Library Events for Children & Teens

Ellet Branch Library

SUMMER 2016

Library Closings: July 04, Independence Day

MIND, BODY & SOLE

ON YOUR MARK, GET SET... READ! JUNE 6-JULY 30, 2016

Mind, Body & Sole is a reading/wellness experience for the whole family to enjoy.

How the program works:

1. Fill out a registration card at your library and receive your reading and exercise log and program flyer.

2. Read today! Check off a box on your reading log. You will win a prize, or be entered into a prize drawing, at each of these reading milestones: 10 days, 26 days, 40 days, and 50 days.

3. Choose to live active also! Record each day you participate in a movement activity—running, walking, bicycling, yoga, gardening, outside play, physical therapy, and more—on your exercise log. When you have reached 26 days of exercise AND 26 days of reading, you will receive a Mind, Body & Sole T-shirt. Fill out the entry form at the bottom of your exercise log to also be entered into our end-of-summer **Grand Prize Drawing**



Find out more at www.akronlibrary.org or contact your local library.









Children's Programs

Baby Time

Tuesdays, June 14-July 26, 10:05 am

For ages 6-24 months and their caregiver. Join Miss Sarah for stories, songs, bounces, rhymes, and activities geared for babies followed by group playtime. No registration necessary.

Toddler Time

Tuesdays, June 14-July 26, 11 am

For ages 2-3 years and their caregiver. Join Miss Sarah for toddler appropriate books, songs, rhymes, and activities. Wiggly toddlers are welcome. Toddler time is followed by a simple craft and group playtime. No registration necessary.

Story Time

Wednesdays, June 15-July 27, 10:30 am

For ages 2-6 years. Miss Laurie will use books, flannel boards, puppets, props and songs to engage children in stories. Your children will be active participants in Story Time. Each session will conclude with a craft and playtime. No registration necessary.

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Summer Reading Family Fun

Mondays, 11 am

June 6 Realm of Reptile with Marissa Dubina and her awesome animals

June 13 Outback Ray-amazing animal show

June 20 Dr. UR Awesome-spectacular bubble show

June 27 Nirvana Yoga-find peace, balance, and have fun

July 4 No programming-Happy 4th of July

July 11 Rockin' Robots-musical robots will rock your summer

July 18 Gordon the Magician-this show is magical **July 25** Library Olympics-kick off the Summer Olympic celebrations by trying out several Olympic events! Games, a craft and a treat!

PAWS FOR READING

Saturdays, June 25, July 30, August 27, 12-1 pm For all ages. No registration necessary. Snuggle up and read to a fury friend.



Teen Programs

Thursdays, 1 pm Grades 6-12

Squirt Gun Painting

June 16 Outdoors, weather permitting.

Project Runway

June 23 Register to be a designer or model in our third Project Runway event. Designers will have an hour and a half to design an outfit with materials provided by the library. Models will have hair and makeup done and will wear the designers' outfits for judging. All participants are invited to take part in our joint runway show with Fairlawn-Bath Branch Project Runway teens on Saturday, July 9 in the auditorium of the Main Library at noon. Register beginning June 1. Limit of 10 designers and 10 models.

Mosaic Craft with Leona from Don Drumm Studios

June 30 & July 7 This two part program brings teen favorite Leona back for her seventh summer to share another mosaic art project. Participants must attend both classes. Register beginning June 6. Limit of 20.

Micro-Storytelling with the Akron Digital Media Center

July 14 Learn 'on the spot' storytelling using a mobile device. From basic camera and lighting techniques to interview pointers and social media tips for posting, participants will learn how to create and upload a photo or video.

Iron Chef: Sandwich Edition

July 21 Register beginning July 1. Limit of 20.

Teen Book Discussion Group

Wednesdays, 2 pm Grades 8-12. Meeting at Artisan Coffee Shop, 662 Canton Road. Pick next month's book up at Ellet Branch Library to read in advance of meeting, beginning one month before meeting date.

June 15 Passenger by Alexandra Bracken

July 13 There Will Be Lies by Nick Lake

August 10 Silver in the Blood by Jessica Day George

VolunTEEN

Monday, July 25, 10 am

Have fun and earn service hours for school by helping with our summer reading program activities. Volunteer certificates will be awarded at the end of the program. Register beginning June 1.



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