

BUILD A BETTER WORLD™



Atlantic County Library System 2017 Summer Reading Program

KICKOFF

June 19-July 1

Open to children & teens.
Pick up your reading log & register for exciting summer programs.

SUMMER READING HIDE & SEEK

June 19- August 12

Suggested for ages 3-12.
There's a special object hidden somewhere in the children's section. Find it, tell us & win a yummy, nutritious treat. Find something new each week!

LITTLE BUILDERS: PLAY DATE AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesdays, July 5-August 9, 10 am

Suggested for ages 6-36 months.
Registration requested.
Enjoy stories, rhymes & songs with your little one.

BOOK TIME WITH RONALD MCDONALD

Thursday, July 6, 10 am

Open to kids of all ages. Registration requested.
Ronald McDonald entertains & inspires through music, magic & more.

ONE WEIRD! MORNING

Friday, July 7, 11 am

Suggested for ages 5-9.
Registration requested.
Author Erin Frankel reads from her Weird! series. She shares her writing process & discusses her anti-bullying books.

LITTLE BUILDERS: STORYTIME

Tuesdays, July 11-August 8, 1 pm

Open to ages 3½-7.
Join us for stories, music & party dances.

TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES:*

Tuesday, July 11, 6-7:30 pm: *Moana*

Tuesday, August 8, 6-7:30 pm: *Sing*

Open to all.
Snacks served.

BUILD A BETTER WORLD: DOG TOYS

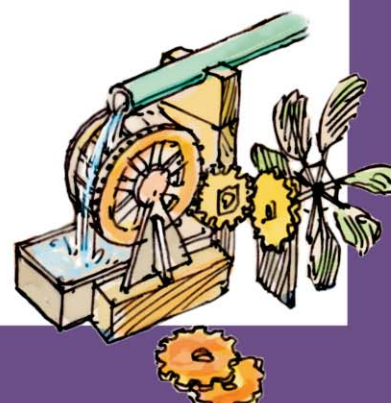
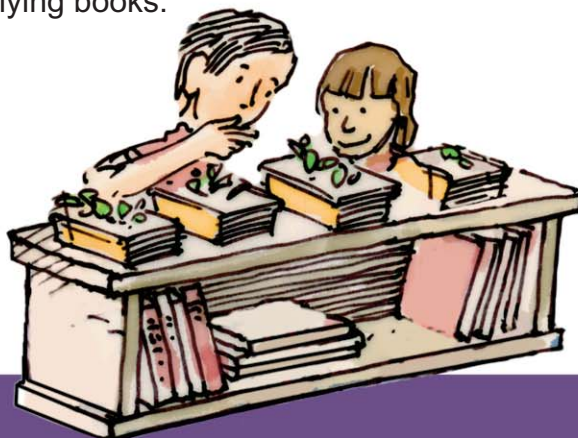
Wednesday, July 12, 2 pm

Suggested for ages 5 & older.
Registration requested.
Make dog toys out of old t-shirts & towels. Materials will be provided. All toys created will be donated to the Humane Society of Atlantic County.

CREATE A CARD, SEND A SMILE

Saturdays, July 15-August 12, 10 am-12 noon

Open to kids of all ages.
Stop by the Children's Section to make a card & send well wishes.
7/15: Residents at Meadowview
7/22: Veterans (via Operation Gratitude)
7/29: Hospitalized Children (via Cards for Hospitalized Kids)
8/5: First Responders (via Operation Gratitude)
8/12: The Newly Enlisted (via Operation Gratitude)



**BUILD A BETTER WORLD:
DECORATIVE PINS & FLOWERS***

Wednesday, July 19, 2 pm

Suggested for ages 7 & older.
Registration requested.

Help create paper flowers & decorative pins to be donated to the residents at Meadowview Nursing & Rehabilitation Center.

**A WORLD OF ANIMALS
WITH THE CAPE MAY COUNTY
ZOO**

Thursday, July 20, 10:30 am

Open to all.
Registration requested.

Learn about the Cape May County Zoo & how you can help support Earth's many creatures—you might even get to touch one!

KIDS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!*

Monday, July 24, 11 am

Suggested for ages 6 & older.
Registration requested.

Kids can help build a sustainable tomorrow in this interactive presentation filled with fun hands-on activities.

**TEEN MYSTERY ROOM
CHALLENGE***

Tuesday, July 25, 6-7:30 pm

Open to ages 12 & older.
Registration requested.

Work in teams to find a series of clues to solve a mystery & claim a prize. Similar concept to escape room challenges but in an open meeting room setting.

**BUILD A BETTER WORLD:
PAINTED STONES***

Wednesday, July 26, 2 pm

Suggested for ages 5 & older.
Registration requested.

Paint a stone to be placed in the garden beds surrounding the library & help make the Mays Landing Branch a more colorful place.

GETTING CRAFTY*

Tuesday, August 1, 2:30 pm

Suggested for ages 4-12.
Registration requested.

Get in on the fun & make a craft of your choice.

BIRDHOUSE CONSTRUCTION*

Tuesday, August 8, 2:30 pm

Suggested for ages 8 & older.

Build a better world for our winged friends by assembling a birdhouse.

LEGO CONTEST

Wednesday, August 9, during library hours.

Open to children & teens.
Build a unique creation (no kits) using your own Legos or other compatible bricks.

Pick up the contest guidelines & entry form for your submission.

All entries must be delivered to the library by 7pm.

AWARD CEREMONY*

Thursday, August 10, 2 pm

Open to all.

Check out the LEGO projects submitted as we announce this year's winners.

BUILD A SONG SING-ALONG

Tuesday, August 15, 1 pm

Open to all.

Join Grandfather Joe for a rousing afternoon sing-along.

**BUILD A BETTER WORLD—
CELEBRATE!***

Thursday, August 17, 2-3:30 pm

Open to all.

Turn in your reading logs & celebrate the end of our Summer Reading Program with fun games, snacks & prizes.

*Sponsored by the Atlantic County Library Foundation.

Please advise of any food allergies.



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