



April Newsletter



More than Books!

Did you know the library offers many interesting items for checkout other than books through our Library of Things? This includes musical instruments, a variety of tools, early literacy kits, science kits, memory kits, Tonies, puzzles, board games, and more!

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

This program encourages families to read 1,000 books with their young children before they enter kindergarten. Studies show that families who start reading aloud to their children at birth help strengthen language skills and build vocabulary. Visit the library to sign up!

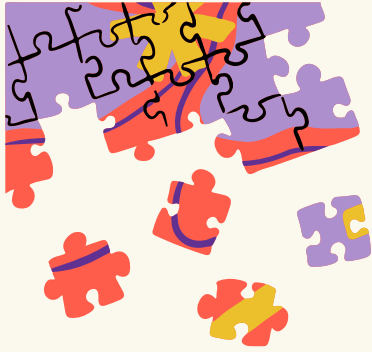


Summer is Coming!

As we draw closer to summer, there will be fewer regular programs, especially in May, as staff plans and prepares all the fun events for the Summer Library Challenge and Library Mini-Camps! Keep reading below to learn more about summer library programs for all ages!



Upcoming Events



Puzzle Contest

Tuesday, April 14th at 6:00–8:00 pm

Compete in teams of four to see who can finish their identical 500-piece jigsaw puzzle the fastest. The fastest team will win a prize! Snacks and refreshments will be served.

For adults and teens 16+ only. Call or visit the library to sign up your team of 2–4 people.

Fact Finders Story Time

Wednesday, April 15th at 6:00–7:00 pm

Join Miss Audrey at the library to read an awesome true story about a real person, invention, place, or event. Then learn more with fun hands-on activities and a related craft!

For kids K–5th grade. Drop-ins welcome!



Earth Day Festival

Wednesday, April 22nd at 6:00–7:30 pm

Join us at the library for snacks, games, crafts, a story time for the littles, and more fun as we celebrate our beautiful earth!

Family event for all ages! Drop-ins welcome!



Events Continued



Kids Book Club: *Diary of a Pug*

Thursday, April 23rd at 6:00–7:00 pm

Come to the library for a book club just for kids! We will have a short discussion about the book, have a snack, and do a fun activity and craft that ties in with the story!

For kids K–5th grade. Visit the library to register and check out a book from this month's series:

"Diary of a Pug" by Kyla May.

April Sewing Sessions

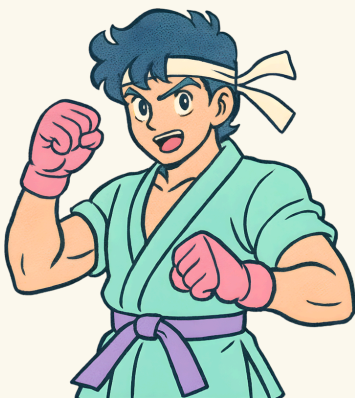
Wed. & Thurs., April 29th & 30th

1-hour sessions at 4:00, 5:00, & 6:00 pm

Susan will meet with two people at a time to teach about caring for your machine and get you started sewing! Bring needles, bobbins, and user's manual for your machine if you have it.



For Adults. Visit or call the library to register.



Anime 'Training' Tournament

Tuesday, May 12th at 3:00–5:00 pm

Participate in fun outdoor games and challenges based on the training done by some of your favorite anime characters!

Weather permitting. For teens 5th–8th grade.

Registration & signed permission form required.



Weekly Programs

Story Time

Tuesdays at 10:30–11:30 am
(Last day: May 5th)

Join Miss Audrey at the library to read stories, sing songs, use the felt board, do a craft, explore with sensory play, and more fun activities!

*For kids ages 2–5 and their adult helper.
Drop-ins welcome!*



Jam & Play

Fridays at 10:00–11:30 am
(Last day: May 8th)

Toddler music & play group at the library! Interactive songs, musical instruments, a chance for kids to play, share, and socialize and for caregivers to network!

For kids ages 0–5 and their adult helper. Come and go at your convenience!

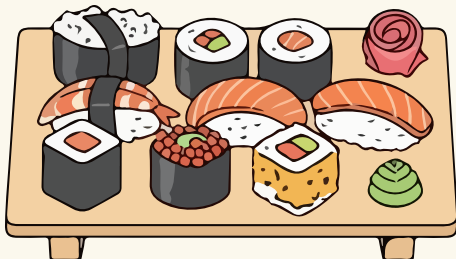


Anime Club

Tuesdays at 3:00–4:30 pm
(Last day: May 5th)

Watch and talk about your favorite anime, eat snacks, make crafts, play trivia games, and make Japanese treats on special food days!

For teens 5th–8th grade. Drop-ins welcome!





Summer Challenge

Unearth A Story™

“For 2026, Unearth a Story™ underscores the joy of discovery that reading brings, and that every person and every community have stories waiting to be found and shared – through books, programs, and local knowledge.,,

– Collaborative Summer Reading Program



Summer Challenge

Challenge runs June 8–July 24

Sign-up runs June 8–June 19

Read, improve literacy, and use your library during the summer! Complete activities on the Summer Challenge bingo board for your age group to earn prizes!

Sign up in person at the library or register online at rmlreads.readsquared.org starting June 8th.



Summer Storytime

Mondays at 10:30 am

June 8–July 20

Join Miss Audrey for stories, music, and hands-on activities this summer!

Geared for preschool–ages 2–5, but open to kids of all ages; accompanied by an adult helper!





Summer Mini-Camps

Weekly day camps for kids and teens at the library! Call or visit the library to register starting May 4th!

Kids Camps (Ages 5–9)

Week 1 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- June 9 – Geology Camp
- June 10 – Nailed-It #1
- June 11 – Rubber Duck Cosplay

Week 2 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- June 16 – Chocolate Olympics
- June 17 – Dinosaur Dig
- June 18 – Watercolor Art

Week 3 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- June 23 – Recycled Toys
- June 24 – Nature Science
- June 25 – Fruit Animals

Week 4 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- July 7 – Lego Challenge
- July 8 – Nailed-It #2
- July 9 – Galaxy Crafts

Week 5 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- July 14 – Archaeology Camp
- July 15 – Paper STEM
- July 16 – Art Camp

Week 6 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- July 21 – Glow-in-the-Dark Camp
- July 22 – Children’s Book Trivia
- July 23 – Outdoor Fun Camp

Teen Camps (Ages 10–17)

Week 1 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- June 9 – Book Bedazzling
- June 10 – Nailed-It
- June 11 – Rubber Duck Cosplay

Week 2 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- June 16, 17, & 18 – Steampunk Cosplay (three-day camp)

Week 3 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- June 23 – Story Workshop
- June 24 – Danish Breakfast
- June 25 – Decoupage Boxes

Week 4 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- July 7 – Lego Challenge Day
- July 8 – Keychain Crafts
- July 9 – Stop-Motion Workshop

Week 5 – 5:00–7:00 pm

- July 14 – Unplug: Tech-Free Hangout
- July 15 – Japanese Lunchbox
- July 16 – Moss Aquariums

Week 6 – 1:00–3:00 pm

- July 21 – Recycled Art Frames
- July 22 – Cool Chemistry
- July 23 – Just Dance Tournament