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LIBRARY BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

We've been on a mission to serve you better by improving parts of the building that have fallen into disrepair or that were identified by the community as areas that need updating.

WHAT'S AHEAD

- Renovated Children's Library
- Renovated Courtyard
- Assorted upgrades, including lighting, paint, furniture, and carpet in select areas
- Improvements to building exterior, including accessibility and safety upgrades

It is not too late to be part of this page in Library history. Donations of any size are enthusiastically welcomed. Please visit CamasPL.org/donate



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CAMAS PUBLIC LIBRARY

EVENT GUIDE & NEWS



Storytime in the Park

LIBRARY CLOSURE

Independence Day

Friday, July 3 &
Saturday, July 4

ALL AGES

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

June 13 – August 15

Read anything you want, log each day you read, and earn prizes! Read any amount on any 40 days between June 13 and August 15 to complete the program, and then come to the Library to pick up your prizes.

STORYWALK (OFFSITE)

Wednesday, July 1 – Friday, July 31

Join us for a reading adventure at Dorothy Fox Park! Follow the path to read *So Tortoise Dug* by Emmy Kastner.

TINY ART SHOW

Wednesday, July 1 – Friday, July 31

Explore the *Tiny Art Show* and celebrate the creativity of our community!

HIGH SCHOOL ART EXHIBIT – SECOND STORY GALLERY EXHIBITION

Wednesday, July 1 – Friday, July 31

For the month of July, the Second Story Gallery is hosting its annual exhibition of artwork from local high school art students in the Camas School District.

RECEPTION & ARTIST TALK

Friday, July 10 | 5 p.m.

STORYTIME IN THE PARK (OFFSITE)

Mondays until August 31 | 10:30 a.m.

Join us at a different Camas park each week for a family storytime. Bring a blanket to sit on!

July 6: Dorothy Fox Park

July 13: Crown Park

July 20: Lacamas Park

July 27: Louis Bloch Park

SUMMER MOVIE MONDAYS*

Monday, July 6, 13, and 20 | 2 p.m.

Join us for *Summer Movie Mondays* shown upstairs in our Community Rooms!

July 6: *Ice Age* (Rated PG)

July 13: *The Croods* (Rated PG)

July 20: *The Good Dinosaur* (Rated PG)

SPANISH STORYTIME

Saturday, July 11 | 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, July 25 | 10:30 a.m.

A bilingual storytime! Children and their families are invited to celebrate stories, songs, and fun in both Spanish and English.

¡Una hora de cuentos bilingüe!

Los niños y sus familias están invitados a celebrar historias, canciones y diversión tanto en español como en inglés.

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

Friday, July 17 | 5 p.m.

Join us for Bingo at the Library! Winners receive their choice of a *Reading Dragons* prize.

CHESS CLUB

Saturday, July 18 | 2 p.m.

Everyone is welcome at Chess Club! Come enjoy yourself and hone your skills. If you own a chess set, please bring it.

POETRY STREET PNW: A POETRY OPEN MIC WHERE EVERY VOICE IS HEARD

Wednesday, July 22 | 6:15 p.m.

Read aloud your original or favorite work, and listen to monthly featured poets.

KIDS

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Tuesdays & Fridays | 10:30 & 11:30 a.m.

Songs, stories, music, movement, and more! For children ages 3-5.

TODDLER STORYTIME

Wednesdays | 9:30, 10:30, & 11:30 a.m.

Songs, stories, music, movement, and more! For children 18 months to 3 years.

BABY STORYTIME

Thursdays | 10:30 & 11:30 a.m.

Songs, stories, music, movement, and more! For infants to 18 months.

KIDS ART CLUB*

Wednesday, July 8 | 4 p.m.

Kids Art Club is a monthly event where we learn about an artist and create a new project each month!

PRESCHOOL SUMMER SCRIBBLES

Friday, July 10 | 3:30 p.m.

Let's practice our early writing skills with summer-themed activities!

STORY EXPLORERS*

Monday, July 13 | 6:30 p.m.

Story Explorers is a book discussion group for kids in grades 2-3 and their adult.

PRESCHOOL IMAGINATION STATION

Tuesday, July 14 | 1:30 p.m.

Join us for a read-aloud about our imagination followed by a related activity.

TUMMY TIME

Wednesday, July 15 | 3:30 p.m.

Join us for an afternoon of play and socializing for babies and their caregivers.

LEGO CLUB

Thursday, July 16 | 4 p.m.

Join us for free play with the Library's LEGO collection!

CREATURE TEACHERS*

Wednesday, July 22 | 10:30 a.m.

Join us for an educational presentation about reptiles followed by a meet and greet with the visiting animals!

BEGINNING READERS BOOK CLUB*

Wednesday, July 22 | 4 p.m.

The *Beginning Readers Book Club* is for kids in kindergarten and 1st grade and their adult. This month we are reading *The Cool Bean Makes a Splash* by Jory John.

TEDDY BEAR PICNIC (OFFSITE)

Thursday, July 23 | 11 a.m.

Bring along your favorite furry friend for a morning picnic at Heritage Park!

KIDS' KITCHEN: ICE CREAM IN A BAG (VIRTUAL)*

Saturday, July 25 | 2 p.m.

Kids' Kitchen is a virtual cooking club just for kids! For July's recipe, we will be making ice cream in a bag.

PRESCHOOL COLOR SCAVENGER HUNT

Tuesday, July 28 | 4 p.m.

Join us outdoors to find the colors of the rainbow in nature! We'll meet at the 5th Avenue entrance for the scavenger hunt.

TEENS

TEEN READING CHALLENGE

January–December 2026

Calling all teen power readers! Track the books you're reading, and once you've read 50 books, come to the Library to get your picture taken and claim your prize!

SODAS & STORIES*

Monday, July 6 | 4:30 p.m.

Make a 'dirty' soda and explore new YA releases with us.

RAINBOW READS*

Tuesday, July 7 | 4:30 p.m.

Rainbow Reads is a book club for LGBTQIA+ teens and their allies. For July we will be reading *Say a Little Prayer* by Jenna Voris.

TEEN BOOK CLUB*

Wednesday, July 8 | 2:30 p.m.

Teen Book Club is a book discussion group for grades 7-12. For July we will be reading *Firekeeper's Daughter* by Angeline Boulley.

TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL*

Tuesday, July 14 | 4:30 p.m.

Our Teen Library Council (TLC) provides teens ages 14-17 with the opportunity to make a positive difference in our community and have input in the way the Library serves teens.

TEEN ESCAPE ROOM: REALITY REWRITTEN*

Saturday, July 18 | 3:30 p.m.

An AI post meant to be funny goes wrong! Do you have what it takes to go back in time, change what happened, and fix it before things get worse?

WATCH & MAKE*

Monday, July 20 | 5 p.m.

Enjoy a Summer Blockbuster with us at *Watch & Make!* We'll be crafting as *Jurassic Park* (1993) plays in the background. Whether you're a crafting pro or just looking for a relaxing way to unwind, this is the perfect chance to get creative and enjoy some feel-good fun!

POWER READERS MEET-UP*

Wednesday, July 29 | 5 p.m.

You've made it halfway through the year - now it's time to celebrate your reading progress! Teens and adults participating in the *Teen Reading Challenge* or *100 Book Challenge* are invited to join us for this meet-up.

TEEN ART ROULETTE*

Friday, July 31 | 2 p.m.

A fast-paced art challenge where canvases keep changing, and every round brings a new surprise.

ADULTS

100 BOOK CHALLENGE

January–December 2026

The *100 Book Challenge* is back for 2026! Track the books you're reading, and once you've read 100 books, come to the Library to get your picture taken and claim your prize!

VIRTUAL MINDFULNESS*

Wednesdays | 10 a.m.

An invitation to practice mindfulness together. Please email Kirsten Muskat to receive your Zoom link: kirstenmuskat@mac.com.

CLOSE KNIT

Mondays | 4:30 p.m.

Join our community of yarn lovers at *Close Knit*, the Library's welcoming fiber arts club.

WHEN AGING PARENTS NEED MORE SUPPORT*

Monday, July 6 | 6 p.m.

Tami Calais provides adult children with a compassionate roadmap for navigating the early signs of parental aging, offering practical tools to move from worry to clarity.

ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Tuesday, July 7 | 12:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 21 | 12:30 p.m.

Enhance your language skills in a supportive and engaging environment! The group welcomes anyone looking to improve their English fluency.

SPANISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Tuesday, July 7 | 5:30 p.m.

Enhance your language skills in this supportive and engaging environment. This group is geared to beginner Spanish speakers.

FFCL QUARTERLY MEETING

Thursday, July 16 | 6 p.m.

Quarterly board meeting of the Friends and Foundation of the Camas Public Library (FFCL).

FAST FRIENDS: MEET NEW PEOPLE IN YOUR COMMUNITY*

Monday, July 20 | 10:30 a.m.

Meet new people through a series of short, guided conversations designed to make connecting easy.

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SILENT BOOK CLUB

Thursday, July 23 | 5:30 p.m.

Silent Book Club at the Library is a relaxed, welcoming gathering for people who enjoy reading together - quietly.

AUDIOBOOK WALKING CLUB (OFFSITE)

Monday, July 27 | 9:30 a.m.

Audiobook listeners need not walk alone! Bring your audiobook of choice and meet us each month at a new outdoor location for a community walk.

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