

Our newsletter is going back to a weekly schedule for the summer. Look forward to the next one on June 10th, where we will list all of the programs for that week.

Want to see our last newsletter, please click here.

Now let's dive into everything you need to know about Summer Reading and more!

Summer Reading Overview

Summer Reading, here we come!

The theme this year is: Read, Renew, Repeat!

Everyone is eligible to sign up! We have three programs:

- Ages 0-11 will sign up for the Children's program. (Note: if your child is going into 6th grade, they will sign up for the Teen program.)
- Ages 11-19 will sign up for the Teen program.
- · Ages 20 and older will sign up for the Adult program.

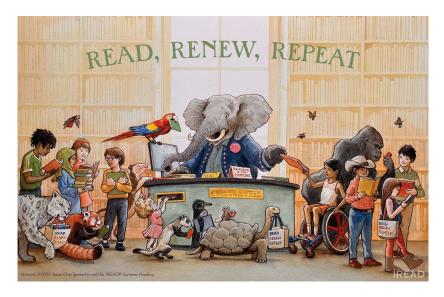
Summer Reading will begin on Monday, June 10th and end on Saturday, August 3rd. The last day to sign up for a summer reading program will be Saturday, July 13th.

All books (Adult's), reading minutes (Teen's) and activities (Children's) must be entered into **Beanstack** by 4:59pm on Saturday, August 3rd. If you're not using Beanstack, make sure to visit or call any of the Tillamook County Library branches before 4:30pm on August 3rd. August 3rd is also the last day to be entered into the grand prize drawings for Teens and Adults, and the last day to earn prizes and a party invitation for Children.

Worried about remembering all the times and dates in this newsletter? Never fear! We will be posting about all of our programs on social media, our website, and here in the newsletter throughout the summer.

And finally, make sure to join us for Grub Club free summer lunch at the Tillamook Main Library, June 10th through August 30th at 11:30am. Children up to age 18 are eligible. No questions asked!

Summer Reading for Children



Are you ready to jump into a good book? Here is what we have planned for kids 0 to 11!

On June 10th, open up the Summer Reading packet your child received at school or from the Bookmobile. If your child is homeschooled, younger than 5, or didn't receive a sign-up packet, stop by any Tillamook County Library branch to pick one up. These packets include a BINGO activity sheet, general instructions on how to complete each activity, and all the needed components to complete the program. Also included is a schedule of our summer programs for kids. Make sure to find and fill out the registration card in the packet and return it to your local library branch. Once the registration card is returned, your child will get to choose a free book!

To participate in Summer Reading, help your children complete the activities on their BINGO sheet. If your family is unable to complete an activity, you can check off that BINGO square by reading: 30 minutes (ages 7-11) or 3 books (ages 0-6).

Children can choose prizes as they complete BINGO rows and columns, or they can hold onto their sheets and choose prizes all at once at Prize-A-Palooza on Friday, August 2nd and on Saturday, August 3rd. With a completed BINGO sheet, at Prize-A-Palooza you can earn a total of 5 free books, 5 treasure chest choices, a free t-shirt, a goody bag (Prize-A-Palooza only), and an invitation to the End-of-Summer-Reading Party at the Tillamook Main Library on Saturday, August 17th, with guest star Mo Phillips and his band! At the End-of-Summer-Reading Party we'll have pizza, cake and lots of chances for prizes!

Are you travelling this summer and can't make it to Prize-A-Palooza? You can pick up any prizes you have earned until Friday, August 16th or while supplies last.

Every Wednesday at the Tillamook Main Library we will be showing movies at 12:00pm. We will be sitting on the floor, so feel free to bring pillows and we'll bring the snacks!

Every Thursday at the Tillamook Main Library, we will be hosting a variety of performances at 2:00pm. Performances at the Tillamook County Library branches will vary, please check the schedule below. Please note: all Tillamook County Libraries will be closed Thursday, July 4th, so the performance at the Tillamook Main Library that week will be on Wednesday, July 3rd at 2:00pm after the movie.

Along with all of these great programs, each week there will also be a new takehome craft activity for ages 2-6 and 7-11 available at all Tillamook County Library branches.

The Children's Summer Reading Program Schedule



Summer Reading for Teens



Starting June 10th, teens and tweens who are 11 (and going INTO 6th grade) to 19 can register for Summer Reading online with **Beanstack**. Once registered, teens can come into any Tillamook County Library branch and pick up a rechargeable flashlight and a free book! To earn an entry into the grand prize drawings, please read 600 minutes (10 hours). For additional entries, read up to 1000 minutes (16 hours and 40 minutes), or read up to 2000 minutes (33 hours and 20 minutes), or attend any of our summer reading programs.

There are nine grand prizes this year. You have a chance to win one of eight bowling passes or one pinball party from North Coast Pinball!

We have spectacular presenters joining us this summer!

- On Tuesday, July 9th at 3:00pm, join Josh Bryce (a Game Design Scholar) at the Tillamook Main Library to explore and learn the basics of game and level design using Mario Maker 2.
- On Tuesday, July 23rd and Wednesday, July 24th, join Carlos Nieto III (a former animation industry insider) at 4:00pm to learn about manga character design, page layout, panel composition, and story development!

In addition, we have magnificent monthly programs planned! Join us for Writing Club at 3:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. Come watch anime with us at 3:00pm every Thursday, starting June 13th until August 1st (Please note: all Tillamook County Libraries will be closed Thursday, July 4th). We'll also have Drop-in Creations!

For Drop-in Creations at the Tillamook Main Library, visit us at 3:00pm on:

- Tuesday, June 18th for Melted Crayon Jewelry
- Tuesday, July 2nd for Makeup Watercolor Paints
- Tuesday, July 16th for T-Shirt Pillowcases
- · Tuesday, July 30th for Recycled Paper Making

For Drop-in Creations at the South Tillamook County Library in Pacific City, visit us at 3:00pm on:

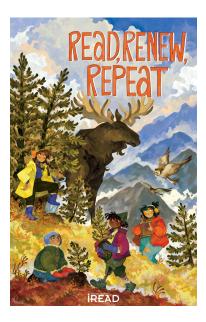
- Monday, June 17th for Melted Crayon Jewelry
- Friday, July 5th for Makeup Watercolor Paints
- Friday, July 19th for T-Shirt Pillowcases
- · Friday, August 2nd for Recycled Paper Making

For even more fun, we'll have Friday Gaming! Join us at the Tillamook Main Library at 3:00pm on:

- June 14th, to play Super Mario Party on Switch
- June 28th, to play DragonBall Xenoverse on Xbox
- July 12th, to play Sonic Sega All-Stars Racing on Wii
- July 26th, to play Super Smash Bros Ultimate on Switch

And last but not least, make sure to stop by any Tillamook County Library branch and grab a monthly bakealong and craft kit.

Summer Reading for Adults



Summer time is the best time for squeezing in some reading!

Read 5 books or more to earn a free tote bag, bookmark, and an entry into the grand prize drawing! On June 10th, grab and use a Reading Log Bookmark (available at any of the Tillamook County Branch Libraries), or keep track of the books you read in Beanstack. Audiobooks, graphic novels, ebooks, fiction, nonfiction, and more all count towards your reading goal. Once you've completed 5 books, come into any Tillamook County Library to pick up your tote bag and bookmark!

For the grand prize, you could win one of seven \$100 Fred Meyer gift cards! Earn an extra entry into the grand prize drawing for every additional book you read (limit of 5 additional entries). The grand prize drawing will be held on August 6th.

Summer Music Series

We're happy to announce the lineup for our Summer Music Series. Thank you to everyone who applied!

Shows will be every Friday at noon at the Maxwell Park Library Stage next to the Tillamook Main Library.

In July, we will have performances by:

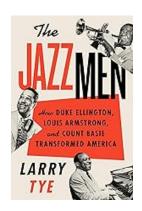
- Patricia Webb on July 5th
- Kahayla Rapolla on July 12th
- John Bunzow on July 19th
- Corey Murphy on July 26th

In August, we will have performances by:

- Debra Giannini on August 2nd
- Eel Sallad on August 9th
- Jeremy Beagle on August 16th
- Rockin' Man on August 23rd
- Phoenix on August 30th



New Arrivals in Nonfiction



The Jazzmen: how Duke Ellington, Louis Armstrong, and Count Basie transformed America

Larry Tye

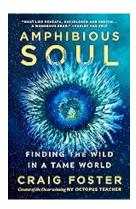
This is the story of three revolutionary American musicians, the maestro jazzmen who orchestrated the chords that throb at the soul of twentieth-century America. Duke Ellington, the grandson of slaves who was christened Edward Kennedy Ellington, was a man whose story is as layered and nuanced as his name suggests and whose music transcended category. Louis Daniel Armstrong was born in a New Orleans slum so tough it was called The Battlefield and, at age seven, got his first musical instrument, a ten-cent tin horn that drew buyers to his ragpeddling wagon and set him on the road to elevating jazz into a pulsating force for spontaneity and freedom. William James Basie, too, grew up in a world unfamiliar to white fans—the son of a coachman and laundress who dreamed of escaping every time the traveling carnival swept into town, and who finally engineered his getaway with help from Fats Waller. What is far less known about these groundbreakers is that they were bound not just by their music or even the discrimination that they, like nearly all Black performers of their day, routinely encountered. Each defied and ultimately overcame racial boundaries by opening America's eyes and souls to the magnificence of their music. In the process they wrote the soundtrack for the civil rights movement.



Ink & Wash in the Garden: watercolor & ink birds, insects, wildlife & more

Camilla Damsbo Brix

Create the cutest garden dwellers in ink & watercolor. Celebrate the beautiful world of backyard birds, butterflies, bumblebees and more with captivating ink and wash designs by artist and educator Camilla Damsbo Brix. With her detailed step-by-step tutorials and progress photos, Camilla makes capturing the beauty of your garden as easy as can be. In these 25 compositions, you'll master Camilla's loose, impressionist style of expressive lines and brilliant washes--the perfect way to impressively portray the essence of your subject without hours of work. Detail the fine lines of a majestic, red-washed cardinal on his nest. Sketch a striking dragonfly with bold markings and wind-ready wings, then fill it in with drips of bright phtalo blue and burnt umber. Capture a hungry hummingbird with playful water droplets and vibrant colors. Or put it all together with Camilla's garden staples (everything from a rustic picket fence to a blooming butterfly bush) to create a bountiful backyard scene! No matter your skill level, you will love expanding your artistic repertoire of techniques and creating these vibrant ink and wash masterpieces. Enter an elegant garden world brought effortlessly to life with the magic of simple linework and watercolor.



Amphibious Soul: finding the wild in a tame world

Craig Foster

In this thrilling memoir of a life spent exploring the most incredible places on Earth--from the Great African Seaforest to the crocodile lairs of the Okavango Delta--Craig Foster reveals how we can attend to the earthly beauty around us and deepen our love for all living things, whether we make our homes in the country, the city, or anywhere in between. Foster explores his struggles to remain present to life when a disconnection from nature and the demands of his professional life begin to deaden his senses. And his own reliance on nature's rejuvenating spiritual power is put to the test when catastrophe strikes close to home. Foster's lyrical, riveting Amphibious Soul draws on his decades of daily ocean dives, wisdom from Indigenous teachers, and leading-edge science.

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