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Ages 0-5

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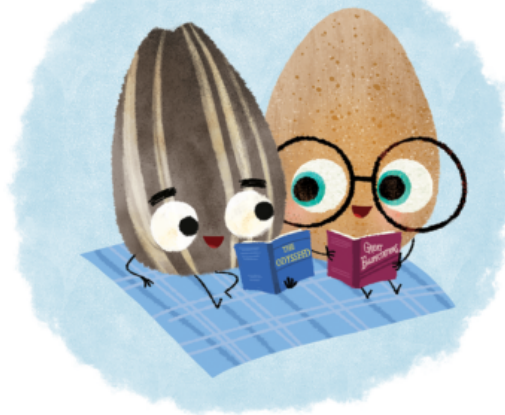
Teens 12+



Mark Your Calendars....

- We are CLOSED on Saturdays in the summer. Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.

PLANT A SEED, READ



We have 600 kids registered for our Summer Reading Program!

Remember: the last day to bring in your Summer Reading calendars and put tickets into the raffle prizes is **Friday, August 7**. Tickets will not be available after this date. Raffle prize winners will be chosen the following week, and

winners will be notified by library staff according to information given at signup.

[Click Here for Summer Reading Information](#)



Visit with Jack-Jack!

Stop by the Children's Room on Wednesday, August 5 & 19, between 10:00 and 11:00 am to visit with Jack-Jack the therapy dog! All ages are welcome!

[Read more](#)



To celebrate the end of Summer Reading, join us on **Wednesday, August 12**, between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm for Balloon Twisting with Brie's Balloons!

All ages are welcome. Children will be able to choose a special balloon creation from Brie's balloon menu to take home! Please sign up so we know how many to expect. Thank you!

[Sign up](#)

PROGRAMS FOR LITTLES



Storytime Break - June, July & August

Our weekly sessions are on hiatus for the summer, but we have lots of other programs planned for all ages. Make sure to visit our [Event Calendar](#) to see what's going on!



Evan Haller from Music at the Blissful

Wednesday, July 29 @ 3:00-3:45 pm

Sponsored by Country Bank

10x Boston Parent Paper Family Favorite and National Touring Musician, Evan Haller, from Boston, Massachusetts, will be performing a high-energy, fun-filled, interactive, movement-packed music experience for the whole family. Come join the fun as we sing, jump, shake, laugh, and go slow and fast with Music at The Blissful. Best for families with children ages 0-5, but all ages are welcome.

[Register](#)



Baby Open Play

Wednesday, August 5 @ 10:00-11:00 am

Meet up with other babies & caregivers for fun open play and socialization! Age-appropriate toys will be available to play with. This program is for caregivers with babies ages 0-12 months (non-walkers) only, please!

[Read more](#)



Me and My Mini Summer Series

Last class on Thursday, July 30 @ 10:00-10:45 am

A 45-minute dance movement group for ages birth through 3 with a grown-up. The group focuses on adults and babies spending quality time together while working on important movement skills and social-emotional milestones. Get groovy to upbeat music with fun props, instruments, and a story. **Registration is required for each session.** Space is limited.

[Register](#)



Exploration Corner with Alexis Moore

Thursday Evenings on: July 30, and August 6, 13, 20
@ 5:30-6:30 pm

Join facilitator Alexis Moore for Exploration Corner: a series of fun classes for kids! Listen to a short book, then engage in sensory play and a craft. For ages 3-6. Limited spaces available. Register for each session you can attend.



Tiny Tots @ Night

Thursday, August 27 @ 6:00-6:30 pm

An evening version of our Tiny Tots program. Best for babies and toddlers up to age 3. Includes songs, fingerplays, music, books, and free play.

[Register](#)



Check out this collection featuring **New Releases** for adults who don't have time to browse upstairs in the Adult collection!

Located in the Children's Room.



Our new Tonie characters and Yoto Cards are so popular, we can't keep them on the shelves! Skip the line by putting a hold on the ones you want. Click the link below for a list of what we own!

[Tonies & Yoto Card Catalog](#)

PROGRAMS FOR KIDS & TEENS

[View Calendar](#)



Writing Workshop Series with Erin Petti

Monday, August 3, 10, and 17 @ 11:00 am-2:00 pm

Join author Erin Petti for a 3-week Creative Writing series for kids in grades 4-7. Registration is required and is for all three weeks.

[Register](#)

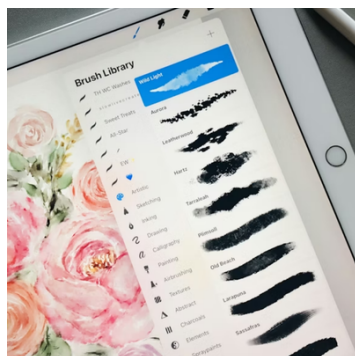


The Crafty Chapter (A Social Crafting Group for Tweens & Teens)

Tuesday, August 4 @ 5:30-6:30 pm

Do you like to knit, crochet, sew, embroider, needle felt, or do other fiber arts? Any portable craft is welcome! ****Please bring your current projects to work on!**** This group is for tweens and teens aged 9-18. Registration is not required!

[Read more](#)



Digital Art for Beginners:

Exploring the Procreate App for ages 8-12

Wednesday, August 5 @ 10:30-11:30 am

In this class, we cover the basics of creating art in Procreate, the most popular digital art app for the iPad. We cover various features in the app, such as using different brushes, blending colors, and importing photos to work from. This class is for youth ages 8-12. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



Kids Yoga with Lindsey

Fridays, August 10 and 17 @ 2:30-3:00 pm

In these classes, we will practice breathing techniques (pranayama), yoga postures (asana), and more to help participants connect with their bodies, minds, and spirits. Best for ages 5-11. Registration is required for each session.

[Friday, August 7: Register](#)

[Friday, August 14: Register](#)

Bead Therapy for Teens

Tuesday, August 11 @ 4:30-5:30 pm

Join ZMakesBeads at the library and make some beaded jewelry! Bead Therapy is a hands-on expressive arts workshop where



participants work with semi-precious stones and natural materials to create wearable art in a calm, supportive group environment, with no prior art or jewelry-making experience required.

This is for teens ages 13-18.

[Register](#)



Tween & Teen Craft: Flower Pot Painting

Thursday, August 6 @ 2:00-3:00 pm

There are so many fun ways to paint flower pots! Join us for this fun project and take home your decorated 4-inch pot to plant something pretty in! This program is for tweens and teens ages 9-18.

[Register](#)



Cat Lovers Book Club

Monday, August 17 @ 2:00-3:30 pm

A place for cat lovers to enjoy time together, talking about books, and doing cat-themed activities! Each month, we will choose a book to read and then discuss for a few minutes in the next month's meeting. This book club is best for ages 8-13. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



Nature Walk and Leaf Rubbing

Friday, August 21 @ 10:00-11:30 pm

Join us for a stroll through the woods to collect leaves and other organic materials, then turn them into colorful artwork! Registrants will meet up in the Storytime Room and then take a short walk to the forest behind the library to gather materials. Once our leaves have been collected, we will return to the Storytime Room to create leaf rubbings! This program is best suited for children ages 6-12.

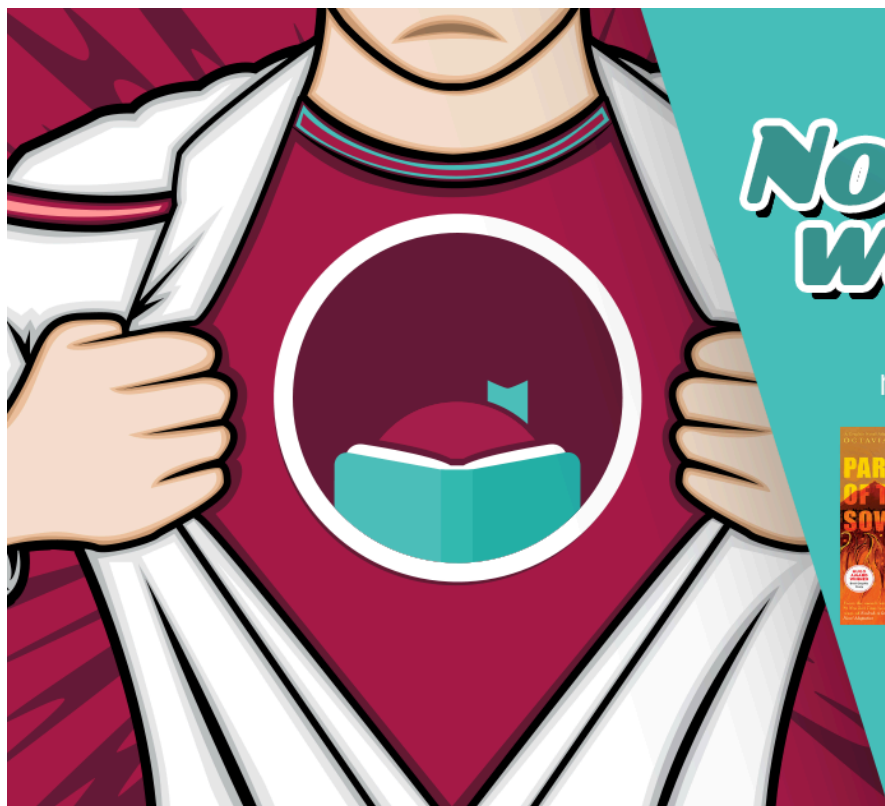
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Need Volunteer Hours?

Visit the [Teen Volunteer page](#) on our website for more information.

Did you know? You can earn volunteer hours for attending and participating in any Teen Program!



Not all heroes wear capes!

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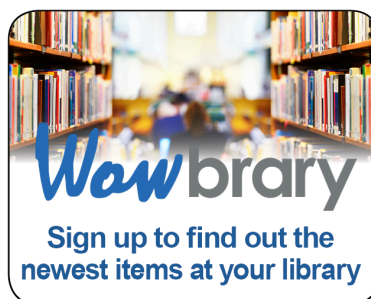



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