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ADULT BOOK GROUP

Don't know what to read this summer? Join us each month at 7:00 p.m. in the small meeting room. Books are available at the circulation desk one month in advance.

June 6

Father Joe: the Man Who Saved My Soul
by Tony Hendra

July 11

Lost Horizon
by James Hilton

August 1

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time
by Mark Haddon

Library Hours

Monday—Thursday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Friday—Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday—Closed

Library Closings

Independence Day—Tuesday, July 4

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Meetings of the Board of Trustees are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are open to the public.

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SUMMER READING IS BACK!



Voyage to Book Island

June 12 - July 22

A pirate's paradise awaits children up to age 11 when they join the Winfield Public Library's Summer Reading Program, "Voyage to Book Island." Registration begins June 12 and continues through July 22. Sign up by filling out the registration and reading log that will remain filed at the library. All readers are invited to read or listen to books and enter drawings for our special weekly prizes and our marvelous grand prizes. This program and all summer activities are open to everyone and are absolutely free.

Escape—Read!

Young Adult Summer Reading Program

June 12 - July 22

Calling all teens! Sign up for our reading program created especially for Winfield's great young adults, ages 12 to 18. For every hour you read, you are entitled to one prize slip that will go into the grand prize drawing on July 27. Answer trivia questions for weekly prize drawings and complete optional book reviews for additional chances to win the grand prize.

Adult Summer Reading

June 1 - August 31



Join the Adult Summer Reading Program and you could become the lucky winner of one of our many prizes! Each time you return a book you have read or listened to, fill out an entry slip to be included in a prize drawing the first of July, August, and September. If you'd like to review a book, forms will be available at the front desk and will be entered into a special prize drawing. Don't miss out on your chance to win this summer!

JUNE SUMMER READING EVENTS



5th ANNUAL ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Wednesday, June 14, 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Don't miss out on this exciting annual event! While enjoying your sundae, participate in a variety of games or have your face painted. Enjoy great music as The Cattails, back by popular demand, take you on a spirited trip into America's past, playing old time folk and country songs for a memorable evening.

Children who sign up for summer reading will receive five free tickets for the ice cream social games. Sign up before the ice cream social begins and receive 6 tickets!



SUMMER STORYTIME

Drop-In Storytime
Mondays, 10:30 a.m.
June 12 - July 17

Parents are invited to drop in with their children for 30 to 40 minutes of stories, crafts, and songs featuring a weekly theme. Mark your calendars and join the fun on June 12, 19, and 26, and July 3, 10 and 17.

Voyage to Cantigny
Friday, June 23, 10:30 a.m.
Friday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.

Join us at the Visitors Center at Cantigny as we read and sing outdoors. On Friday, June 23, get ready to soak up stories about beautiful flower gardens. On July 14, our theme will be butterflies. A craft kit and booklist based on each theme will be handed out to participants, as long as supplies last. Pick up a free parking pass at the Winfield Public Library.

Hawaiian Grass Skirt Craft
Tuesday, June 13, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a fun morning while we make a grass skirt that can be worn at our ice cream social. Parent participation is recommended if tying is difficult for your child.

The Punky Puppeteers
Tuesday, June 20, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for the return of our talented Punky Puppeteers as they put on specially selected puppet plays. Refreshments will be served.



Captain Graybeard's Pirate Adventure
Wednesday, June 21, 7:00 p.m.

Join pirate Captain Graybeard for an adventure filled with magic, puppetry, and comedy. Laugh at the antics of Polly, a puppet, and be amazed as White Pearl, a bunny, is changed into a guinea pig. Watch someone walk the plank, and learn about pirates.

Registration is not required but seating is limited for this family event.

Pirate's Treasure Hunt
Tuesday, June 27, 10:30 a.m.

Don't miss out on the hunt for pirate treasure. Children will be divided into teams and will be given a treasure map with their first clue. All participants will be rewarded, but the first team to reach the treasure gets an extra prize. Refreshments of grog and sea biscuits will be served. **Registration is required and begins June 12.**



The Magic of Hawaii
Wednesday, June 28, 7:00 p.m.

Set sail with Dave Mayer, magician and storyteller, as he presents "The Magic of Hawaii." See exotic flowers and animals magically come alive before your eyes. Discover what treasures Hawaii possesses through magical dramas and costumes. **Registration is not required but seating is limited for this family event.**

Patriotic Face Painting and Craft
Thursday, June 29, 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Have your face painted and show your patriotism by making a special holiday craft. Teen Team members will be available to help preschoolers. Recommended for ages 2 and up.

JULY SUMMER READING EVENTS

Terrific Talent Show

Wednesday, July 5, 7:00 p.m.

Can you play an instrument, sing, dance, or act? The library is in search of talented individuals for our annual talent show. Parents, grandparents and friends are encouraged to come cheer our young rising stars or show off talents of their own! Prizes will be awarded to all participants. **Registration is required, as well as parental consent.**



Mom and Daughter Makeover

Saturday, July 8, 10:00–12:00 p.m.

Calling on all moms and daughters! Don't be caught outdoors in the scorching sun without skin moisturizers. Here is your chance to learn about good skin care and have fun with mom Linda McNamara. Don't pass up this delightful morning that promises to pamper mothers and daughters! Recommended for ages 10 and up. **Registration is limited, so sign up early.**

Time for a Luau!

Tuesday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.

Come dressed in your Hawaiian attire, leis, and grass skirts for a library luau. We will have fun with hula-hoops and learn basic hula steps to Hawaiian music. Tropical refreshments will be served. **Registration is required and is limited to 25 participants.**

Sandi Sylver

Storyteller-Ventriloquist-Songstress

Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

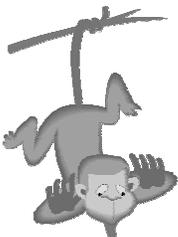
Back by popular demand, Sandi Sylver will be entertaining us with a wonderfully interactive, entertaining, and wacky program entitled "The Monkey and the Crocodile of Book Island." Toodles will be in on the fun and will tell an island story called "Reef Eyes." **Registration is not required but seating is limited for this family event.**



Souvenir of the Tropics

Tuesday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.

Join us as we create a special tropical picture frame. Bring a 4 by 6 inch photograph for an instant memento. **Registration is required.**



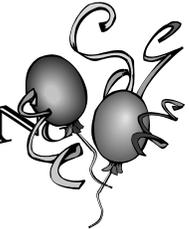
Ed and Annette's Monkeys & More

Wednesday, July 19, 7:00 p.m.

Don't miss this fun, educational, entertaining animal show perfect for all ages. See the star of the show, the monkey, as he shakes hands and picks pockets, and see a variety of other animals in this hands-on program.

SUMMER

READING
FINALE!



Wednesday, July 26, 7:00 p.m.

One and all are cordially invited to watch Winfield's talented Punky Puppeteers put on a spectacular puppet show. Ralph Treccia, President of Winfield Community Bank, will hand out prizes for the lucky winners of our summer reading program, "Voyage to Book Island." All summer reading participants present at our finale, who do not win a grand prize, will receive a special surprise. Don't miss out on this fantastic yearly event!

DON'T MISS
OUR GREAT
AUGUST PROGRAMS!



Craft Day

Thursday, August 3

Kids, are you bored? Help us make room in our craft closet! Pick up a craft of your choosing to complete at home any time during the day or while supplies last.

Grandparent's Day Contest

Grandparents are vital members of our families as well as our community. National Grandparent's Day, September 10, is a special day set aside to honor them. Show how much you treasure your grandparents by entering our contest. Draw a picture, write a short essay or a poem and **submit the entry by Monday, August 28.** Winners will be announced during Good Old Days and will receive gift certificates, compliments of Bob Greene from Winfield's own Corner Frame Studio.

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The Library gives a special thank you to our Friends. They have generously given their time and funds to help with programs including Summer Reading.

JOIN THE FRIENDS!

Join us Wednesday, August 2, to find out what we're working on and how you can help! We meet at 7:00 p.m. in the large meeting room in the library.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

The Friends' semi-annual book sale will be held September 7, 8, and 9.



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