YOUTH SUMMER OCEAN EXPLORERS

Bayport Public Library & Stillwater Public Library

JUNE 1 - AUGUST 10, 2024

Dive into a summer of reading and exploration! Read, write, and discover with Captain Owliver and his owlie divers during our summer reading program for kids, a collaboration between Stillwater and Bayport public libraries made possible by donors to Stillwater Public Library Foundation.

Beginning June 1, visit either library to sign up for Summer Explorers. You'll receive a free book to keep and a Voyage Guide (with an ocean tracker gameboard inside) to get you started on your summer reading adventure. Prefer an online option? Sign up on Beanstack at stillwaterbayportlibrary.beanstack.org to track reading and activities.

STILLWATER

Special Events

Summer Wednesdays, 10:30 AM
June 5: **Circus Manduhai**
June 12: **Bill the Juggler**
June 19: **Library Closed (Juneteenth)**
June 26: **Brodini Comedy Magic Show**
July 3: **Hunter Marionettes**
July 10: **Dazzling Dave Yo-Yo Master**
July 17: **Will Sings Songs!**
July 24: **Wendy's Wiggle, Jiggle & Jam**
July 31: **Rap, Rock & Read with Miss Nina**
Aug 7: **Puppet Show - The Three Little Pigs**

Summer Second Saturdays, 10:30 AM
June 8: **Bill the Juggler**
July 13: **Hunter Marionettes**
Aug 10: **Puppet Show - The Three Little Pigs**

Programs (* requires registration)

Art Exploration, 10:30 AM unless specified
Thursday, June 6, 10:30-2:30: **Clay City**, ages 3-10
Tuesday, June 18: **Clay Dragonflies***, ages 6-12
Tuesday, July 23, 1 PM: **Clay Octopus***, ages 6-12
Thursday, August 1: **Ocean Diorama***, ages 8-12
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30-12:30: **Process Art**, ages 3-7
Wednesday, August 14: **Eric Carle Art***, ages 3-5

Chess Club*, ages 8-Adult
1st & 3rd Tuesdays, June-August, 4 PM

For Tweens/Teens, ages 10+
Crochet Club*: Tuesday, June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23, 4 PM
Craft Camp*: Wednesday, June 12 & 26, July 10 & 24, 4 PM

Dive into STEM, 2 PM
Thursday, June 13: **Ocean Jar***, ages 8-12
Saturday, June 22: **Ocean Animals**, ages 6-12
Thursday, July 11: **Shipwrecked***, ages 6-12
Saturday, July 20: **Make a Splash**, ages 4-10

MN DNR Natural Wonders, 10:30 AM, ages 6-12
Thursday, June 13: **Dragonflies***
Thursday, July 11: **Rare, Common, Invasive?***
Thursday, August 8: **Pollinators***

Roe Family Singers, all ages
Thursday, June 13, 6:30 PM

Summer Lego Club, 4 PM, ages 6-12
Thursday, June 27: Sea Creatures
Thursday, July 25: Shark Week

Summer Readers Book Club*, ages 8-12
Thursday, August 8, 2 PM

Write Your Own Silly Story*, ages 8-12
Thursday, June 27, 10:30 AM,

Under the Sea Science*
Monday, July 15, 1 PM, ages 3-5
Monday, July 15, 2:30 PM, ages 6-12

Yoga for Kids, ages 4-10
Monday, June 24, 10:30 AM

Library programs are always FREE!
Classes with the * require registration.
Click, call, or come in to register.

BAYPORT

Special Events

Kickoff with Brodini Comedy Magic Show
Wednesday, June 5, 1 PM

Ice Cream Social at Lakeside Park
Wednesday, June 5, 6-8 PM

Summer Thursdays, 2 PM
June 6: **Summer Movie - Wish**
June 13: **Summer Movie - Kung Fu Panda 4**
June 20: **Wonder Weavers Storytellers**
June 27: **Roe Family Singers**
July 4: **Library Closed (Independence Day)**
July 11: **Raptors of Minnesota**
July 18: **Lalo's Lunchbox**
July 25: **A Touch of Magic - The Birthday Show**
August 1: **Summer Beach Party**

Books & Benches at Croixdale
Tuesday, June 25, 10 AM

Kids Day Activities at Bayport Farmer's Market
Monday, July 15, 3 - 5:30 PM

Puppet Show - The Three Little Pigs
Tuesday, July 30, 10:30 AM

Weekly at Bayport Public Library

Family Storytime with Miss Peggy
Every Tuesday, 10:30 AM (except July 30)

Let's Create!
Wednesdays, June 12 - July 31, 2 PM (except June 19)

Baby Storytime with Miss Jill
Every Thursday, 10:30 AM (except July 4)

Summer Book Club*
Tuesdays, June 4, 11, 18 & 25, 11:15 AM
Participants will receive our featured book, *The Wild Robot* by Peter Brown. Registration is required.

DISCOVERY ROOM AT STILLWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY

Explore the depths of imagination!

Get ready for an oceanic adventure in the Discovery Room this summer! Dive into the depths aboard the "Poseidon" submarine and explore the wonders of the underwater world. Equipped with an ocean bucket and magnifying glass, young explorers will map the ocean floor, discover marine life, and even catch and identify play sea creatures. Plus, don't forget to share your findings by dropping a pretend postcard into the underwater mailbox.

Open during library hours, the Discovery Room offers a space for kids and caregivers to play, imagine, and learn together. Don't miss out on this immersive experience!

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ADULT SUMMER OCEAN EXPLORERS

Ahoy readers! Dive into our summer reading program for adults themed around ocean exploration. Whether you're a seasoned sailor or a first-time adventurer, join us at the library for endless possibilities. Chart new waters with captivating tales and programs and embark on a voyage of discovery with us!

Stillwater Public Library

STILLWATER ADULT PROGRAMS

Discover classes and events designed to ignite your curiosity and enrich your summer.

Art & Music

Learn to Cross Stitch a Heart Keychain/Pendant*
Friday, June 7, 3 PM

Concert on the Terrace: Roe Family Singers
Thursday, June 13, 6:30 PM

Painting with Karen Chan*
Thursday, June 20, 5:30 PM: Peonies in Acrylic
Thursday, July 18, 5:30 PM: Sunflowers & Mandarins
Thursday, August 15, 5:30 PM: Almost Fall in Acrylic

Unwrapping Music: Leonard Bernstein*
Tuesday, July 16, 6:30 PM

Meet the Artists: Spike Carlsen & Lena Wolf Rothman
Thursday, July 18, 6:30 PM

Introduction to Bargello Embroidery*
Friday, July 19, 3 PM

Spanish Nights Flamenco Concert with Gabriel Hilmar*
Thursday, July 25, 6:30 PM

Folk Singer/Songwriter Charlie Maguire*
Wednesday, August 14, 6 PM

Pet Portraits: Pencil & Pastel Animal Drawings*
Thursday, August 22, 5:30 PM

Book Clubs

Romance Book Club (online)*
Tuesday, June 11, July 9, August 13 at 6:30 PM

Mystery Book Club
Wednesday, June 26, July 17, August 21 at 6:30 PM

Gaming Fun

Chess Club (Ages 8 - Adult)*
1st & 3rd Tuesdays, June-August, 4 PM

Jigsaw Puzzle Competition*
Saturday, June 15, 10:30 AM



Visit the library's table at the Stillwater Farmers Market on June 15 (with Miss Kim) & July 20 from 8 AM - 12 PM.

Health & Wellness

Monday Meditation
Monday, June 3 & 24; July 1, 22 & 29; and August 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 1 PM

Tai Chi: Introduction & Practice*
Thursday, June 20, July 18, August 15, 10:15 AM

Adult Yoga
Wednesday, June 26, 1:30 PM

Other Learning Opportunities

Ornamental Grasses for Minnesota*
Friday, June 14, 10:30 AM

What's it Worth? Antique Appraisals with Mark Moran
Saturday, August 3, 10:30 AM

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READ & WIN (JUST FOR ADULTS)

Summer reading isn't only for kids! Adults can join in the summer fun too at Stillwater Public Library. Read books and enter into a drawing to win weekly prizes for local businesses. Here's how:

- Read or listen to a book.
- Beginning on June 1 through August 10, log any book that you've read by submitting a short review or rating of the book at the library or online at **stillwaterbayportlibrary.beanstack.org**.
- Each week, we'll randomly draw a winner from all entries submitted since June 1 to receive a gift card to a local business.

The more you participate by reading books and submitting reviews, the more chances you'll have of winning one of the weekly prize drawings.

Matt's Basement · Sara's Tipsy Pies · Candyland · Valley Bookseller (Great Books. Great People.) · Green Bridge Coffee · Rose Mille · Smith + Trade Mercantile · Rose Floral · Wahoo! Adventures (Get outside and play!)

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Stillwater Public Library Foundation — Turning the Pages

STILLWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Hours

Monday - Thursday: 10 AM - 8 PM

Friday & Saturday: 10 AM - 5 PM

Sunday: Closed on Sundays from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend

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