



2024 Summer Reading Comes to an End

Thank you to everyone who participated in Summer Reading! We hope you enjoyed it as much as we have. Here are some final ways to enter for prizes:

Children: Return scavenger hunts and be entered in a gift card drawing (3 winners)!

Teens: Return Bingo Cards and get a prize. Each Bingo on your card will count as an entry for a gift card drawing (3 winners)

Adults: Turn in your reading slips and your completed Adventure Card to enter in our final weekly drawings. All slips will be entered in our Grand Prize drawing too.

August: Special Programs

Thursday August 1, All Ages

The Children's Museum visits the library!
Join us for fun activities @ 1:00

Monday August 5, Adult

Greg Henning and Dave Rogers:
"Local Walking Trails" @ 5:30

Tues and Wed August 6 & 7, Teens

Make Your Own Bath Fizzies
Pre-Registration Required
Tues @ 2:00, Wed @ 3:00

Thursday August 8, All Ages

Therapy Dogs and Outer Space Crafts @ 1:00

Monday August 12, Adult

Adventure in Erie Co. Trivia Night @ 6:30
Pre-Registration Required

Saturday August 24, All Ages

Family STEAM Challenge @ 10:00

Erie Gives 2024

August 13

8 AM - 8 PM



Please consider donating to McCord Memorial Library on Erie Gives Day!

Donate to local Erie County organizations through **eriegives.org**. You'll find McCord Library listed there, along with a lot of other great Erie County organizations.

Submit Checks payable to Erie Community Foundation by Thursday, August 8. All checks need an Erie Gives form mailed along with it (available online or at the library).
For more info. call the Front Desk at 814-725-4057.

Labor Day Hours

August 31- Close early at 2:00

September 2- Closed



LIBRARY HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY

9:30 - 7:00

CLOSED FRIDAY

SATURDAY 9:00 - 4:00



STEAM Activities are Back!

Ages 6-12

Join us Mondays @ 2:00



Dial-A-Story

New story every week!

August Stories:

8/4: Fraser the Forest Ranger

8/11: Up the Creek

8/18: Our Great Big Backyard

8/25: Sea Glass Summer

What is Dial-A-Story?

Dial-a-Story is a library program that is available 24/7! Call 814-347-8318 to hear a story read to you. Stories are available in English and Spanish. English stories change weekly and the Spanish story changes monthly.

Call as many times as you want!



Children's Weekly Programs

No Programs August 13-22

Monday - Ages 6-12 - STEAM Activity 2:00

Tuesday & Wed. - Preschool Story Time 11:00

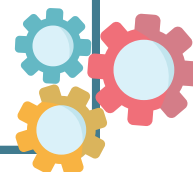
Thursday - Toddler Time 11:00

Thursday - All Ages Program 1:00

Saturday, August 24

Family STEAM Challenge

10:00



Teen Program for August:

Tuesday- 2:00

Wednesday- 3:00



August 6 & 7:

Make your own Bath Fizzies

Fall Wreath Making Class for Adults

Monday, September 9

6:00

Cost: \$5.00

Calling all autumn-loving folks! Whether you're a novice or a seasoned wreath maker, this class is for you. Learn how to assemble a decorative wreath through step-by-step instruction.

**Pre-Registration Required*

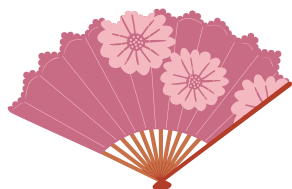


August Take and Make

Available at the Main Desk.

August's activity:

Paper Fans



Welcome to the new books list! These books may be placed on hold

Adult Non-Fiction

- Adams, Jeremy S.: Lessons in liberty: thirty rules for living from ten extraordinary Americans
- Canada
- Dias, Elizabeth: The fall of Roe: the rise of a new America
- Fields-Black, Edda L.: Combee: Harriet Tubman, the Combahee River Raid, and Black freedom during...
- Haidt, Jonathan: The anxious generation: how the great rewiring of childhood is causing an epidemic...
- Killam, Kasley: The art and science of connection: why social health is the missing key to living longer...
- Kinzinger, Adam: Renegade: defending democracy and liberty in our divided country
- McWhirter, Cameron: American gun: the true story of the AR-15
- O'Kane, Trish: Birding to change the world
- Roll, David L.: Ascent to power: how Truman emerged from Roosevelt's shadow and remade the world
- Satow, Julie: When women ran Fifth Avenue: glamour and power at the dawn of American fashion
- Sides, Hampton: The wide wide sea: imperial ambition, first contact and the fateful final voyage of...

Adult Fiction

- Barclay, Linwood: I will ruin you
- Callahan, Michael: The lost letters from Martha's Vineyard
- Carr, Jack: Red sky mourning
- Chen, Wendy: Their divine fires
- Chevalier, Tracy: The glassmaker
- Claire, Ann: A cyclist's guide to crime & croissants
- Comey, James B., Jr.: Westport
- Crouch, Sarah: Middletide
- Foley, Lucy: The midnight feast
- Fortune, Carley: This summer will be different
- Henry, Emily: Funny story
- Kelley, Pamela M.: The seaside sisters
- Lauren, Christina: The paradise problem
- Murali, Ram: Death in the air
- Nicholls, David: You are here
- Oates, Joyce Carol: Butcher
- Pooley, Clare: How to age disgracefully
- Rindell, Suzanne: Summer Fridays
- Robuck, Erika: The last twelve miles
- Rose, Jeneva: Home is where the bodies are
- Rowley, Steven: The guncle abroad
- Shields, Sydney J.: The honey witch
- Snelling, Lauraine: Fields of bounty
- Sykes, Plum: Wives like us
- Turton, Stuart: The last murder at the end of the world
- Wingate, Lisa: Shelterwood
- Wise, Henry: Holy city
- Yoon, Nicola: One of our kind

Adult Fiction Large Print

- Alvarez, Julia: The cemetery of untold stories
- Ashley, Jennifer: Speculations in sin
- Black, Lisa: The deepest kill
- Brown, Carolyn: Meadow Falls
- Connolly, John: The instruments of darkness
- Cornwell, Bernard: Sharpe's command
- Donovan, Kemper: The busy body
- Goldberg, Leonard: The blue diamond
- Stone, Jean: Up-island harbor
- Thayer, Nancy: The summer we started over
- Wilkes, Ally: Where the dead wait

New Adult Fiction

- Flores-Scott, Patrick: No going back
- Schwartz, Leanne: To a darker shore
- Sharma, Nisha: The letters we keep

To place a book on hold

Call (814)725-4057 to request the item
OR

1. Go to mccordlibrary.org
2. Click catalog
3. Log in to the catalog
4. Username is your library card barcode #
5. Password is last four digits of your phone #
6. Search for the book
7. Click Place request
8. Choose your pickup library
9. Click submit request



Non-Print

Book on CD

- Center, Katherine: The rom-commers
- Gray, Shelley Shepard: A is for Amish
- Serle, Rebecca: Expiration dates
- Skenandore, Amanda: The medicine woman of Galveston
- Thomas, Jodi: The Wild Lavender bookshop

DVDs

- The white lotus. the complete second season
- Anne with an e. season three

JUV Vox Book



- Brown, Margaret Wise: Goodnight moon

Young Adult

Fiction

- Bayron, Kalynn: Sleep like death
- Boyce, Kristy: Dungeons and drama
- Cashore, Kristin: There is a door in this darkness
- Chen, Amber: Of jade and dragons
- Gratton, Tessa: Chaos & flame
- Hall, Desmond: Better must come
- Hatzopoulou, Kika: Hearts that cut
- Igharo, Jane: With love, Miss Americanah
- Kwaymullina, Ambelin: Liar's test
- McLeod, Ella: Rapunzella, or, don't touch my hair: a love letter to black women
- Park, Soyoung: Snowglobe
- Parra, Jessica: The quince project
- Roberts, Lauren: Powerless
- Valentine, Danielle: Two sides to every murder

Graphic Novels

- Cotugno, S. H: The glass scientists. volume 1
- Durán, Aaron: Season of the bruja
- Teer, Samuel: Brownstone



Next Graphic Novel Club

September 10

3:30-4:00

Grades 5-8

Read any graphic novel of your choice and join us for snacks and discussion!

Children's

Blue Dot- Picture Books

- Bajaj, Varsha: A garland of henna
- Chan, Aaron: The broken heart
- Cobden, Rose: Welcome to unicorn school
- Cushman, Abi: Flamingos are pretty funky: a (not so) serious guide
- Dean, Kimberly: Pete the cat screams for ice cream!
- Frawley, Katie: Lighthouse and the little boat
- Gigot, Jami: The world in our backyard
- Gunnufson, Charlotte: Dream submarine
- Morton, Aya: The days are long, the years are short
- Napoleoni, Fabio: Dragonboy
- Norman, Lissette: Abuela's Library
- Rodriguez, Edel: The mango tree = La mata de mango
- Rosenstock, Barb: The Great Lakes: our freshwater treasure
- Sosa, Daniela: The suitcase
- Tripplett, Natasha: Juneteenth is
- Willems, Mo: Are You Small?
- Wilson-Max, Ken: Aqua Boy
- Woodfolk, Ashley: Beach hair

Orange Dot - Earliest Chapter

- Dyckman, Ame: Vacation: three-and-a-half stories
- Elliott, Rebecca: Unicorn diaries. 10: Bo and the witch
- McCullough, Kathy: Riley's new world
- West, Tracey: Cave of the Crystal Dragon

Graphic Novels

- Miller, Kelly Leigh: Cloud puppy

Red Dot- 3rd-5th grade

- Cypess, Leah: Braided
- Gutman, Dan: There's a skunk in my bunk!
- Wolo, Mamle: Flying through water
- Zhang, Kat: The magic paintbrush

Graphic Novel

- Ball, Georgia: I survived the battle of DDay, 1944
- Buel, Nick: Bad Kitty makes a movie



Yellow Dot - 6th & 7th grade

- Arnold, Marie: A place to shine
- Chan, AY: The legendary Mo Seto
- Gow, Robin: Gooseberry
- Hamza, Nina: Sam(ira)'s worst (best) summer
- Hunter, Erin: The Lightning Path
- Hunter, Erin: Shadow
- Kahakauwila, Kristiana: Clairboyance
- Maunakea, Malia: Lei and the invisible island
- Thomas, Sonja: Olive Blackwood takes action!
- Toalson, R. L.: Something maybe magnificent
- Tordasi, Kathrin: Blackberry fox
- Woods, Brenda: With just one wing

Children's Non-Fiction

- Beaty, Andrea: Rockin robots!
- Buckley, James, Jr.: Who is Katie Ledecy?
- Dk super readers level 1 history of Hawai'i
- Dk super readers level 2 Juneteenth
- Hubbard, Arwen: Amazing space
- Kelly, Madeleine: How do you become an Olympian?: a book about the Olympics and Olympic athletes
- Kirkfield, Vivian: Pedal, balance, steer : Annie Londonderry, the first woman to cycle around the world
- Mcgrath, Robyn: A mind of her own: the story of mystery writer Agatha Christie
- Williams, Yohuru: Let us march on!: James Weldon Johnson and the silent protest parade
- Yasuda, Anita: Taylor Swift

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

Ask for a bag and registration form at the main desk.

For each 100 books you read, receive a sticker and move your name along the tracker wall located downstairs by the elevator. Receive a free book when you reach 1,000 books!

After every 100 books parents or guardians can take a picture by the milestone posters.

Memorials

Books purchased from donations in memory of:

Donna Fuller

By

Busch Products, Inc.

Berry, Flynn: Trust her

Gray, Shelley Shepard: Amish love letters

Rico, Lauren E.: Familia

By

Gordon & Phylis Couillard

Benzakein, Erin: Discovering Dahlias

Miller, Kirsten: Lula Dean's little library of banned books

By

Beth & Phil Hutchinson

Thomas, Trisha R.: The secret keeper of Main Street

By

Glenn & Valerie Luebka

Sullivan, Mark: All the glimmering stars

By

LeeAnn & Jack Stewart

Flower, Amanda: To slip the bonds of earth

Elsie Wilkinson

By

Mary Lou Wittman

Deibel, Jennifer: The Irish matchmaker

Gates, Eva: Stranger in the library

Memorials, Endowments, and Tributes honor family members and friends

****If your employer makes matching donations, be sure to note that on the form.****


Memorial brochures are available at the library or by calling: (814) 725-4057.

Adventure

Y O D A U W S Z N W V T Y T C
 P C M V O Y A G E Y Z X O W Q
 J E A I K R I V E R N F T C N
 I A P X A C A M P I N G O A V
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FOREST	QUEST	OCEAN	CARGOSHORTS
CAMPING	FISHING	EXPLORE	THRILL
RIVER	MAP	VOYAGE	COMPASS
SAFARI	WILDLIFE	MOUNTAIN	TELESCOPE

AUGUST 2024 EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	STEAM Activity 2:00	Preschool: 11:00-11:30 Teen Time: 2:00-3:00	Preschool: 11:00-11:30 Teen Time: 3:00-4:00	Toddler: 11:00-11:30 All Ages: 1:00-1:30		
Story time: Includes a story & <i>activity</i> or <i>craft</i> • Free to attend, no preregistration required • Adult <u>must</u> stay with child				 1 11:00 Story and Activity 1:00 Children's Museum Visits	2 CLOSED	3
4	5 2:00 STEAM Ages 6-12 5:30 Greg Henning and Dave Rogers: "Local Walking Trails"	6 11:00 Story and Activity 2:00 Bath Fizzies	7 11:00 Story and Activity 3:00 Bath Fizzies	8 11:00 Story and Activity 1:00 Therapy Dogs <i>Outer Space Crafts</i>	9 CLOSED	10 Last Day of Summer Reading
11	12 2:00 STEAM Ages 6-12 6:00 Adventure in Erie Co. Trivia Night	13 No Story Time	14 No Story Time	15 11:00 No Story Time 1:00 Story Time And Crafts <i>Trail Mix</i>	16 CLOSED	17
18	19 2:00 STEAM Ages 6-12	20 No Story Time	21 No Story Time	22 No Story Time	23 CLOSED	24 10:00 Family STEAM Challenge
25	26 2:00 STEAM Ages 6-12	27 11:00 Story and Activity	28 11:00 Story and Activity	29 11:00 Story and Activity	30 CLOSED	31 Close Early @ 2:00

Teen Activities:

- Grab and Go kits for August are available at the front desk!
- Summer Reading ends August 10. Submit your Bingo cards and get your prizes today!
- STEAM activities are available for all people ages 6-12