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CHILDREN'S SUMMER READING PROGRAM **Dedicated to Andrew Greene**

Magic Show with Russ De Simone Thursday, June 27 at 6:30pm

A high energy magic show which combines audience participation and comedy with good ole family fun!

Registration is required and starts on June 24 at 9:30am. This program is sponsored by The Friends of Mohr Library.



Julie Garnett presents Animal Songs Sing 'n Signing Wednesday, July 10 at 10:30am



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Julie Garnett, an award-winning songwriter, teacher and performer will share original songs from her book Animal Songs.

Registration is required and starts on July 8 at 9:30am. This program is sponsored by The Friends of Mohr Library.



MOBILE **UEST** presents

Clever Construction Thursday, July 11 at 6:30 pm

Participants will engineer bridges, catapults, zip lines and other wacky contraptions. Ages 7 to 12 with a caregiver.

> **Registration is required and** starts on July 8 at 9:30am

Both programs are sponsored by OLIS with funds from IMLS.



Participants will be introduced to drag and drop coding using Dash Robots. Ages 8 to 12 with a caregiver.

> **Registration is required and** starts on July 15 at 9:30am

Dave Marchetti's Animal Experiences Thursday July 25 at 6:30pm

Hands on fun with a variety of reptiles and some small mammals. Meet, pet and even hold Pixie Stick the snake, Dora

the turtle, Indigo the lizard and fifteen of their good friends.

Registration is required and starts on July 22 at 9:30am. This program is sponsored by OLIS with funds from IMLS.



Dancin' with Hoops

Thursday, August 1 at 6:30pm Rain date: Tue., Aug. 6 at 6:30pm

Judi Jones will demonstrate her amazing skill and provide hoops and instruction for the participants in this hands-on

hooping fun.



Magic Show with Malik Haddadi Thursday, August 8 at 6:30pm

Malik's Magic show features visual, comedic sleight of hand magic, and fun audience interaction and showcases the benefits and importance of reading.



Audubon Society presents Sensory Friendly Nature Storytime with a Live Turtle Wednesday Aug. 14

10am Sensory Friendly presentation geared towards children with sensory challenges.

11 am Presentation geared towards the general public. Ages 3 and up **Registration** is required and starts on Aug. 9 at 9:30am This program is sponsored by the Audubon Society of RI



will start on June 17 and continue through the summer.

Reading Challenge, Storytime, STEAM, Art Smart, Yoga, Lego, Crafts, and Ice Cream

Children under 12 must be accompanied by a caregiver.

Register for programs at mohrlibrary.org/forchildren.php

How does the reading program work:

Starting on June 17, parents can sign up the whole family for Summer Reading on Beanstack.

Beanstack is a web-based reading challenge! **Children, Teens and Adults** can track reading minutes, write reviews, and participate in fun activities to earn badges and digital raffle tickets.

Children who complete our reading challenge by reading or listening to books, ebooks, magazines, graphic novels or audio books throughout the summer will receive a free donated book and digital raffle tickets for various prizes donated by the Friends of the Library.

How do I sign up?

1. Go to mohrlibrary.beanstack.org or download the Beanstack app.

2. Click on "Register an individual or a family". You can link family members and access all accounts with one login.

3. Log minutes of reading, do fun activities and earn digital raffle tickets for prizes.

Deadline for logging hours and activities - August 15. Prizes will be drawn and winners announced on Aug. 16.

The prizes are donated by The Friends of the Mohr Library



Weekly Children's Programs

Mondays, July 8 through July 29 at 4pm

STEAM for Kids—participants are invited to experiment, build and explore with Ms Melyssa. Ages 6 to 9. Caregivers must remain in the library for the duration of the program. Registration is required and starts on July 1 at 9:30am.

Tuesdays, July 9, 16, 23, 30, Aug. 13 and 20 at 10:30am (no class on Aug. 6)

Children's Yoga—learn some basic yoga poses in a fun class led by a professional yoga instructor. Ages 5 - 12. Caregivers must remain in the library for the duration of the program. **Registration is required and starts on July 1 at 9:30am.** This program is sponsored by Tri-county HEZ

Wednesdays, June 26, July 3, 17, 24, and 31 at 10:30am (no storytime on July 10-special program with registration, see p. 1) Storytime—stories, songs, rhymes and puppets for children and their caregivers. All ages with a caregiver. No need to register.

Wednesdays, July 10 through Aug 7 at 4pm Art Smart—join Ms Melyssa in exploration of different art styles, genres and artists. Ages 8 to 12. Caregivers must main in the library for the duration of the program. **Registration is required and starts on July 1 at 9:30am.**



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Thursdays, July 11 - Aug. 8 at 10 am and at 11:30am (repeat) Art Smart Jr. - join Ms Melyssa in exploration of different art styles, genres and artists. Ages 5 to 7. Caregivers must remain in the library for the duration of the program. Registration is required and starts on July 1 at 9:30am.

Fridays from June 28 to Aug 16 from 1pm to 5pm Lego Club—come play with our Legos. Bring a friend or make a new one. Ages 5 and up with a caregiver. No need to register.



Family Drop-in Crafts—several self-guided projects for children and parents to do together. Available anytime when there is no other program. Ages 3 and up with a caregiver.



Enjoy 10 different I Spy and 3 Scavenger Hunt challenges anytime when the library is open.



Read to Skippy Wednesday Aug. 7 at 10:30am No need to register.



End-of-Summer Ice-Cream Scavenger Hunt

Hunt for Ice-cream images around the children's floor and when you find all of them you will get a sweet treat. Monday, Aug 19 to Friday, Aug 23 anytime when the library is open.



Caregivers of children under 12 must remain in the library during programs.

The statewide Rhode Island Summer Reading Program is supported by the RI Office of Library and Information Services (OLIS) with funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS). Local support includes HEZ Tri-county, The Friends of Mohr Library and generous gifts in Memory of Andrew Greene.