ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY™

POLK COUNTY LIBRARY’S SUMMER READING PROGRAM
JUNE 1-AUGUST 3

ALL AGE EVENTS

ADVENTURE BOUND: KICKOFF PARTY
Celebrate the start of summer reading with us at a big ‘ole party! All ages welcome.
Rayl Family Library, Bolivar
Saturday June 1, 1:00-4:00pm

PUTT-PUTT AROUND THE WORLD
Travel the world indoors, putt-putt style! All ages welcome.
Rayl Family Library, Bolivar
Thursday, June 20, 2:00-6:00pm

FAMILY FORT NIGHT
Come to the library after hours, build a fort and enjoy reading time as a family! Bring your own blankets and sheets. All ages welcome.
Rayl Family Library, Bolivar
Friday, June 28, 5:00-7:00pm

CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE
A classic adventure of your own choosing, travelling around the library. All ages welcome.
All Branches
July 1-6th

TABLETOP OLYMPICS
Compete against family and friends to see who will win the gold medal! All ages welcome.
Rayl Family Library, Bolivar
Friday, July 19, 1:00-4:00pm

WET-N-WILD
Enjoy water play, free food and drinks, and fun for all ages! All ages welcome.
Rayl Family Library, Bolivar
Thursday, July 25, 5:00-7:00pm

TO GET MORE INFORMATION ON PROGRAMS AND EVENTS HAPPENING AT POLK COUNTY LIBRARY AND TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS, SCAN HERE:

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BABY BOOKWORMS
Join Mrs. Beth for a story time geared towards the youngest of readers!
Mondays at 9:30am Ages 0-2

A SENSORY EXPEDITION
Explore a variety of age appropriate materials during this sensory filled free play event.
Wednesday, July 10 at 9:30am Ages 0-2

BABIES ON THE GO!*
Test out a variety of carrying devices and learn about the benefits of babywearing.
Tuesday, July 16 at 9:30am Ages 0-2

STORY HOUR
Join us for a fun and interactive story time!
Mondays & Thursdays at 11:00am Ages 3-5

ARTISTIC ADVENTURES
Let your little one’s imagination run wild as they explore all kinds of art materials! Come & Go
Friday, June 21 at 11:00am Ages 3-5

PARACHUTE PLAY*
Join us for fun and games with the big parachute.
Wednesday, July 17 at 11:00am Ages 3-5

ADVENTURE INTO THE ABSURD*
Join us for some silliness during Will Stuck's Adventure Into The Absurd.
Wednesday, June 5 at 5:30pm Ages 3-12

IT’S A ZOO IN HERE!* Critters, creatures and more presented by the Dickerson Park Zoo.
Thursday, June 13 at 5:30pm Ages 3-12

BOOKEISH BEGINNINGS
A fun mix of stories, games, and crafts!
Mondays at 4:00pm Ages 6-8

MUSIC AROUND THE WORLD*
Explore instruments and hear music from around the world.
Wednesday, June 19 at 3:00pm Ages 6-12

FISHIN’ MAGICIANS*
A fun afternoon of magic and mystery...and fishing?
Tuesday, June 25 at 3:00pm Ages 3-12

JUGGLING ESCAPADES*
Enjoy an afternoon of juggles and giggles with Jay and Leslie.
Friday, July 12 at 12:00pm Ages 3-12

AMAZING AMPHIBIANS & RADICAL REPTILES*
Join us with the Missouri Department of Conservation to see some live creatures and discover how to tell them apart.
Thursday, July 18 at 1:00pm Ages 6-12

FUTURE INNOVATORS: STEAM CLUB
Dive into the world of STEAM, learning through hands-on activities.
1st Thursdays at 4:00pm Ages 9-12

WILDERNESS SURVIVAL 101
Learn basic survival skills and put them to the test during a library scavenger hunt.
Ages 9-12 Wednesday, June 12 at 2:00pm
Ages 13-18 Wednesday, June 12 at 4:00pm

JUNGLE ESCAPE*
Can you escape the wild jungles of Jumanji?
Wednesday, June 26 Ages 9-12
10:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:00pm, 3:00pm

PAINTING FOR BEGINNERS *
Paint a picture following step-by-step instructions.
Tuesday, July 2 at 2:00pm Ages 9-18

SNACK SQUAD *
Travel the food world without leaving town!
2nd Tuesdays at 4:00pm Ages 13-18

MAKE IT! TEEN CRAFT CLASS *
Try your had at a new craft and have fun with friends in this class meant just for teens!
4th Saturdays at 12:30pm Ages 13-18

GEOQUEST-GEOCACHING 101
Learn the basics of geocaching before going on your own geocache hunt.
Saturday, June 29 11:00am Ages 13-18
Geocache Hunt runs July 1-31st Ages 13+

ADVENTURES IN VR *
Feel like you’re in another country without leaving town through the power of virtual reality. Call to sign up for a 15 minute time slot.
Wednesday, July 10 1:00-3:30pm Ages 13-18

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Join us for a fun and interactive story time!
Wednesdays at 11:00am Ages 3-5

SCIENCE NIGHT*
Explore a world of science.
4th Tuesdays at 5:30pm Ages 5-8

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A fun mix of stories, games, and crafts!
Wednesdays at 4:00pm Ages 6-8

ARTISTIC ADVENTURES*
Let your little one’s imagination run wild as they explore all kinds of art materials!
Friday, June 7 at 11:00am Ages 3-5

A SENSORY EXPEDITION*
Explore a variety of age appropriate materials during this sensory filled free play event.
Wednesday, June 19 at 10:00am Ages 0-2

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Saturday, July 20 at 2:30pm Ages 9-18

NOVEL IDEAS FICTION BOOK CLUB
Meet and discuss the monthly title with fellow fiction lovers.
1st Thursdays at 12:00pm Ages 18+

MAKE IT! ADULT CRAFT CLASS*
Try your hand at a new craft and have fun with friends!
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MONDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES
Enjoy free movies at the library! All ages welcome. Viewer discretion is advised.
Mondays at 5:30pm

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Tuesday, June 4 at 5:30pm Ages 18+

CBCO BLOOD DRIVE*
Support Community Blood Center of the Ozarks by donating blood.
Tuesday, July 9 2:00-6:00pm Ages 18+

GLOBAL GROOVES*
Dance around the world and learn new moves taught by professional instructors. Ages 18+
Latin Dancing- Saturday, June 22 at 3:00pm
Belly Dancing- Saturday, July 20 at 2:00pm

MURDER MYSTERY POTLUCK DINNER THEATRE*
Get ready for an evening of suspense as we uncover the truth lurking beneath the surface.
Friday, July 12 at 5:30pm, The Boiler Room
Ages 18+

GLOBETROTTER TRIVIA CHALLENGE
Test your global knowledge at trivia night.
Wednesday, July 17 at 6:00pm Ages 18+

TRAVELING SMART: ESSENTIAL TIPS
Learn travel tips, tricks and hacks from travel experts.
Thursday, June 27, at 6:00pm

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF BOOK CLUB
Read a book by the monthly author, then join us for discussion.
1st Tuesdays at 5:30pm Ages 18+

KNIT WITS
Knit, crochet, learn something new, or teach us something new.
1st Thursdays at 5:30pm Ages 18+

MYSTERY BOOK CHAT
Read a book by the monthly mystery author, and join us for book discussion.
3rd Thursdays at 5:30pm Ages 18+

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**LEGO CLUB**
Spark your child’s sense of imagination and creativity with LEGOs!
*1st Monday of the month at 4:00pm Ages 6-12*

**ARTISTIC ADVENTURES***
Let your little one’s imagination run wild as they explore all kinds of art materials!
*Friday, June 14 at 11:00am Ages 3-5*

**A SENSORY EXPEDITION***
Explore a variety of age appropriate materials during this sensory filled free play event.
*Wednesday, June 26 at 10:00am Ages 0-2*

**STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER**
Drop off your stuffed friends for a wild night at the library! Ages 0-8
*Drop off Friday, June 28 before 2:00pm
Pick up Saturday, June 29 after 10:00am*

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**DIAMOND PAINTING CLUB**
Bring the painting you’ve been working on to Diamond Painting Club!
*2nd & 4th Fridays of the month at 1:00pm*

**TAKE HOME CRAFT KITS**
Easy take home craft kits! All supplies are provided.

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