

Kennedy Library  
500 Hoes Lane  
732-463-1633

# Kids Capers



MAY 2019

Westergard Library  
20 Murray Avenue  
732-752-1166

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 WESTERGARD: Drop-in Craft: Celebrate Cinco de Mayo 4:00 pm	2	3	4 KENNEDY: Little Learning Labs: <i>Sequencing*</i> 11:00 am
5	6 KENNEDY: Rhyme Time 10:30 am Bedtime Rhyme Time 6:30 pm WESTERGARD: Chess for Kids 4:00 pm	7 WESTERGARD: Rhymes 10:30 am KENNEDY: Twilight Tales 7:00 pm	8 KENNEDY: Once Upon a Story 10:30 am	9 KENNEDY: Dinosaurs Rock! Fossil Adventure 7:00 pm	10 KENNEDY: After-Hours: A Series of Unfortunate Events* 5:30 pm	11 KENNEDY: Drop-in Craft 2:00 pm
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				*Requires Registration.		

## KENNEDY LIBRARY - 500 Hoes Lane

### \*LITTLE LEARNING LABS: Sequencing

Ages 4 - 5 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Saturday, May 4 - 11:00 a.m. - 1:35 p.m.**

Join us for story time (11:00 am - 11:35 am) and an open free play session (until 1:35 pm) designed to explore the concept of sequencing. **Register for story time only.**

### RHYME TIME - Ages 6 - 36 months

**Monday, May 6, 13, & 20 - 10:30 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.**

Enjoy rhymes, finger plays and a story during this fast-paced program.

### BEDTIME RHYME TIME - Ages 6 - 36 months

**Monday, May 6 - 6:30 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.**

Enjoy rhymes, finger plays and a story during this fast-paced program.

### TWILIGHT TALES - Ages 3-5 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Tuesday, May 7, 14, & 21 - 7:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.**

Stories and activities for children and parents to share together.

### ONCE UPON A STORY - Ages 3 - 5 yrs

**Wednesday, May 8 & 22 - 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**

A lively half hour of stories and songs for preschoolers.

### DINOSAURS ROCK! Fossil Adventure - All Ages

**Thursday, May 9 - 7:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.**

Visit the library to examine a myriad of museum-quality dinosaur fossils and other prehistoric related items. Attendees will learn about specimens that are 10,000 to over 500 million years old. Includes a genuine fossil dig.

**This event is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Library.**

### \*AFTER-HOURS: A Series of Unfortunate Events- Grades 4-8

**Friday, May 10 - 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

Join us for an action-packed night filled with trivia, activities, and pizza! Participants must arrive on time & stay for the duration of the program.

**Registration Required.**

### DROP-IN CRAFT - All Ages

**Saturday, May 11 - 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.**

Drop in anytime between 2:00pm and 2:45pm for a special craft.

### TALES FOR TAILS - Grades K-5

**Monday, May 13 - 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

Practice reading to trained therapy dogs. Great for reluctant or struggling readers!

### \*CRAZY CONCOCTIONS - Grades K-3

**Wednesday, May 15 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Join us for some more zany science fun! Participate in hands-on chemistry experiments with ingredients that you'd find in your own home. **Registration required.**

### LEGO CLUB - Grades K - 5

**Thursday, May 16 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

We provide the LEGO. You provide the imagination! The theme is habitats.

### \*LITTLE LEARNING LABS: Print Awareness

Ages 6 mos. - 3 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Saturday, May 18 - 11:00 a.m. - 1:35 p.m.**

Join us for story time (11:00 am - 11:35 am) and an open free play session (until 1:35 pm) designed to explore the concept of print awareness. **Register for story time only.**

### BUDDING BUILDERS - Grades K-5

**Tuesday, May 28 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Have fun building with our toys including new log builders and Snap Bots.

### LITTLE SCRIBBLERS - Ages 1 - 3 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Wednesday, May 29 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.**

Nurture your child's creativity from the start! Come to paint & color.

## WESTERGARD LIBRARY - 20 Murray Ave.

### DROP-IN CRAFT: CELEBRATE CINCO DE MAYO - All ages

**Wednesday, May 1 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Create beautiful Mexican paper flowers in different sizes and colors in celebration of Cinco de Mayo.

### CHESS FOR KIDS - Grades 1 - 5

**Monday, May 6, 13, & 20 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Join other players for games and some basic instruction.

### RHYMES - Ages 6 - 36 months

**Tuesday, May 7 - 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**

Enjoy rhymes, finger plays and a story during this fast-paced program.

### \*TOT TIME - Ages 2-3 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Tuesday, May 14 - 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.**

Stories, crafts, and other activities. **Registration Required.**

### \*YELL! - Young Explorers' Library League - Grades 2 - 5 & 6-8

**Tuesday, May 14 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Kids & teens work together to design a solution to a real-world problem.

**Registration required.**

### GAMING FOR KIDS - Grades K - 5

**Friday, May 17 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Join us for some Wii competition, board and card games!

### \*MUSIC & MOVEMENT STORY TIME

Ages 2 - 5 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Tuesday, May 21 - 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.**

Come make music and sing along during this interactive musical story time.

**Registration required.**

### GAMING FOR KIDS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS - Grades 2 and up

**Friday, May 24 - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.**

Come play games to practice movement and to encourage communication.

### \*ART FOR LITTLE HANDS

Ages 2 - 5 yrs. with a parent or caregiver

**Tuesday, May 28 - 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.**

Join us for songs, a story, and an open-ended art activity, where children are encouraged to focus on the joy and process of creating art and not the product.

**Registration required.**



## 2019 Summer Reading Club Volunteer Orientation Schedule

Volunteers must attend one of the following MANDATORY hour-long orientations:

Monday, May 20th - 7:00 pm to 8:00 PM - KENNEDY

Thursday, May 23rd 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm - WESTERGARD

Tuesday, May 28th - 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm - KENNEDY

**Volunteer Requirements:** Piscataway resident; 11-17 years old; 2 hours per week

**To register for a program at Kennedy Library, please call the Kennedy Children's Desk at 732-463-1633 ext.7**

**To register for a program at Westergard Library, please call the Westergard Information Desk at 732-752-1166 ext. 6.**