

# Northwest Regional Library System Virtual Summer Reading 2020 Programs

This year's summer programming will be virtual available through our library Facebook pages. Some are pre-recorded videos that will be released on a specific date/time. Others are Zoom programs that require registration. The registration information will be available on each program's Facebook Event. AND there will be interactive challenges released on Facebook throughout June/July.

# **Early Literacy Programs for 3 - 5 years**

### Summer Read, Rock, and Storytime

Zoom Registration Required

Tuesday, June 16th at 10 a.m. Leap into Summer with Fabulous Frogs

Tuesday, June 23rd at 10 a.m. Dog Days of Summer

Tuesday, June 30th at 10 a.m. Farmyard Fun

Tuesday, July 7th at 10 a.m. Everything is Ducky

Tuesday, July 14th at 10 a.m. Lullaby and Sleep Tight



# NWRLS Storytime Unicorns and Dragons, Oh MY!

Children's Book Read Aloud Videos Tuesday, June 2nd at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 4th at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 9th at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 21st at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 28th at 10 a.m.

# **Summer Programs for School Age Children**

## **Billy Goats Gruff Retold**

Thursday, June 11th at 2 p.m.
Introduction to Summer Programming with Sandra and Tania of the Bay County Public Library!

# **Underwater Archaeology:**

# **Discovering Stories from the Past**

(Zoom Registration Required)

Thursday, June 18th at 2 p.m.

Presented by the Florida Public Archaeology Network. Learn about how archaeologists work underwater, the 'cool' sites they study, and the ways underwater archaeologists discover stories from the past!

# The Fairy Tales of Grimm's Brementown Musicians

Thursday, June 25th at 2 p.m.

Presented by the Atlantic Coast Theater with an acting lesson following the performance.

#### Salute to America with Songs and Stories

Thursday, July 2nd at 2 p.m.

Program with Sandra and Tania.

# A Taste of Fairies

Thursday, July 9th at 2 p.m.

Presented by award-winning local storyteller, Pat Nease.

## **Animal Tales:**

# **Fantastic Creatures and Where They are Found**

Thursday, July 16th at 2 p.m.

Take a magical journey to the mystical destination of six new and exciting animal ambassador habitats. Discover where the Savannah Cat got her spots; what environmental conditions the African Bullfrog needs to survive; uncover the truths of the secret world of dragons; and closely examine a green iguana. And meet with "Scabbers" the Norway Rat.

### The Fairy Tales of Grimm's Rapunzel

Thursday, July 23rd at 2 p.m.

Presented by the Atlantic Coast Theater with an acting lesson following the performance.

#### Floridingers Go To Space

Thursday, July 30th at 2 p.m.

Gordon and Perdita present their story "Floridingers Go To Space" and show you how to create your own Floridinger.



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### **Facebook Pages:**

- · Bay County Public Library
- Panama City Beach Public Library
- Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial Public Library in Port St. Joe
- Charles Whitehead Public Library in Wewahitchka
- Liberty County Public Libraries

#### YouTube:

Northwest Regional Library System, FL

Instagram: bcpl teens

Twitter: Northwest Regional Library System

Podcast: BCPL Unstacked

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# STE(A)M Programs (School Aged Children)

Presented by Kyle, Panama City Beach Public Library.

#### The Theater

Wednesday, June 10th @ 2 p.m.
Imagine how to tell your stories in the realm of theater!

#### What's Soap Doc?

Wednesday, June 24th @ 2 p.m. Explore the role of soap in keeping us clean and healthy!

#### **Telling Stories with Stop Motion Animation**

Wednesday, July 8th @ 2 p.m.

Let's dive into the film-making process and learn how to make your own stop motion animations.

#### The Story of Our Emotions

Wednesday, July 22nd @ 2 p.m.

Learn what emotions are, where they come from, and what stories they are trying to tell us.

# **Adult Programs**

Crafts with Rachael: Sock Gnome

Tuesday, June 9th @ 2 p.m.

# Crafts with Rachael: Homemade Clay Gnome

Tuesday, June 16th @ 2 p.m.

#### **Tombstone Tales: Cemeteries, Symbols & Stories**

Zoom Registration Required

Thursday, June 18th @ 10 a.m.

Presented by the Florida Public Archaeology Network. Historic cemeteries are amazing outdoor museums containing vast amounts of information on markers and tombstones that can be "read" like historic documents.

#### Jane Austen Book Club

Zoom Registration Required Tuesday, June 23rd @ 2 p.m.

Let's discuss our favorite Jane Austen books! Program led by Ashley, BCPL Reference Librarian.

# **TEEN Programs (Teens 11 - 18)**

Presented by Sam, BCPL Teen Librarian.

## **Recycled Forest Spirits**

Wednesday, June 3rd @ 2 p.m.

This gardening project will teach participants how to make forest spirits out of recycled bottles.

#### **Fairy Jars**

Wednesday, June 17th @ 2 p.m.

## **Viking Beards**

Wednesday, July 1st @ 2 p.m. Make your own viking beard out of yarn and learn cool facts about Norse mythology!

#### **Dragon Eggs**

Wednesday, July 15th @ 2 p.m.

#### **Percy Jackson Zoom Book Club**

Wednesday, July 29th @ 2 p.m. Zoom Registration Required.

#### Calligraphy Class with Rachael

Tuesday, June 30th @ 2 p.m.

# **Crafts with Rachael: DIY Fairy Houses**

Tuesday, July 7th @ 2 p.m.

## **Monday Morning Book Buzz**

Mondays @ 10 a.m.

Heather, BCPL Outreach Librarian, shares reading trends and Buzz-worthy books!

#### **Book Buzz! Zoom Book Clubs**

Zoom Registration Required.

Book Club dates in July will be announced on Facebook.

Wednesday, June 3rd @ 3 p.m. Wednesday, June 17th @ 3 p.m.

#### **Dungeon & Dragons Programming**

Select Saturdays in June and July

Programming funded under the provisions of the Library Cooperative Grant Program which is administered by the Florida Dept. of State's Division of Library and Information Services.

# Northwest Regional Library System Summer Reading Challenges



This year's summer programming for children will be virtual through our library Facebook pages including several Facebook STE(A)M Challenges.

Videos explaining each challenge will be released on the dates and times below. Send your completed project images to <a href="mailto:sburris@nwrls.com">sburris@nwrls.com</a> so that we can share with the whole NWRLS community!!

LEGO Challenge 1: Wind Car Monday, June 8th @ 2 p.m.

LEGO Challenge 2: Build a Bridge Monday, June 15th @ 2 p.m.

**LEGO Challenge 3: Build a Boat that Really Floats!** Monday, June 22nd @ 2 p.m.

All pictures will be shared a week following the challenge in the LEGO Challenge Facebook Photo Album!! Fairy House Challenge: Monday July 6th @ 2 p.m.

All pictures will be shared the following week in the Fairy House Challenge Facebook Album!



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