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March Programs at Anythink Brighton

BRIGHTON, Colo.—February 16, 2010—From growing your knowledge to growing gardens, Anythink Brighton has something for all ages and interests.

Special Programs

An Improv Story Time

Tuesday, March 30, 1:30 pm at the Armory

Join us at the Brighton Cultural Center's Armory for three classic fairytales read aloud by Anythink guide Melody while Brighton Collegiate High School Improv Team performs.

Martial Arts Demonstration

Saturday, March 13, 1-4 pm

Local Olympic hopeful Jorge Mejia will be doing a short demonstration every hour between 1 and 4 pm.

Children's Programs

Toddler Story Time

Mondays & Fridays, 9:30 am

A lapsit story time for children under 3 years of age who can walk. Space is limited; registration is required. Please call or visit the service desk.

Music and Movement

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:30 am

Thursdays, 2 pm

Sing, dance, play games and learn how to play some basic instruments. Parents and siblings are welcome. There are no books or crafts at this program. Appropriate for ages 2-6. Space is limited; registration is required. Please call or visit the service desk.

Baby Story Time

Wednesdays, 9:30 am

This is a lapsit story time for non-walkers. Space is limited; registration is required. Please call or visit the service desk.

Preschool Story Time

Tuesdays, 10:30 am & 2 pm, Thursdays, 10:30 am

Enjoy a new theme every week with activities, stories, and a craft. Appropriate for ages 3-6. Space is limited; registration is required. Please call or visit the service desk.

Teen Programs

Teen Film Club

Thursday, March 4, 4-6 pm

Watch the classics or a popular favorite over popcorn, and join in stimulating discussions about the film after the viewing.

Young Writers Workshop

Thursday, March 18, 5-6 pm

Use this time to share, critique and fine-tune your writing skills. Short stories, essays, school work, poetry, 'zines or the Great American Novel, it's up to your imagination.

Teen Advisory Council/Book Club

Thursday, March 25, 4-5 pm

Help us decide on upcoming programming for the library and pick out next month's good read.

Dance Dance Revolution

Saturday, March 27, 1-3 pm

Dance 'til you drop with the Wii Dance Dance Revolution.

Teen Gaming

Mondays, 3:30-5;30 pm

Play a variety of video games on our Wii and Xbox, or challenge your friends at a board game.

Role Playing Games

Tuesdays, 4-6 pm

Step back from the computer and put down that Xbox controller. Experience games of adventure with just your imagination and a handful of dice.

Teen Arts and Crafts

Wednesday, 3:30-5:30 pm

Every week there is something different: paints, crafting clay, beading, duct tape. Stop in and join us in making something fun.

Adult Programs

Rowdy Readers Bookclub

Second Wednesday of the month, 10 am

Next month's selection can be picked up at the library so that you can read it before the meeting. Some titles are available in large print and audio formats too.

March 10: *Cold Sassy Tree* by Olive Burns

Brighton Booklovers

Third Wednesday of the month, 10 am

A new book club, the Brighton Booklovers will discuss our third book. Now is a great time to join! Next month's book is available at the library, just ask at the desk.

March 17: *Aloft* by Chang-Rae Lee

Alternatives to Mortgage Foreclosure

Saturday, March 13, 10-11:30 am

Starting to feel like foreclosure is the only option? Learn about the alternatives from an educated and objective guest speaker.

Scrapbooking Workshop

Saturday, March 20, 10 am-12:30 pm

Bring your old photos into the library and start working on that scrapbook that you've been putting off for years. We will provide various decorative items and scrapbooking supplies, but feel free to bring your own as well.

Tech Classes

Basic Microsoft Word

Tuesday, March 2, 7-8 pm

Thursday, March 4, 10-11 am

Learn the basics of creating a document in Microsoft Word. Start typing, format your text, check your spelling, save and print.

Basic Microsoft Excel

Tuesday, March 9, 7-8 pm

Thursday, March 11, 10-11 am

Learn how to create and format a spreadsheet in Microsoft Excel. We'll also learn how to enter data into a spreadsheet and use basic formulas.

Basic Computer Skills

Tuesday, March 16, 7-8 pm

Thursday, March 25, 10-11 am

Learn how to use a mouse, a keyboard, scroll bars, and the Internet – all the skills to get you ready to use the library's computers on your own. Registration strongly recommended. Please call or visit the service desk.

Google Search Tips Tuesday, March 23, 7-8 pm Thursday, March 18, 10-11 am

Learn some new tricks for Google to maximize your Internet searching skills.

RSS Feeds

Tuesday, March 30, 7-8 pm

Set up automatic notifications from websites to have updates on job postings, news, or book reviews sent directly to you.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call Anythink Brighton at 303-659-2572; visit the branch at 327 E. Bridge Street, Brighton, CO 80601; or go to http://www.anythinklibraries.org.