



Scott County Library System
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JULY



BRANCH CALENDAR

Events last 1 hour unless noted otherwise



Looking for more events?
 Visit our website to see events at all SCLS branch locations!

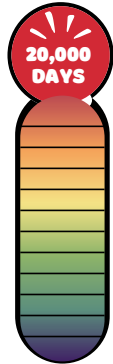
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
			1 Story Time 10 AM Wild Card Weds 10 AM	2 Story Time w QC Canine Assistance Network 10 AM Adult Craft 3 PM America 250 Crafts 4-7 PM Printmaking w Nature 4-6 PM	3 Story Time 10 AM ALL SCLS BRANCHES CLOSE @ 4:30 PM	4 ALL SCLS BRANCHES CLOSED TODAY
6 Story Time 10 AM Fabric "Stained Glass" Art 4-6 PM Crafternoon 4-6 PM Book Club 7 PM	7 Friends of the Library Meeting 9 AM Book Club 9:30 AM Flower Keychains 3-6 PM	8 From Bad to Rad: The 'Bad' Seed Club 10 AM Legacy Therapy Dogs Visit 10 AM	9 Story Time 10 AM Hot Wheels 4-6 PM	10 Story Time 10 AM Seed Feast 5 PM	11 Picasso Tiles 10 AM-12 PM *Card Class 10 AM Clay Pot Ladybug Craft 10 AM	
13 Lego Club 4-6 PM Crafternoon 4-6 PM	14 Friends of the Library Meeting 7 PM	15 Book Club @ BG Am Legion 10 AM Book Club 10 AM Meet the 4R Ranch Animals 10 AM Story Time 10 AM	16 Story Time 10 AM PrincetonFest Photo Piece Due 3-7 PM Monstera Leaf Dish Craft 3:30-6 PM Meet the 4R Ranch Animals 3:30 PM	17 Story Time 10 AM Drop-in Art: Air-Dry Clay and Paper 2:30 PM *Fingerprint Pots 3:30-5:30 PM	18 WALCOTT BRANCH CLOSED TODAY *Fingerprint Pots 9 AM-12 PM Lego Build 10 AM-12 PM	
20 Let's Build! 4-6 PM Crafternoon 4-6 PM	21 Paper Flower Bouquets 3-6 PM Magic Show w David Casas 4:30 PM Book Club 5 PM *Magic Workshop 5:45-6:15 PM	22 Story Time 10 AM Story Time 10 AM Wild Card Weds 10 AM Button Flower Bouquet Craft 4 PM	23 From Bad to Rad: The 'Bad' Seed Club 10 AM Chalk Drawing 3-5 PM Family Game Night 4-6 PM	24 From Bad to Rad: The 'Bad' Seed Club 10 AM	25	
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June 1-August 1

Visit any Scott County Library branch to pick up a reading log--all ages can participate!

Or, track your reading online at scottcountylibrary.beanstack.org.

Complete the "Read Every Day Challenge" and attend library events to earn prizes.



Can we log 20,000 days of reading this summer, Scott County? Help us reach our community goal!

*Event requires registration

- BLUE GRASS
- BUFFALO
- DURANT
- PRINCETON
- WALCOTT

EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

*EVENT REQUIRES REGISTRATION

Story Time

Join us for stories, songs, silliness, and crafts!
Best for kids ages 0-6, with their grownups.

BLUE GRASS: Wed at 10 AM

BUFFALO: Wed at 10 AM (NONE Jul 1)

DURANT: Thur at 10 AM

WALCOTT: Fri at 10 AM

PRINCETON: Mon, Jul 6 & Jul 27 at 10 AM

Adult Book Club

Read & discuss a book. Call your SCLS branch for more info.

- **Jul 7** at 9:30 AM **PRINCETON**
- **Jul 6** at 7 PM **WALCOTT**
- **Jul 21** at 5 PM **BUFFALO**
- **Jul 15** at 10 AM **BLUE GRASS** (@ BG Am Legion)
- **Jul 15** at 10 AM **DURANT**

From Bad to Rad: The 'Bad' Seed Club

Discover how even a "bad" seed can learn to grow! In this engaging program inspired by The Bad Seed by Jory John and Pete Oswald (plus other Food Group stories), kids will enjoy stories, hands-on activities, and more.

Presented in partnership with Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Best for children entering grades K-3.

- **July 8** at 10 AM **BUFFALO**
- **July 23** at 10 AM **DURANT**
- **July 24** at 10 AM **WALCOTT**
- **July 27** at 10 AM **PRINCETON**

Meet the 4R Ranch Animals

Meet some amazing animal friends when 4R Ranch visits the library! Drop in for this all-ages experience to learn how animals can help people recognize, react, recover, and relax during times of stress. Get up close, ask questions, and enjoy a fun, calming visit.

- **July 15** at 10 AM **BLUE GRASS**
- **July 16** at 10 AM **BUFFALO**

BUFFALO

Crafternoon: Mondays, Jul 6, 13, 20, & 27; 4-6 PM - Drop in for an afternoon of crafting! For ages 6-11.

Picasso Tiles: Jul 11, 10 AM-12 PM - Use your imagination and see how creative you can be! Challenge a friend to join you! For ages 6-11.

Lego Build: Jul 18, 10 AM-12 PM - Come wow us with your builds and engineering skills! For ages 6-11.

Chalk Drawing: Jul 23, 3-5 PM - Use sidewalk chalk on a black background to make beautiful pictures! For ages 6-11.

BLUE GRASS

America 250 Crafts: Jul 2: 4-7 PM - Help celebrate America's 250 making a craft! For ages 0-12.

Wild Card Wednesdays: Wednesdays, Jul 1, 15, 22 & 29; 10 AM - Join us for creative, hands-on fun with something new to try each week! For ages 7-12.

Legacy Therapy Dogs Visit: Jul 8, 10 AM - Join us to visit with the dogs from Legacy Therapy Dogs!

Friends of the Library Meeting: Jul 14, 7 PM - Join us for our monthly meeting. Become a friend & support your Library!

***Fingerprint Pots:** Jul 17, 3:30-5:30 PM & Jul 18, 9 AM-12 PM - Come paint and fingerprint pots.

*Sign up is required at the library before the event. Adult supervision is advised. For all ages.

Magic Show with David Casas: Jul 21, 4:30-5:30 PM - Join David Casas for a fast-paced interactive magic show featuring mind-blowing magic, hilarious family friendly comedy, and plenty of audience participation. For all ages.

This will be located at the Blue Grass Community Center.

***Magic Workshop with David Casas:** Jul 21, 5:45-6:15 PM - Magician David Casas will teach a few tricks following the Magic Show. Space is limited and sign up is required. This will start immediately after the show finishes.

Adults must attend with kids at this workshop. For ages 6-11. This is limited to 20 total attendees. *This will be located at the Blue Grass Community Center*.

***Seed Mosaics Crafts:** Jul 30, 3:30-6 PM - Come make crafts using seeds at the library! For ages 6-11. Registration required.

DURANT

Story Time with QC Canine Assistance

Network: Jul 2, 10 AM - Come have fun with pups from the QC Canine Assistance Network during a special story time! For ages 0-6.

Seed Feast: Jul 10, 5 PM - Sample a variety of seeds, from local sources and abroad. With Cedar County Conservation naturalist Sarah Subbert. For all ages.

Drop-in Art: Air-Dry Clay and Paper: Jul 17, 2:30 PM - Come have fun at this drop-in event! With Cedar County Conservation naturalist Sarah Subbert. For all ages.

Bee Bots and Facts: Jul 31, 2:30 PM - Program little bots to travel on the floor, and learn about real bees. With Cedar County Conservation naturalist Sarah Subbert. For all ages.

PRINCETON

Adult Craft: Jul 2, 3 PM - Come make a craft at the library! For adults.

Friends of the Library Meeting: Jul 7, 9 AM - Join us for the Princeton Branch Friends group meeting. Become a friend & support your Library!

Clay Pot Ladybug Craft: Jul 11, 10 AM - Come make a ladybug craft with a clay pot! For ages 6-11.

PrincetonFest Photo Piece Due: Jul 16, 3-7 PM - Last day to drop off your piece for the PrincetonFest Photo Contest! Call Dawn at the Princeton Branch for more details. For all ages.

Button Flower Bouquet Craft: Jul 22, 4 PM - Come make a flower bouquet made out of buttons! For ages 6-11.

LEGO Night: Jul 29, 4 PM - Come to the library and build something great with Legos! For ages 6-11.

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

All SCLS Branches will have the following hours for the holiday:

Fri, July 3 - Closing at 4:30 PM

Sat, July 4 - CLOSED

WALCOTT BRANCH ONLY:

Sat, July 18 - CLOSED

WALCOTT

Printmaking with Nature: Jul 2, 4-6 PM - Make prints using natural materials! For ages 6 and up.

Fabric "Stained Glass" Art: Jul 6, 4-6 PM - Come make stained glass art with dried flowers! For ages 12 and up.

Flower Keychains: Jul 7, 3-6 PM - Make a cute beaded flower keychain! For ages 6-11.

Hot Wheels: Jul 9, 4-6 PM - Meet up with other Hot Wheels fans. Some tracks and cars will be available for use or bring your own to play and race. For all ages.

***Card Class:** Jul 11, 10 AM - Sponsored by the Friends of the Walcott Branch. Register in person or by phone. For adults.

Lego Club: Jul 13, 4-6 PM - Join other and use our LEGOs to unleash your inner designer, architect, or engineer. For all ages.

Monstera Leaf Dish Craft: Jul 16, 3:30-6 PM - Learn to make clay and make a monstera trinket dish! For ages 12 and up.

WALCOTT BRANCH CLOSED SAT, JUL 18

Let's Build: Jul 20, 4-6 PM - Come to the library to building with wood building blocks, magnetic tiles, K'nex and more! For all ages.

Paper Flower Bouquets: Jul 21, 3-6 PM - Make a beautiful flower bouquet made entirely from paper! For ages 12 and up.

Family Game Night: Jul 23, 4-6 PM - Stop by the library with your family to play games! For all ages.

QC Canine Read With Dogs: Jul 27, 3 PM - Come practice your reading skills by reading to a furry friend from QC CAN! Adults, teens, and kids of all ages are invited to visit with the therapy dogs.

Rock Painting: Jul 28, 3-6 PM - Come paint a masterpiece on rocks! For all ages.

Train Play: Jul 30, 4-6 PM - Wooden train track and lots of trains available for free play! For all ages.

Scholastic Book Fair @ Eldridge

MON, AUG 3-FRI, AUG 7

Shop for back-to-school and also support the library! Or, shop online Aug 3-16: bit.ly/sclsfair

Summer Finale Party @ Eldridge

July 27, 5:30-7 PM, ELDRIDGE

All ages come celebrate your summer of reading at the party!