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## YOUTH EVENTS

### December 2025

Please note: Caregivers of children ages 9 and under must remain in the room during the program and caregivers of children ages 10-12 must remain in the library during the program.

## **Preschool Programs**

Babies Boogie Storytime (Birth - 24 months)
Mondays, Dec 1, 8 & 15 at 9:15 AM
Wednesdays, Dec 3, 10 & 17 at 10:15 AM
Stories, songs, and bounces for children ages birth to 24 months. Siblings welcome.

#### Pajama Story Time Tuesdays, Dec 2, 16 & 30 at 7 PM

Stories, songs, and movement activities before bedtime for children of all ages! Pajamas welcome (not required).

#### Hop, Skip, Jump (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, Dec 9 & 23 at 11 AM

Dance, jump, stretch, balance! Each time, we'll explore a different game or activity, such as yoga, dance, or parachute play.

#### Teddy Bear Storytime (Age 2) Wednesdays, Dec 3, 10 & 17 at 9:30 AM

Stories, songs, and movement activities for 2-year-old children. Bring a stuffed toy from home, or use one of ours. Siblings welcome.

#### Preschool Capers (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, Dec 3, 10 & 17 at 11 AM

Stories, songs, mysteries, and adventures for youth ages 3-5. Siblings are welcome.

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## **All Ages Programs**

#### Beginners' Chess (All ages) Wednesdays at 6:30 PM

Learn how to play chess and hone your skills! All ages are welcome; however, adult supervision is required for players under 13.

#### School's Out Movie Matinee (All ages) Friday, December 26 at 2 PM

Description: In this live action movie, a young Hawaiian girl struggling with loss and loneliness forms an unexpected bond with a mischievous alien experiment crash-landed on Earth.

## Winter Family Book Bingo (Youth of All ages)\* Monday, December 29 at 2 PM

Walk-ins are welcome but registration is recommended in order to guarantee we have enough bingo cards. Space is limited and registration opens on December 15.

# Beginners' Chess Tournament Saturday, January 10 at 11 AM

Registration is required for all competitors.

#### Mini-Golf at the Library Saturday, January 17 10 AM to 2 PM

Bring your family and friends for a fun round of mini-golf inside the library! No registration required. A great way to celebrate the new year at the library!

This popular event can get busy, so other activities will be available if you need to wait.

NOTE: Last round begins at 1:30 PM.

## School Aged Programs

Pokémon Club (Youth Ages 5+) Monday, Dec 1 at 4 PM Tuesday, Dec 23 at 5 PM

Stop by the library to meet up with other Pokémon fans to trade cards, talk about the game and the show, play the card game, and complete a craft or other activity.

Lego Club (Youth Ages 5+) Tuesday, Dec 2 at 5 PM Monday, Dec 22 at 4 PM

Stop by the library to complete our monthly challenge or just enjoy some free building time with friends.

#### Create Space (Youth of all ages) Tuesday, Dec 16 at 5 PM

We provide the supplies; you provide the imagination. Stop by the library to see what you can make from the supplies provided. Creative fun for makers of all ages and abilities (adults too!).

#### Ruff, Ruff and Read (Youth Ages 5+)\* Saturday, Dec 27 10:30-11:30 AM (10 minute time slots)

Independent readers are invited to come and read to a therapy dog. Register in advance to get a guaranteed 10 minute time slot.

#### School-Age Dungeons & Dragons (Ages 8-12)\* Tuesday, Dec 30 at 2PM

Adventure and mystery awaits in this program as we explore the tabletop game Dungeons & Dragons. Together, we will venture through mystical forests and perform daring escapes. Registration is required and opens Dec 9.

## **Tween Programs**

World Explorers Club: Peru (Youth Ages 10+)\*
Sunday, Dec 14 at 2 PM

Explore cultures and geography from around the world through trivia, games, crafts, and other hands-on activities. Registration opens December 1.

Interested in sharing about your own culture? We would love help from individuals with lived experience. Email <u>youthservices@ivpl.org</u> if you would like to participate.



Earn books from the vending machine by reading or doing activities. Participate online or on paper. Ask us how.



Accessibility Statement: The Indian Valley Public Library strives to make our youth programs accessible for all. If you or your child needs accommodations or extra support, please let us know in person or by emailing youthservices@ivpl.org.

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\* Indicates registration is required. Register using the QR code below or this link: https://bit.ly/IVPLDec2025
Unless otherwise indicated, preschool programs do not require registration. You can register to receive reminder emails.

