2023 Spring Break "I DO" Program List

Identifying Opportunities, Developing Relationships & Organizing Partnerships for Youth!







Dear Lexington Community,

Program Providers and Community Partners work so hard to provide positive youth programming; and Partners for Youth wants to make sure that their efforts are recognized and supported. One way that we like to support them is to educate the community about the free and affordable positive youth programs they provide that are available in Lexington and the surrounding area. We do this by developing and maintaining the "I DO" program list from information they provide us; and distributing that list during the School year, spring break, and summer break to organizations and partners in our list serve so that they can share with their youth and families.

Thank you for caring about the community by seeking out positive activities for children, and resources for your family.

Thanks for being a Partner for Youth!

Sincerely,

Partners for Youth Staff

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PROGRAM FEES: FREE

Spring Break Adopt a Park presented by West End Community Partners

Monday, April 3rd - Friday, April 7th 2023

1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Free & Open to the Public For Youth and Families

Location: Douglass Park 726 Georgetown Street Lexington, KY 40508

For more information call LaDonna Walker (859) 280-8006 lwalker@lexingtonky.gov



This event will provide activities for elementary and middle school students that will include fun and educational activities, including crafts and physical activities that they can do all week during Spring Break!

Spring Break Adopt a Park presented by Cardinal Valley Community Partners

Monday, April 3rd – April 7th, 2023 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Free & Open to the Public For Youth and Families

Location: Valley Park 2077 Cambridge Drive Lexington, KY 40504

For more information call LaDonna Walker (859) 280-8006 lwalker@lexingtonky.gov



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Coach Q Spring Break Skills Camp

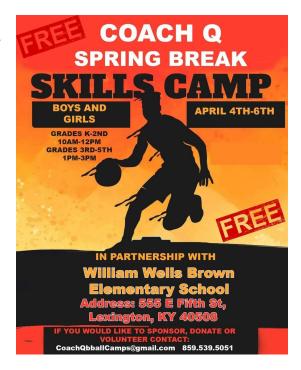
A free basketball skill camp for both boys & girls. April 4th -6th, 2023.

Grades K-2nd 10 am -12 pm Grades $3^{rd} - 5^{th}$ 1 pm - 3 pm Cost: Free

Location:

William Wells Brown Elementary School 555 E Fifth Street Lexington, KY 40508

Contact Information: CoachQbballCamps@gmail.com
859-539-5051



Youth Clinic Spring Football Camp

Tuesdays and Thursdays 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. March 28th, 2023

Free clinic For Grades K-8 All Players & Coaches are welcome.

Location: 212 St. Ann Dr. Lexington, KY

Contact: Thirteen859@gmail.cpm



Lexington Public Library

Contact Information:

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Programs offered:

Spring Break VR Exploration

Join us in the Northside Game Room to explore a variety of games and virtual experiences on the Oculus Quest 2 VR headsets
Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch Game Room
Monday, April 3^{rd & 5th,} 2023, 10 am -12 pm
Ages for participants: Middle & High School
Cost: Free
Contact Person: Jennie Samons
859-231-5500 ext. 2435

Baby Storytime

jsamons@lexpublib.org

Enjoy songs, bounce, stories, and social time for babies and their caregivers.

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch & Central Library

April 3^{rd & 6th}, 2023, 11-11:30 am

Cost: Free

Age for participants: 0-18 months

Spring Break Super Mario Celebration

Celebrate the release of the new Super Mario Bros. movie with Super Smash Bros. and Mario Cart tournaments, plus a photo opportunity with everyone's favorite Mario characters!

April 3rd, 2023, 2 pm -4 pm

Cost: Free Age of Participants: Middle & High School Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch

Contact Person: Jennie Samons 859-231-5500 ext. 2435 or <u>isamons@lexpublib.org</u>

Steam Lab Minecraft Camp

Participants will work on computer-based activities to create a variety of items in Minecraft. This program promotes STEAM skills and collaboration. To get the most out of this.

April 3rd & 4th, 2023, 2 pm – 4 pm Lexington Public Library: Central Library Kloiber Foundation STEAM Lab

Contact Person: kfsteamlab@lexpublib.org

Cost: Free

Age of Participants: K- 5th grade, Middle & High School Registration Begins 3/20

Let's Read: Change Sings

Read poet Amanda Gorman's picture book for young people with friends. Then make your own art and poetry

Lexington Public Library: Village Branch Meeting Room

April 3rd, 2023, 3:30 – 4:30 pm

Cost: Free

Age of Participants: K -5th grade

LPL after School

Join us for snacks, STEAM, and enrichment activities Lexington Public Library: Village Branch & Northside Branch

April 3rd – 7th 2023, 4 pm – 6 pm

Cost: Free

Age of Participants: K-5th grade, Middle & High School

Baby Storytime

Enjoy songs, bounce, stories, and social time for babies and their caregivers.

Lexington Public Library: Central Library

April 4th & 6th 2023, 11 am – 11: 30 am

Cost: Free

Age of Participants: (0-18 months)

Destination Kindergarten: Ponds

Preschoolers and their caregivers can participate in a variety of self-directed themed activities to get them on the path to school readiness.

Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch Story Room

April 4^{th &} 6th, 2023, 11 am - 12 pm

Cost: Free

Contact Person: Molly Watson

859-231-5500 or mwatson@lexpublib.org

Age of Participant: Preschool (3-5 years)

Preschool Storytime

Enjoy books, music, movement, and activities that encourage early learning and promote school readiness.

Lexington Public Library: Tates Creek Branch

April 4^{th,} 5th & 6th 2023, 11 am – 11:30 am

Cost: Free

Contact Person: Christy Morrow

859-231-5500 or cmorrow@lexpublib.org

Age of Participants: Preschool 3-5 years

Spring Break Micro: bit Coding Challenge

How many Micro: bit projects can you complete in one hour? Join us in the Digital Studio to find out! Code flashing name tags, a Rock Paper Scissors game, and more.

Great for beginners

April 4th, 2023, 11 am – 12 pm; 2 pm – 3 pm,

Cost: Free

Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch Digital Studio Ages of Participants: Middle & High School Registration begins 3/21

Toddler Storytime

Move, sing, read, and play in this interactive storytime for toddlers and their caregivers.

Lexington Public Library: Beaumont Branch Large Meeting Room, Tates Creek Branch, & Central Library

April 4th & 5th 2023, 11 am – 11:30 am

Cost: Free

Contact Person: Samya Thomas

859-231-5500 or sthomas@lexpublib.org: Christy Morrow - cmorrow@lexpublib.org

Yvonne Hwang - vhwang@lexpublib.org Age of Participants: Toddlers (18 - 36 months)

STEAM Lab Minecraft Camp

Celebrate the release of the new Super Mario Bros. movie with Super Smash Bros. and Mario Cart tournaments, plus a photo opportunity with everyone's favorite Mario characters!

Lexington Public Library: Central Library Kloiber Foundation STEAM Lab

Cost: Free

April 4th & 5th, 2023, 4 pm -6 pm & 2 pm -4 pm Contact Person: kfsteamlab@lexpublib.org Age of Participants: K- 5th grade, Middle & High School

Registration Required: Begins 3/20

Teen Craft -Seed Bombs

Learn about the plants native to our area and make a fun, sustainable craft that can positively impact your own neighborhood. Teens aged 13+ will make seed bombs that they can use to spread local wildflowers while learning about invasive and dangerous plants.

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch

Cost: Free

April 4th, 2023, 3 pm – 5 pm Contact Person: Junpier Myers 859-231-5500 or <u>imvers@lexpublib.org</u>

DIY Sugar Scrub

Join Village staff to learn how to make your own skin-softening sugar scrub, while supplies last. Reservations are recommended, not required.

Lexington Public Library: Village Branch

Cost: Free

April 4th, 2023, 3:30 -4:45 pm

Age of Participants: Middle & High School & families

LPL after School Oculus VR Party

Stop by Northside for a snack, then join us in the Game Room to sample games and experiences on Oculus VR headsets!

Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch

Cost: Free

April 4th, 2023, 4 pm – 6 pm

Contact Person: Jennie Samons 859-231-5500 ext. 2435

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Switch It Up!

From Mario Kart to mancala, join us every week to game!

Lexington Public Library: Tates Creek Branch

Cost: Free

April 4th, 2023, 2 pm -3 pm

Contact Person: Cecilee Salvers

859-231-5500 or csalvers@lexpublib.org

Age of Participants: Middle & High School

Makerspace Open Studio

Teen and adult makers join us for Open Studio in the Makerspace at Eastside. You can use equipment like the 3D printer, Circuit, Large Format Printer, and more. Or bring your own project to work on in the space.

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch Makerspace

Cost: Free

April 5th, 6th 2023, 1 pm -6:30 pm & on April 7th at 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Age of Participants: Middle & High School

Spring Break Spaghetti Engineering Challenge

Test your building skills and see who can construct and the tallest structure using only marshmallows and raw spaghetti noodles. Prizes for the winners!

Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch

Cost: Free

April 5th, 2023, 2 pm – 3 pm

Contact Person: Jennie Samons

859-231-5500 ext. 2435 or jsamons@lexpublib.org

Age of Participants: Middle & High School

Preschool Yoga Storytime

A movement-focused storytime including yoga-based breathing and stretching techniques for wellness, emotional regulation, and body control. Please bring a yoga mat or towel if you have one. Caregivers are invited to practice yoga with their children.

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch Cost: Free April 6th, 11 am – 11:30 am Contact Person: Chrystina Powers

859-231-5500 or cpowers@lexpublib.org

STEAM Lab Drop-In: Boat and Car Designer

Join us in the Kloiber Foundation STEAM Lav to design your own boat or care (While supplies last!)

Lexington Public Library: Central Library Kloiber Foundation STEAM La

Cost: Free

April 6th, 2023, 2 pm – 4 pm

Contact Person: kfsteamlab@lexpublib.org
Age of Participants: Families & Grades 3- 12

Build Your Own Birdfeeder

Kids can express their creativity and get up close with nature by making their own birdfeeder! With just some basic supplies, they can craft an inviting refuge for local feathered friends.

Lexington Public Library: Northside Branch

Cost: Free

April 6th, 2023, 3 pm -4 pm

Age of Participants: Families, K-5th grade, Preschool (3-5 years)

Family Board Games

Kids can express their creativity and get up close to nature by making their own birdfeeder! With just some basic supplies, they can craft an inviting refuge for local feathered friends.

Lexington Public Library: Village Branch

Cost: Free

April 6th, 2023, 3 pm - 5 pm

Age of Participants: Families, Middle & High School

Teen Craft - Rock Painting

Teens and tweens can come to get messy and paint nature scenes onto rocks and learn how they can share them with rock painters and geocachers around the world!

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch

Cost: Free

April 6th, 2023, 3 pm – 5 pm Contact Person: Junpier Myers

859-231-5500 or <u>jmyers@lexpublib.org</u> Age of Participants: Middle & High School

Queer Open Crafting Night

Looking for a safe space to exist around other members of the LGBTQ+ community while working on craft projects new and old? Drop in anytime during the evening and hang out while using materials and tools from home, or learn something new! We'll have sewing machines, embroidery hoops, yarn and more available in our Makerspace

Lexington Public Library: Eastside Branch Makerspace

Cost: Free

April 6th, 2023, 5 pm -6:30 pm Age of Participants: High School & Adults

Preschool Storytime/Horas de cuentos bilingual para preescolares Enjoy books, music, movement, and activities that encourage early learning and promote school readiness. Disfrute de libros, movimiento, musica y actividades que incentivan el aprendizaje temprano y promueven la preparacion para la escuela.

Lexington Public Library: Village Branch

Cost: Free

April 7th, 2023, 11 am -11:30 am Age of Participants: Preschool (3-5 years)

STEAM Lab Drop-In: Galaxy Painting

Join us in the Kloiber Foundation STEAM Lab as we create our own galaxy-inspired paintings.

Lexington Public Library: Central Library Kloiber Foundation STEAM Lab

Cost: Free

April 7th, 2023, 2 pm – 4 pm

Age of Participants: K-5th grade & Middle School

Red Oaks Forest School

Red Oaks aims to connect people to nature through exploration, education, and play. Join us as we explore the wonderful world of birds.

April 6^{th} at Lexington Cemetery 9:30 am - 11:00 am All ages and experience levels are welcome.

No cost.

Contact information:

Tina Brouwer

630-400-2213 or tina@redoaksforestschool.org

PROGRAM FEES: \$100 - more

The Living Arts & Science Center

Location: 362 N. Martin Luther King Blvd. Lexington, KY 40508

Contact Information: Callie Northern Discovery Educator <u>cnorthern@lasclex.org</u> 859-252-5222



Pre-registration required for all spring break classes. https://www.lasclex.org/classescamps

Pre-K through 12th grade students have the opportunity to immerse themselves in an amazing variety of in person classes.

Programs Offered:

Down at the Pond

Spring Break Camp Preschool (ages 3-5 years old) 04/03/2023 - 04/07/2023 | 9:00am - 12:00pm \$200 for members, \$175 non-members

Throw some Dough (Combo Class: Cooking and Ceramics)

Spring Break Camp K-5th grade students 04/03/2023 – 04/07/2023 | 9:00am – 4:00pm \$350 for members, \$365 non-members

Cartooning

Spring Break Camp 6th-12th grade students 04/03/2023 – 04/07/2023 | 9:00am – 4:00pm \$325 for members, \$350 non-members

*A limited number of scholarships are available.

Spring in Bloom Camp at Explorium of Lexington

Explore more during The Explorium Spring Break Camp. Create your own greenhouse, explore spring weather, and learn about spring plants & more!

Dates: April 3-7

Ages: Kindergarten - 5th grade

Cost: \$300/member; \$325/non-member

Location: 440 W. Short Street, Lexington, KY 40507

Contact Information:

Mary Franey

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<u>Upcoming spring 2023 One-Time</u> <u>Events</u>

Equine Careers Tour Series, with the KEEP Foundation and Amplify Horse Racing

Dates: Thursday, March 30, 2023 Hallway Feeds

April 20, 2023 – BCTC Equine May 25, 2023 – Hermitage Farm June 15, 2023 – Keeneland Library

Age: 13-25 Cost: \$10 Register:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/hallway-feeds-careers-with-horses-tour-tickets-

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Location:

251 West Loudon Avenue Lexington, KY 40508

Contact Information: Annise Montplaisir (701)-412-8748 info@amplifyhorseracing.org



Ser tou	applify works with the KEEP Foundation to host the "Careers with Horses Tour ries" from March through October, geared towards students ages 13-25. These are give high school and college students the opportunity to explore various facets the equine industry and the wide variety of careers they could pursue.
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To promote positive youth development and to prevent juvenile delinquency through collaboration and capacity building.

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