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September Programs at Anythink Wright Farms

THORNTON, Colo.–Aug. 24, 2010–Anythink Wright Farms offers fabulous programs for individuals of all ages. This fall's theme at Wright Farms is food. Also this month, the Rangeview Library Friends Foundation hosts its first fundraising party, Sparkopolis, at Anythink Wright Farms. For tickets or more information, visit anythinklibraries.org/sparkopolis.

Special Programs

Cook Off!
Thursday, Sept. 2, 6-7:30 pm
Show off your virtual cooking prowess to your peers with the Wii game "Cooking Mama Cook Off." While you're watching your friends virtually cook, snack on some light refreshments that will be provided.

Sparkopolis
Saturday, Sept. 11, 6-10 pm
You've heard the buzz – don't miss Sparkopolis, Colorado's premier interactive art party of the year. Light painting, amazing local cuisine creations by molecular gastronomist Chef Ian Kleinman, "My Creative Statements" wall, invent your own cocktails, mingle with the region's leading installation artists and find out what makes them tick. Delicious Django Reinhardt jazz all night long by the Gypsy Swing Revue. Benefits collaborative permanent art installations at all seven Anythink libraries in Colorado. Purchase tickets online at anythinklibraries.org/sparkopolis.

Don't Know Much About… Zucchini
Thursday, Sept. 30, 6:30 pm
Join us as we explore a different topic from our nonfiction collection each month. Through demonstration and presentations, participants will learn something new to spark their curiosity. In Sept.ember, learn about zucchini and take home some simple, delicious recipes for that nutritious bumper crop.

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To Convert or Not to Convert? That is the Question
Wednesday Sept. 22, 6:30 pm
ROTH conversions are a hot topic due to new regulations that have taken effect this year. Learn about the new regulations and the pros and cons of converting. Does it make sense for you to convert? Presented by Kim Schell from Waddell & Reed, Inc., member SPIC.

Children's Programs

Anythink Afternoons for Kids
Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 pm
Each week we will tie into our fall theme of "food" with these afternoon programs for school-aged kids. Food substitutions for allergies cannot be made at this time.

Sept. 2 **Incredible Edible Crafts** – Sushi made with fruit rolls? Ice cream sundaes made without any ice cream? Will you be able to make it out the door before eating your delicious creations? We will run this program twice this month. Please choose one session to allow the most number of kids to enjoy it. Appropriate for 1st-3rd graders.

Sept. 9 **Incredible Edible Crafts –** Sushi made with fruit rolls? Sundaes without ice cream? Please join us for some eye-fooling, mouth-pleasing crafts. Appropriate for 4th-6th graders.

Sept. 16 **Food Prints –** You say "potato," I say "awesome biodegradable stamp perfect for creating custom wrapping paper." Join us to mix food, paper, and paint for some very creative results. Appropriate for 1st-3rd graders.

Sept. 23 **Cookie Extravaganza –** We don't have ovens, but that doesn't stop us from teaching you how to make no-bake cookies**.** Try your hand at decorating, mixing, and taking home treats to tempt your whole family. Appropriate for 4th-6th graders.

Sept. 30 **Incredible Edible Crafts Encore -** Missed our first session of Incredible Edible Crafts? Join us for some eye-fooling, mouth-pleasing crafts. Sushi never tasted so good. Appropriate for 1st-3rd graders.

Baby Story Time
Mondays, 10-10:20 am
A lapsit story time for children under 3 years of age who cannot walk yet. Space is limited; registration is required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Music and Movement
Mondays, 10:30-11 am
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 3-6. Space is limited; registration is required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

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Toddler Story Time
Tuesdays, 10-10:20 am
A lapsit story time for children under 3 years of age who can walk. Space is limited; registration is required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Prime Time for Preschoolers
Tuesdays, 10:30-11 am
This is a special story time for children ages 3-5 and their caretakers. We'll have stories, fingerplays, songs, and other fun activities. Space is limited; registration is required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Family Story Times
Wednesdays, 6-6:30 pm & Saturdays, Sept.. 4 & 25, 10 am
Have lots of fun with rhymes and stories for the whole family. Open to all ages.

Teen Programs

Teen Book Club
Tuesday, Sept. 7, 4-5 pm
Hang out with other teens and discuss this month's book, *Hunger Games,* by Suzanne Collins. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Movie Night
Thursday, Sept. 9, 6-7:30 pm
Sit down at the library with some popcorn and soda pop to enjoy a movie at Anythink. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Teen Advisory Board
Tuesday, Sept..14, 4-5 pm
What types of teen programming would you like to see at your local Anythink? Come and voice your opinion about the library. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Teen Games
Thursday, Sept.. 16 &30, 6-7:30 pm
Wii, Xbox, board games and more. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Scratch a Game
Thursday, Sept. 23, 6-7:30 pm
Learn how to create a virtual story or video game. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

Tween Time
Mondays, 3-6 pm
Begin each week with a fun and enriching activity just for tweens. Appropriate for students grades 6-8.

Teen Time
Tuesdays, 4-6 pm
Something different each week for teens. Teen Advisory Board, book clubs, and other fun activities. Appropriate for students grades 6-12.

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Adult Programs

Complete Crafts
Wednesday, Sept. 8, 6-8 pm
Needlework? Scrapbooking? Whatever your craft and whatever your level of expertise, bring your unfinished projects and join others in your community to learn tips and tricks and finally get that project completed.

Wright Farms Readers - AM
Tuesday Sept. 21, 9:30 am
Please join us to discuss this month's book. Refreshments will be served. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Wright Farms Readers - PM
Wednesday, Sept. 15, 7 pm
Please join us to discuss this month's book. Refreshments will be served. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Beginning Genealogy Online
Thursday Sept. 23, 6:30 pm
Have you always wanted to explore your family history but don't know where to begin? This class will provide helpful tips, resources and presentations to help you with your research. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Tech Programs

Your Virtual Recipe Box
Tuesday, Sept. 7, 7 pm
Looking for new recipes or a new way to organize them? Discover the vast online resources and tools of Allrecipes and Epicurious. Participants will be introduced to these websites and learn how to set up and collect recipes in a virtual recipe box. Email account is required for account setup. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Connect!: Twitter 101
Wednesday, Sept. 8, 10 am
Ever wonder what a "tweet" is? Come find out as we explore the world of Twitter. Twitter allows you to get instant updates from news sources, sports stars, and friends as well as provides a forum to share your own thoughts. Participants will learn how to set up a Twitter account, edit their profile and settings, and build a network of fellow tweeters. Basic Internet skills and email account are required. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Will Blog For Food
Tuesday, Sept. 14, 7 pm
Blogs are a dime a dozen, so let us introduce you to some of the best national and local food blogs covering everything from food news, recipes, and restaurant reviews. Feel free to bring your favorite food blog suggestions to share with other participants. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Yelp!
Tuesday, Sept. 21, 7 pm
Need a restaurant recommendation? Look no further than Yelp, an online community of people who rate and review local services including over 1,700 restaurants in the Denver area. Join the fun by contributing your own opinions and experiences. Participants will be introduced to Yelp and its services and learn how to create their own account. Email address is required for account setup. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Connect!: Facebook 101
Wednesday, Sept. 29, 10 am
Become one of the more than 400 million Facebook users. Connect with friends, family, and classmates around the world. Share photos, send messages, and even play games. Participants will learn how to set up a Facebook account, create a profile, manage privacy settings, and build their social network. Basic internet skills and email account are required. 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 Wright Farms at 303-405-3200; visit the library at 5877 E. 120th Ave., Thornton, CO 80602; 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 six Anythink libraries and Anythink in Motion – the district's mobile library. Construction and renovations are underway on three existing libraries, all scheduled to open in 2010-2011. For more information, go to anythinklibraries.org.

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