## Valley Park Summer Programs 970 Paramount Dr - 905 573-3141

**Reading Buddies** 

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Study Table Area Thursday, July 04: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, July 08: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, July 11: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, July 15: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, July 18: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, July 22: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, July 25: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, July 29: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, August 01: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, August 05: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, August 08: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, August 12: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, August 15: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Monday, August 19: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Thursday, August 22: 2:00pm - 3:00pm AGE GROUP: 8-12 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, READING & LEARNING Children age 6-12 practice their reading skills with a volunteer Reading Buddy. Please contact the library to register for this event

# LEGO Mania

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Children's Department Saturday, July 06: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, July 13: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, July 20: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, August 03: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, August 10: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, August 17: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, August 24: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Saturday, August 31: 2:00pm - 4:00pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: GAMES Build, imagine and play with LEGO.

Mounted Police Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Children's Department Tuesday, July 09: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, READING & LEARNING A visit from one of Hamilton's mounted police officers and their four-legged partner.

# LONE Rhubarbarian & Gwen Harper

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Children's Department Tuesday, July 16: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, ARTS & CULTURE A musical concert by two well-loved performers.

# **Optical Illusions**

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Study Table Area Wednesday, July 17: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 8-12 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: GENERAL INTEREST Learn about the science behind optical illusions and recreate three classic illusions of your own: the Thaumatrope, the Mobius strip and the Rainbow Spinner!

#### Learn to Knit

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Study Table Area Tuesday, August 06: 10:30am - 12:00pm Tuesday, August 13: 10:30am - 12:00pm Tuesday, August 20: 10:30am - 12:00pm Tuesday, August 27: 10:30am - 12:00pm AGE GROUP: 8-12 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: HOBBIES Knitting for beginners. Register

# Explore the Animal World

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Children's Department Wednesday, August 07: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, READING & LEARNING Learn about animals around the globe and in your backyard.

## Fire Department

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Children's Department Tuesday, August 13: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, READING & LEARNING Get an up-close look at firefighter gear and their big red truck.

## **Community Food Advisors**

Valley Park Branch - Valley Park - Study Table Area Wednesday, August 21: 2:30pm - 3:30pm AGE GROUP: 4-8 YEARS EVENTS TYPE: SUMMER READING CLUB, READING & LEARNING Make healthy food in a fun way. Register