendations?
champaign.org/bookmatch



Studio & Makerspace Open Hours
 (for all ages)
champaign.org/studio
champaign.org/makerspace

Makerspace Drop-in Hours
 12–3 PM at Douglass Branch
 ALL AGES

Project READ Tutoring

Drop in 9:30–11:30 AM

The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked | Bingo 6–8 PM

Project READ Tutoring

Drop in 9:30–11:30 AM

Project READ Introduction to Tutoring 10 AM

10 AM □

Members' Half-Price Sale

FriendShop 1–4 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked | Trivia 6–8 PM

Makerspace Drop-in Hours
 12–3 PM at Douglass Branch
 ALL AGES



Members' Half-Price Sale

FriendShop 1–4 PM

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The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked | Puzzle Peace 6–8 PM

Project READ Tutoring

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Tag Bag Sale

FriendShop Bookstore 1–4 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours

5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Friday Night Jam Sessions

Sign up to perform! ★
 6–8 PM at Douglass Branch ADULTS & TEENS

Unbooked | Card Games 6–8 PM

Tag Bag Sale FriendShop Bookstore 1–4 PM



August 2026 @ the Library for KIDS & TEENS!

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Sunday



Join the Party! Summer Reading Celebration 12–3 PM

- ★ Live music
- ★ Pick up prizes
- ★ Free icy treats!

Enjoy an all-ages community celebration with live music by accordionist Rob Sweedler (12–1 pm) and jazz by the Church Street Ramblers (1–3 pm).

Don't forget to pick up your prizes by Aug. 15 for the Join the Party! Summer Reading Challenge.



Church Street Ramblers

Studio & Makerspace Open Hours

(for all ages)



champaign.org/studio
champaign.org/makerspace



Monday

Baby Storytime

9:45, 10:15, 10:45 AM

Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

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Teen Lounge 3 PM
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Teen Lounge 3 PM
Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

Baby Storytime

9:30, 10:00, 10:30 AM **NEW TIMES!**

Mother Goose on the Loose Storytime

11:30 AM **NEW TIME!**

at Douglass Branch
Teen Lounge 3 PM
Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

Tuesday

Toddler Storytime

9:45, 10:15, 10:45 AM

Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

Pajama Storytime 6:30 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 0–5

Toddler Storytime

9:45, 10:15, 10:45 AM

Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

Sensory-Friendly Storytime with songs, sensory play, & socialization 6:30 PM

Toddler Storytime

9:45, 10:15, 10:45 AM

Teen Lounge 3 PM
Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

Pajama Storytime 6:30 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 0–5

Toddler Storytime

9:45, 10:15, 10:45 AM

Teen Lounge 3 PM
Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17



Family Fun Night!

Every Thursday at 6:30 pm, join us for **Family Fun Night!**

8/6 BIG Games
 8/13 Watercolor Journals
 8/20 Read to the Dogs
 8/27 Summer Sand Art

Preschool Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGE 3–5

DIY Kids Snow Dough 3 PM at Douglass Branch

Preschool Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGE 3–5



DIY Kids Tech Toys 4 PM at Douglass Branch

Preschool Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGE 3–5

Teen Lounge 3 PM
DIY Kids Personalized Canvas Bag 4 PM at Douglass Branch

Preschool Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGE 3–5

Mother Goose on the Loose Storytime 11:15 AM
Teen Lounge 3 PM
DIY Kids Musical Instruments 4 PM at Douglass Branch



Teen Lounge is back starting August 13!

Wednesday

Thursday

Make & Take for Pre-K

10 AM

Baby Storytime 10:30 AM at Douglass Branch

Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Family Fun Night 6:30 PM

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Club Fred 4 PM at Douglass Branch, AGES 8–17

The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES
Family Fun Night 6:30 PM

Friday



Toddler Storytime

10:30 AM

at Douglass Branch
The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked Kids 6–8 PM

Toddler Storytime

10:30 AM

at Douglass Branch
Teen Lounge 3 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked Kids 6–8 PM

Toddler Storytime

10:30 AM

at Douglass Branch
Teen Lounge 3 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Unbooked Kids 6–8 PM

Toddler Storytime

10:30 AM

at Douglass Branch
Teen Lounge 3 PM

The Studio Drop-in Hours 5–8 PM, ALL AGES

Friday Night Jam Sessions Sign up to perform! 6–8 PM at Douglass Branch

TEENS & ADULTS
Unbooked Kids 6–8 PM

Saturday

Saturday Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGES 0–5

Dino Academy

Three showtimes!
 11 AM, 1 PM, + 3 PM

Makerspace Drop-in Hours

12–3 PM at Douglass Branch
 ALL AGES

Saturday Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGES 0–5



UNBOOKED KIDS! Drop in on Fridays from 6–8 pm for crafts and activities!

Saturday Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGES 0–5

Makerspace Drop-in Hours

12–3 PM at Douglass Branch
 ALL AGES

THE MAKERSPACE

Douglass Branch

Saturday Storytime

9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGES 0–5

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9:45 & 10:30 AM, AGES 0–5

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