April Programs at Anythink Commerce City

COMMERCE CITY, Colo.–April 6, 2012–The colors are in bloom all around your neighborhood – it’s time to celebrate spring at your local Anythink with bright, colorful activities for everyone.

Special Programs

**Spring Fling Clean**
**Saturday, April 7, 8-11 am**
Join us as we work together for our first 2012 community garden workday. Gardeners, their families and any volunteers are welcome to come and help in the community garden. We’ll prep soil, plant seeds, build our new compost bend, clean common areas, meet new gardener enthusiasts and have fun!

**Garden Workshop**
**Saturday, April 14, 9 am-12 pm**
The master community gardeners from Denver Urban Gardens will conduct a beginner's organic workshop. They will teach the best tricks, tips and techniques unique to Colorado-grown plants while answering any questions.

Children’s Programs

**Baby Bounce**
**Mondays, 10-10:30 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. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

**Cozy Dozy Family Storytime**
**Tuesdays, 6:30-7 pm**
Join us at the Library for Family bedtime stories. Kids are welcome to come in pjs and with their favorite stuffed animals, and listen to stories right before bedtime. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.
Toddler Tales
Wednesdays except April 4, 2:30-3 pm
Spend time with your toddler listening to stories, songs and finger plays geared just for them. Appropriate for kids ages 2-3. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Bingo for Books
April 19, 4-5:30 pm
We’re hosting Bingo for Books for all ages. Teens, tweens, families and children are welcome to join in the Bingo fun, with books for prizes!

Thursday Crafternoons
April 12 & 26, 4-5:30 pm
On the second and fourth Thursdays of the month we’ll host a general Crafternoon for all ages. Teens, tweens, families and children are welcome to create with assorted crafting supplies.

Two Ways to Say Storytime!
Thursdays, 6:30-7 pm
Join us at the library for a bilingual storytime. Every Thursday we’ll be hosting a bilingual storytime for children and their parents. Come on down and enjoy stories in both English and Spanish.

Family Programs
Tales to Tails
Saturday, April 14, 10-12 pm
Come and read to our special listening dogs – they love a good story! Our dogs come from the Denver Pet Partners and are specially trained. This is for children ages 6-12, and is an especially good experience for reluctant readers or children who are afraid of dogs. Space is limited, so please register at the front desk.

Family Fun Saturday: Earth Day
Saturday, April 21, 1-3 pm
Come and celebrate Earth Day! Enjoying nature is easy when you get to take a little bit of it inside with you. In that spirit, we’ll get our hands dirty by creating a terrarium.

Spring Break
April 2-7, 1-3 pm, unless specified
Come and join the fun at Anythink on your spring break. We’ll be having a different activity every day.

- April 2: You scream, I scream, we all scream for ice cream!
- April 3: Come and check out your ambidexterity with our cup stackers.
- April 4: Get all your energy out and have fun with Jump Bunch from 2-3 pm. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.
- April 5: Try your luck at Bingo for Books.

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April 7: Scooby Dooby Doo, where are you? Well, today you make a visit here! Come enjoy a retrospective of his career and, of course, Scooby Snacks will be available.

Teen Programs

Slam Café
Wednesday, April 4, 11:30 am-1:30 pm
Calling all artists! Come and share your creations at the library. You provide the content and we provide the space. The Slam Café allows you to present poetry, short stories, photographs, artwork, film and even music. You don’t need to present to come and enjoy, so come and support a friend. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Creation Space
Wednesday, April 11, 3:30-5 pm
Do you draw? Like to write? Making a film? If the answer is yes to any of these questions, then the Creation Space is the place for you. We provide a quiet space to create – no grades and no judgment. Share if you wish, or keep your work to yourself. Any way is good. So please stop by and join the fun.

Primp for Prom
Saturday, April 28, 1-3 pm
Looking forward to a magical night? The Aveda Institute and Sephora cosmetics have decided to lend a hand. We’ll raffle off free makeovers and makeup bags on the day of prom. All you need to enter is your library card. Please register at the front desk.

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 St., Commerce City, CO 80022; or visit 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.