

Summer 2013 - Woodward Memorial Library

Dig into Reading
June 24 - August 16



Children: Birth through Grade 6
Read each week and choose a prize!

Sign-up for your free summer reading packet beginning Monday, June 24 at 10:00 a.m. and anytime throughout the summer.

How it works:

Keep track of your time in your reading log then come to the Library once a week to receive a stamp for every 30 minutes that you read.

After you've read for two hours, choose a prize and receive a raffle ticket! (Only one raffle ticket and prize per child per week.)

Read two hours per week for five weeks and receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of the grand prizes!
(One grand prize ticket per child!)

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Family Programs

Free Carnival Games, Roving Magician & Ice Cream - Monday, June 24

Beginning at 6:00 p.m. come to the Library to play free outdoor games. Sign up for the Summer Reading Program and play games like bocce ball and more.

Free ice cream sundaes (while supplies last.)



Charlie & Checkers

Wednesday, June 26 - 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Charlie the Cowboy and Checkers the Clown juggle, perform magic, ride a unicycle and more! Don't miss this hilarious program full of fun and laughter!

Limited to 100 children.

Registration Required.

Omnipresent Puppets Presents:

Gumshoe McMonocle and the Strange Case of Rumpelsomething

Wednesday, July 31 - 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

A queen hires an intrepid detective to find out the name of the little man who wants to take her son! An action-packed re-telling of "Rumpelstiltskin" done in the fashion of the classic detective thrillers of the 1940s!

Limited to 75 children.

Registration Required.

Christmas in the Summer

Thursday, August 15 - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

A Christmas themed magic show complete with an indoor blizzard! Children will also get their face painted and a snow cone on their way out.

Limited to 100 children.

Registration Required.

Please remember to register each individual child who will be attending. Do not register as an adult intending to bring multiple children. Registration for all summer programs begins Monday, June 17 at 9:00 a.m. Register online at www.woodwardmemoriallibrary.org or call 585-768-8300.



Fun Fridays for Kindergarten - Grade 6

Friday, June 28, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Friday, July 12, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Friday, July 26, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Friday, August 9, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Children can come to the Library to play!

Children will have the opportunity to:

- Play with our giant bin of Legos
- Play with our Wii (Guitar Hero)
- Play with a selection of our board games

Don't miss out on a fun afternoon.

Feel free to bring a lunch or something to snack on!

Registration is **NOT** required for these programs!



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Summer Programs For Toddlers through Kindergarten

Registration is required for the following summer programs. Register online at www.woodwardmemoriallibrary.org or call 585-768-8300 beginning Monday, June 17 at 9:00 a.m.

Storytime Sessions

Toddler Time for Twos

Mondays from 10:30 to 10:50 a.m.

June 24 - August 12 (8 week session)

Rhymes, stories, music, and coloring! Must be 2 by the starting date. A parent or caregiver must attend with the child. Limit 10 children.

Preschool Storytime for 3, 4, and 5 year olds

Tuesdays from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

June 25 - August 13 (8 week session)

OR Thursdays from 2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

June 27 - August 15 (7 week session) Library is closed Thursday, July 4.

Stories, music and coloring! Children must be 3 by the starting date. Limit 15 children per session.

Preschool & Kindergarten Programs

Digging for Gold *

Monday, June 24 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about cowboys, the Wild West, and the Gold Rush, listen to music, and make a craft. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4, & 5.

Buried Treasures*

Monday, July 8 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about pirates, listen to music, and make a craft. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4, & 5.

Dig, Plant, Grow*

Monday, July 15 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about gardening and farming, listen to music, and make a craft. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4, & 5.

Dinosaur Dig*

Monday, July 22 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about dinosaurs, sing and dance, and make a craft. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4, & 5.

Kids Yoga (Ages 4 - 8)

Tuesday, July 23 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Stretch and play! Partner with your child or have them do it on their own. Bark in downward dog, hiss in cobra pose, and flutter your wings like a butterfly. Learn simple animated poses that help strengthen coordination and build body awareness. Make a relaxation eye mask. Limit 25. Led by Blue Pearl Yoga.

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Who's That Digging in My Yard?*

Monday, July 29 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about animals that dig, listen to music and dance, and make crafts. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4, & 5.

Excavators Dig*

Monday, August 5 - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.

Listen to stories about construction vehicles, sing songs and dance, and make crafts. Limit 25 children - ages 3, 4 & 5.

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Summer Programs For Grades 1, 2, & 3

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Gnome Home

Tuesday, June 25 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Make a clothespin gnome and a home for your gnome.

Limit 15. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.

Worms in Dirt

Tuesday, July 2 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Learn how to make Worms in Dirt and other no-bake treats!

Limit 25. Led by Betsy Halvorsen & Trisha Riggi.

Digging Dinosaurs

Wednesday, July 10 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Play paleontologist and examine the fossilized teeth, horns, and claws of various dinosaurs. Dig up and assemble a dinosaur skeleton. Limit 30. Led by The Buffalo Museum of Science.

Buggy Friends (Grades 1 - 4)

Wednesday, July 17 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Take a close-up look at real live insects and bugs. Count their legs, look at their eyes, and learn about their other body parts. Limit 30 children. Led by The Buffalo Museum of Science.

Kids Yoga (Ages 4 - 8)

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Stretch and play! Partner with your child or have them do it on their own. Bark in downward dog, hiss in cobra pose, and flutter your wings like a butterfly. Learn simple animated poses that help strengthen coordination and build body awareness. Make a relaxation eye mask.

Limit 25 children. Led by Blue Pearl Yoga.

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Treasure Hunt

Tuesday, August 6 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Search for magic rocks filled with surprises. Make a pouch to carry your treasures home. Limit 20. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.



Christmas in the Summer

Thursday, August 15 - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Enjoy a Christmas themed-magic show, an indoor blizzard, holiday face painting, and snow cones on your way home. Limit 100. Led by Dave Jeffers Magic.



Summer Programs For Grades 4, 5, & 6

Registration is required for the following summer programs. Register online at www.woodwardmemoriallibrary.org or call 585-768-8300 beginning Monday, June 17 at 9:00 a.m.

Paper Fishbowl and Indecision Dice

Thursday, June 27 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

One program, two projects! First, make a fishbowl using paper and stamps. These unique creations will even have a watery element. Second, make indecision dice to help you out when you just can't make a decision. Limit 15. Led by Ann Shaffer.

Kandi Krafts

Wednesday, July 3 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Learn how to make kandi hearts, stars, and more using pony beads and elastic string. Learn how to read patterns to make different shapes. Make charms or a cuff. Limit 10. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.

Science Below Zero

Wednesday, July 10 - 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Experiments with liquid nitrogen! Learn about heat and kinetic energy with a series of exciting experiments using liquid nitrogen. Limit 30. Led by The Buffalo Museum of Science.

Crime Scene Investigation (Grades 5 - 12)

Wednesday, July 17 - 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Study clues like footprints, ransom notes, and fingerprints to solve a crime just like the police and forensic scientists. Limit 30. Led by The Buffalo Museum of Science.

Kandi Krafts

Thursday, July 25 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Missed it the first time around? Kandi krafts are back! Learn how to make kandi hearts, stars, and more using pony beads and elastic string. Learn how to read patterns to make different shapes. Make charms or a cuff. Limit 10. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.

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Design Your Own Bobblehead

Wednesday, August 7 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Paint a bobblehead to look like you! Have your picture taken and added to your bobblehead so it REALLY looks like you! Limit 12. Led by Trisha Riggi.

Christmas in the Summer

Thursday, August 15 - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Enjoy a Christmas themed-magic show, an indoor blizzard, holiday face painting, and snow cones on your way home. Limit 100. Led by Dave Jeffers Magic.

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Programs for Grades 7 through 12



Beneath the Surface
Reading Program for Grades 7 - 12
June 24 - August 16



Sign-up for the Teen Summer Reading Program beginning Monday, June 24 at 10:00 a.m. and anytime after during regular Library hours. Keep track of the books you read. For every age appropriate title you read, pick a prize and receive a raffle ticket. For every book review you write, receive a raffle ticket. After reading **FIVE** titles, receive a grand prize raffle ticket and a ticket to the Finale Party on Friday, August 16.

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Duct Tape Crafts

Wednesday, June 26 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Learn how to make a duct tape rose pen and a zipper pouch. Limit 10. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.

Airbrush Art

Thursday, July 11 - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Learn about airbrush techniques and how to work an airbrush. Paint your own airbrush picture. Limit 25. Led by Tucker Meland.

Crime Scene Investigation (Grades 5 - 12)

Wednesday, July 17 - 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Study clues like footprints, ransom notes, and fingerprints to solve a crime just like the police and forensic scientists. Limit 30. Led by The Buffalo Museum of Science.

Altered Books

Saturday, July 20 - 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Take an old book and turn it into a treasure! Repurpose an old book into a work of art. Participants will use collage, painting, staining, old photos, postcards, stamps, ribbon, (etc.) and writing to alter their book into a keepsake. Many supplies will be on hand, but make sure to bring items that will really personalize your work of art, such as photos, old notes, playing cards, stamps, old diary pages, or pieces of fabric from old clothes you used to love - anything that means something to you! Limit 20. Led by Mary Beth Dolan.

Kandi Krafts

Wednesday, August 7 - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Learn how to make kandi hearts, stars, and more using pony beads and elastic string. Learn how to read patterns to make different shapes. Make charms or a cuff. Limit 10. Led by Betsy Halvorsen.

Finale Party

Friday, August 16 - 12:00 to 1:30 p.m.

This program is a special "invite only" for teens who have completed the Summer Reading Program by signing up and reading FIVE books over the course of the summer. This year's summer finale will include Sharpie tie-dye t-shirts, crafts, snacks, and prizes.

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Adult Reading Program! June 24 - August 16

GROUNDBREAKING READS

The theme for the 2013 Adult Summer Reading Program is "Groundbreaking Reads," focusing on "books that have made an impact whether personal, literary, award-winning, or otherwise." We will also explore "digging" into the past, gardening, inventions that changed the world and more! Launch date is Monday, June 24. Participants read library books to receive tickets for prize drawings. In this eight-week summer program, participants choose books from any or all of eight categories.

Keep track of the books you read in the booklet you receive when you sign up for the program. Booklists of suggested reads are included in the booklet. Displays will be set up representing each category.

Eight raffle baskets will be displayed around the Library. Every time you read a book, you receive a raffle ticket. Enter that ticket for the basket you wish to win. You only need to read one book for a chance to win a basket. Participants who read three books receive a ticket to attend the finale on Friday, August 16 at 7 p.m.

Summer Programs for Adults



****Design Your Own Wire-Wrapped Stone Pendant - Thursday, July 11 – 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.**
Learn how to turn a stone and a piece of wire into a beautiful pendant! Use this simple, free-form technique to make unique necklaces. All materials (aside from necklace chain) included.
Led by Doreen Bortle. Limit: 10 participants.

****Self Defense for Women - Wednesday, July 17 - 6:00 to 8:00p.m.**
This two-hour course will focus on self-defense techniques, escape strategies and empower the participant with the confidence and skill sets to face an attacker.
No prior experience necessary. Loose, comfortable clothing is recommended.
Leader: Stacy Wright. Limit: 15 participants.

****Altered Books - Saturday, July 20 - 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.**
Take an old book and turn it into a treasure! Use collage, paint, stain, old photos, postcards, stamps, ribbon and writing to alter your book into a keepsake. Supplies will be on hand, but bring items to personalize your work of art such as photos, letters, playing cards, stamps, diary pages, or pieces of fabric - anything that is special to you.
Leader: Mary Beth Dolan. Limit: 25 participants

****Yoga Nidra - Wednesday, July 24 - 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.**
Yoga Nidra is a technique that relaxes the mind and body. Using deep relaxation techniques, learn to create healthy thought patterns and reduce anxiety and tension. **Followed by a 45 minute practice.**
Leader: Karen Reisdorf. Limit: 15 participants.

****Cake Decorating - Thursday, August 1 - 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.**
Learn basic cake decorating techniques such as roses, piping a border, and writing on a cake.
Leader: Mary Margaret Ripley, Owner of Scratch Baking. Limit: 10 participants.



****Design Handmade Cards - Saturday, August 3 - 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.**
Design handmade cards using rubber stamps, card stock and other embellishments.
The first card is free and each additional card is \$1.75.
Leader: Ann Shaffer. Limit: 10 participants.

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