

Pick up a Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt at any Louisville Free Public Library Branch

Wear your Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt to participate in these **FREE EVENTS**

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If your child turns 5 on or before Aug. 1, 2017, it's time for



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR SUMMER 2017

June 8	7:15 – 7:45	Kentucky Shakespeare C. Douglass Ramey Amphitheater, Central Park, Old Louisville	Wear your Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt and participate in Bard Buddies , an interactive performance where the kids act out <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> with help from one of our professional actors. Before the 8:00 p.m. performance of <i>Much Ado About Nothing</i> .
June 10	10:00 – 11:00	StageOne Storytellers at the Main Library , 301 York St.	Costumed storytellers bring your favorite stories to life! FREE performance. After the performance, stick around for fun activities for the whole family!
June 10	11:00 – 3:00	Frazier History Museum 829 West Main Street, 753-1045	Join us for a day of fun and hands-on learning at our Explorers and Trailblazers themed Second Saturday Family Day . Come blaze your own trail as you laugh and learn through special objects, games, crafts and our great live performances. FREE to rising kindergarteners and one adult chaperone. Additional tickets may be purchased for other family members and/or for admission to temporary exhibit.
June 11	11:00 – 4:00	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Kindergarten Countdown day at KY Science Center with hands-on activities . FREE to rising Kindergartner and one adult chaperone.
June 13	5:30 – 8:00	YMCA Northeast Calypso Cove 9400 Mill Brook Road, 425-1271	FREE Family Swim, Last Names: A-M . Enjoy the water park! You can enroll in the Childcare Enrichment Program (CEP) before and after school care and pay no registration fee during the event. For this event only, all immediate family members get in free (make-up rain date is June 27, 5:30 – 8:00).
June 15	5:00 - 7:00	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	FREE Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.
June 15	6:30 – 7:30	Louisville Free Public Library @ Iroquois Library 601 W. Woodlawn Ave., 574-1720	A FREE family storytime focusing on kindergarten readiness skills

June 20	5:30 – 8:00	YMCA Northeast Calypso Cove 9400 Mill Brook Road, 425-1271	FREE Family Swim, Last Names: N-Z . Enjoy the water park! You can enroll in the Childcare Enrichment Program (CEP) before and after school care and pay no registration fee during the event. For this event only, all immediate family members get in free (make-up rain date is June 27, 5:30 – 8:00).
June 23	1:00 – 2:00	Commonwealth Theatre Center 1123 Payne Street, 40204 To reserve, contact Commonwealth Theatre Center, boxoffice@commonwealththeatre.org	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland based on the book by Lewis Carroll and dramatized by Diana Grisanti: Take a trip down the rabbit hole with Alice as she meets a bizarre cast of characters and comes face to face with a belligerent queen—performed by youth in the three-week Summer Academy program. Each rising Kindergartner + 1 adult receive complimentary tickets. Additional tickets \$5 ea.
June 24	9:00 – 12:00	Kentucky Derby Museum 704 Central Avenue, 637-1111	Activities focus on the importance of responsibilities in home pet care . We use Thoroughbreds as an example in an interactive program. FREE admission for 1 adult and child, when the child wears a Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt. Additional tickets may be purchased.
June 24	10:00 – 1:00	Passport Supports Kindergarten Readiness Event @ Main Library, 301 York Street	Come learn the importance of healthy eating, regular exercise and the skills that prepare your child to learn and grow. There will be entertainment, fun activities and healthy snacks . FREE event for the family.
July 7	10:00 – 5:00	Louisville Zoo 1100 Trevilian Way, 459-2181	FREE admission for 1 adult and child, when the child wears a Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt. Special games & activities around the zoo focusing on Kindergarten readiness . Additional tickets may be purchased.
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July/Aug.	Various dates/times	Louisville Free Public Library Branches	FREE Storytime focused on getting ready to start school . Consult www.lfpl.org for list of dates, times, locations.
Aug. 2	5:30 – 7:00	Slugger Field 401 East Main St.	Kindergarten Countdown Celebration , with FREE ticket to the Louisville Bats baseball game that evening for the kindergarten student and one adult.
Aug. 12	10:00 – 11:00	StageOne Storytellers at the Main Library , 301 York St.	Costumed storytellers bring your favorite stories to life! FREE performance. After the performance, stick around for fun activities for the whole family!
Aug. 16	9:00 a.m.	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR ALL JCPS KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS	If you are attending a faith based or private school, check with your school on start date & time



Look for more great Kindergarten Countdown events coming in 2017. Visit www.LPFL.org to see the Kindergarten Countdown calendar.