



Northfield Township Area Library

SUMMER READING CLUB 2015 EVENTS

EVERY HERO HAS A STORY



Monday, June 15
11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
SUMMER READING CLUB KICK OFF
 Kick off Summer Reading Club with a romp in one of our two bounce houses. When you're done playing you can enjoy a refreshing SnoCone while you sign up for Summer Reading Club. This year we will be awarding prizes to the children who read the most. You can view the prizes when you sign up. Prizes will be awarded at the End of Summer Reading Club Party.



Tuesday, June 16
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
 All participants are required to bring a clean white t-shirt or other 100% cotton piece of clothing. You will be given the supplies and taught the technique to make a fabulous one-of-a-kind piece of clothing. This is the perfect opportunity to turn an item of clothing you thought was ruined into a work of art. *Children under the age of 5 will need parental supervision as we will be working with permanent markers.*



Wednesday, June 17
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME – Veterinarian Barb Griffith
 Our community's "Pet Hero," Dr. Barb will be here to read some very special pet stories. Afterward she will stick around to the children's questions.



Thursday, June 18
11:00 a.m.
ANIMALS AS SUPER HEROES
 Who can lift 4 times their own weight? Who is able to smell 100 times better than humans? Who can lift 4000 pounds? Who is able to see 100 times better than humans? Learn these fascinating and fun facts, and many more, in this exciting, hands-on live animal presentation. Mammals, reptiles, and amphibians will be featured in this all-time favorite.



Tuesday, June 23
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
Water Color Painting - Calling all budding artists!
 Today we will teach you a new technique. We'll supply the paint and paper. You supply the imagination and creativity! For younger children we will supply crayons and washable markers for their creations.



Wednesday, June 24
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME
 Nurses are Heroes! Today's guest reader, Nurse Michelle will be joining us to read a selection of children's books with a health theme. Afterward the children can ask Nurse Michelle questions.



Thursday, June 25
11:00 a.m.
DRUMMUNITY - Lori Fithian, drum circle facilitator will bring her collection of hand drums and percussion toys to the library to transform our library into a "Drummunity" – a word she invented for the community building that happens when people come together around a circle of drums. Fun for all ages!



Tuesday, June 30
1:00 – 2:30p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
 In honor of the Independence day we will be making Patriotic Wands -- perfect for waving in the Fourth of July Parade! Look for us in the parade!



Wednesday, July 1
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME – Fire Chief Wagner will be here to read some stories about firefighters and afterward he'll let you get a closer look at a fire truck!



Thursday, July 2
11:00a.m.
BUBBLES AND CHALK
 Join us on the library lawn to help us create some of the biggest bubbles you've ever seen! Then, turn your attention to the parking lot and join all the budding artists as they create a huge parking lot mural.



Tuesday, July 7
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
Dream Catchers - The Ojibwe people have an ancient legend about dream catchers. They believe dream catchers would filter out all bad dreams and only allow good thoughts to enter our mind. Once the sun rises, all bad dreams just disappear.



Wednesday, July 8
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME – State Police Officer Anthony Young will be here to read a couple of stories about police officers. Afterward he'll let you take a look inside his police car!



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Thursday, July 9
11:00 a.m.
ROCK AND ROLL SUPER HEROES
 Learn about the legends and heroes of rock and roll in this **fun, interactive** and **energizing** concert. This presentation will be a hit with kids from age 1 to 99.



Tuesday, July 14
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
Stained Glass Window Art.
 This week we will show you how to make a lovely stained glass looking piece of art. You can hang this beautiful art work in a window.



Wednesday, July 15
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME
Reverend Dan Flynn from Living Water Church will be our guest reader. Dan will be reading books about friendship.



Thursday, July 16
11:00 a.m.
KIDS ON THE MOVE - WHITMORE LAKE COMMUNITY RECREATION PROGRAM
 Will be here to show you how to get **active**, learn new **skills**, make new **friends** and have **fun!**



Tuesday, July 21
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
Super Hero Arm Bands
 Today we will be making Super Hero Arm bands. A perfect addition to the super hero cape that you will be designing on



Wednesday, July 22
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME –
Emergency Medical Technician
 from HVA will be here to read some stories about rescues to the children. Afterward the children can explore the rescue vehicle.

Thursday, at Super Hero Training Day! When worn together they will give you amazing super powers!



Thursday, July 23
11:00 a.m.
SUPER HERO TRAINING DAY
 Look! Up in the sky! It's a bird... or a plane! No, it's YOU! Today we will be transforming kids into Super Heroes.



Tuesday, July 28
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.
CRAFTERNOON
Back by popular demand – Picture Frames
 We will provide your children with all the supplies to make a one-of-a-kind picture frame. We will even take a photograph of your child to put in the frame.

We'll supply the cape and the face mask. They can supply the muscles to leap across tall buildings and lift 1000 lb. dumb bells. **Registration is required** for this free event. Please call 734-449-0066 or stop by the library to sign up



Wednesday, July 29
11:00 a.m.
HERO STORY TIME -
Therapy Dog Eleanor will be here with her owner Annie. Annie will read you some stories about dogs and tell you how her dog helped save a life. After story time Annie will let pet Eleanor and she'll have some coloring pages to take home.



Thursday, July 30
11:00 a.m.
END OF SUMMER READING CLUB PARTY
 Starting off the morning we will be entertained by Doug Scheer of **Adventures in Reading**. This program is an highly energetic, motivational show that has received rave reviews from countless teachers and librarians. During this reading safari, our hero Ed Venture helps children discover that reading leads to many rewards. Immediately following the show we will be serving pizza and a cool beverage. During this time we will announce the winners of the "Read Like a Hero" raffle. **Registration is required for this program.**

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