

Importance of Summer Reading

The statewide Rhode Island Summer Reading Program is supported by the RI Office of Library and Information Services, with funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Local support includes Rhode Island Youth & School Librarians. Special thanks to the Friends of the Jamestown Library.

Research has shown that children who read six or more books during the summer maintain or improve their reading skills, while children who do not lose ground by September.

How to Participate

Register at <https://jamestownphilomenianlibrary.beanstack.com/reader365> to register for the 2022 Summer Reading Program (SRP). Track your progress via the Beanstack website, or download the Beanstack app to your mobile device.

Complete five activities to be eligible for the grand prize drawings.

Prefer analog?
Visit JPL's Circulation desk to register in person and receive a challenge card.

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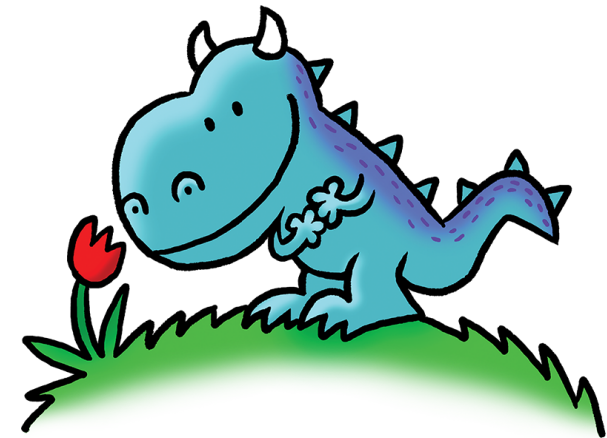
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2022 CHILDREN'S SUMMER READING PROGRAM

June 25-August 20

**Read Beyond
The Beaten Path**



Prekindergarten—
Grade 4
Jamestown
Philomenian Library

SUMMER READING EVENT SCHEDULE

The Friends of the Jamestown Library are pleased to present the following programs for children:

MONDAY, JUNE 27

6:00 p.m.

Circus Dynamics

Kick off Summer Reading with a fun, fast-paced circus variety show that includes juggling, flag spinning, hat manipulation, and balloon tricks. A short balloon-twisting workshop follows.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

6:00 p.m.

Activity: Terrariums

Kids get everything they need to grow their own mini-ecosystem!

MONDAY, JULY 11

6:00 p.m.

Dave Marchetti's Animal Experiences

Become closer to Mother Nature in a fun and exciting way! Meet amphibians, reptiles, and small mammals in a show that is both educational and entertaining!

MONDAY, JULY 18

6:00 p.m.

Craft Night: Birdhouses

Crafters will paint and decorate wooden birdhouses.

MONDAY, JULY 25

6:00 p.m.

Wandering Trails

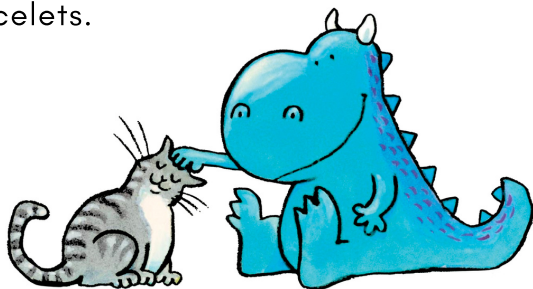
Join us for an interactive variety show complete with puppets, masks, and storytelling, and embrace the theme of exploration—exploring nature around us and emotions within us.

MONDAY, AUGUST 1

6:00 p.m.

Craft Night: Friendship Bracelets

Crafters will learn how to make friendship bracelets.



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

6:00 p.m.

Kismet Kids Improv Show

Perform and play alongside a trained roster of family performers. Kids and families will build worlds, funny games, characters, and more. No two shows are alike!

MONDAY, AUGUST 15

6:00 p.m.

Activity: Dino Excavation

Unearth and reconstruct a realistic skeleton model of a Stegosaurus using the tools and techniques of paleontologists!

MONDAY, AUGUST 22

6:00 P.M.

Finale Party

Readers who complete this year's Summer Reading Challenge are invited to the Finale Party! RSVP required.

All events are in-person and recommended for elementary school children ages 5 & up.

Space is limited; registration is necessary for all programs.

Visit our website for complete information.