

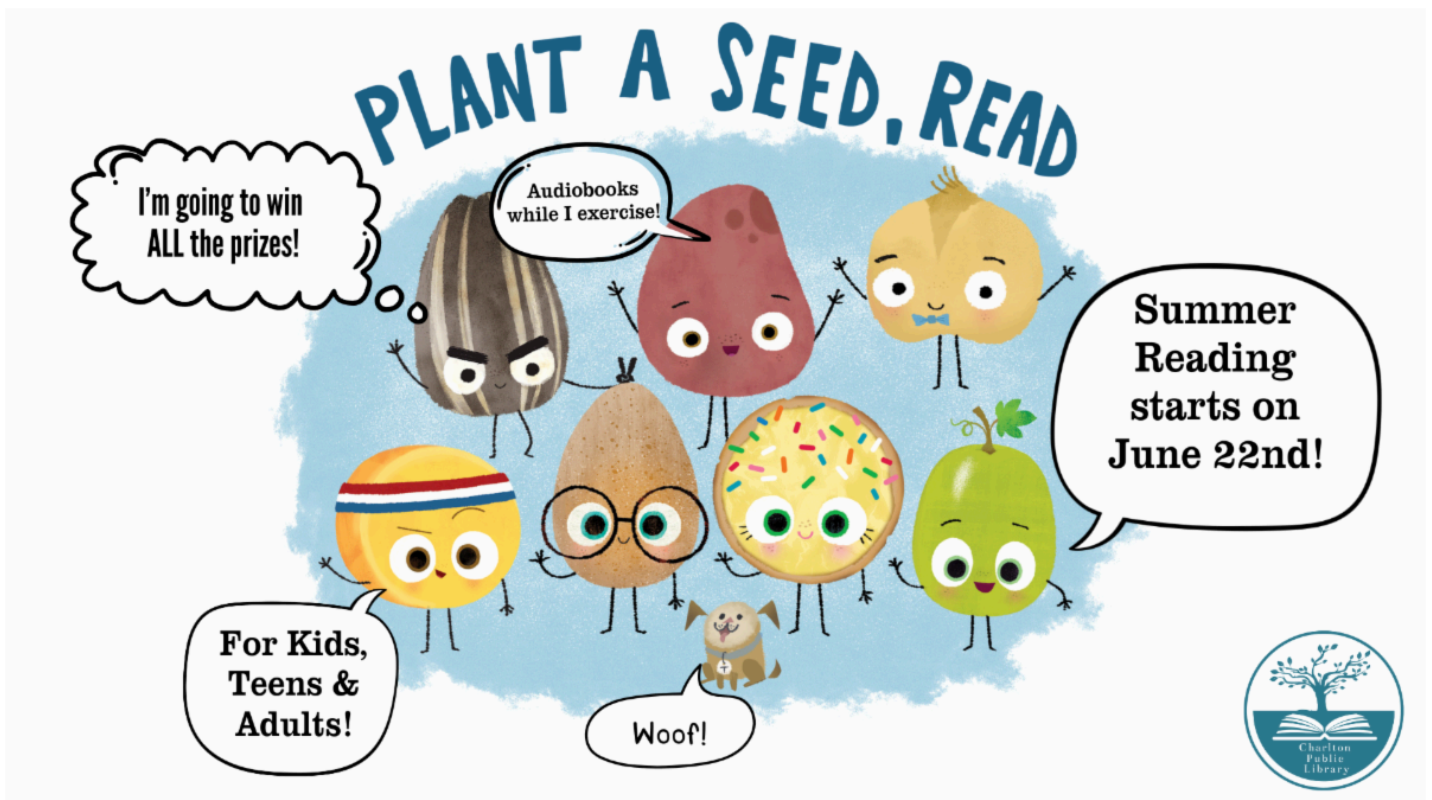


Quick links to Event Calendars

Ages 0-5

Ages 6-11

Teens 12+



[Click Here for Summer Reading Information](#)



Mark Your Calendars....

- We are CLOSED on Saturdays in the summer! Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.
- The Library will OPEN at 1:00 pm on Wednesday, June 17.
- The Library is CLOSED on Friday, June 19th, in honor of Juneteenth.

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!



Young Scientists
STEM Program

This series is sponsored by the
YMCA Family & Community
Partnership (YFCP).



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Coordinated Family & Community Engagement (CFCE) Grant and awarded to the
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Young Scientists STEM Program

Thursdays @ 10:15 am (April 30 through June 4)

Join us for a free in-person "Young Scientists" series facilitated by STEM Beginnings and hosted by the Charlton Public Library. Children, ages 3-6, with a parent/caregiver, will learn STEM concepts through hands-on activities, storytime, and simple experiments. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



Tiny Tots @ Night

Thursday, June 25 @ 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](#)



EcoTarium Traveling Program: Animal Adaptations

Friday, June 12 @ 10:00-10:45 am

The EcoTarium's Animal Adaptations program is an interactive, educator-led session in which participants explore how animals survive through specialized structures and behaviors. The program features live ambassador animals, such as snakes, hedgehogs, or turtles, along with natural history specimens, including pelts and skulls. Best for ages 3 and older. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



Movin' On Up Puppet Show with Tom Knight

Wednesday, June 24 @ 2:00-3:00 pm

YMCA Family & Community Partnership presents:

“Movin' On Up”: a FREE Musical Puppet Show for children transitioning to preschool, kindergarten, and first grade in Fall 2026. Families with children, ages 3-6, will enjoy songs, movement, and laughs with Tom Knight and his puppet pals. Every registered child will receive a book to take home.

[Register](#)



Check out this new collection for adults who never make it upstairs to pick out a book of their own!

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



Build with friends!
Friday, June 5
@ 3:30-4:30 pm
Ages 5-11. Drop-in.

[Read more](#)



Bring a project and craft with us!
Tuesday, June 16 & 30
@ 5:30-6:30 pm
For ages 9-18. Drop-in.

[View Calendar](#)



Kids Yoga with Lindsey

Fridays, June 12 and 26 @ 4:00-4:30 pm

Best for ages 5-11. Registration is required for each session.

[Friday, June 12: Register](#)

[Friday, June 26: Register](#)

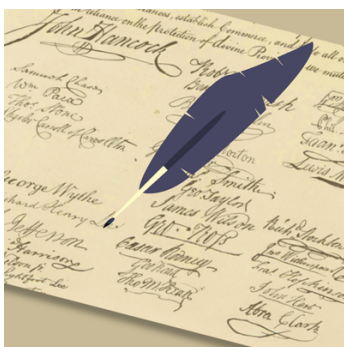


Young Artists Collective

Thursday, June 18 @ 5:30-6:30 pm

Join the Young Artists Collective for a relaxed, creative space where young artists can experiment and grow. Participants are encouraged to bring their own artwork or projects to work on, share, or get inspired alongside other young creators. This program is intended for children ages 8-12.

[Register](#)



Write Like A Rebel

Tuesday, June 23 @ 3:30-5:30 pm

The writing on the Declaration of Independence looks like a secret code! During this hands-on 90-minute program with calligrapher Debby Reelitz, students will have the opportunity to learn and practice cursive and to design a special signature inspired by famous historical figures from the American Revolution. Appropriate for Grade 2 and up, parents are welcome.



Canva for Kids Series

*Wednesday, June 24, July 1, and July 8
@ 1:30-2:30 pm*

Get creative and learn digital design with Canva! In this fun, kid-friendly series, participants will explore the basics of the Canva platform as they create their own colorful projects. Kids will learn how to add and style text, choose images and graphics, and experiment with some of Canva's built-in AI tools to spark ideas and enhance their designs.

[Register for June 24](#)

[Register for July 1](#)

[Register for July 8](#)



Kindness Rocks

Thursday, June 25 @ 2:00-3:00 pm

Join us in the Storytime Room to paint a kindness-themed rock! We'll use paint markers and Sharpies to make our designs. This program is best for ages 6 and older, but younger children may attend with an adult caregiver. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



Children's Planting with Blackstone Valley Veggie Gardens

Monday, June 29 @ 10:00-11:00 am

Join us for a fun gardening program for kids! We will decorate pots, mix soil, create labels, and plant sunflower seeds. This program is for children ages 4-12. Registration is required. There are 25 spaces available.

[Register](#)



Cat Lovers Book Club

Monday, June 29 @ 2:00-3:00 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](#)



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!

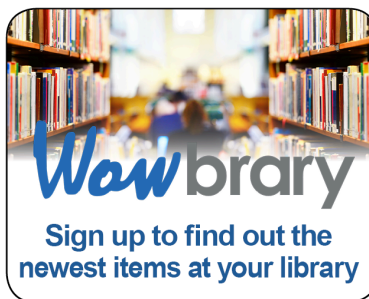
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