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Bud Billiken 2017: Save the Date!



Mark your calendars on August 12 for the 88th Annual Bud Billiken Parade! If you are interested in volunteering or walking with CPS in the parade, please email parentuniversity@cps.edu with your name, email address and phone number.

For more information on the Bud Billiken Parade, please visit <https://www.budbillikenparade.org/>.

CPS LunchStop Program



CPS LunchStop summer meal program will provide free lunch to children ages 1-18 at 96 outdoor community sites throughout Chicago. This will launch June 26 and end August 25 from 10:30 a.m - 12:30 p.m. The CPS LunchStop Program serves free, healthy meals in a fun and familiar environment to help make nutritious meals more accessible to students and the community during the summer.

To find a location, go to CPS.edu/SummerMealsMap and click "LunchStop" (Note: the map feature includes both LunchStops and "indoor locations" that host summer programs, including summer school. Indoor locations only provide lunches to children participating in those programs, but all children are eligible to receive meals at LunchStop locations.)

Parents and students can also call the Illinois Hunger Hotline at (800) 359-2163 or text FOODIL to 877877.

Community Book Distribution Days at Chicago Public Library

CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY

Children of all ages are invited to sign up for the Summer Learning Challenge and pick 12 free books to take home and keep, courtesy of Bernie's Book Bank. Books are available to all Summer Learning Challenge participants, so if you haven't already registered, sign-up at an event near you!

Visit goo.gl/jC8Pw1 for a list of upcoming events.

Family University @ the Bronzeville Parent University



Family University has free summer programming that will include the arts, robotics, sports, games and much more. The program will be held at the Bronzeville Parent University campus within Dyett HS (555 E. 51 St.) and will run between 10am - 2pm from July 11th to August 3rd. There will also be a light breakfast and lunch served daily.

If you are interested in registering or would like more information please contact Kisalan Glover at KGlover12@CPS.edu.

Summer Programming for High School Students



SustainableXDesign: Design Challenge 2017 with the Chicago Architecture Foundation July 16 - August 4, 2017, 9:00-3:00pm, Grades 9-12

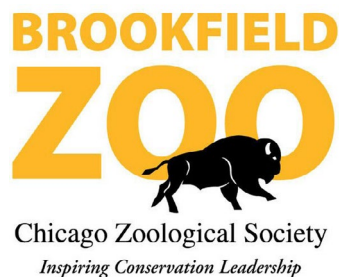
Apply at:

http://www.ctd.northwestern.edu/courses?search_api_views_fulltext=SustainableXDesign.

The NxtGen High School Summer Program, offered by the School of Applied Technology at Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT), is for high school students who are interested in learning more about Information Technology (IT), computing and next generation technologies.

For more information, visit: <http://appliedtech.iit.edu/nxtgen>.

Chicagoland Museums



Free Museum Passes: At Chicago Public Library locations, free passes are available for 17 Chicagoland museums.

Click the museum name to see if a pass is available to check out:

<https://www.chipublib.org/faqs/what-museums-can-i-get-passes-for/>.

Brookfield Zoo Summer Nights: Enjoy cooler evening weather, enhanced dining, live music, roaming performers, kid entertainment, and a new laser light show, all surrounded by wildlife and nature. Summer Nights are Fridays and Saturdays, June 16 to August 12 (4-9 p.m.). FREE for Zoo Members!

For more information, visit:

<https://www.czs.org/Brookfield-ZOO/Events/Upcoming-Events/Summer-Nights>.