

## Summer Newsletter 2023 | June/July/August



### 2023 Summer Reading Program

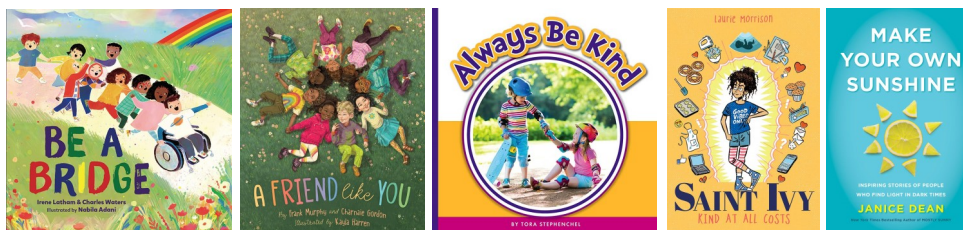
Summer reading is for everyone! Let's join all together now for the 2023 Summer Reading Program from June 1 through July 29.

This year's theme, "**All Together Now**," is centered on friendship, kindness and unity. Participation options are available to accommodate all ages and interests.



 Register for the Summer Reading Program at the Main Library, West Lafayette Branch, Bookmobile, online at [coshoctonlibrary.beanstack.org](http://coshoctonlibrary.beanstack.org) or on the [Beanstack](#) app.

Thanks to the continued support of the Friends of the Library and area businesses, individuals, and organizations (*see back cover*), prize opportunities and incentives will be available for summer reading participants of all ages. Thank you, generous donors!



### Summer Reading Book Lists

Find summer book lists for all ages at the library or online at [www.coshoctonlibrary.org/summer-reading-program-2023](http://www.coshoctonlibrary.org/summer-reading-program-2023).

To receive the newsletter digitally, subscribe at [coshoctonlibrary.org/newsletter](http://coshoctonlibrary.org/newsletter).

### LOCATIONS & HOURS:



**Main Library**  
655 Main Street  
Coshocton, OH 43812

Monday-Wednesday | 9:30 AM - 8:00 PM  
Thursday-Friday | 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM  
Saturday | 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

**Phone:** 740-622-0956

**Email:** [info@coshoctonlibrary.org](mailto:info@coshoctonlibrary.org)



**West Lafayette Branch**  
601 East Main Street  
West Lafayette, OH 43845

Monday-Wednesday | 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM  
Thursday-Friday | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
Saturday | 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**Phone:** 740-545-6672

**Email:** [wbranch@coshoctonlibrary.org](mailto:wbranch@coshoctonlibrary.org)



**Bookmobile**  
The Bookmobile serves locations throughout Coshocton County.

The schedule of stops is located at [www.coshoctonlibrary.org/bookmobile](http://www.coshoctonlibrary.org/bookmobile).

**Phone:** 740-502-0444

**Email:** [kringwalt@coshoctonlibrary.org](mailto:kringwalt@coshoctonlibrary.org)



The library will be closed on **Tuesday, July 4**. Happy Independence Day!

# ADULT PROGRAMS

Programs in blue require registration. Sign up at [www.coshoctonlibrary.org](http://www.coshoctonlibrary.org) or by calling 740-622-0956.

## Summer Reading Kickoff



**JUNE 1 @ Main Library | 3:30-5:30 PM**  
**JUNE 2 @ Branch Library | 3-4:30 PM**  
Sign up for Summer Reading and enjoy activities as we join "All Together Now" to kick off the Summer Reading Program!

## Gathering of Gamers

**JUNE 3, JULY 1 | 1-3:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Enjoy fellowship and games galore at the library on the second Saturday of each month (except Aug.).

## Digital Genealogy, Parts 1 and 2

**JUNE 6 & JUNE 13 | 10-11:30 AM or 6-7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
In this two-part series, explore free digital databases to aid with your genealogical research.

## Weird Coshocton

**JUNE 7 | 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Learn about some of the lesser-known and strange events in Coshocton's 200+ years of history.

## Explore a World of Possibilities!

**JUNE 12, JULY 10, AUG. 14 | 10:30-11:30 AM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Senior adults are invited to "explore" a location around the world on the second Tues. of each month.

## Books and Bad Art

**JUNE 14 | 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Choose from a selection of fun book covers and try to recreate them, as well or as bad as you'd like!

## Gadgets and Grandparents

**JUNE 15 | 10 AM – 11 AM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Learn about online library resources, try out Virtual Reality, and receive hands-on tech help.



## Bookmarked

**JUNE 20, JULY 18, AUG. 15 | 6:30-7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Small Meeting Room**  
Explore fiction and non-fiction titles in this monthly book club. Ongoing conversations are held on [Padlet](#).

## Library for All

**JULY 10 | 1 PM – 3 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Small Meeting Room**  
Adults with disabilities, along with their friends and family, are invited to an afternoon of crafts, games and stories at the library.

## Coffee Chat for Readers



**JULY 12 | 9-10 AM**  
**West Lafayette Branch Library**  
This bi-monthly Reader's Advisory program at the Branch features new and best-selling books with hot coffee & tea.

## Keep It Moving: Senior Yoga Practice

**JULY 24 | 10-11 AM -and- AUG. 21 | 10-11:30 AM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Join Michelle Turner-Ganz, of Seven Sisters Yoga Villa, for two senior yoga practices at the library.

## Moments That Shook the World

**JULY 25, AUG. 25, SEPT. 26 | 10-11 AM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
This three-part series will cover significant events in world history that left a permanent mark on history.

## Getting Ahold of Your Finances

**AUG. 7 | 6:30-7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Remove stress and learn ways manage your finances with OSU Extension Educator, Emily Marrison.

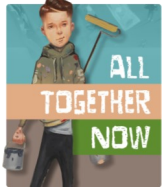
## Team Trivia

**AUG. 22 | 6:30-7:30 PM**  
**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**  
Grab some friends or tackle it solo and test your trivia knowledge. A variety of categories will be covered.

# TEEN PROGRAMS (Grades 7 to 12)

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## Summer Reading Kickoff



**JUNE 1 @ Main Library | 3:30-5:30 PM**

**JUNE 2 @ Branch Library | 3-4:30PM**

Sign up for Summer Reading, visit Hank the Horse, and enjoy activities as we kick off the 2023 Summer Reading Program!

## Plugged & Unplugged

**EVERY WEDNESDAY | 2:30 PM – 5 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**

Teens are invited to the library every Wednesday for great video games, laptops, snacks and pop.

## Tween & Teen Time @ the Branch

**THIRD THURSDAYS | 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**West Lafayette Branch Library**

Join us on the third Thursday of each month at the Branch Library for art, games, snacks and pop! Each month, we will have a special activity or craft planned:



**JUNE 15:** Friendship Bracelets

**JULY 20:** Beaded Wind Chimes

**AUG. 17:** Decoupage Coasters

## Craft Nights @ the Main Library

**THIRD WEDNESDAYS | 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**

Join us on the third Wednesday of each month at the Main Library for arts and crafts!



**JUNE 21:** Friendship Bracelets

**JULY 19:** Beaded Wind Chimes

**AUG. 16:** Decoupage Coasters

## Cultural Cuisine

**JUNE 28 | 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**



Food is an important part of culture.

Come to the library to sample food from countries around the world!

## Leaping Lizards Adventure

**JULY 6 | 6 PM – 7 PM**

**Roscoe United Methodist Church**



This program will feature educational content about lizards, snakes and more with opportunities for hands-on experience and photos.

This event is supported by the State Library of Ohio with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

## Wagon Rides and Nature Trails

**COSHOCTON**



**JULY 11 | 6 PM – 7 PM**

**Coshocton KOA, 24688 Co. Rd. 10**

Take a nature walk and enjoy a wagon ride to explore some of the beauty of the Coshocton KOA.

## Beanstack Summer Challenge



Prefer to participate in the Summer Reading Program digitally? Use the [Beanstack Tracker](#) app to track your reading activity.

## Summer Nutrition Program

**EVERY THURSDAY | 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library**

The library is partnering with the USDA to provide non-perishable box meals for children/teens 18 and younger. No registration or information is required.



# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS (Ages 0 to 12)

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Come see Hank the Horse and get signed up for the Summer Reading Program!

## STEAM for Tweens

**JUNE 5, 19; JULY 3, 17 | 11 AM-12 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**

We're going full STEAM ahead for learning fun! For each program, children in grades 3 to 6 will learn about a new STEAM topic with hands-on activities.

## Summer Storytimes

**JUNE 6 – JULY 20 (every other week)**

**Lapsit (ages 0-3) | 10-10:30 AM**

**Preschool Storytime (ages 3-6) | 11-11:30 AM**

Storytimes will be held every other week on Tuesdays at the West Lafayette Branch and Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Coshocton Public Library.

## Book Club for Tweens

**JUNE 8, JULY 13, AUG. 10 | 4:30-5:30 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**

Following the summer reading themes of friendship, kindness, and unity, we will be reading books about friends this summer! For grades 3-6.

## World of Wonder

**JUNE 13 – JULY 27 (every other week) | 11a-12p**

**Tuesdays @ Branch Library**

**Wednesdays & Thursdays @ Main Library**



Drop in the library for special activities and crafts celebrating cultures around the world. For ages 3-12.

## Storytimes in the Parks

**JUNE 15, 29; JULY 13, 27; AUG. 10, 24 | 6:30-7 PM**

**Various Parks in Coshocton County**

Join us for stories, songs, and activities as we visit parks throughout Coshocton County this summer. Check the [Events Calendar](#) for a location near you!

## Tween & Teen Time @ the Branch

**JUNE 15, JULY 20, AUG. 17 | 5:30-6:30 PM**

**West Lafayette Branch Library**

Join us on the third Thursday of each month at the Branch Library for art, games, snacks and pop! Each month, we will have a special activity or craft planned.

## Craft Nights @ the Main Library

**JUNE 21, JULY 19, AUG. 16 | 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**Coshocton Public Library – Large Meeting Room**

Join us on the third Wednesday of each month. The crafts for summer include friendship bracelets, beaded wind chimes, and decoupage coasters.

## Papermaking and Recycling

**JUNE 27 | 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**West Lafayette Branch – Reading Shelter**

Alex Nelson from Coshocton Co. Recycling and Litter Prevention will share how we can all work together to recycle, live green, and practice sustainable habits.

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**JUNE 2 | 3-4:30 PM**

**West Lafayette Branch Library**

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## Featured Art Exhibit

An art exhibit is featured monthly at the West Lafayette Branch by area artists. Stop by the Branch Library during regular hours to view the exhibit.



**JUNE ARTIST:** Marcella Olenzak

**JULY ARTIST:** Jareyn Gress

**AUGUST ARTIST:** Dave Snyder

## Summer Storytimes

**JUNE 6 – JULY 20 (every other week)**

**Lapsit (ages 0-3) | 10-10:30 AM**

**Preschool Storytime (ages 3-6) | 11-11:30 AM**

Storytimes will be held every other week on Tuesdays at the West Lafayette Branch. In celebration of the

summer reading theme, "All Together Now," we will explore community helpers. If a child is 3 years old, the caregiver may determine if

Lapsit or Preschool Storytime is more appropriate.



## World of Wonder

**JUNE 13 – JULY 27 (every other week)**

**Tuesdays @ W.L. Branch | 11 AM – 12 PM**



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## Tween & Teen Time @ the Branch

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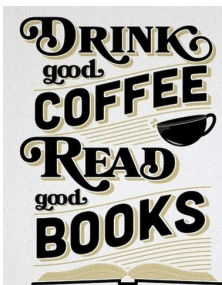
**Burt Park, West Lafayette**

The library is on the move! Join us for stories, songs, and activities as we visit parks throughout Coshocton County this summer. There will be two Storytimes held at Burt Park in West Lafayette.

## Coffee Chat for Readers

**JULY 12 | 9-10 AM**

**West Lafayette Branch Library**



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## Beanstack Summer Challenge



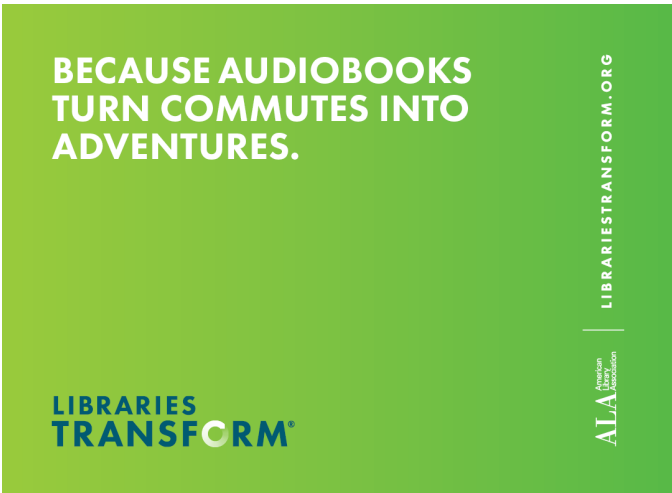
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# DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY



## [Beanstack](#)

Prefer to go paperless for the Summer Reading Program? Sign up on Beanstack to keep track of your reading activity, earn virtual badges and be eligible for the grand prizes available for all ages this summer.



## [Audiobook Month](#)

June is Audiobook Month, but the celebration lasts all year at the library! Choose from a wide selection of audiobooks at the Main Library or Branch Library or digitally from the Libby or Hoopla apps.

### **Summer Audiobook Recommendations:**

[Happy Place](#), by Emily Henry (Adult)

[Beach Haven](#), by T.I. Lowe (Adult)

[That Summer](#), by Sarah Dessen (Young Adult)

[You Have a Match](#), by Emma Lord (Young Adult)



## [Consumer Health Complete](#)

Lather on the sunscreen and learn tips for keeping you and your family protected from the summer sun and staying vigilant about UV exposure throughout the year.

[Consumer Health Complete](#) is available for free with your Coshocton Public Library card.



## [Summer Reading on Hoopla](#)

Celebrate the Summer Reading themes of friendship, kindness, and unity with curated collections on Hoopla.

Every item on Hoopla is available to borrow instantly, there's never a wait list! Coshocton Public Library cardholders receive 10 borrows a month along with BONUS borrows during select months.



## [Hobbies & Crafts Reference Center](#)

Make Father's Day special. Make Dad a handmade card or bake him a cake with help from [Hobbies & Crafts Reference Center](#), available for free with your library card.

# BOOKMOBILE



## Summer Schedule

The Bookmobile continues making stops all summer! For the 2023 Summer Schedule, visit [www.coshoctonlibrary.org/bookmobile](http://www.coshoctonlibrary.org/bookmobile) or pick up a copy of the schedule at the library.

For questions about the Bookmobile or to place items on hold, call or text **740-502-0444**. Please leave a message if there is no answer.



## Summer Reading Program

**June 1 – July 27**

Participate in the 2023 Summer Reading Program for a chance to win a prize! The more you read, the more entries you will earn!

### **GRAND PRIZES:**

**\$50 Cash Drawing for Children (12 and below)**

**\$50 Cash Drawing for Young Adults (13-18)**

**\$50 Cash Drawing for Adults**

The grand prize drawings will be held on **July 27**. Trinket toys will be available for children 12 & below.

# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

## Annual Book Sale

Find bargains on thousands of books, movies, magazines, and more at the annual Friends of the Library Book Sale from August 3 through August 5.

**Thursday, August 3 | 10 AM – 5 PM**

**Friday, August 4 | 10 AM – 5 PM**

**Saturday, August 5 | 10 AM – 1 PM**

A Silent Auction will be held for books of higher value and specialty items. The items will be displayed at the library in the weeks leading up to the Annual Sale in addition to the Sale. Winners will be notified on Saturday, August 5.



## Books Galore Book Store

Operated by Friends of the Library volunteers, the Books Galore Book Store has gently-used books, DVDs and more for sale at rock-bottom prices. The store is located in the basement of the Coshocton Public Library and open every **Monday (3 PM-6 PM)** and every **Wednesday & Saturday (10 AM-1 PM)**.

## Bags for the Book Store

Please consider bringing your own tote bag or plastic bag when shopping in the Books Galore Book Store. If you have extra plastic bags to donate, that is most appreciated. Thank you!

## Thank you, Friends!



Library programs are made possible in thanks to Friends' membership dues and proceeds from their Bookstore and Annual Sale. Thank you for your support, Friends!

# 2023 SUMMER READING PRIZES

## CHILDREN'S GRAND PRIZES

Each of the children's grand prizes will come with a book to complement the theme of the prize!

- ◆ Battatt Wooden Activity Cube
- ◆ Little Tikes 3-in-1 Garden to Table Market
- ◆ LOOIKOOS Natural Wooden Musical Instruments
- ◆ Play Tent with Mat
- ◆ Outdoor Explorer Set
- ◆ LEGO City Emergency Vehicles
- ◆ Solar Robot Kit
- ◆ LeapPad Ultimate Ready for School Tablet

## TEEN GRAND PRIZES

- ◆ \$100 Amazon Gift Card
- ◆ \$100 Walmart Gift Card
- ◆ 4-pack of King's Island 1-Day Passes + \$50 Gas Gift Card
- ◆ Art Set (85 pieces)

**Kings Island**



## ADULT GRAND PRIZES

- ◆ \$100 Buehler's Gift Card
- ◆ \$75 Walmart Gift Card/Fuel Card
- ◆ \$50 Collins Meat and Food Market Gift Card



**All Together Now**

## THANK YOU, SUMMER READING DONORS!

**The summer reading grand prizes and incentives are possible thanks to the generosity of the following businesses, organizations, and individuals:**

American Legion Post 65  
Amici's Pizza  
Blue Star Mothers of Coshocton Co.  
Buehler's  
Burger King  
Coshocton County Fair  
Coshocton Chiropractic Health Center  
Coshocton Elks 376 Charities  
Coshocton Kiwanis Club  
Coshocton KOA  
Creno's Pizza  
Crowtown Pizza  
Dairy Queen  
Dari-Hut  
Dean Orthodontics  
Domino's  
Dunkin' Donuts  
Earl's Dari Drive-In  
Erwin Family Eye Care  
Fisher Decorating Center  
Friends of the Coshocton Public Library  
The Freeze

Frontier Community Connection Fund  
G.A. Fisher Diamond Jewelers  
Given-Dawson Paisley Funeral Home  
Hannah Marie's  
Hardee's  
Jean Mercer  
Kehl's Body Shop  
KFC  
Kraft Heinz  
Lake Park Aquatic Center  
Legacy Lanes  
Little Caesars  
Marion M. Sutton  
McDonald's  
McWane Ductile  
Optics Plus Vision Center  
Papa John's  
Pearl Valley Cheese  
Pizza Hut  
Pizza Point  
Plus 1 Pizza  
Roscoe Village Sweets & Treats

Shelby Theatres  
The Home Loan Savings Bank  
Three Rivers Lodge #799  
Vic Allen Construction  
Wendy's  
West Lafayette Lions Club  
West Lafayette Rotary Club  
Wilson Carpet & Furniture

