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## September Programs at Anythink Brighton

BRIGHTON, Colo.—August 26, 2010—Learn, play and explore during Anythink Brighton's programs for all ages in September. 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](http://anythinklibraries.org/sparkopolis).

### Special Events

#### Eco Fair

**Saturday, September 25, 11 am-5 pm**

Learn about the state of the environment, energy conservation, alternative energy and environmental resources through film, art, music, and speakers.

### Children's Programs

#### Toddler Story Time

**Mondays, 9:30 am**

A lapsit story time for children under 3 years of age who can walk. Time for parents to visit and toddlers to play with toys after the stories, finger plays, and songs. Space is limited; registration is required. Visit our online calendar to register.

#### Music & Movement

**Mondays, 10:30 am and Thursdays, 2 pm**

Sing, dance, play games and learn how to play some basic instruments. Parents and siblings are welcome. Appropriate for ages 3-6. Space is limited; registration is required. Visit our online calendar to register.

#### Preschool Story Time

**Tuesdays, 2 pm and Wednesdays, 10:30 am**

Enjoy a new theme every week with stories, music and activities. Appropriate for ages 3-6. Space is limited; registration is required. Visit our online calendar to register.

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### **Afterschool Get-Together**

#### **Tuesdays, 4 pm**

A new activity every week for elementary school children. We'll have crafts, games, the Wii, and a chance to hang out with your friends.

### **Baby Story Time**

#### **Wednesdays, 9:30 am**

A lapsit story time for babies who cannot walk. Time for parents to visit and toddlers to play with toys after the stories, finger plays, and songs. Space is limited; registration is required. Visit our online calendar to register.

## **Teen Programs**

### **Teen Arts and Crafts**

#### **Wednesday, September 1, 15 & 29, 3:30-5:30 pm**

Every week there is something different: paints, crafting clay, beading, duct tape. Stop in and join us in making something fun. For teens and tweens, grades 6 and up.

### **What's the Big Idea? –Rock & Roll**

#### **Wednesday, September 8, 4-6 pm**

Teen discussion group that will cover various topics of interest, historical facts and fictions, myths and mysteries. Books, music, slide shows and movie clips will be featured. Snacks too. This month we'll focus on rock & roll. For teens, grades 9-12.

### **Teen Film Club**

#### **Wednesday, September 22, 4-6 pm**

Watch a famous film or a popular favorite. Includes a short discussion of the film and popcorn. For teens, grades 9-12.

### **Young Writers Workshop**

#### **Thursday, September 23, 4-5 pm**

Use this time to share, critique and fine-tune your writing skills. Short stories, essays, school work, poetry, 'zines or the Great American Novel, it's up to your imagination. For teens and tweens, grades 6 and up.

### **Teen Advisory Council/Book Club**

#### **Thursday, September 30, 4-5 pm**

Help us decide on upcoming programming for the library and pick out a good read for the coming month. For teens and tweens, grades 6 and up.

### **Teen Gaming**

#### **Mondays, 3:30-5:30 pm**

Play a variety of video games on our Wii and Xbox, or challenge your friends at a board game. For teens and tweens, grades 6 and up.

### **Role-playing Games**

#### **Tuesdays, 4-6 pm**

Step back from the computer and put down that Xbox controller. Experience games of adventure with just your imagination and a handful of dice. For teens, grades 9-12.

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## Adult Programs

### **Brighton Writer's Circle**

**Tuesdays, 10 am & Monday, September 13, 6 pm**

Meet with fellow writers (active or aspiring) to talk about your work, get ideas, or just find out what they are writing about. Be inspired!

### **Rowdy Readers Book Club**

**Second Wednesday of the month, 10 am**

Next month's selection can be picked up at the library so that you can read it before the meeting. Some titles are available in large print and audio formats too.

September 8: *The Lost Painting* by Jonathan Harr

### **Brighton Genealogical Society**

**Monday, September 13, 6:30 pm**

Come to the monthly meeting of the Brighton Genealogical society. If you have always wanted to learn more about your family, this is a great place to start.

### **Brighton Booklovers**

**Third Wednesday of the month, 10 am**

A new book club, the Brighton Booklovers will discuss our third book. Now is a great time to join! Next month's book is available at the library, just ask at the desk.

September 15: *Interred With Their Bones* by Jennifer Lee Carrell

### **Scrapbooking**

**Saturday, September 18, 10 am**

Bring in your old family photos and finally take the time to make that scrapbook you've been putting off. The scrapbooking room opens at 10 am and closes at 1:30 pm, but you can show up any time during those open hours. Bring your own supplies or use ours.

### **Wii for Grown-Ups**

**Monday, September 20, 6:30 pm**

Try out the Nintendo Wii in a grown-ups only gaming party. Play in a rock band, bowl against others, and play tennis. Find out what all the hype is about.

## Computer Classes

### **Google Maps**

**Thursday, September 2, 10 am**

Learn the ins and outs of Google's mapping website. Get directions and traffic updates, find locations, and walk down your own street using Google Street View.

### **Car Help Online**

**Tuesday, September 7, 7-8 pm**

Learn how to use some great online resources for car repair, maintenance schedules, recalls and value.

### **Basic Computer Skills**

**Tuesday, September 14, 7-8 pm & Thursday, September 16, 10-11 am**

Learn how to use a mouse, a keyboard, scroll bars, and the Internet -- all the skills that will get you ready to use the library's computers on your own.

### **Job Searching Online**

**Tuesday, September 21, 7-8 pm & Thursday, September 23, 10-11 am**

Take a tour of Anythink's new online job center. We'll look at websites where you can search for jobs, get résumé and interview tips, and find out about switching to a new career.

### **Book Lovers Online**

**Tuesday, September 28, 7-8 pm & Thursday, September 30, 10-11 am**

Learn about Goodreads, a free website for people who love books. You can keep track of the books you've read and those you want to read, check out reviews and recommendations from your friends, and create your own reading lists.

*All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call Anythink Brighton at 303-659-2572; visit the branch at 327 E. Bridge Street, Brighton, CO 80601; or go to <http://www.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, scheduled to open in 2010-2011. For more information, go to [anythinklibraries.org](http://anythinklibraries.org).

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