

WINONA PUBLIC LIBRARY • Summer Reading Program 2023

Join Winona Public Library for a summer of adventure that will help maintain and improve your reading skills!



Our free program rewards children and teens ages 0-18 for reading during summer. Starting **June 5**, visit Youth Services or go to winona.lib.mn.us to sign up.

It's easy: read what you want, where you want, when you want. For every 100 minutes of completed reading, you'll earn a prize. You can earn up to 5 prizes. Prizes can be claimed at the Youth Services desk starting June 26.

Besides prizes for reading, we've got a bunch of fun programs for all ages this summer! Find descriptions below and a calendar on the back. **Activities and dates are subject to change. Registration is required for programs with an asterisk.** To register & find more info, visit winona.lib.mn.us or contact Youth Services.

PRE-K PROGRAMS

- **Storytime & Play** - Beginning June 13, join WPL and Park Rec staff Tuesdays at 10 a.m. at Sinclair Park! We'll enjoy stories, followed by games, crafts, and activities. Storytime is 10-10:30 AM. Play is 10:30AM-12PM. Free lunch will be provided by Winona Area Public Schools at 11:30 and must be eaten on-site.
- **Early Explorers (EE)** - Join us select Thursdays at 10 am at Windom Park for interactive activities and crafts geared towards children ages 3-6 and a caregiver. Visits from Happy Dancing Turtle, WAPS Herky Bus, and Whitewater State Park!

SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAMS

- **Maker Mondays (MM)** - On Mondays, youth ages 6+ are invited to join for hands-on activities, crafts, and experiences. View the calendar for locations and winona.lib.mn.us for more details. Children under age 8 must be accompanied by an adult.
- **Book Club with an Author*** - Read and discuss the book, "Junkyard Tough," with the author, Jenny Baertsch! Each meeting will end with an activity or craft. This book club is open to youth entering grades 2-4. *Registration required.*
- **Bookworms Book Club*** - Read and discuss a book and enjoy activities with WPL Youth staff. Book club meets every other Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Library. Open to kids entering grades 4-6, strong 3rd grade readers welcome. *Registration required.*
- **Tecreation Coding: Sphero*** - Select Wednesdays at 11 a.m. at the Library, we'll experiment and complete challenges using Sphero BOLTs. Open to youth ages 9 and up. *Registration required.*
- **Programs at the ERC, East End Rec. Center (210 Zumbro St)** - For further info on all programs listed at the ERC this summer, visit cityofwinona.com/634/Activity-Guides.

TEEN PROGRAMS

- **Page-Turners Book Club*** - Read and discuss a book and enjoy activities with WPL! Book club meets every other Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Library. Intended for youth entering grades 6-9. *Registration required.*
- **Teen Thursdays*** - On select Thursdays, join for special activities, such as oil pastel painting, faux stained glass, and tie-dye. Open to youth entering grades 6+. *Registration required.*
- **Textile Center MN*** - Join us on Friday, July 14 for a clay bead keychain workshop with Textile Center MN! All materials are provided. Open to youth entering grades 6+. *Registration required.*





ALL AGES PROGRAM! AFOUTAYI HAITIAN MUSIC & DANCE

Saturday, July 22 at 10 a.m. - Join us at the History Center (160 Johnson St) for an interactive morning filled with dance, music, drumming, storytelling and history! This is great for all ages. Free! This program is funded by SELCO through a grant from the Legacy Amendment Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

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Reading Colors Your World!

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
June 5 Summer Reading Program Starts!	6 Please note: Registration required for programs with an asterisk *	7	8	9 	10
June 12 10 a - MM: Whitewater State Park @ Windom Park 4 p - Make-It @ ERC	13 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	14 11 a - Book clubs @ the Library*	15 2 p - Teen Oil Pastel Painting @ Library*	16 10 a - Steamboat Days Kiddie Parade @ Lake Park Bandshell	17 3 p - Juneteenth celebration @ Windom Park
June 19 Library CLOSED for Juneteenth	20 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	21 11 a - Terecreation @ Library* 2:30 p - Sock hop dance party @ ERC	22 10 a - EE: Happy Dancing Turtle @ Windom Park	23	24 9 a - Grab-n-Go Kit @ Library
June 26 10 a - MM: RAD Zoo @ the History Center First day to collect prizes	27 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	28 11 a - Book clubs @ the Library*	29 2 p - Teen Pride Tie-Dye @ Windom Park*	30	July 1 
July 3 10 a - MM: WAPS Herky Bus @ Windom 4 p - Make-It @ ERC	4 Library CLOSED for Independence Day	5 11 a - Terecreation @ Library*	6 10 a - EE: WAPS Herky Bus @ Windom Park	7	8 
July 10 10 a - MM: Whitewater State Park @ Windom Park 4 p - Make-It @ ERC	11 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	12 11 a - Book clubs @ the Library*	13 2 p - Teen Glass Gem Magnets*	14 1 p - Teen Clay Bead workshop with Textile Center MN @ Library*	15 9 a - Grab-n-Go Kit @ Library
July 17 10 a - MM: Legos @ the Library 4 p - Make-It @ ERC	18 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	19 11 a - Terecreation @ Library* 2:30 p - 1970s dance party @ ERC	20 10 a - EE: Whitewater State Park @ Windom Park	21	22 10 a - Afoutayi Haitian music & dance @ History Center (160 Johnson St.)
July 24 10 a - MM: Kites @ Jaycee's Shelter 4 p - Make-It @ ERC	25 10 a - Storytime & Play @ Sinclair Park 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	26 11 a - Book clubs @ the Library*	27 2 p - Teen Paint Pen Stained Glass @ Library*	28 	29
July 31 4 p - Make-It Crafting @ ERC	August 1 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	2	3	4 	5 Coloring Contest Ends
August 7 4 p - Make-It Crafting @ ERC	8 3 p - Marvelous Monarchs @ ERC	9	10 Please note: Registration required for programs with an asterisk *	11	12 Summer Reading Program Ends

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ERC: East End Rec. Center (210 Zumbro St.)



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