

***We Tell Stories'* Theatrical Summer Residency at Culver City Julian Dixon Library**

We Tell Stories, LA's acclaimed children's storytelling theatre company, celebrates the County of Los Angeles Public Library's Summer Discovery Program, "***Reading by Design***" with 7 different performances reflecting the folklore of various countries and cultures at the Culver City Julian Dixon Library. Shows are interactive, multi-cultural, and educational, blending laughter and literacy together for fun-filled afternoons for parents and children alike.

The Culver City Julian Dixon Library is located at 4975 Overland Avenue, Culver City 90230, phone # 310-559-1676. Performances take place in the Meeting Room every Wednesday at 2 pm from June 21st through August 2nd and are 45-minutes long. Admission is free.

"Reading by Design" Performance Schedule

- **Wednesday, June 21st at 2 pm**
 - "**Literary Design**" - Stories by Lewis Carroll, James Thurber, and Howard Pyle.
- **Wednesday, June 28th at 2 pm**
 - "**Design of the Earth**" - Stories from ancient cultures about our relationship to the earth.
- **Wednesday, July 5th at 2 pm**
 - "**Eastern Design**" - Stories from China, Japan, and India.
- **Wednesday, July 12th at 2 pm**
 - "**Poetic Design**" - Looking at poetry through the eyes of Lewis Carroll, E.E. Cummings, and Margaret Mahy.
- **Wednesday, July 19th at 2 pm**
 - "**What is Your Design?**" - Stories of self-esteem from Mexico, Iran, and Africa.
- **Wednesday, July 26th at 2 pm**
 - "**Design of La Familia**" - Folktales about the family from south of the border.
- **Wednesday, August 2nd at 2 pm**
 - "**From Africa by Design**" - African and African American folktales.

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