

# Cambridge Council on Aging Presents Bilingual Fun Storytelling Series

This is a fun way to learn about the main civilizations and cultures in the Americas. Through the stories, the audience will travel the continent in a series that includes different regions and traditions. This program is designed for those who practice Spanish or for those who want to learn.

**Thursday, April 11 from 1:00-2:00 for a celebration of Earth's month**

The Mother Mount legend

La Leyenda de la Madre Monte

La Leyenda de la Madre Monte It is a story deeply rooted in the oral tradition of the Colombian Amazon and part of the eastern plains. Madre Monte is commonly represented as a beautiful and strong woman, half woman and half mountain; dressed in leaves and green moss, whose face cannot be seen. She is the protector of Nature.



**Thursday, May 9 from 1:00-2:00 for a celebration of Mexican-American culture**



The Real Cinco de Mayo Story

La Verdadera Historia del Cinco de Mayo

Cinco de Mayo! Is this the date when Mexico celebrates independence? Learn the true history behind the often-misunderstood holiday... What does Cinco de Mayo mean to Mexicans and to the US? When did the celebration start?

**Thursday, July 18 from 1:00-2:00 for Summer celebration**

Song of the Chirimia

La Música de la Chirimía

This is a beautiful Guatemalan folktale that tells the story of the "chirimia", whose music is sweeter even than that of the birds. The protagonists are a Mayan princess and a young man whose love for her sends him on a quest for the purest song in the woods.

