



## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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# **~ Media Advisory ~ Library Events Aug. 18 - 21**

## **Teen Gaming at Springfield Public Library for Teens@2**

*Teens are invited to come play games, have a snack, and hang-out*

Get your game on at the Springfield Public Library. Teens are invited to come play on Monday, August 18th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Library Meeting Room. We'll have big screen video games, Minecraft Pi and the latest and greatest board games provided by Castle of Games. Snacks will be provided and it's all free.

Teens@2 will happen every Monday at 2:00 throughout the summer.

**What:** Teen Gaming at the Springfield Public Library

**When:** Monday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm

**Where:** Springfield Public Library

**Additional Information:** Contact LuCinda Gustavson at 541-726-2287 or @

<http://wheremindsgrow.org/programs>

## **Pop-Up Engineering @ the Library**

*Create your own pop-up art with this fun and hands-on workshop!*

On Tuesday, August 19<sup>th</sup> the Springfield Public Library will be hosting a "Pop-Up Engineering" for children and teens ages 8 and up. Younger children are welcome to join us for a creative experience, but will need the helping hands of an adult. The Pop-Up workshop will introduce pop-up books and cards, allow the group to dissect a pop-up book, and learn the basics of 3-D paper art. We'll get a chance to experiment with our own pop-up cards! Participants are encouraged to bring friends and family to work in pairs or groups.

**What:** Pop-Up Engineering Workshop

**When:** Tuesday, August 19<sup>th</sup> 2014, 1:00pm

**Where:** Springfield Public Library's Meeting Room

**Additional Information:** <http://wheremindsgrow.org/programs> , or contact Taylor Worley at (541) 726-3766

## **BILINGUAL SPANISH LANGUAGE STORYTIMES AT THE SPRINGFIELD LIBRARY**

*Families are invited for a Thursday afternoon bilingual Cuentos in August*

Among the many great family events that the library will offer this summer are weekly bilingual story times. Join us on Thursday afternoons at 1pm in August in the fountain plaza outside the library. We'll share fun stories and songs in Spanish and English, plus make a craft! The event is free and is for children of all ages, accompanied by an adult. Join us at 1pm for the final bilingual stories at the Fountain Plaza on August 21.

**What:** Cuentos / Bilingual Story time in Spanish

**When:** Thursday, August 21, 2014 at 1:00 pm on the Fountain Plaza

**Where:** The Springfield Public Library

**Additional Information:** Contact Emily David at 541-726-2235 or at <http://wheremindsgrow.org/programs>

## **PRESCHOOL FUN WITH ART & SCIENCE AT THE SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

*Bug Out!*

Preschoolers are invited to *Bug Out* at the Springfield Public Library on Thursday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:30 am. We will learn all about the world of insects through stories, science and the creative arts. Children should come dressed for messy craft projects and be accompanied by a caregiver. The program is free. All supplies will be provided by the library. This program is for children ages 3-6.

**What:** Preschool Fun with Art & Science

**When:** Thursday, August 21st, 10:30-11:15 am

**Where:** Library Meeting Room, Springfield Public Library

**Additional Information:** <http://wheremindsgrow.org/programs> , or contact LuCinda Gustavson at (541) 726-2287