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March Programs at Anythink Huron Street

THORNTON, Colo.—Feb. 22, 2011—Spring is the perfect time to learn something new, and Anythink has all the tools you need on your quest for learning. Spend time with friends or meet new ones during our fabulous programs this month at Anythink Huron Street.

Special Programs

Anythink Works

Mondays, 9:30-11 am

Following the Liz Ryan method of career rebooting, this group meets as a supportive, networking, and skills-sharing community. All job seekers and career changers are welcome.

Family Place Workshop

Mondays, March 7, 14, 21, 28 and April 4, 10-11:15 am

Parents and caregivers with children ages birth-3 are invited to sign up for this five-week series, where new learning and exploration activities are offered. Different childhood experts will be on hand to talk with parents and play with children. Participation is limited to 12 families. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Family Place Libraries is a network of children's librarians nationwide who believe that literacy begins at birth and that libraries can help build healthy communities by nourishing healthy families. Anythink is proud to be a part of this exciting program.

Yu-Gi-Oh! Speed Tournament

Monday, March 21, 4-5:30 pm

What can you do in one round? Bring your cards and test your skills against the library champs in this super-fast tournament. All ages welcome. Space is limited: registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

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Children's Programs

Crafternoon

Tuesdays, March 1 & 15, 4-5 pm

Do you like to do crafts? If you're in 4th through 6th grade, come by the library after school and make a craft. Each week will be different and fun. All materials will be supplied, so all you need to bring is your creativity. No registration necessary.

Mardi Gras Afternoon

Tuesday, March 8, 12 pm

Drop by the library in the afternoon, write down what you like about coming to the library, and you'll get a Mardi Gras surprise!

Primetime for Preschoolers

Wednesdays, 10-10:30 am

Enjoy stories, finger plays, songs, and other fun activities just for preschoolers. Appropriate for ages 3-5. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Music and Movement

Wednesdays, 1:30-2:15 pm

Sing, dance, play games and learn how to play some basic instruments. Appropriate for kids ages 3-6. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Baby Bounce

Thursdays, 10-10:20 am

Share time with your little one at Anythink Huron with songs, rhymes, and stories for babies and their caregivers. Appropriate for ages birth-23 months. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Toddler Tales

Thursdays, 11-11:25 am

Spend time with your toddler listening to stories, songs, and finger plays geared just for them. Appropriate for kids ages 2-3. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Teen Programs

TAB/ Teen Books

Wednesday, March 2, 3-4 pm

Discuss the best books you've read in the last month, plus get new ideas of things to read for this month. Also, let us know what you want to see in the library. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Creative Writing Group

Thursdays, March 3 & 17, 6-7:30 pm

Calling all writers – bring work to share and hone your skills. Appropriate for teens and adults.

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Teen Gaming

Monday, March 7, 4-5:30 pm

Wii, X-box, board games, and more are available after school at your local Anythink. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Teen Craft

Wednesday, March 9, 3-4 pm

Make something fun at your local Anythink. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Brawl!

Monday, March 14, 4-5:30 pm

Battle your way through the Super Smash Brothers Brawl Tournament. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Mario Cart Races

Wednesday, March 16, 3-4 pm

Think you can beat the library champs? Try your hand at this fun and classic Nintendo game. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Teen Music Rocks!

Wednesday, March 23, 3-4 pm

Find out about cool new music and share your faves. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Just Dance!

Monday, March 28, 4-5:30 pm

Rock out Wii style with this fun and interactive game. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Act Out

Wednesday, March 30, 3-4 pm

Part talent show, part improv – all fun. Strut your stuff with acting games and show off your hidden talents. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Adult Programs

True Crime and Mystery Book Club

Wednesday, March 2, 7-8 pm

What evil lurks in the hearts of men? Read all about it and discuss with fellow true crime fans. Mystery fiction is included in the list.

Resident Genealogist is in

Wednesdays, March 9 & 23, 12-4 pm

On the 2nd and 4th Wednesday afternoons you can get one-on-one help with your family tree with our resident genealogist. By appointment only. Please call Anythink Huron Street at 303-452-7534 to register.

Mighty Monday Book Club

Monday, March 14, 2-4 pm

This month we discuss *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett.

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Tuesday Tales Book Club

Tuesday, March 15, 2-4 pm

The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind by William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer is discussed this month.

Tech Classes

PC Basics: An Introduction to the Computer

Tuesday, March 15, 10-11:30 am

Do you know where your mouse is? Do you know what is on your desktop? We will begin with an overview of computer terminology and cover the basic parts of the computer, such as the mouse, keyboard, monitor, ports, desktop, icons, and the start menu. All ages are welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Résumé Tips and Tricks

Tuesday, March 22, 10-11:30 am

Bring in your résumé and learn how to beef it up. Learn basic dos and don'ts of formatting résumés. We will also go over some of the resources in the Anythink Job Center page at anythinklibraries.org. All ages are welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Microsoft Word Basics

Tuesday March 29, 10-11:30 am

This class will get you started on how to create, save, open, and edit a Word document. Specifically, you will also learn how to format and modify the font, page setup, and navigate in a Word document. Bring a flash drive or use your email to save your work. All ages are welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call Anythink Huron Street at 303-452-7534; visit the library at 9417 Huron Street, Thornton, CO 80260; or go to anythinklibraries.org.

About Anythink™

Anythink is a new style of library – a place of unlimited imagination, where play inspires creativity and lifelong learning. Rangeview Library District serves the residents of Adams County with seven Anythink libraries and Anythink in Motion – the district's mobile library – and is one of the recipients of the 2010 National Medal of Museum and Library Service from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. Construction and renovations are underway on one existing library scheduled to open in 2011. For more information, go to anythinklibraries.org.

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