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~ Media Advisory ~
Programs for kids, tweens and teens
@ the Springfield Library, March 2-7, 2015

Tween Scene at the Springfield Public Library
Not Your Little Brother's Lego Club

Can you meet the challenge and become a Lego Master? We supply the Legos and the challenge. You supply the engineering. Prizes will be awarded. Join us at the Springfield Public Library on Monday, March 2, 2015 at 4:30pm. It's free and all supplies will be provided. Tweens, ages 9-13, are invited to drop-in, hang-out, have fun and enjoy a snack.

The Library offers a weekly gathering for tweens and/or teens every Monday at 4:30pm. Tween scene is generally held on the first Monday.

What: Tween Scene- Not Your Little Brother's Lego Club, monthly program

When: Monday, March 2, 2015, 4:30-5:30pm

Where: The Springfield Public Library

Additional Information: Contact LuCinda Gustavson at 541.726.2287

PRESCHOOL FUN WITH ART & SCIENCE AT THE SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Everyone talks about the weather, but no one does anything about it. Come learn about all sorts of weird weather. Join us on Thursday, March 5, 2015 at 10:30am in the Springfield Library Meeting Room to enjoy fun stories and songs, and do a science activity. 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. It is for children ages 3-6.

What: Preschool Fun with Art & Science

When: Thursday, March 5, 2015, 10:30-11:15am

Where: Library Meeting Room, Springfield Public Library

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact LuCinda Gustavson at (541) 726-2287

Springfield Library Presents: “Year of Stories”, Featuring Stories from Mexico for All Ages

Go beyond the page with us as Springfield Library features a year of oral storytelling. On Thursday, March 5, 2015 at 4:30pm, *Stories from Mexico!* features Carolina, a student from the International Cultural Service Program at the University of Oregon.

The event is bilingual and for all ages. Held in the library’s story corner.

This program is one of the “Year of Stories” events happening monthly at the Springfield Library in 2015. Storytelling for all ages is in part thanks to a grant from the Lane County Cultural Coalition and the Oregon Cultural Trust.

What: Springfield Library’s “Year of Stories”, *Stories from Mexico!*

When: Thursday, March 5, 2015 at 4:30pm

Where: Springfield Library Story Corner

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact Emily David at (541) 726-3766

Make & Take Art @ the Library: Make Your Own Bunting!

Join us on Friday, March 6, 2015 from 2-3pm in the Library Meeting Room to make decorative bunting – flags of fabric and ribbon. Create decoration for your room, your yard or make it a celebration banner, it will be up to you! This is a great program for all ages, preschoolers (with an adult’s help, of course) all the way through middle school. No registration is required and you can make as many buntings as you would like. See you there!

What: Make & Take @ the Library: Make Your Own Bunting!

When: Friday, March 6, 2015 from 2-3pm

Where: Springfield Library Meeting Room

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact Taylor Worley at (541) 726-3766

**READ IT! A PARENT & TWEEN BOOK CLUB
AT THE SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Connect with your tween through reading and books.

Parents, connect with your 4th through 6th grader at our Read It! Parent/Tween Book Club. We will be meeting Saturday, March 7, 2015 at 2:30pm in the Library Conference Room. This month's book is *Breaking Stalin's Nose* by Eugene Velchin. Set during the Cold War in Soviet Russia, Sasha dreams of the day he can join the Young Soviet Pioneers. But when the day arrives, everything seems to go awry. Pick up a free copy of the book at the library. Read the book together at home and join us for the discussion. It's fun, it's free and everyone gets a copy of next month's book to take home!

What: Read It! A Parent/Tween Book Club

When: Saturday, March 7, 2015 2:30-3:30pm

Where: Library Meeting Room, Springfield Public Library

Who: 4th-6th graders with an adult

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact LuCinda Gustavson at (541) 726-2287