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SUMMER READING 2019

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

Summer Reading is generously sponsored
by the Friends of the Baldwin Public Library.



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BIRMINGHAM, BEVERLY HILLS, BINGHAM FARMS & BLOOMFIELD HILLS

FUN FOR CHILDREN

Babies to Grade 6



SUMMER READING KICKOFF! FRIDAY, JUNE 14 FROM 1:00 TO 4:00 P.M.

REGISTER FOR SUMMER READING AND JOIN US FOR CRAFTS, GAMES, AND MORE!

Summer Reading is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Baldwin Public Library.

REGISTRATION FOR ALL PROGRAMS BEGINS JUNE 1ST (EXCEPT MOTHER GOOSE, SING & TELL AND FULL STEAM AHEAD)

BALDWIN BOOSTERS ORIENTATION

SATURDAY, JUNE 8 AT 2:00 P.M.
SUMMER READING VOLUNTEERS
AGES 11 TO 14

Boosters earn community service hours by helping with Youth Summer Reading. Learn the duties, responsibilities, and what it takes to be a Baldwin Booster. *Pizza will be served. Applications are due Saturday, June 8. Registration required.*

BOOK CLUBS

FAMILY BOOK CLUB
GRADES 4 TO 6

TUESDAY, JULY 16 AT 7:00 P.M.

Read *THE COUNTDOWN CONSPIRACY* BY KATIE SLIVENSKY at home then join us for an evening of lively conversation. *The first 15 families to register will receive a free copy of the book thanks to the Hornac Endowment Fund. Registration required.*

MOMS BOOK CLUB

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24 AT 7:00 P.M.

Books generously donated by the Hornac Endowment Fund.

BRITT-MARIE WAS HERE
BY FREDRIK BACKMAN
Registration required.



JOIN THE RUFF READERS!

AGES 6 AND UP

TUESDAYS FROM 6:30 TO 7:30 P.M.

JUNE 25 • JULY 23 • AUGUST 6

SATURDAYS FROM 10:00 A.M. TO NOON

JUNE 15 • JULY 20 • AUGUST 3

Read aloud to the best listener on earth – a specially trained dog from Therapy Dogs International. **Registration required.**

SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS

STARLAB

THURSDAY, JUNE 20 AT 2:00, 2:40 OR 3:20 P.M.
GRADES K TO 5

Explore the night sky inside the Michigan Science Center's indoor portable planetarium! Learn about constellations, planetary orbits and more. **Registration required.**

SCIENCETELLERS: ALIENS

THURSDAY, JUNE 27 AT 2:00 P.M.

RECOMMENDED FOR AGES 5 TO 12

What do two kids, a family of aliens, and a crazy space scientist have in common? They are all part of an action-packed, educational adventure! Using science experiments for special effects, this show will be totally out of this world! **Registration required.**

A MUSICAL UNIVERSE OF SONGS AND STORIES

MONDAY, JULY 1 AT 10:30 A.M.

Rock out with your entire family at this family-friendly concert featuring Patricia Kjolhede from "Tunes n Tales by Tricia." **Registration required.**

THREE PIGS – LARGE AND IN CHARGE! PUPPET SHOW

TUESDAY, JULY 9 AT 2:00 P.M.

Comedian Eugene Clark presents an interactive show with hilarious puppets and plenty of audience participation. **Registration required.**



REPCO WILDLIFE ENCOUNTERS

THURSDAY, JULY 18 AT 2:00 P.M.

Meet animal species that have traveled into outer space! **Registration required.**

THE STORYTELLERS

UNIVERSE OF STORIES AND MUSIC

THURSDAY, JULY 25 AT 11:00 A.M.

This unique program combines interactive storytelling, music, and hands-on fun with musical instruments from around the world. Featured instruments include steel drums, balafon, didgeridoo, and many others! **Registration required.**

RAGS THE MINIATURE HORSE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1 AT 11:30 A.M.

Join us at Beverly Park in Beverly Hills to meet Rags, a miniature horse who is also a registered therapy animal. **Registration required.**

BAFFLING BILL'S

BLAST OFF WITH BOOKS MAGIC SHOW

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 AT 10:30 A.M.

POOF! In a brilliant flash, Baffling Bill the magician arrives to celebrate summer reading with illusion, comedy, audience participation and Gus the bunny. **Registration required.**

KIDSZONE @ THE FARMERS MARKET

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 2:00 P.M.

Baldwin is hosting the KidsZone @ the Birmingham Farmers Market! Baldwin Boosters will be on site to help everyone with a special craft.

STORY TIMES FOR KIDS & FAMILY

FAMILY STORY TIMES @ THE MUSEUM

THURSDAYS FROM 6:30 TO 7:00 P.M.

Join us for stories, songs, and activities hosted off site at the Birmingham Museum.

JUNE 13: 1...2...3... **BLAST OFF TO OUTER SPACE!**

JULY 11: **FUN IN THE TOY STORE**

AUGUST 8: **BEFORE AND AFTER**

Admission to the story time is free. Parking is available at the Chester Street Parking Structure. Registration required.

SENSORY STORY TIME

MONDAYS AT 10:00 AND 11:00 A.M.

JUNE: 17 • JULY: 15

Join us for a more laid-back, inclusive story time exploring sights, sounds, touch, and smells. **Registration required.**



FAMILY EVENTS

ANNUAL STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER MONDAY, JUNE 24 AT 6:30 P.M.

Get in your PJs, grab a stuffed friend, and join us for an evening of super silly story time fun! Then, tuck in your stuffed animal, kiss it good night, and leave it here for a library overnight! Collect your friend the next afternoon. *Please leave blankets and other accessories at home.*
Registration required.

GLOW IN THE DARK FAMILY STORY TIME WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26 AT 6:30 P.M.

The lights will be out, but there will be plenty to see under the black light. Wear white or fluorescent clothing and you will glow too. **Registration required.**

ART-STRONAUTS MONDAY, JULY 8 AT 2:00 P.M. ALL AGES

Let your imagination take off as you touch, manipulate, and create using a world of shapes, colors, and textures.
Registration required.



GOODNIGHT MOON PARTY THURSDAY, JULY 11 AT 10:30 A.M.

Celebrate this beloved book with games, songs, and other activities that will bring the great, green room to life.
Registration required.

MAGIC SCHOOL BUS IN OUTER SPACE FRIDAY, JULY 19 AT 11:00 A.M. GRADES K TO 6

Explore outer space with Miss Frizzle and the gang. Have fun with hands-on activities and experiments that will be out of this world! **Registration required.**

DOWN IN THE DIRT FAMILY STORY TIME MONDAY, JULY 29 AT 10:30 A.M.

You might get messy at this storytime full of fun and, of course, dirt! **Registration required.**

SPACE STATIONS SATURDAY, AUGUST 3 AT 11:00 A.M. RECOMMENDED FOR AGES 4 AND UP

Blast off, shoot for the moon, and reach for the stars at this space program full of activities and crafts all about space. **Registration required.**

GRADES 1 TO 6

CATCH THE READING BUG BOOK CLUB MONDAYS AT 2:00 P.M. JUNE 17 • JULY 15 • AUGUST 5 GRADES 1 TO 2

Come explore easy reader books combined with crafts and activities to keep improving your reading skills over the summer.
Registration required.

UNIVERSE OF FLAVORS TUESDAY, JUNE 25 GRADES 4 TO 6 : 2:00 P.M. GRADES 1 TO 3 : 4:00 P.M.

Make your own edible creations that are out of this world! *Allergens may be present. The Library is not a nut free facility.*
Registration required.

GALAXY SLIME TUESDAY, JULY 23 AT 2:00 P.M. GRADES 4 TO 6

Have fun making out of this world slime.
Registration required.

ASTRONAUT TRAINING CAMP THURSDAY, JULY 25 GRADES 4 TO 6 : 2:00 P.M. GRADES 1 TO 3 : 4:00 P.M.

Calling all space enthusiasts! Do you have what it takes to become an astronaut? Come test your skills with space-themed games and activities. **Registration required.**

SUPER MAGICAL UNICORN PARTY MONDAY, JULY 29 AT 1:30 P.M. GRADES 1 TO 3

Let's celebrate the magical world of unicorns! Join us for crafts, activities, and a special unicorn related snack.
Registration required.

READERS THEATER BOOT CAMP PRACTICES: MONDAY JULY 29 TO THURSDAY AUGUST 1 FROM 2:00 TO 3:30 P.M. PERFORMANCE : FRIDAY, AUGUST 2 AT 7:00 P.M. GRADES 3 TO 6

Back by popular demand! Get in on the action at our Readers Theater Boot Camp. Parts will be assigned on the first day. *Memorizing lines is not required and roles are available for everyone.*
Registration required.

NASA @ MY LIBRARY: SOLAR SCIENCE WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7 AT 2:00 P.M. GRADES 4 TO 6

Construct a person, animal or imaginary creature using UV-sensitive beads. Design and create a protective covering for your being. Then, test your design against UV radiation.
Registration required.

★ **REGISTRATION FOR ALL PROGRAMS BEGINS JUNE 1ST**
(EXCEPT MOTHER GOOSE, SING & TELL AND FULL STEAM AHEAD)

STORY TIME

BABIES THROUGH PRESCHOOL

BABYTIME

BIRTH TO 18 MONTHS

MONDAYS & TUESDAYS AT 10:00 & 11:00 A.M.

JUNE: 24, 25

JULY: 8, 9, 22, 23

AUGUST: 5, 6

For baby and a loving adult.
No registration required.

MOTHER GOOSE

1 ½ TO 2 ½ YEARS OLD

TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS AT 10:00 & 11:00 A.M.

JUNE: 18, 19

JULY: 2, 3, 16, 17, 30, 31

For child and a loving adult.
Registration required.

SING & TELL

2 ½ TO 3 ½ YEARS OLD

WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS AT 10:00 & 11:00 A.M.

JUNE: 26, 28

JULY: 10, 12, 24, 26

AUGUST: 7, 9

For child and a loving adult.
Registration required.

FULL STEAM AHEAD

3 ½ TO 5 YEARS OLD

TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS AT 2:00 P.M.

JUNE: 18, 19

JULY: 2, 3, 16, 17, 30, 31

For child and a loving adult. Explore a new SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, ART or MATH concept each week.
Registration required.

PROJECT KIDSIGHT

VISION SCREENING FOR KIDS

THURSDAY, JUNE 27 : 1:30 TO 3:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, JULY 19 : 10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8: 10:00 A.M. TO NOON

This free vision screening for ages 6 months and up is fast, non-invasive, and has an accuracy rating of 98%. *Sponsored by the Beverly Hills Lions Club*



JUST FOR TEENS

Grades 6 to 12



SUMMER READING KICKOFF!

FRIDAY, JUNE 14 FROM 1:00 TO 4:00 P.M.

Stop by the Teen Scene to sign up for the Summer Reading program. Grab some candy, make a button, and enter into a drawing!

REMEMBER

PROGRAMS ARE FOR TEENS GRADES 6-12, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

Please note that parents and younger siblings will not be able to attend teen programs.

EXAM CRAM WITH THERAPY DOGS

**SATURDAY, JUNE 8 FROM 5:30 TO 8:30 P.M.
GRADES 9 TO 12**

Are finals stressing you out? PAWS from studying and pet a therapy dog. After the library closes to the public, high school students will have the whole library to themselves! *Pizza will be provided. Registration is not required.*

PIZZA & PAGES

Join us for pizza and a book discussion. *The first 10 teens to register get a free book, thanks to the Friends of Baldwin Public Library!* THIS BOOK CLUB IS CO-SPONSORED BY JET'S PIZZA. **Registration required.**

**HIGH SCHOOL GRADES 9 TO 12
FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M.**

JUNE 6: *HEY, KIDDO* BY JARRETT J. KROSOCZKA

JULY 11: *THE POET X* BY ELIZABETH ACEVEDO

AUGUST 1: *ILLUMINAE*
BY AMIE KAUFMAN AND JAY KRISTOFF

**MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADES 7 TO 8
FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M.**

JUNE 4: *THE DREADFUL TALE OF PROSPER REDDING*
BY ALEXANDRA BRACKEN

JULY 2: *NEPTUNE PROJECT* BY POLLY HOLYOKE

AUGUST 6: *SHOOTING KABUL* BY N. H. SENZAI

TEEN VOLUNTEER PROJECT TO HELP HOMELESS PETS

SATURDAY, JUNE 29 FROM 12:30-4:30 P.M.

Create toys and supplies for homeless pets to earn community service hours for school. All items made will be donated to Paws for Life Rescue to provide enrichment for the animals in their care. **Please bring any required school service forms to the program. Those who do not need service hours are also welcome! Registration is required.**

Note: There will be adoptable animals at this event.

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SUMMER TEEN PROGRAMS

WEIRD SPACE

THURSDAY, JUNE 20 AT 7:00 P.M.

Discover what it's like to live in zero gravity, experiment with UV-sensitive beads, and eat astronaut ice cream! A NASA solar system ambassador will lead this program. **Registration required.**

ESCAPE THE ROOM, WITH GAME OF CLUES

FRIDAY, JUNE 21 AT 3:00 P.M.

You are a superhero and your sidekick is being held captive by an evil villain! You will have 45 minutes to solve clues, figure out riddles, and crack codes in order to save your sidekick in time. **Registration required.**

CHILL WITH DR. NITRO

THURSDAY, JULY 18 AT 6:30 P.M.

Science can be fun and delicious with Dr. Nitro's Dessert Lab. After a hands-on Mad Science Show, everyone will get to make their own liquid nitrogen ice cream sundaes. **Registration required.**

END OF SUMMER READING LOCK-IN

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10 FROM 6:30 TO 9:30 P.M.

Celebrate the end of the summer reading program with pizza, ice cream, video games, laser tag, a movie, crafts, and more! Prizes will be awarded at this event. **Registration and signed permission slip required.**

CODE · GAME · WRITE · CRAFT

CODING CLUB

**TUESDAYS IN THE COMPUTER LAB
FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M.**

JUNE 11: GDEVELOP

JULY 9: MINECRAFT CODING

AUGUST 13: INTRO TO PYTHON

Join us in the computer lab for some fun coding exercises and games! No prior experience necessary. **Registration required, space is limited.**



OPEN GAMING

THURSDAYS FROM 7:00 TO 8:30 P.M.

JUNE: 27 · JULY: 25

Play the library's Nintendo Switch and PS4 with Sony VR headset. We have games, but feel free to bring an E or T rated game to play with the group. Not into video games? Bring your card/board games! Snacks always provided and new faces always welcome. **Registration is not required.**

MAKER MONDAYS

MONDAYS FROM 4:00 TO 5:00 P.M.

Drop in and make something! **Registration required.**

JUNE 17: ZODIAC TOTE BAGS — LEARN THE TECHNIQUE OF FREEZER PAPER STENCILING AND MAKE A TOTE BAG WITH THE ZODIAC SIGN OF YOUR CHOICE

JULY 1: GALAXY SLIME — CREATE YOUR OWN GLITTERY SLIME INSPIRED BY SPACE

JULY 15: CYANOTYPE SUN PRINTS — EXPLORE THE ART OF PRINTING WITH THE POWER OF THE SUN

JULY 29: GALAXY BATH BOMBS — TREAT YO SELF WITH A FRAGRANT RELAXING BATH, FILLED WITH A BEAUTIFUL, SWIRLING, FIZZING NEBULA OF COLOR

"OUT OF THIS WORLD" WRITING CONTEST

Submit a short story in the science fiction or fantasy genre. Must be 1000-2500 words total. Stories will be judged in two different categories: grades 6-8 and grades 9-12. One grand prize of a \$50 Amazon gift card will be awarded to a winner from each age bracket. *The contest will be judged by librarians. Entries will be accepted June 15-August 10. See www.baldwinlib.org/teen for more details regarding rules and entry instructions.*

SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR TEENS & ADULTS

INTRO TO CODING WORKSHOPS, WITH GRAND CIRCUS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12: 6:00 TO 8:30 P.M.

SATURDAY, JULY 13: 2:00 TO 4:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7: 6:00 TO 8:30 P.M.

GRADE 9 TO ADULT

Grand Circus has partnered with us to bring you these FREE workshops. This workshop is designed for those who are curious about coding, but who have very little or no coding experience. *By the year 2020, there will be over one million open computer-programming jobs. Grand Circus aims to help fill those positions, one coder at a time. Registration required. Please bring a laptop with Google Chrome downloaded on it.*

WORLD CUP FINAL WATCH PARTY

SUNDAY, JULY 7 AT 11:00 A.M.

Join us to watch the Women's World Cup final match broadcast live from France. Wear the kit of your favorite team and enjoy some French breakfast bites. **All ages are welcome. Registration required.**

HARRY POTTER TRIVIA NIGHT

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 FROM 7:00 TO 8:30 P.M.

GRADE 6-ADULT

See who has the ultimate Harry Potter knowledge. Come as a team (of 6 people or less) or come solo and join a team. *Costumes and wizarding apparel encouraged. Snacks and prizes will be provided. Registration required.*

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

SUMMER ADULT PROGRAMS

BPL @ THE FARMERS MARKET

SUNDAY, JUNE 9 FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 2:00 P.M.

BPL staff will be at The Birmingham Farmers Market to show off our 3D printing technology, library card sign-up, program registration, and giveaways. Fun for the whole family!

STARLAB

THURSDAY, JUNE 20 AT 6:15 OR 7:00 P.M.

Take a tour of the night sky in this portable planetarium show hosted by the Michigan Science Center. **Registration required.**

BEHIND THE CURTAIN

TUESDAY, JUNE 25 AT 7:00 P.M.

Hear stories from the creative teams at the Michigan Opera Theatre about their upcoming productions. **Registration required.**

COOKBOOK CLUB

TUESDAY, JULY 9 AT 7:00 P.M.

Prepare a dish from *The Outdoor Table* by April McKinney to share potluck style. *BPL cardholders who register by June 14th will be entered in a drawing to win a copy of the cookbook. This picnic edition of the Cookbook Club will meet in the pavilion at Beverly Park, at 18801 Beverly Rd. Registration required.*

DOOMED, INSIGNIFICANT, AND IGNORANT: MODERN COSMOLOGY

MONDAY, JULY 22 AT 7:00 P.M.

Dr. David Cinabro from Wayne State University will teach us about the origin, fate, and mysteries of our Universe. **Registration required.**

TAKE FLIGHT, WITH NICHOLAS TUPPER

TUESDAY, JULY 23 AT 7:00 P.M.

Join Nick, his father, and other student pilots to hear stories from zero to hero and everything in between. **Registration required.**

GROWN AND GEEKY LEGO PARTY

THURSDAY, JULY 25 AT 7:00 P.M.

LEGO blocks aren't just for kids. Bring your own LEGO kit to construct or use one of the Library's. Follow the directions or create your own masterpiece. **Registration required.**

HISTORY OF THE BLUES, PART TWO, WITH JOEY LEONE

SATURDAY, JULY 27 AT 7:00 P.M.

Blues man Joey Leone is back by popular demand for more history of blues music at this special after hours event that will rock your socks off. **Registration required.**

HERBAL REMEDIES, WITH CARMEN MALIS KING

MONDAY, AUGUST 12 AT 7:00 P.M.

Learn to make healing salves and tinctures from local plants in this hands-on workshop with a professional herbalist and integrative health expert. **Registration required.**

SUMMER READING FINALE: THE KONMARI METHOD WITH KATE SOOD

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 AT 7:00 P.M.

Learn about living a tidy life with the KonMari Method made popular by Marie Kondo. Summer reading prizes will be awarded! **Registration required.**

FOOD PRESERVATION

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21 AT 7:00 P.M.

Robin Danto from the MSU Extension Office will share the best way to preserve fresh summer fruits and vegetables so you can enjoy the harvest all winter long. **Registration required.**

GET CRAFTY!

HAPPY LITTLE PAINT-ALONG

MONDAY, JUNE 10 AT 7:00 P.M.

Paint along to some relaxing art instruction. The Library will provide all the tools and materials you need. **Registration required.**

MOON PHASES WALL HANGING

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19 AT 7:00 P.M.

Make a dreamy wall hanging inspired by the phases of the moon to add bohemian charm to any room. **Registration required.**

BEESWAX WRAPS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 AT 7:00 P.M.

Looking for ways to cut plastic use in your kitchen? We will use beeswax and cotton cloth to make reusable food storage wraps. **Registration required.**

EUROPEAN BOUQUETS WITH ENGLISH GARDENS

MONDAY, AUGUST 5 AT 7:00 P.M.

Use chrysanthemums, Fuji mums, alstroemeria, limonium, baker fern and silver dollar to assemble a gorgeous French bouquet to take home. **\$15 nonrefundable fee. Registration required.**



SUMMER READING KICKOFF!

FRIDAY, JUNE 14 FROM 1:00 TO 4:00 P.M.

Stop by the Library to sign up for Summer Reading and earn chances to win great prizes all summer long!

THROWBACK THURSDAYS WITH THE BIRMINGHAM MUSEUM

FASH BASH AT JAKE'S - 60'S STYLE! THURSDAY, JUNE 13 AT 7:00 P.M.

Birmingham, the 1960s, and Jacobson's. This program will highlight the stunning dresses and accessories sold by Jacobson's and the original fashion photos taken in and around the city during the store's heyday. **Registration required.**

BIRMINGHAM: AMERICA'S SHETLAND PONY CAPITAL THURSDAY, JULY 18 AT 7:00 P.M.

Once upon a time the quiet village of Birmingham was the place to buy the highly desirable Shetland breed of pony, which were used on farms and in summertime amusements at Belle Isle, Boblo Island, and Palmer Park. Hear all of Birmingham's "pony tales." **Registration required.**

BIRMINGHAM AT THE MOVIES THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 AT 7:00 P.M.

From actors to directors, film industry pros have looked to Birmingham as a source of inspiration for their movies, but why? See clips and learn about how our city has influenced the film and television industry. **Registration required.**

DISCUSSION GROUPS

SOCIAL KNITWORKING 3RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 2:00 P.M. JUNE: 19 • JULY: 17 • AUGUST: 21

Join Baldwin's social "knitworkers" for some friendly knitting, crocheting, and chatting. All skill levels are welcome.

SOCRATES CAFÉ 3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AT 2:00 P.M.

This group meets monthly on the 3rd Sunday at 2:00 P.M. for thoughtful conversation on a different topic each month.

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION GROUP WEDNESDAYS FROM 6:45 TO 8:45 P.M. JUNE: 5 & 19

Explore the Great Books as group members take turns facilitating the discussions. Check the Library's calendar for each date's reading selection.

MORE SUMMER PROGRAMS

- WORLD CUP FINAL WATCH PARTY
- HARRY POTTER TRIVIA NIGHT

- INTRO TO CODING WORKSHOPS WITH GRAND CIRCUS

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BOOK CLUBS & TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

BOOK CLUBS

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

2ND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 2:00 P.M.

JUNE 12: *THIS IS YOUR LIFE, HARRIET CHANCE!*
BY JONATHAN EVISON

JULY 10: *KILLERS OF THE FLOWER MOON*
BY DAVID GRANN

AUGUST 14: *THE LEISURE SEEKER*
BY MICHAEL ZADOORIAN

FRIENDS DON'T LET FRIENDS READ ALONE

3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:00 P.M.

JUNE 18: *MIDWINTER BREAK*
BY BERNARD MACLAVERTY

JULY 16: *AN AMERICAN MARRIAGE* BY TAYARI JONES

AUGUST 20: *SOUSPOURDOUGH* BY ROBIN SLOAN

BOOKS & BREWS

4TH WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH
AT 7:00 P.M. AT DICK O'DOWS

JUNE 26: *LESS* BY ANDREW SEAN GREER

JULY 24: *ELEANOR OLIPHANT IS COMPLETELY FINE*
BY GAIL HONEYMAN

AUGUST 28: *BORN A CRIME* BY TREVOR NOAH

NEXT POPULAR READS BOOK CLUB

THIS BOOK CLUB MEETS AT BIRMINGHAM NEXT
2ND MONDAY OF THE MONTH AT 1:00 P.M.

JUNE 10: *THE GREAT BELIEVERS*
BY REBECCA MAKKA

JULY 8: *THE NIGHT TIGER* BY YANGSZE CHOO

AUGUST 12: *ALL WE EVER WANTED* BY EMILY GIFFIN

PAGE TO SCREEN

SUNDAYS AT 1:00 P.M.

Watch a film and then stay to discuss both the film
and the book that inspired it.

JUNE 2: *FIRST MAN: THE LIFE OF NEIL A. ARMSTRONG*
BY JAMES R. HANSEN (Film is PG-13)

JULY 14: *HIDDEN FIGURES* BY MARGOT LEE
SHETTERLY (Film is PG)

AUGUST 4: *2001: A SPACE ODYSSEY*
BY ARTHUR C. CLARKE (Film is G rated)

NONFICTION @ NEXT

THIS BOOK CLUB MEETS AT BIRMINGHAM NEXT
2ND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH AT 10:00 A.M.

JUNE 13: *THE DEATH AND LIFE OF THE
GREAT LAKES* BY DAN EGAN

JULY 11: *SYMPHONY FOR THE CITY OF THE
DEAD*, BY M.T. ANDERSON

AUGUST 8: *EDUCATED*
BY TARA WESTOVER



BPL COMPUTER CLASSES

PLEASE VISIT BALDWINLIB.ORG FOR A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE CLASSES BEING OFFERED.

CREATE LASTING MEMORIES WITH A PHOTOBOOK

THURSDAYS, JUNE 6 & 13 AT 6:30 P.M.
\$10.00, Registration required.

EMAIL BASICS: GMAIL

SATURDAY, JUNE 8 AT 2:30 P.M.
\$5.00, Registration required.

GOOGLE DRIVE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12 AT 6:30 P.M.
\$5.00, Registration required.

SHOP SAFELY ONLINE

FRIDAY, JUNE 14 AT 10:00 A.M.
\$5.00, Registration required.

VIDEO GAMING

TUESDAYS AT 6:30 P.M.
JUNE 18: FORTNITE • JULY 16: DOTA 2
AUGUST 20: WARFACE
Registration required.

WORD 2016: AN INTRODUCTION

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19 AT 2:30 P.M.
\$5.00, Registration required.

ADOBE LIGHTROOM: AN INTRODUCTION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10 & 17 AT 6:30 P.M.
\$10.00, Registration required.

EXCEL 2016: CREATING SPREADSHEET

THURSDAYS, JULY 11 & 18 AT 6:30 P.M.
\$10.00, Registration required.

VIDEO EDITING

SATURDAYS, JULY 20 & 27 AT 2:30 P.M.
\$10.00, Registration required.



THE IDEA LAB

FIND US AT BALDWINLIB.ORG/IDEALAB TO LEARN MORE AND
SEE OUR OPEN HOURS, AVAILABLE SERVICES, AND EVENTS!

PROJECT: LIFTOFF

SATURDAY, JUNE 1: 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6: 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

Visit the Idea Lab to build and launch
your own rockets!

NASA MODEL GROUP BUILD

AGES 10+

THURSDAY, JUNE 20: 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

Lend a hand to the effort to build a model
of a NASA craft.

FINDING 3D MODELS ONLINE

MONDAYS AT 7:00 P.M.

JUNE: 24 • JULY: 22 • AUGUST: 26

Discover resources for finding high quality 3D
models online. Registration required.

SHARE WHAT YOU'VE MADE IN THE LAB ON SOCIAL MEDIA USING THE TAG #BPLIDEALAB OR VISIT THE TAG TO GET PROJECT IDEAS.

VLOOKUP AND PIVOT TABLES IN EXCEL 2016

THURSDAY, JULY 25 AT 6:30 P.M.
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CLASSES @ BIRMINGHAM NEXT

THE CLASSES BELOW ARE HELD AT BIRMINGHAM NEXT.

WORD 2016: AN INTRODUCTION

TUESDAY, JUNE 4 AT 6:30 P.M.

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TUESDAY, JULY 2 AT 6:30 P.M.

POWERPOINT 2016: AN INTRODUCTION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6 AT 6:30 P.M.

USING THE LASER

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JUNE: 27 • JULY: 25 • AUGUST: 29

Get certified to use the Idea Lab's laser engraver
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RESIN GALAXIES

THURSDAY, JULY 11: 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, JULY 13: 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

Drop in to make a miniature galaxy to hold
in the palm of your hand and keep forever.

LASER CUT STAR MAPS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3: 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8: 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

Use the laser engraver to make a star map
commemorating an important date in your life.

LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

Once again, the Library is offering its annual summer reading program! The goals are to:

- Motivate children and teens to read
- Encourage them to develop positive attitudes about books
- Maintain their reading skills during vacation
- Give them opportunities to learn more about our world and universe

The theme of this year's program is "A Universe of Stories," with a special emphasis on outer space. And the activities are not just for children and teens: We have a wide variety of offerings for adults as well. Browse through this newsletter, mark down the events that interest you, and register yourself and your children.

Baldwin's Idea Lab—home of 3D printers, laser engravers, heat presses, and much more!—will be fully participating in the activities. It will offer programs on rockets, star maps, and resin galaxies.

Right after the summer reading program ends, Baldwin will embark on an expansion and renovation of its Youth Room. Naming rights are still available for the project, and a \$1,000 contribution will get your name on the donor plaque in the Youth Room. If you are interested in assisting, contact me at doug.koschik@baldwinlib.org or 248-554-4681.

We are going to end up with a much more beautiful, spacious, and handicap-accessible Youth Room than we currently have. Before the long-term gain, however, there will be some short-term pain. For several months, the Library will be dustier and noisier than usual, space will be constrained, and a number of books will be placed in storage. In order to help out, consider participating in our "Save Our Stories" program. Starting on August 1, check out youth items from the Library on a long-term basis and store them at your home. The items will be due on June 1, 2020.



On Saturday, June 8, the Library is offering an "exam cram" for students from grades 9 to 12. It will take place from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., after the Library closes to the public. High school students will have the whole Library to themselves. Pizza will be provided, as well as therapy dogs from the PAWS program.

Doug Koschik

Doug Koschik, Library Director

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Registration required.

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Learn about streaming digital movies from Kanopy's extensive library on your streaming player, mobile device, or online.
Registration required.

PODCASTS MONDAY, AUGUST 19 AT 7:00 P.M.

Podcasts are a great way to get information and entertainment at the tip of your fingers. Learn all about them in this class. **Registration required.**

SATURDAY DIGITAL DROP-INS SATURDAY MORNINGS AT 10:00 A.M.

Do you need help downloading the latest eBook or have questions about that app on your phone? If so, drop in for some help.
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