

Storytimes

Toddler Learning Centre

ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY

SUMMER 2024

Discovery Days
Music Makers

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Register and log your reading at reading.schlowlibrary.org

SUMMER READING PROGRAM RULES

ADVENTURE BEGINS LIBRARY

KEEP READING!

Check out our 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program!



Reading to your child early and often sparks a sense of curiosity and creativity that will last a lifetime. Our 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program is an easy way to give your child the best possible head start.

Email us at children@schlowlibrary.org to register your little reader and visit schlowlibrary.org/1000BBK to download the booklet and log sheets to get started.



The Reading Programs: Ages 3 to 12



THREE PARTS OF OUR PROGRAM:

- 1. SummerQuest Read 10 genres and do 10 activities (divided into 5 pairs to spell QUEST). Earn 10 tickets for each of the first four SummerQuest pairs completed. Complete the fifth pair to spell QUEST and earn a prize book. When your child has finished the SummerQuest, you may come into the Children's Department to choose their prize book in person.
- 2. Daily Reading Earn a ticket for every day that you read at least 20 minutes! Read every day for 3 weeks in a row and earn 25 bonus tickets!
- 3. Weekly Pop-Up Challenges Visit **schlowlibrary.org/kidschallenge** every Monday (starting June 10) to discover a new challenge! Complete the challenge before the next one is posted to receive the secret code and earn bonus tickets.

My First Book Club: Ages Birth to 2

Read 50 books to your child, logging them online as you go, then pick a prize book to keep!

Other prizes and tickets do not apply to those under 3 years of age. Every child who completes the challenge will be entered into the grand prize drawing for a handmade quilt or a large stuffie!

Important Summer Reading Dates:

Monday, May 13, 2024

First day to register for Summer Reading at reading.schlowlibrary.org

Saturday, June 1, 2024 First day to log your reading at reading.schlowlibrary.org

Saturday, June 1, 2024 10am-1pm

Summer Reading Kickoff with a magic show by Ran'D Shine at 10:30am, face painting by Let's Face It with Emily and Faces by Leah, make & take crafts, and more!

Wednesday, August 14, 2024

Final day to log your reading and put your tickets in the prize drawing boxes by 7:30pm!

Thursday, August 15, 2024 Final prize drawing day!

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1. SUMMERQUEST

Read 10 genres and do 10 activities (divided into 5 pairs to spell QUEST). Earn 10 tickets for each of the first four SummerQuest pairs completed. Complete the fifth pair to spell QUEST and earn a prize book. Come into the library to pick up your tickets and choose a prize book!

- Ages 3-12 only.
- Each child may only complete the SummerQuest once per summer.
- SummerQuest progress must be logged in the child's account at reading.schlowlibrary.org
- You can log individual books and activities as you complete them, but the genres must be completed with their assigned pair before you can earn the bonus tickets. For example, the Adventure book and Animal book and both of their activities must all be complete to earn the bonus tickets for that SummerQuest activity pair.
- After you complete one of the QUEST letters, we invite you to show off what you've made, learned, or created by sending us an email at children@schlowlibrary.org with a picture of your activities.
- Listening to an audiobook counts as reading a book.
- SummerQuests must be completed and logged online by Wednesday, August 14, 2024 to receive the bonus tickets and prize book. Tickets must be picked up by August 14 to be included in the final prize drawing on Thursday, August 15, 2024.
- Prize books must be picked up by Saturday, September 14, 2024.
- If your family is not comfortable coming into the library, please email us at children@schlowlibrary.org and we will help you choose your prize book from home instead.



Every ticket needs the name and phone number of the Summer Reader who earned it. Getting hand cramps writing them out? Visit the Patron Services desk to print a sheet of 80 labels with your child's name and phone number for just \$1.00!

2. DAILY READING

Go above and beyond by reading every day! Earn a ticket for every day you read a minimum of 20 minutes!

- Log onto **reading.schlowlibrary.org** to keep track of your reading days in the Reading Log.
- Read 21 days in a row and receive 25 bonus tickets!
- Listening to an audiobook counts as reading a book.
- Check in at the library to receive your tickets and place them in the prize drawing boxes of your choice.
- Maximum of 1 ticket check-in per day, please!
- Ticket check-ins end 30 minutes before the Library closes each day.
- Prize drawings will take place on the following Thursdays: June 13, June 27, July 11, July 25, August 8, and August 15.
- The last day to check in for tickets will be Wednesday, August 14 before 7:30pm. The final prize drawing will be held on Thursday, August 15 before the Library opens.

3. WEEKLY POP-UP CHALLENGES

Visit **schlowlibrary.org/kidschallenge** every Monday (June 10 - August 12) to discover a new challenge! Complete the challenge to receive the secret code and earn bonus tickets.

- When you finish a challenge, you'll receive a secret code to enter on the Quests page of your account on **reading.schlowlibrary.org**. Each code you enter will earn you 10 bonus tickets.
- If you are instructed to email us your challenge, please send it to kidschallenge@schlowlibrary.org to receive the secret code.
- Complete all 10 challenges to earn 25 bonus tickets.
- Pop-up challenges must be completed and submitted on Sunday before the next challenge is posted on Monday morning.

Event Information

- All events are free.
- Advance registration is required or suggested for some programs where noted. Please register online at schlowlibrary.org or call 814-237-6236.
- Event registration opens June 1 at 9am.
- Events open to children 12 and under, unless otherwise indicated.
- All children must be accompanied by an adult.
- Events are held at Schlow Library, unless otherwise noted.
- Library parking is limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Please only use our lot while you are in the Library building or you may be towed. Please find alternative parking for any programs held outside of the Library, including the Read It, Watch It program. Ask us for our Downtown Parking map!

Prize Drawings

- Prize drawings will take place on the following Thursdays before the library opens: June 13, June 27, July 11, July 25, August 8, and August 15.
- Visit the Children's Department to see what prizes are available to win this year!
- We will be distributing paper tickets this year and children will be able to choose which prize boxes they wish to put their tickets in after putting their name and phone number on each one.
- Ticket check-ins end 30 minutes before the Library closes.
- The last day to log your reading and put your tickets in the boxes is Wednesday, August 14 before 7:30pm.
- Prize winners will be posted in the Children's Department and notified in their account on reading.schlowlibrary.org
- Prizes should be picked up at Schlow Library before Saturday, September 14, 2024.

PROGRAM INSTRUCTIONS

1. How to Register on reading.schlowlibrary.org

If your child already has an account on this site:

- If your child participated in Summer Reading last year or a past book club, their account still works!
- Go to **reading.schlowlibrary.org** and click the green LOGIN button.
- Enter your child's username and password and click the blue Log In button.
- Let us know if you need our help! We can remind you of your child's username and/or change their password for you. Just email us at children@schlowlibrary.org
- Click the blue REGISTER button below the Summer Reading 2024 - Ages 3 to 12 image.
- Enter the required information, then click the green REGISTER button.

If you are making a **reading.schlowlibrary.org** account for the first time:

- Go to **reading.schlowlibrary.org** and click the green REGISTER button.
- Enter your child's name and age, and your email address. (Please enter an email address you check regularly as we will use these to contact you regarding Summer Reading. **Please do not use SCASD student emails**.)
- Choose a password (minimum 6 characters)
- Check the confirmation box, and click the blue Sign Up button.
- An orange WELCOME message will let you know that you created an account for your child successfully! Their username will display here, and will also be sent to the email address you entered.
- Click the blue REGISTER button below the Summer Reading 2024 - Ages 3 to 12 image.
- Enter the required information, then click the green REGISTER button.

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2. How to Log Your Daily Reading and Earn Prize Drawing Tickets

- Go to reading.schlowlibrary.org
- Click the green LOGIN button in the upper right corner, and log in with the username and password you picked for your child's account.
- Click "Enter" below the Summer Reading 2024 Ages 3 to 12 image
- Select the "Reading Log" tab.
- Click on the day(s) you want to log. The box will turn green and a "+" will appear.
- Once you have selected all the days you want to log, click "Submit" in the green bar at the top of the page.
- To see how many tickets you've earned so far, click on the Prizes tab. Your current total will be listed in the "Tickets" box.
- Read 21 days in a row to earn 25 bonus tickets! You can do this up to three times this summer. Your bonus tickets will be tallied automatically and added into your Tickets total after you log the appropriate amount of days.

3. How to Complete the SummerQuest

The genres MUST be completed with their assigned pairs before you can earn bonus tickets. For example, the Adventure book and Animal book and both of their activities must all be complete and entered on **reading.schlowlibrary.org** before you will be awarded the tickets for that SummerQuest activity pair.

Read 10 genres and do 10 activities (divided into 5 pairs to spell QUEST). Earn 10 tickets for each of the first four SummerQuest pairs completed. Complete the fifth pair to spell QUEST and earn a prize book. Come into the library to pick up your tickets and choose a prize book!

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SummerQuest Step-by-Step:

- Help your child choose the book they want to read for the genre and one activity to complete.
- Activities are listed in this calendar on page 5 as well as in the SummerQuest section of the Quests tab at reading.schlowlibrary.org
- For each genre, choose one activity from the three options.
- Now your child is ready to read their book and complete their activity!
- When you're ready to log your book or activity, go to reading.schlowlibrary.org
- Click the green "LOGIN" button in the upper right corner, and log in with the username and password you picked when you registered.
- Click "Enter" below the Summer Reading 2024 Ages 3 to 12 image
- Click on the "Quests" tab.
- Click the green "Your SummerQuest" button in the SummerQuest box.
- Find the genre your child is working on. Enter the title of the book they read and choose the activity they completed from the drop-down menu. Doing these two things at different times? That's okay! Save and come back later if you need to.
- Click the blue "Update" button.
- Repeat the previous two steps to enter all genre and activity pairs as you complete them over the summer.
- When your child has completed the two books and two activities in one of the QUEST letters, they will earn 10 tickets! These tickets will be automatically added to the grand total in the Tickets box on the Prizes tab.
- Repeat these steps until you have finished the word QUEST to earn 10 tickets for the first four letters and a prize book for the fifth letter. Come into the library to pick up your tickets and choose a prize book! If your family is not comfortable coming in, please email us at **children@schlowlibrary.org** and we will help you choose your book from home instead.

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Don't forget to read for 3 weeks in a row to earn 25 bonus virtual tickets! Mark your reading days above and then log your reading online!

SUMMERQUEST Ages 3 to 12

Log your genre book titles and activities online at reading.schlowlibrary.org

The genres MUST be completed in their assigned pairs before you can earn bonus tickets. For example, the Adventure book and Animal book and both of their activities must all be complete and entered on **reading.schlowlibrary.org** before you will be awarded the tickets for that SummerQuest activity pair. Read 10 genres and do 10 activities (divided into 5 pairs to spell QUEST). Earn 10 tickets for each of the first four SummerQuest pairs completed. Complete the fifth pair to spell QUEST and earn a prize book. Come into the library to pick up your tickets and choose a prize book! After you complete one of the QUEST letters, we invite you to share what you've made, learned, or created by sending us an email at **children@schlowlibrary.org** with a picture of your activities.



Adventure Read an adventure book and...

- Make a boat out of twigs & leaves and have a boat race (go.schlow.org/boatrace), or...
- Play frisbee or bean bag toss, or...
- Go for a stroll and visit Boalsburg's Blue Spring Park (go.schlow.org/bluespringpark).

Award Winner Read an award-winning book and...

- Go on an adventure to explore the brand new Palmer Museum of Art (go.schlow.org/palmer), or...
- Discover new books by having a book swap with some friends, or...
- Make a yogurt cup phone and test it with a friend or family member (go.schlow.org/phone).

Fairy Tale or Folk Tale Read a fairy tale or folk tale book and...

- □ Make a sidewalk chalk maze or labyrinth you can walk, or... □ Go to a StoryWalk of Centre County Park
- (**go.schlow.org/storywalk)**, or... Take turns sending Morse Code messages using a
- flashlight and a dark room (go.schlow.org/morsecode)!



Historical Fiction or Realistic Fiction Read a historical fiction or realistic fiction book and...

- Paint a rock. Leave it in a garden or near a footpath for another adventurer to discover or...
- Go geocaching! (go.schlow.org/geocaching), or...
- □ Make a secret message decoder (go.schlow.org/decoder)!



Poetry or Nursery Rhyme

Read a book of poems or nursery rhymes and...

- □ Have some fun with a flashlight and try your hand at shadow puppetry (go.schlow.org/shadowpuppets), or...
- Go on a train or bus ride. Did you know you can ride the PSU campus White and Blue Loops for free? (go.schlow.org/psubus), or...
- ☐ Make a funny face flip book (go.schlow.org/flipbook)!

Animal

Read an animal book and...

- Create a nature art frame. Find beautiful ideas at **go.schlow.org/frame**, or...
- Go on a wildlife safari amongst dandelions or wildflowers. Look for caterpillars, pollinators, and ants. Who did you see? (go.schlow.org/safari), or...
- □ Take Flat Webster the Bear on an adventure with you and document it with a photo (go.schlow.org/flatwebster)!

Biography Read a biography and...

- Go see a free Read It, Watch It movie at The State Theatre, or...
- □ Build a cardboard rocket ship, space station, or boat for adventuring, or...
- □ Write, draw, or tell an adventure story where you are the main character!

Fantasy Read a fantasy book and...

Have a "camp out" in your backyard or living room, or...

- Make a paper compass (go.schlow.org/papercompassrose) or a working compass (go.schlow.org/workingcompass) and start learning about directions, or...
- □ Make your own superhero cape or butterfly wings!

Mystery

Read a mystery book and...

- □ Make a treasure map. See if a friend or family member can find the hidden treasure using your map, or...
- Attend an event at the library (**schlowlibrary.org/events**), or...
- Play a car game while going on a trip! You can find ideas here: go.schlow.org/road-tripgames).

Science Fiction or Science

Read a science or science fiction book and...

- □ Go on a water adventure. Bring a grown-up and swim in a lake or wade in a pond or creek, or...
- Make a giant string & stick bubble wand and see what sizes and shapes of bubbles you can create (go.schlow.org/bubblewand) or
- □ Visit the beautiful Millbrook Marsh Nature Center (go.schlow.org/millbrookmarsh).



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JUNE

1 Summer Reading Kickoff Party! 12 Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm 19 Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm 25 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am

10am-1pm

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT & DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Celebrate the start of Summer Reading! Enjoy a fabulously interactive magic show with magician and comedian Ran'D Shine at 10:30am, enjoy face painting, activity tables, and more! Recommended for ages 3-12. Registration suggested.

5 Cheers to Art 6pm-8:30pm 1521 MARTIN ST., STATE COLLEGE Enjoy a fun night of painting for all ages! The Schlow Library Foundation is hosting a FUNdraiser at the Arena at Northland Bowl. Cost is \$15 per artist (with \$5 going to SLF).

Please email northlandbowl@ northlandbowl.com to register.

8 Saturday Baby Lapsit 9:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Sweet stories, songs, and lapsit rhymes - a playtime just for baby and grown-up. Recommended for babies up to 14 months old. Registration not required.

Saturday Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Join us for storytime with a Children's Staff Member! Enjoy books, songs, fingerplays, and more. Recommended for ages 2-6. Registration not required.

11 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Take on a new building challenge. Design your creation and take a picture to be displayed in our Lego Hall of Fame! Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT Stop by the Children's Department for a fun craft or activity. Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

12 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

We love stories! Join us for stories, songs, flannelboards, and more. Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. The Lego Movie 2, PG, 107 min.

13 Birdwatching for Kids 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Celebrate World Migratory Day and learn about birdwatching! Learn how to make bird observations that are useful to scientists and how to identify local birds, and create a bird-related craft. Recommended for grades 1-5. Registration required. Limit: 30. Presented in partnership with the US Fish & Wildlife Service, Sustainable State College and State College Bird Club.

14 Sensory Crawl 9:30am-10:30am DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join us for a Baby Sensory Crawl Plavdate! Babies ages 0-14 months and their caregivers are encouraged to crawl and explore a variety of textures on a large mat designed and constructed by a local quilting group. Registration 22 Saturday Baby Movers 9:30am required. Limit: 20.*

15 Shaver's Creek Animal Show 10:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Hang out with the wildlife from Shaver's Creek Environmetal Center while we explore amazing animal adaptations! Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

18 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

19 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am 24 Toddler Learning Centre

Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.



CHILDREN'S SUMMER READING EVENT CALENDAR 2024

THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Soul, PG, 100 min.

Make Your Own Collage Art Bookmarks 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Express your personal style with customized collage art bookmarks created with stamps, fancy paper, stickers, punches, and more! Recommended for grades 2 and up. Registration required. Limit: 16.

20 Upcycled Cinderella Show 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM When the scheduled performers fail to arrive for the day's performance, the facility janitors, "Dustmopp" and "Binney," decide to take over in this hilarious take on the classic fairy tale. Presented by Bright Star Touring Theatre. Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Stories, songs, and lots of movement - a storytime for babies on the go and their grown-up. Recommended for babies ages 15 to 24 months. Registration not required.

Saturday Storytime 10:30am

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 2-6. Registration not required.

Elementary Explorers 2pm-4pm 28 Music Makers 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Are you excited about science? Learn about STEM research being done by PSU Graduate students! Today we're exploring fresh water - lakes, ponds, and beyond! Recommended for grades 3-6. Registration required. Limit: 10. Presented in collaboration with the Science Policy Society at Penn State.

10:30am-11:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Get a taste of what our spring and fall TLC classes are like! Class activities focus on topics that are relevant to your child's development. Recommended for children ages 18 to 36 months and their caregivers. Registration required. Limit: 15.*



CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

26 3s. 4s. & 5s Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

Read It. Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World, PG, 104 min.

Twirling Workshop 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join M Twirling as they demonstrate the basics of twirling and give you an opportunity to try it yourself! Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

27 Entomology Insect Zoo 2:30pm DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Learn about and interact with arthropods from the Penn State

Entomology Insect Zoo! You will be able to handle their friendly bugs and ask questions of real entomologists (scientists who study insects) from PSU. Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM This class is designed for our littlest music makers! We'll sing, dance, and express ourselves in many musical ways. Recommended for ages 1-5. Registration required. Limit: 20. Sponsored by Growing Tree Toys.*

29 Air Weaver Balloon Show 10:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join us for a big balloon show bringing together magic, balloon artistry, storytelling, and tons of audience engagement for a one-of-a-kind entertainment experience! Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

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7	8 Weekly Pop-up Challenge #5 begins today!	9 9:30am-11:30am Lego Club 10am-2pm Discovery Day 2pm Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Kate DiCamillo	10 Enjoy ArtsFest Kids Day! 12pm Read It, Watch It Movie	11 Grd Prize Drawing	12 Don't check-ins before th	forget - ticket s end 30 minutes e library closes!
14	15 Weekly Pop-up Challenge #6 begins today!	16 9:30am-11:30am Lego Club 10am-2pm Discovery Day 2pm Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Max Brallier	17 10:30am 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 12pm Read It, Watch It Movie	18 2:30pm Giant Bubble Show	19	20 9:30am Saturday Baby Movers 10:30am Special Saturday Storytime with Alpha Fire Company 10am-3pm Make & Takes
21	22 Weekly Pop-up Challenge #7 begins today!	23 9:30am-11:30am Lego Club 10am-2pm Discovery Day	24 10:30am 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 12pm Read It, Watch It Movie	25 4th Prize Drawing Circus at Schlow 2:30pm: Ages 9-12 3:45pm: Ages 5-8	26 10:30am Music Makers	27 10:30am Mark DeRose Concert 2pm-4pm Elementary Explorers
28	29 Weekly Pop-up Challenge #8 begins today!	30 9:30am-11:30am Lego Club 10am-2pm Discovery Day 2pm Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Dan Santat	31 10:30am 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 12pm Read It, Watch It Movie		U	y

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* = Find more details on our website events calendar.



2 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Take on a new building challenge. Design your creation and take a picture to be displayed in our Lego Hall of Fame! Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT Stop by the Children's Department for a fun craft or activity. Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

3 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

We love stories! Join us for stories, songs, flannelboards, and more. Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. *Clifford the Big Red Dog*, PG, 96 min.

6 Saturday Baby Lapsit 9:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Sweet stories, songs, and lapsit rhymes - a playtime just for baby and grown-up. Recommended for babies up to 14

Saturday Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Join us for storytime with a Children's Staff Member! Enjoy books, songs, fingerplays, and more. Recommended for ages 2-6. Registration not required.

9 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.



9 Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Kate DiCamillo 2pm CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Do you love the Mercy Watson series? Enjoy snacks and company as we watch Kate DiCamillo talk about her writing and books. Recommended for grades K-3. Registration suggested.

10 Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Paddington 2, PG, 103 min.

16 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

> Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Max Brallier 2pm CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Do you love the *Last Kids* on *Earth series*? Enjoy snacks and company as we watch Max Brallier talk about his writing and books. Recommended for grades 3-6. Registration suggested.

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Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie, PG, 89 min.

18 Giant Bubble Show 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Enjoy a magical fusion of science and the joy of bubbles in this fun & educational show! Watch awe-inspiring bubble tricks, the creation of GIANT bubbles, and more! Recommended for kids ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

20 Saturday Baby Movers 9:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Stories, songs, and lots of movement - a storytime for babies on the go and their grown-up. Recommended for babies ages 15 to 24 months. Registration not required.

20 Special Saturday Storytime with Alpha Fire Company 10:30am

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Join us for a special storytime with a Chidlren's Staff Member and members of the Alpha Fire Company as we celebrate Alpha's 125th Anniversary! Recommended for ages 2-6. Registration not required.

Make & Takes 10am-3pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Celebrate the 125th Anniversary of Alpha Fire Company with a special firefighter-themed make & take craft. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

23 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

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24 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

We love stories! Join us for stories, songs, flannelboards, and more. Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Toy Story 4, G, 100 min.

25 Circus at Schlow

2:30pm & 3:45pm DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join Phoenix Academy instructors Dmitry & Kai to become Ring Masters of your own circus. In this workshop you'll learn hula hooping and acrobatics. Through exploring these disciplines, young ring leaders will also learn strength, flexibility, and awareness that makes the circus possible. 2:30pm Class: Ages 9-12 3:45pm Class: Ages 5-8 Registration suggested.

26 Music Makers 10:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM This class is designed for our littlest music makers! We'll sing, dance, and express ourselves in many musical ways. Recommended for ages 1-5. Registration required. Limit: 20.* Sponsored by Growing Tree Toys.

27 Mark DeRose Concert 10:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Move and groove to Mark's music - a combination of rock, blues, and Americana - in an interactive show that comes with a positive, feel-good message. Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

Elementary Explorers 2pm-4pm CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM

Are you excited about science? Learn about STEM research being done by Penn State Graduate students! Today we're exploring nutrition! Recommended for grades 3-6. Registration required. Limit: 10. Presented in collaboration with the Science Policy Society at Penn State.

30 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

Watch Party: Virtual Author Talk with Dan Santat 2pm

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Do you love Sidekicks or The

Aquanaut? Enjoy snacks of The Aquanaut? Enjoy snacks and company as we watch Dan Santat talk about storytelling through graphic novels. Recommended for grades 5-8. Registration suggested.

31 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Encanto, PG, 102 min.



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AUGUST

1 Fabulous Frogs 2:30pm

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Ribbit! This fantastical program looks at the wonder of frogs. Learn how reptiles and amphibians are both similar and different; that frogs have a unique lifecycle through the process of metamorphosis; and more. Meet a frog and practice your identification with memory matching! Presented by Discovery by Nature. Recommended for grades K & up. Registration required. Limit: 35.

2 Printmaking Art Adventure 2:30pm

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Learn about basic printmaking in illustration and make your own prints! Please bring an old t-shirt or smock to cover your clothes. Recommended for ages 7-12. Registration required. Limit: 20.

3 Adam Swartz Puppets Presents: Puppets & Dragons! 10.30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Calling all adventurers! Join puppets and people on an exciting quest in this interactive show created by the audience. Work together to tell a unique story that changes with each choice you make. Magical monsters! Fuzzy friends! And a dragon?! Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

5 Toddler Learning Centre 10:30am-11:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Get a taste of what our spring and fall TLC classes are like! Class activities focus on topics that are relevant to your child's development. This is not a series - please register for each summer TLC class individually if you would like to attend both summer classes. Recommended for children ages 18 to 36 months and their caregivers. Registration required. Limit: 15.*

6 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Take on a new building challenge. Design your creation and take a picture to be displayed in our Lego Hall of Fame! Recommended for ages 6-12. Registration not required.

Discovery Day 10am-2pm CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Stop by the Children's Department for a fun craft or activity. Check out our website for specific craft information. Registration not required. First come, first served. Supplies are limited.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM We love stories! Join us for stories, songs, flannelboards, and more. Recommended for ages 3-5. Registration not required.

- 7 Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm 13 Discovery Day 10am-2pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Sonic the Hedgehog, PG, 102 min.
- 8 Book Bingo 2:30pm-3:30pm DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join us to play bingo and win fabulous books! Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

9 Sensory Crawl 9:30am-10:30am

DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Join us for a Baby Sensory Crawl Playdate! Babies ages 0-14 months and their caregivers are encouraged to crawl and explore a variety of textures on a large mat designed and constructed by a local quilting group. Registration required. Limit: 20.*

10 Magic Show with Richard

Benninghoff 10:30am DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM Enjoy fast-paced magic, illusion, and sleight-of-hand filled with opportunities for audience participation throughout the show. Recommended for ages 3 and up. Registration suggested.

7 3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime 10:30am 13 Lego Club 9:30am-11:30am CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY ROOM Recommended for ages 6-12.

Registration not required.

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14 Read It, Watch It Movie 12pm THE STATE THEATRE 130 W. COLLEGE AVE. Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile, PG, 106 min.

16 Music Makers 10:30am DOWNSBROUGH COMMUNITY ROOM This class is designed for our littlest music makers! We'll sing, dance, and express ourselves in many musical ways. Recommended for ages 1-5. Registration required. Limit: 20. Sponsored by Growing Tree Toys.*

17 Storytime at RE Farm Cafe 10:30am

1000 FILLMORE RD., STATE COLLEGE Join us for a special storytime at RE Farm Cafe at 10:30am and explore the farm with self-guided tours from 10am-12pm! Recommended for ages 2-6. Registration not required.

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