WHATS HAPPENING AT THE
MERIDIAN LIBRARY

July - August 2023

Visit mld.org/events for event details.
Special Visits

Birds of Prey
July 7- Cherry Lane
10:30-11:30 am
July 11- Orchard Park
2:00-3:00 pm
July 14- Silverstone
2:00-3:00 pm

Rock Painting with Miss Amy
July 20- Silverstone
2:00-3:00 pm
Aug 3- Cherry Lane
2:00-3:00 pm

Music Adventures with Paige Moore
July 6- Cherry Lane
10:00-11:00 am

Touch-A-Truck
July 29- Silverstone
10:00-12:00pm

Treasure Valley Children's Theater Presents: Jessie the Theater Kid
Aug 1- Cherry Lane
7:00-8:00 pm

Friends of the Library Used Book Sale
July 8- Cherry Lane
Aug 12- Cherry Lane
10:00-3:00 pm

American Red Cross Blood Drive
July 28- Cherry Lane
9:30-3:30 pm
*Registration suggested

Visit the Bookmobile
Mondays- Meridian Park Apartments
Tuesdays- Foothills Apartments
Fridays- Hillsdale Park
3:30-5:00 pm

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Early Learners
Youth programs will pause August 7-18

**Storytimes**

**Baby Time**  
*Recommended ages 0-2*  
**Wednesdays-** Cherry Lane  
10:00-10:30 am  
**Thursdays-** Silverstone  
10:30-11:30 am

**Storytimes**  
*Recommended ages 2-5*  
**Mondays-** Silverstone  
10:30-11:30 am  
**Tuesdays-** Cherry Lane  
10:00-10:30 am

**Spanish English Storytime**  
*Family / All ages*  
**Fridays-** Cherry Lane  
10:00-10:30 am

**Early Coders**  
*Recommended ages 2-5*  
**July 11, 18-** Cherry Lane  
2:00-3:00 pm

**Pajama Storytime**  
*Recommended ages 2-5*  
**Thursdays-** Cherry Lane  
7:00-7:30 pm

**Cozy Critters Stuffed Animal Sleep Over**  
*Recommended ages 2-5*  
**July 13-** Cherry Lane  
6:30-7:45 pm  
*Registration required*

**Play and Learn**

**Marvelous Meridian Playdate**  
*Recommended ages 0-5*  
**July 1-** Cherry Lane  
10:00-12:00 pm  
**July 8, Aug 5-** Tiny Library  
10:00-12:00 pm  
*Registration required*

**Silly Song and Dance**  
*Recommended ages 0-5*  
**Wednesdays-** Silverstone  
10:30-11:00 am  
**July 8, 12-** Cherry Lane  
10:00-10:30 am

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**kanopy kids**

Explore Kanopy Kids for educational and entertaining videos and animated storybooks. Visit mld.org/resources
Youth and Family
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Summer Movies at the Library!
Movies rated G or PG
Wednesdays- Cherry Lane
1:00-3:00 pm

Tales to Tails
Recommended ages 5+
Wednesday- Silverstone
2:30-3:30 pm

Brick Club
Recommended ages 6-12
Mondays- Cherry Lane
3:00-4:00 pm

LABrary
Recommended ages 6-12
Thursdays- Cherry Lane
2:00-3:00 pm
July 11, 25- Silverstone
Special guest: Boise Urban Garden School
2:30-3:30 pm
*Registration required
July 18, Aug 1- Silverstone
2:30-3:30 pm

Pokemon Club
Recommended ages 6-17
July 7, 21- Cherry Lane
Aug 2- Cherry Lane
2:00-3:30 pm

Meridian Knights Chess Club
Recommended ages 6-17
Mondays- Orchard Park
1:30-3:30 pm

QSA
Recommended ages 12-17
Mondays- Cherry Lane
1:30-3:30 pm

Teen Chopped
Recommended ages 12-17
July 14- Cherry Lane
1:00-2:30 pm

Teen Night
Recommended ages 13-17
July 7- Cherry Lane
6:30-8:30 pm

Use the Libby App
Use the Libby App, by Overdrive, to download books, audiobooks, graphic novels, magazines, and more.
Adults and Seniors

**ASL Conversation Club**
*Recommended ages 12+*
**Mondays-** Cherry Lane
6:30-7:30 pm

**Writer's Bloc**
*Recommended ages 12+
**Wednesdays-** Cherry Lane
6:30-7:30 pm
*July 19, Aug 16 at unBound*

**Murder Mystery- 1920’s Gatsby**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 10-** Cherry Lane
6:30-9:00 pm
**July 22-** Cherry Lane
11:00-2:00 pm
**July 24-** Cherry Lane
6:30-9:00 pm
*Registration required*

**Community Swap**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 15, Aug 19-** Cherry Lane
10:00-12:00 pm

**Memory Cafe**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 27, Aug 25-** Orchard Park
1:00-2:30 pm

**Social Saturdays**
*Recommended ages 18+
**Saturdays-** Cherry Lane
3:00-4:00 pm

**Powerful Tools for Caregivers**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 13-** Orchard Park
12:30-3:00 pm
*6 week course, registration required*

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**Reading Clubs**

**Needles, Hooks, and Books**
*Recommended ages 18+
**Thursdays-** Cherry Lane
1:00-3:00 pm

**Mystery Book Club**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 20, Aug 17-** Cherry Lane
6:00-7:00 pm

**Roaming Readers**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 6, 20-** Cherry Lane
**Aug 3, 17-** Cherry Lane
10:30-11:30 am

**Extreme Book Nerd Book Club**
*Recommended ages 18+
**July 11, Aug 8-** Cherry Lane
6:00-7:00 pm

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**Ida**

Download Ida App
Use the Ida app to search the catalog, place holds, renew items, manage your account, and check out with your phone.
Community Drop in Resources

Idaho Department of Labor
Mondays- Cherry Lane 1:30-4:30 pm
Fridays- Cherry Lane 10:00-1:00 pm

Small Business Administration
Fridays- unBound 9:00-12:00 pm

SCORE Treasure Valley
Wednesdays- unBound 9:00-12:00 pm
*No session July 5

Small Business Banking Services with ICCU
Aug 14- unBound 6:00-7:00 pm
*Registration required

Lawyer in the Library
Aug 22- Cherry Lane 5:00-7:00 pm

Digitize Family History
July 8, Aug 11- Meridian History Center at City Hall 1:00-4:00 pm
Visit mld.org/history

More Resources Online

Visit mld.org/resources

Need help?
Utilize our Book-a-Librarian service, available at all locations.
Credit for Small Businesses
Recommended ages 18+
July 10- unBound
6:00-7:00 pm
*Registration required

CNC Machine Intro
Recommended ages 18+
July 15- unBound
10:30-12:30 pm
*Registration required

Canva Basics
Recommended ages 18+
July 18- unBound
6:00-7:00 pm

Intro to Laser Engraver
Recommended ages 18+
Aug 1- unBound
6:00-7:00 pm

Maker Minds Meetup
Recommended ages 18+
July 8, Aug 12- unBound
10:30-12:00 pm

Networking Breakfast
Recommended ages 18+
July 13, Aug 10- unBound
7:30-9:00 am
*Registration required

Visit unBound

Business, Technology, Community
Stop by and learn about the technology and business resources available such as:
- Podcasting Studio
- 3D Printers
- Vacuum Former
- Laser Engraver
- CNC Machines
- Adobe Design Suite
- Large Format Printers
- Meeting Rooms
and more!
Summer Reading- All Together Now

There is still time to participate in our summer reading program! Everyone can get in on the fun and receive fun prizes! Learn more at mld.org/summer-reading!

Halfway There Fair: Summer Reading Check-In Celebration

July 15- Hillsdale Park
10:00-12:00 pm

Extreme Book Nerd

50 Books in 50 weeks and each one a different category...can you do it? Sign up today to participate in Extreme Book Nerd! Everyone ages 13 and older is eligible to participate. Learn more at mld.org/ebn!

Extreme Book Nerd Book Club

July 11, Aug 8- Cherry Lane
6:00-7:00 pm

Locations

Cherry Lane- 1326 W Cherry Lane
Orchard Park- 1268 W Orchard Park Drive
Silverstone- 3531 E Overland Road
unBound- 722 E 2nd Street
Tiny Library- 5159 S Hillsdale Avenue
Meridian History Center- 33 E Broadway Avenue

Try Home Delivery

Did you know we offer FREE home delivery to all Meridian residents? It's as easy as selecting "Meridian Home Delivery" as your pickup library! Learn more at mld.org/delivery