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## March/April Programs at Anythink Commerce City

COMMERCE CITY, Colo.–Feb. 28, 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 Commerce City.

### Special Programming

#### **School's Out Activity Day**

**Monday, Mar. 7, 9:30 am-5:30 pm**

For our School's Out day we will have an origami craft table set up from 11 am-1 pm, and a Bash Brothers Competition with the Wii from 2-4 pm. Open to all ages.

#### **Seed Start Program**

**Saturday, Mar. 19, 10 am-12 pm**

Join us for Seed Start with the Denver Urban Gardens' community gardener Buffy Mumm. This is a great opportunity to learn how to start herbs and vegetables from seed, and get a jump on your garden this season. An assortment of seeds will be provided.

#### **Your Money, Your Life – Mind Your Attitude**

**Thursday, Mar. 24, 3:30-5 pm**

Most of us have beliefs about money, some from our parents, from celebrities, from the media. These attitudes color the way we see money and determine, for good or ill, how we use it. This class will attempt to expose those silent beliefs and show how they play out in our use of money. Appropriate for teens.

#### **Your Money, Your Life – Do You Know Where You're Going?**

**Thursday, Mar. 31, 3:30-5 pm**

Ever get to the end of a week and wonder where your money went? This class is designed so that you never ask yourself that question again by helping you get a handle on your money. We will give you easy tools to help keep track of your spending manage your money. Appropriate for teens.

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### **Family Place Workshop**

**Saturdays, Mar. 26-April 23, 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 stop by or call Anythink Commerce City at 303-287-0063 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.

### **Spring Break Mania**

**Monday through Friday, April 4-8, 1-3 pm**

Enjoy an activity every afternoon during spring break. Bring your fun and friends!

April 4: Paper Plate Crafts

April 5: Wii Competition

April 6: Cool Envelopes

April 7: Bored? Not with Board Games

April 8: Scooby Doo Day

## **Children's/Teen Programs**

### **Family Fun Saturday – Children's Read Week Read-In**

**Saturday, Mar. 19, 9:30-11 am**

This month, Family Fun Saturday highlights Children's Read Week. We will provide breakfast and books and give parents a chance to read to their kids, or vice versa.

**Saturday, April 16, 9:30 am-5:30 pm**

In April, we will celebrate AnimeCon with families. We will play anime movies all day long, have a drawing class and other activities.

### **Baby Bounce**

**Wednesdays, 9:30-10 am**

Share time with your little one at your local Anythink with songs, rhymes, and stories for babies and their caregivers. Appropriate for ages birth-23 months.

### **Toddler Tales**

**Mondays, 10 am**

Spend time with your toddler listening to stories, songs, and finger plays geared just for them. Appropriate for kids ages 2-3.

### **Primetime for Preschoolers**

**Wednesdays, 10:30 am**

Enjoy stories, finger plays, songs, and other fun activities just for preschoolers. Appropriate for ages 3-5.

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### **Children's After School Program**

#### **Tuesdays, 4:30-5:30 pm**

Enjoy learning, crafts and fun at Anythink Commerce City's after school program.

Mar. 1: Collages

Mar. 8: Read-a-Loud Funny Stories

Mar. 15: Make Modern Art with Food!

Mar. 22: Coloring Day

Mar. 29: Musical Instruments

April 5: Wii

April 12: Clothes Pin Critters

April 19: Games (Board or Outdoor, depending on weather)

April 26: Greeting Card Autograph Books

### **Teen After School Program**

#### **Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 pm**

Talk, laugh, and create cool crafts with other teens at Anythink Commerce City's after school program.

Mar. 2: TAB Meeting

Mar. 9: Reading and Writing Workshop

Mar. 16: Make Modern Art with Food!

Mar. 23: Teen Crafternoon – Simple Book Purses

Mar. 30: Wii Gameday

April 6: TAB Meeting

April 13: Reading and Writing Workshop

April 20: Wii

April 27: Create your own Stationary

### **Thursday Crafternoons**

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays, 4-5:30 pm**

On the second and fourth Thursdays of the month, we will be hosting a general Crafternoon for all ages. Teens, tweens, families and children are welcome to create with assorted crafting supplies.

Mar. 10: Sparkling Shapes Mobile

Mar. 24: Colleges

April 14: Clothes Pin Crafts

April 28: Clothes Pin Crafts

*All programs are free and open to the public, unless otherwise stated. For more information, please contact Anythink Commerce City at 303-287-0063; 7185 Monaco Street, Commerce City, CO 80022; or visit [anythinklibraries.org](http://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](http://anythinklibraries.org).

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