Summer Reading Programs!

The 2020 Summer Reading Program is open to everyone, birth through adults with programs, prize drawings, and story times! Registration for "Imagine Your Story" starts Monday June 15th with our Readaissance Festival Live.

Children and Family Reading Programs: For every hour you read, receive a ticket for entries into the prize raffle.

Teen Reading Program: For every hour you read, receive a ticket for entries into the prize raffles.

All Raffle Tickets must be turned in by Thursday. July 30th!!

Adult Reading Programs:

Summer Challenge: Be entered into a drawing for some prizes. Stop by the circulation desk to pick up a log sheet or sign up via Beanstack and keep track of how many books you can read this summer. Every 2 books you read you get a FREE book (valued \$2 or less) from the Algoma Friend's Book Corner.

For more information:
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Our website has our updated program information—see programs tab.

All Programs are Free!



This year the library is trying something new—Beanstack. A website and an app that is free. It's a fun way to log books, complete activities and earn badges. We have challenges for all ages already planned.

Grand Finale Activities

Prizes—you put all the work in this summer reading, now is the time to see if your name is chosen from the prize bucket!

Grand Finale on July 30th Summer Reading Recap

More details to follow!



ALGOMA PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER VIRTUAL READING PROGRAM

Monday, June 15th to Thursday, July 30th





Algoma Public Library 406 Fremont Street Algoma WI 54201 920-487-2295



Children, Family & Teen Activities

Summer Reading Program Activities:

Storytime: Mondays at 11:00 am for children birth - 5. Imagine a world of wonder ALL from books on Facebook Live!

Readaissance Festival Live: June 15th at 11 am Join us for fun stories, crafts, jokes and activities! We will be discussing our Summer Reading Program on Facebook Live.

Reading Bingo: Pickup June 16th all day. Try this reading challenge to kick start your summer reading. On-line and copies in our Take it home box.

Puzzler Twizzlers: June 17th all day. Can you help solve the riddle? A librarian will be on hand to help with hints. Available on the Facebook Event.

Take Home & Tune In: Starting a Journal: June 18th at 4 pm. From June 11th -17th, Teens can sign up and pick up their supplies. Teens that have supplies already (or anyone that wants to learn different things about starting a Journal) can tune in to a live stream on Instagram! Disclaimer: As this is a teen program, we would prefer to limit the Journal Supply kits to our Teen patrons, but anyone can tune in to the live stream.

Jackbox Party Night Live: June 19th at 6 pm. A lot of us have heard of the Jackbox Party Pack games. Teens, join Braelyn for an online Jackbox Party Night while also staying safe at home. Reach out to our Young Adult Librarian if you are interested, watch for the invite to our Google Hangouts, then join in on the fun with other local teens!

Grow Your Own Plant (Take Home Kit): June 22nd All Day. Come and get a kit to plant. Includes a pot to decorate with seeds and potting soil. While supplies last.

Rewrite the Ending: June 22nd at 3:30 pm. Have you ever wanted to rewrite the ending to a story? Here is your chance! Teens can pick a board book, picture book, or easy reader book from home, or pick one up from the library that you want to change the ending to. An invitation to a Zoom call will be sent from our Young Adult Librarian so that we can share our new endings. Let's see what we can come up with!

Marble Maze: June 26th all day. Grab a kit to make your very own marble maze. While supplies last.

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Take Home & Tune In: Calming Jars: June 29th at 3 pm. For the week leading up to this program, Teens can sign up for the Program and pick up their supplies. Teens that have the supplies (or anyone that wants learn how to make a Calming Glitter Jar) can tune in to a live stream on Instagram! Disclaimer. As this is a teen program, we would prefer to limit the Calming Jar Supply kits to our Teen patrons, but anyone can tune in to the live stream.

Scavenger Hunt—In your House: June 30th all day. Try a Scavenger Hunt with items found in your house. Post a picture or email one for a small prize. Directions will be available on our website or in our take home box.

DIY Bouncy Balls Live: July 1st at 1:30 pm. Have you ever wondered how you can make your own bouncy balls at home? Well now you can! Librarian Katie is going to walk you through it on Facebook LIVE.

Photo Challenge (For Teens): July 6th at 4 pm. Join Braelyn in a photo challenge online via Google Hangouts. Based on a prompt, you will find an item from your house—take a picture and share it.

Bookmarks Galore (Take Home Kit): July 8th All Day. Pick up a kit to make some bookmarks. While supplies last.

Roll a Dice Story: July 10th All Day. On-line or pick a copy up at the Library. Roll a dice to create your own story.

Things to Know When Considering College: July 13th at 12 pm. Join Braelyn on Facebook Live as she talks about advice and information you may want to consider if college is right for you or your Teen.

Sidewalk Chalk (Take Home): July 14th All Day. Come pick up some chalk with ideas for sidewalk chalk. While supplies last.

How to Make a Budget: July 16th at 10 am. Join Braelyn on Facebook Live as she talks about creating a budget for yourself.

Jackbox Party Night part 2 Live: July 20th at 6 pm. A lot of us have heard of the Jackbox Party Pack games. Teens, join Braelyn for an online Jackbox Party Night while also staying safe at home. Reach out to our Young Adult Librarian if you are interested, watch for the invite to our Google Hangouts, then join in on the fun with other local teens!

Sidewalk Obstacle Course: July 22nd All Day. Stop by the library and complete our outdoor sidewalk obstacle course! Weather permitting.

Harry Potter Bingo: July 22nd at 1:30 pm. Celebrate Harry's birthday early by testing your knowledge on all things Harry Potter by playing bingo with us! You can download a board early/ draw it/ stop in ahead of time to pick up board or two. We will be calling out spells, names, and other things Harry Potter related on Facebook Live. Hope you can join in on the fun!

Candyland Digital Escape Room: July 24th All Day. Imagine that you got sucked into the game Candyland, you now have to solve your way out of the game before you become a permanent part of the game! Can you do it before the day is over? Game will be available on Facebook under our events.

Mystery Kits—Take Home: July 27th All Day. Be a creative problem solver. Take a bag with a few challenge cards. Create your own solutions to the mystery using items in the bag and anything you can use from home.

Adult Activities

Algoma Newspaper Tutorial: June 23rd at 1:30 pm. Did you know that our newspapers are online? Join Librarian Katie has she takes you on a tour of our Algoma Newspaper. There is so much information you can find in a newspaper. Facebook Live and will be recorded and put on the Algoma Access Channel.

Libby Tutorial Live: June 25th at 11 am. How are you wondering how to set up your device with Libby and get access with thousands of eBooks and audiobooks at the tips of your fingers? This is your lucky day! Join Librarian Katie on Facebook Live as she walks you through the process and answers your questions. Make sure you have your library card handy!

Ancestry Tutorial: July 2nd at 12:30 pm
Ever wonder what who or where your ancestors are
from? Join Librarian Katie as she takes you on a
virtual tour of Ancestry. Image the stories you can
cover at your fingertips! Facebook Live and will be
recorded and put on the Algoma Access Channel.

Skeletons in the Closet: July 15th at 1:30 pm. Stories can be told via print or through a variety of artistic efforts - quilting, family photos, painting and so on. If planning to research for an in-depth story using a variety of search engines, be careful what you wish for because you're going to find the skeletons in your closet! Presented by Virginia Feld Johnson. (Will he recorded and shared on Facebook, our Website and on the Algoma Access Channel.—see the Facebook Event fro more details.)

Fairytale Sugar Scrubs Live: July 17th at 1 pm. Learn how to make sugar scrubs at home with Katie! Katie will take you through the steps LIVE on Facebook and talk about a couple different variations you can do. You will need a few things for a basic sugar scrub:

- -small wide-mouth glass mason jar with a lid -essential oils (optional)
- -1 cup granulated sugar, either white or brown, preferably organic
- ½ cup oil (olive oil and coconut oil work great) For variations checkout the website: https://wellnessmama.com/3628/sugar-scrub/



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