When children read what they enjoy, they learn to love reading and become better readers. These free summer programs at your public library will help your child to keep reading and have fun all summer long!

Teen programs start on page 12.

For more information on how you can help your children find books they will love, ask a children’s or young adult librarian! Sign up for our library card for Young Explorer’s today!

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Central Library of Rochester & Monroe County
CHILDREN’S CENTER
115 South Avenue, Rochester
428-8150

Arnett Branch Library
310 Arnett Boulevard
428-8214

Brighton Memorial Library
2300 Elmwood Avenue
784-5300

BenAnna Band
Friday, June 30
10:30-11:15am
All ages

Build Together with the Domino Guy
Friday, July 7
3:00-5:00pm
All ages

Circus For All Show
Monday, July 10
10:30-11:15 am
Best for ages 4 - 12
In this catch-all program, Benjamin will share his expertise of prop-based circus arts in an equally entertaining and educational presentation.

Super Amy
Wednesday, July 19
10:30-11:15am
All ages

Ted Baumhauer: Reading is Magic
Wednesday, August 2
10:30-11:15am
All ages

Seneca Park ZooMobile
Wednesday, July 5
3:00-3:45pm
All ages

The Storybook Cook
Wednesday, July 12
3:00-3:45pm
Ages 12 and under

Kidfit: Kids Can Get Fit with Rosalind Walker from Victory Fitness
Wednesday, July 19
3:00-3:45pm
Ages 12 and under

LEGO Club
Wednesday, July 19
4:30-5:15pm
Ages 12 and under

Roc Dog
Wednesday, July 26
4:00-4:45pm
Ages 12 and under

Ted Baumhauer: Reading is Magic
Monday, June 26
10:30-11:15am
Best for ages 4 and up but all ages welcome

BenAnna Band
Thursday, June 29
2:00-2:45pm
All ages

All Together Now with Defiant Monkey Improv
Monday, July 17
10:30-11:15am
Best for ages 5 and up but all ages welcome

Dan Walpole’s One-Man Jug Band
Thursday, July 27
2:00-2:45pm
All ages

Crunchy Sam’s Reptile and Invertebrates Show
Monday, August 7
10:30-11:15am
Best for ages 3 and up but all ages welcome

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All programs are free. No registration required, except where noted.

Go to www.libraryweb.org for a complete listing of all programs.
All Together Now for a Tromp Through the Swamp with Tom Sieling
Monday, July 31
10:00-11:00am
All ages
Registration required

Crunchy Sam’s Reptiles and Invertebrates
Friday, August 4
3:00-4:00pm
All ages
Registration required

Tie-Dye
Friday, August 18
10:00am-3:00pm
All ages
Registration required

Music with Mike & Jennifer
Tuesdays, Beginning June 27 through August (Please check for updates on July & August dates)
10:30-11:30am
All ages

Ukulele, Guitar, & Drumming lessons: For Beginner to Intermediate Musicians
(Ukuleles block be provided)
Thursdays: June 29 & July 27
1:00-2:00pm
All ages

Legends and Lore: Listen and learn about the mythical creatures known to us as giants:
As told by teaching artist and storyteller Sarah Peters
Thursday, July 6
11:00am
For children K-4 with their caregivers

Beardless Jack’s Pirate Treasure Hunt: Can your pirate crew defeat Scavy Dogs & find the missing treasure? Beardless Jack needs your help!
Thursday, July 20
11:00am
For children K-3 with their caregivers. (Costumes are welcomed but not required to participate).

Magic Show followed by End of Summer Reading Party
Monday, August 14
12:00pm
All ages

(All programs in the Library Community Space)
Visit the newly renovated Lincoln Branch and Toy Library this summer!

KatFish Mermaid
Tuesday, June 27
10:30-11:15am
All ages

African Drumming and Stories with Maysuku Kashiva
Wednesday, July 12
10:30-11:15am
All ages

Super Amy Magic & Acrobatics
Tuesday, July 18
10:30-11:15am
All ages

Storytime with Bad Kitty
Tuesday, August 1
10:30-11:00am
All ages

Circus Arts for All with Benjamin Berry
Thursday, August 3
12:00-12:45pm
All ages

Dan Walpole, “One Man Jug Band”
Thursday, July 6
12:00-12:45pm
Ages 12 and under

Seneca Park Zoomobile, “Amazing Adaptations”
Friday, July 14
12:00 - 1:00 pm
Ages 12 and under

Amber Woldeguioruis, “Kids in Motion”
Thursday, July 20
12:00 - 12:30 pm
Ages 12 and under

Grupo Cultural Latinos en Rochester, Inc. Performance
Thursday, August 3
12:00 - 12:45pm
Ages 12 and under

Andrew Flory: Songs and Songwriting Workshop
Friday, August 25
1:00 - 2:30pm
Ages 12 and under

Drum and Dance Party
Wednesday, June 28
2:00-3:00pm
All ages

Slime
Wednesday, July 12
2:00-4:00pm
All ages

Super Chalk Day
Wednesday, July 26
2:00-4:00pm
All ages

Water Balloon Battle
Wednesday, August 30
2:00-4:00pm
All ages

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**Local Author Story Hour**
Saturday, July 8  
11:00am–12:00pm  
Families  
Registration required

**Dino Day!**
Tuesday, July 15  
2:00–3:00pm  
Families  
Registration required

**Children’s Movie Night:**  
**Puss-in-Boots: The Last Wish**  
Thursday, August 10  
1:00–2:00pm  
Registration required

**End of Summer Party!**
Saturday, August 19  
11:00am–2:00pm  
Families

All programs are for children and are free.
SUMMER READING 2023 ~ MONROE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM

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Summer Reading 2023 ~ TEEN PROGRAMS ~ MONROE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM

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FOR TEENS 2023

Brighton Memorial Library
784-5300
Friendship Bracelets
Monday, July 3
1:00-2:00pm
Grades 4-12
No registration required

Escape Room
Thursday, July 20
1:00–4:00pm
Grades 4-12
Registration required

Care Kits
Monday, July 24
2:00-4:00pm
Grades 4-12
Registration required

Cupcake Wars
Thursday, August 3
1:00-2:30pm
Grades 4-12
Registration required

End-of-Summer Celebration
Thursday, August 17
6:00-7:00pm
Grades 6-12
Registration required

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Central Library of Rochester & Monroe County
428-8451
Climate Robot Rangers: A Youth Climate Data Literacy Program
Tuesdays & Thursdays: July 11—August 10
3:00–5:00pm
Grades 6-12
Kate Gleason Auditorium
Registration required

Girls Who Code Summer Club
Wednesdays: July 5—August 16
5:00-6:00pm
B-Hive Meeting Room
Grades 6-12
Registration required

End of Summer Reading Party and Magic Show
TBD
Children’s Room, 2nd Floor
All ages

Charlotte Branch Library
428-8216
Music with Mike and Jennifer
Children’s Room, 2nd Floor
Tuesdays: June 27 through August (Please check for updates on July & August dates)
10:30–11:30am
All ages

Ukulele, Guitar, and Drumming Lessons: For Beginner to Intermediate Musicians
(ukuleles will be provided by library)
Children’s Room, 2nd Floor
Thursdays: June 29 and July 27
1:00-2:00pm
All ages

End of Summer Reading Party and Magic Show
TBD
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Irondequoit Public Library
336-6060
Embodied Empowerment: Tween & Teen Yoga with Erin Wafer from StretchingKindness
Mondays: July 17 & August 14
4:00-5:00pm
Ages 10-18
Registration required

Workout Warriors
Friday, June 30
4:00-5:00pm
Ages 10-18
Registration required

Seneca Park Zoo
ZooMobile Presents: Amazing Adaptations
Friday, July 21
3:00-4:00pm
Ages 10-18
Registration required

Hooping for Every Body
with Benjamin Berry
Thursday, August 3
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Registration required

Crunchy Sam’s Critters
Friday, August 11
4:00-5:00pm
Ages 10-18
Registration required

Lyell Branch Library
428-8218
Teens DIY (Bath Bomb)
Tuesday, July 11
3:00-5:00pm
Ages 12-17

Teens DIY (Baseball Caps)
Tuesday, August 1
3:00-5:00pm
Ages 12-17

Friendship Trivia
Tuesday, August 8
3:00-5:00pm
Ages 12-17

Mendon Public Library
624-6067
Tweens DIY Monday: Donut Art
At the Library (Outside, if possible)
Thursday, June 29
1:00-2:00pm
Tweens & Teens
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Tweens DIY Tuesday: Puzzles
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Gates Public Library
247-6446
T-Shirt Painting
Monday, June 26
6:30-7:30pm
Ages 8-18
Registration required

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Locker Magnets
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10:00-11:00am
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All Together Now, Snack Food Preparation Saturday, July 22
10:00-11:30am
Ages 8-18
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College Eats Demo (what to eat/cook at college)
Saturday, August 5
10:30am-12:00pm
Grades 10 and up
Registration required

Summer Watercolor Painting
Saturday, August 12
10:00-11:30am
Ages 8-18
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Hamlin Public Library
964-2320
African Drumming and Stories with Mayukwa Kashiwa
Hamlin Town Hall
Wednesday, June 28
11:00-11:45am
All ages

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At the Library
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Ages 13+
Registration required

Altered Books Workshop
At the Library
Tuesday, August 8
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Teen Central……………… 428-8451
General Info……………… 428-7300

ARNETT BRANCH ………… 428-8214
310 Arnett Boulevard, Rochester

BRIGHTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY. ……………………. 784-5300
2300 Elmwood Avenue, Brighton

CHARLOTTE BRANCH ……… 428-8216
3557 Lake Avenue, Rochester

CHILI PUBLIC LIBRARY…….. 889-2200
3237 Chili Avenue

EAST ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY…………………… 586-8302
317 Main Street, East Rochester

FAIRPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY…223-9091
1 Fairport Village Landing, Fairport

FREDERICK DOUGLASS COMMUNITY LIBRARY……………….. 428-8206
(formerly Highland Branch)
971 South Avenue, Rochester

GATES PUBLIC LIBRARY………247-6446
902 Elmgrove Road

GREECE PUBLIC LIBRARY…… 225-8951
2 Vince Tofany Boulevard

HAMLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY…… 964-2320
1680 Lake Road, Hamlin

HENRIETTA PUBLIC LIBRARY……………….. 359-7092
625 Calkins Road, Henrietta

IRONDEQUOIT PUBLIC LIBRARY…………………… 336-6060
1290 Titus Avenue

LINCOLN BRANCH and TOY LIBRARY……………… 428-8210
851 Joseph Avenue, Rochester

LYELL BRANCH………………. 428-8218
956 Lyell Avenue, Rochester

MAPLEWOOD COMMUNITY LIBRARY………………. 428-8220
1111 Dewey Avenue, Rochester

MENDON PUBLIC LIBRARY………624-6067
22 North Main Street, Honeoye Falls

MONROE BRANCH ………… 428-8202
809 Monroe Avenue, Rochester

NEWMAN RIGA LIBRARY………293-2009
1 South Main Street, Churchville

OGDEN FARMERS’ LIBRARY…….. 617-6181
269 Ogden Center Road, Spencerport

PARMA PUBLIC LIBRARY……… 392-8350
7 West Avenue, Hilton

PENFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY…340-8720
1985 Baird Road, Penfield

PHILLIS WHEATLEY COMMUNITY LIBRARY……… 428-8212
33 Dr. Samuel McCree Way, Rochester

PITTSFORD COMMUNITY LIBRARY………………………… 248-6275
24 State Street, Pittsford

RUSH PUBLIC LIBRARY……… 533-1370
(Rush Town Hall)
5977 E. Henrietta Road, Rush

SEYMOUR LIBRARY ………… 637-1050
161 East Avenue, Brockport

SCOTTVILLE FREE LIBRARY………………………… 889-2023
28 Main Street, Scottsville

MUMFORD BRANCH……….. 538-6124
883 George Street, Mumford

SULLY BRANCH………………. 428-8208
530 Webster Avenue, Rochester

WEBSTER PUBLIC LIBRARY…………………………. 872-7075
Webster Plaza, 980 Ridge Road, Webster

WINTON BRANCH ………… 428-8204
611 Winton Road North, Rochester

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