

# HCP1 Youth Services Calendar for August 2026

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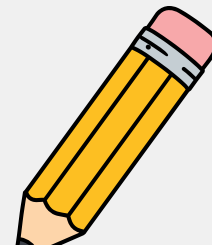
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| 31<br>*Cards for Community<br>11:00 - 12:00 (Age 5+) (P)<br>and<br>4:00 - 5:00 (Age 5+) (P) |                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <br>Visit the<br>Storywalk,<br>outside!                                                                                                           |                                                                              | <br>HARDIN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY<br>EST. 1958 |

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## KID'S ACTIVITIES

### Ukulele Class (Age 8-18) (P)

\*Registration Required

**Advanced - Tuesdays, Aug. 4, 11, & 25 - 10:00 - 11:00**

**Beginning - August 27 - 4:00 - 5:00**

Instruments and books are provided to use during class.

### Bubbles & Babies (Age 0-2) (P)

**Wednesdays, Aug. 5, 12, & 26 - 10:00 - 11:00**

Babies and their grown-ups read books, learn nursery rhymes, sing songs, and play with bubbles!

### Toddler & Preschool Storytime (Age 2-5) (P)

**Thursdays, 10:00 - 11:00**

Families can read books, sing songs, make a craft, and enjoy story time together!

### LEGO Club (Age 5 and up) (P)

**Monday, August 24, 10:00 - 11:00 and 4:00 - 5:00**

Build with the library's LEGO collection while learning problem-solving, teamwork, and creativity. Turn in your creation if you'd like it to be displayed.

### Little Kids LEGO Club (Age 0-4) (P)

**Tues., August 25, 3:00 - 4:00**

Babies, toddlers, preschoolers, and their caregivers get to socialize and build with the library's collection of toddler building blocks.

### Cards for Community

**Monday, August 31 - 11:00 - 12:00 and 4:00 - 5:00**

\*Registration Required

Use your creativity to draw colorful, beautiful, or fun cards to uplift others. You can make cards for a friend or loved one, or you can donate cards that the library staff will share with assisted care residents and hospital patients. Materials will be provided.

## Programming Room

### Cozy Corner (All Ages) (P)

**Various weekdays and times**

A calm space for families and caregivers to read and relax together. All ages are welcome. A guardian must be present with children ages 0-12. Please help keep the space neat by cleaning up before you leave.

## TEEN ACTIVITIES

### Jackbox Games for Teens (ages 13 - 18)

**August 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, 4:15 - 5:45**

Enjoy some hilarious party games with the Jackbox Games party packs! These games run on the big screen, and you get to participate on your phone! From making the funniest jokes to proving your trivia skills, Jackbox has it all!

*\*A device capable of accessing the internet is required to participate.*

### LEGO for Teens (ages 13 - 18)

**August 12<sup>th</sup>, 3:30 - 4:30**

Whoever said LEGO is just for little kids? Certainly not us! Drop in for this LEGO session and let your creativity shine! Afterward, we will even display your creation!

### Teen Anime Club (ages 13-18)

**August 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 - 5:00**

Join us to watch and discuss anime with your fellow teens!

### Teen Dungeons and Dragons (ages 13-18)

**August 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>, 12:30 - 2:30**

Become a paranormal detective in this new adventure for D&D 5<sup>th</sup> Edition!

### Teen's Minecraft Time (ages 13 - 18)

**August 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 - 5:45 (ONLINE)**

Play from home or the library on your device with fellow Minecraft Bedrock players in the community! Registration forms are available for pickup at the HCPL Main Branch, and must be returned completed in order to participate in the game.

### Teen Advisory Group (ages 13 - 18)

**August 14, 3:45 - 4:45**

Contribute to your library and community, make new friends, and enjoy delicious snacks at this special meeting! Registration forms are available at the library. Please return your registration prior to the meeting date. For more information, email [bryce.vessels@hcpl.info](mailto:bryce.vessels@hcpl.info).

### Teens Chess Club (ages 13 - 18)

**August 26, 4:00 - 5:30**

Sharpen your strategies, learn new opening moves, and challenge your peers. Beginner to intermediate skill levels are welcome. Boards are provided.



## TWEEN ACTIVITIES

### Middle Grades Chess Club (ages 9 - 13)

**August 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 - 5:30**

Prove your strategic genius with some casual chess or checkers!

### Super Mario Hour (ages 9 - 13)

**August 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>, 3:30 - 4:30**

Join us for some Mario games on our Nintendo Switch!

### Tween Dungeons and Dragons (ages 9-13)

**August 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, 3:45 - 5:30**

Join us as we continue our campaign for Dungeons and Dragons 5<sup>th</sup> Edition!

### Mr. Bryce's D&D Monster Laboratory (age 9 - 13)

**August 28, 3:30 - 4:30**

An interactive, hands-on workshop where participants design, build, and customize their own fantasy creatures.

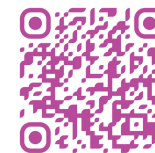
## SPECIAL EVENTS

### The Garden Club - Water Wonders: Filter Fun

**Thursday, August 13, 3:00 - 4:00 (Age 6-18) (Outdoors)**

\*Registration is required: use the QR code below!

Become a junior water engineer! This fun and wet activity teaches you the importance of clean water and conservation. We will use material like cotton balls, sand, and gravel to build multi-layered water filters inside clear plastic bottles. See science in action as we try to clean "dirty water" using our own home-made creations!



### Not sure where to go?

(P) = Programming Room

(T) = Teen Room

(M) = Meeting Room

*Program locations subject to change day of.*

### For program questions, please contact:

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