

# Edgar Allan Poe/Sullivan's Island Library

July 2024

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## Featured Programs



### Take a Deep Dive with Turtles!

Friday, July 5 at 10:30 a.m.

Join the Island Turtle Team to learn more about their important conservation work and to discover what you can do to make a difference in protecting them! A mandala turtle craft with Miss Heidi will follow the presentation!



### Criss Cross Mango Sauce

Friday, July 19 at 10 a.m.

Get ready to dance and sing! Don't miss this bilingual and bicultural performing group, offering an interactive performance blending traditional Latin rhythms with classic American children's rhymes to get kids moving and singing in both English and Spanish! Make your own Hispanic instruments after the performance with Miss Julia!



### Magic Story Artist Yasu Ishida

Thursday, July 25 at 10 a.m.

Join Yasu as he takes you on a journey that combines Japanese theatre, music, origami, magic, and storytelling to transport audiences to Japan, through traditional folktales.



### Camp Zen: Make Your Own Mindfulness Board

Saturday, July 20 from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Use the provided supplies to create your own mindfulness board you can paint with water to practice staying in the moment! Suggested for teens and adults.



### Tie Dye Tag

Tuesday, July 23 - 10:30-10:45 a.m. for kids and their adults; 11-11:30 a.m. for teens and their adults

Prepare to get Tagged! Tie Dye Tagged! Wear a white T-shirt and join us in the most colorful game of squirt gun tag ever! Beat the heat and go home with your very own work of wearable art.



### Ghost Stories

Saturday, July 27 - 10:00-10:30 a.m. for kids and their adults; 11-11:30 a.m. for teens and adults

Come close out Summer Reading with chilling ghost stories the way they were meant to be heard - around the campfire in our Poe Meadow Campsite!

## Events for Adults

### Memoir Writing Circle

Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, and 23 at 1 p.m.

Everyone has a story, and we want to know yours! We write for 20 minutes from a prompt and share stories for fun and friendly feedback. *[Writers Share Session July 30.]*

### POE-etry critique group

Wednesdays, July 11 and 24 at 1 p.m.

Gather with fellow poets to share and improve your work. Bring six copies of one or two poems to share with fellow poets (limit 2-3 pages).

### American Mah Jongg

Thursdays, July 11, 18, and 25

12-2 p.m. - beginners; 4-6 p.m. - experienced players

Learn to play the fun and fast-paced game of American Mah Jongg. If you have a 2024 card, please bring it.



### Beach Lovers Book Club

Saturday, July 20 at 10 a.m.

Come for a lively discussion of "Crying at H Mart" by Michelle Zauner.

Over for events for children and teens ►►►►

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## Events for Children

### Family Storytime

Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, and 30 at 10:30 a.m.

Packed full of opportunities for kids to practice their early literacy skills, you will enjoy interactive books, songs, and rhymes designed to strengthen your child's reading readiness. Learn developmentally-appropriate activities to use at home and on the go. Designed for anyone from birth to age 5 and their caregivers, and older siblings are welcome! (Note: July 23 is Tie Dye Tag - see info below)

### Kids Summer Crafts

Friday, July 5 from 11:30 - 12:30 (drop in) - Turtle Mandala Craft

Saturday, July 6 at 10 a.m. - Campground in a Jar with Miss Heidi (ages 8+)

Saturday, July 13 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. (drop in) - Leaf Art with Miss Heidi

Friday, July 19 at 11:00 a.m. - DIY Musical Instruments with Miss Julia



### Hands on CPR for 4-5 graders

Friday, July 12 at 10:30 a.m.

Kids in 4th and 5th grade are invited to join MUSC to learn life-saving skills. They will learn about hands-only CPR and how to use an AED to help someone having a cardiac emergency.



### Water Safety Program

Friday, July 26 at 10:30 a.m.

Join us to learn about the importance of water safety and how to keep you and your family safer in and around water with layers of protection.

**Camp-themed games and activities in the Children's Room all summer! Don't miss the Turtle Team, Criss Cross Mango Sauce, Tie Dye Tag, Yasu Ishida, and Ghost Story programs on the front of this flyer!**

## Events for Teens (grades 6-12)



### Camp Crafts

Mandala Kindness Rocks - Wednesday, July 10 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Use our paints and dotting tools to create beautiful mandalas on river rocks.

Make your own Mini-Journal Keychains - Wednesday, July 24 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Join us to make miniature journal keychains you can really write in!



### Art Camp: Mood Boards

Wednesday, July 17 from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Explore the meditative nature of multimedia art with our moodboard creation program! Listen to meditative music and use our art supplies to see where your mind takes you.



### YA DIY: Phone Sleeping Bags and "Zen in a Tin" Take-and-Makes

Month of July

Practice daily unplugging and welcome peace into your life with DIY Phone Sleeping Bags! Decorate a smartphone-sized pouch you can tuck your phone into when you need a break from social media.

### YA Scavenger Hunt: Camp Bingo

Month of July

Complete the bingo sheet one of two ways to earn a prize!



**Worry less, read more! Get lost at your local Charleston County Public Library as we host our 2024 Summer Reading Program. Prize pickup through July 31 (while supplies last).**



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