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August Programs at Anythink Brighton

BRIGHTON, Colo.—August 10, 2012— Learn, create and explore this August at Anythink Brighton.

Children's Programs

After-School Get-Together

Wednesdays, Aug. 22 & 29, 2:30-4:30 pm

Create, play, and socialize at the various activities we have planned. Appropriate for elementary-school-age children.

Teen Programs

Wednesday Works

Wednesdays, Aug. 22 & 29, 2:30 pm

Do something different every Wednesday! Come by and create something fun with others. Grades 6-12 welcome.

- **Aug. 22**—*Video Games*—Play the Nintendo Wii or the Xbox Kinect.
- **Aug. 29**—*Fudge*—Learn how to cook chocolaty goodness that you'll be able to eat!

Adult Programs

Go Green DIY: Tote Bags

Wednesday, Aug. 1, 10-11 am

Decorate a canvas tote bag. Perfect for gift bags, carrying groceries or your library books! Supplies provided. Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

Rowdy Readers Book Club

Wednesday, Aug. 8, 10-11 am

Come discuss *The Cowboy and His Elephant* by Malcolm MacPherson.

DIY Food: Smoothies

Tuesday, Aug. 14, 6:30-7:30 pm

Make tasty (and healthy) smoothies, and enjoy recipes to make at home! Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

Brighton Book Lovers

Wednesday, Aug. 15, 10-11 am

Join us for a lively discussion of *Guns, Germs and Steel* by Jared Diamond.

DIY Craft: Felted Beads

Wednesday, Aug. 22, 10-11:30 am

Design lightweight beads with needle felting and colorful roving for jewelry or clothing accessories. Supplies provided. Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

Green Card and Permanent Residence Preparation

Tuesday, Aug. 28, 6:30-7:30 pm

Kate M. Syfert, community relations officer for US Citizenship and Immigration Services, will talk about permanent residence requirements and the application process.

DIY Craft: Tie Dye Scarves

Wednesday, Aug. 29, 10-11:30 am

Create a colorful scarf using tie dye or painting techniques. Supplies provided. Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

Tech Classes

Nook, Kindle & Tablet

Thursday, Aug. 2, 7-8 pm

Still working with your Nook, Kindle or Tablet? Come learn how to use your library resources with your Nook or Kindle. See the difference between an e-reader and a tablet. Please bring your device and cord so we can practice downloading books. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Basic Computers

Tuesday, Aug. 7, 10-11 am

Delve into computers, including how to turn it on and operate a mouse and keyboard. Learn about browsers, files and programs, and get comfortable with the daily operation of a computer. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Pictures in Picasa

Thursday, Aug. 9, 7-8 pm

Working with Picasa on your computer and wanting to learn more? See how to edit your photos and share them with your family. Add tags, create albums, and organize your pictures to make them easy to print and share. Bring a flash drive and pictures to begin working photos. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Sign Up for an Email Address

Tuesday, Aug. 14, 10 am-11am

If you're done with filling out forms by hand, here's your chance to get an email address and create a secure password. Learn how to send and receive emails while attaching documents. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Intermediate Microsoft Word 2010

Thursday, Aug. 16, 7-8 pm

Continue with Microsoft Word as you see some of the neat things you can do, such as modifying documents and importing information into Word. See how to manipulate tables and pictures while working with documents. This class requires some previous knowledge of Word. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Basic Computers 2

Tuesday, Aug. 21, 10-11 am

Keep working on the basics of computers. Get an email and learn more about the Internet. Learn about browsers, files, flash drives and programs, and get comfortable with the daily operation of a computer. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Start a Blog

Thursday, Aug. 23, 7-8 pm

Want to get your voice out on the Internet? Come see how to create a blog with Tumblr or Blogger. These are easy ways to create a blogs and have fun on the Internet. Registration using our online calendar suggested, but not required.

Open Computer Lab

Tuesday, Aug. 28, 10-11 am

Here's your chance to get one-on-one help on a computer from a tech guide. Come and talk about email, resumés, Internet-searching, e-readers or any tech question. All ages are welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

Connect with Skype

Thursday, Aug. 30, 7-8 pm

Wondering how Skype works? Come see how you can talk to people over the Internet with a microphone on your computer or an application on your phone. Please bring a microphone if you want to practice. Space is limited; registration required. Please register using our online calendar.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call Anythink Brighton at 303-405-3230; visit the branch at 327 E. Bridge St., 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 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. For more information, go to anythinklibraries.org.

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