*Edwards Public Library in Southampton presents...*

*THE YOUTH SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2019!*

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**Here’s how the Summer Reading Program works:**

Sign up for the Summer Reading Program by filling in an A UNIVERSE OF STORIES Registration Card and putting it in the Sign Up Box. START recording your time spent reading or being read to on Tuesday, June 25th and END on Sunday, August 4th. (Reading before June 25th and after August 4th is encouraged; however, it will NOT count toward the summer reading program.) Pick a prize from the prize box and the book box when you register.

Use the weekly calendar on the inside of this log to record your time spent reading. **When you read an hour, write an X. When you read a half hour, write a /. It’s so easy! If you read an hour and a half, you can write X /.**

BRING YOUR READING LOG WITH YOU WHEN YOU VISIT THE LIBRARY. The librarian in the Youth Department will check your time and award you an A UNIVERSE OF STORIES raffle card for every three hours you read. Look to see which prize you’d like to win in the glass case, fill out the raffle card and place it in the raffle box. Read 6 hours and take one more prize from the prize box, and you’ve completed the Program—but keep reading to enter more raffles! Raffle prizes will be on display by mid-July!!!!

There is a limit of **3 hours of reading credit per day**. (If you read more, that’s great, but we capped it at 3 hours to encourage you to participate in a variety of activities this summer.)

You must read or be read to at least 6 hours to complete the program. Once you’ve done this, you’ll receive an A UNIVERSE OF STORIES Surprise Card. Put that card in the SURPRISE PRIZE raffle box only. This is the ONE time where you can win more than one raffle prize — you can win the SURPRISE PRIZE and a prize from the Display Case, too!

**SUMMER READING LOGS STOP ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2019.**

**LOGS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL TUESDAY AUGUST 13TH,**

**SO GET YOUR TICKETS IN BEFORE AUGUST 13TH!**

**Use the calendar to record your time spent reading or being read to. Please use a / for 30 minutes and an X for one hour. Only read for 20 minutes? It is okay to round up to the / mark! (See sample box on June 24th.)**

**ALL EVENTS ARE FREE! *An ® means you must register for the event!* Sign-up sheets are at the Youth Desk or call 413-527-9480.**

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| WEEK ONEO ONE | |
| DATE | TIME SPENT READING | | | A UNIVERSE OF STORIES |
| **Monday, June 24** | **SIGN UPS BEGIN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!** | | | **SAMPLE BOX**  **HOW DO I KEEP TRACK?**  **X / = 1.5 hours reading; X = 1 hour; / = 30 minutes. You may round up!** |
| **Tuesday, June 25** |  | | | ***Start Keeping Track!***  The Return of SMOOTH HOOTS! You know ‘em, you love ‘em, they are the Out of this World Improv Troupe. 6:30pm. Ages 9 & up. |
| **Wednesday, June 26** |  | | |  |
| **Image result for fireflies public domainThursday, June 27** |  | | | HANDS ON NATURE: FIREFLIES! John Glenn saw “fireflies” in space! Learn about the habitat and lives of fireflies. *Bring a glass jar and create a firefly catcher.* 4:00-5:00pm. Ages 3 & up  Climate Change Café! With Brittany Gutermuth of Mass Audubon. Learn, chat, & make solutions as a community. 6:00pm-7:00pm. Ages 14 & up. |
| **Friday, June 28** |  | | |  |
| **Saturday, June 29** |  | | | 3,2,1, BLAST OFF! Back by popular demand join our Kick-off Event:  Scott Jameson’s “A Universe of Stories” Magic Show! 11:00am. Families. ® |
| **Sunday, June 30** |  | | | **The Library is closed today.** |
| WEEK TWO | | |
| DATE | TIME SPENT READING | | | A UNIVERSE OF STORIES |
| **Monday, July 1** |  | | | ***Johanna’s Birthday. Eat a cupcake.*** |
| **Tuesday, July 2** |  | | | SMOOTH HOOTS! You know ‘em, you love ‘em, they are the Out of this World Improv Troupe. 6:30pm. Ages 9 & up. |
| **Wednesday, July 3** |  | | | The Final Frontier! Dog Story Hour! Go into your July 4th with a BANG, and a woof! Join Johanna, Robert, and Kiefer for summer stories and out of this world dogginess. 11:00am. Families. |
| **Thursday, July 4** |  | | | **INDEPENDENCE DAY!**  **The Library is closed today.** |
| **Friday, July 5** |  | | |  |
| **Saturday, July 6** |  | | |  |
| **Sunday, July 7** |  | | | **The Library is closed today.** |

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| WEEK THREE | | |
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| **Monday, July 8** |  | | |  |
| **Tuesday, July 9** |  | | | Can you escape The Black Meteor? Escape Room with Cathy and Abby!  (2 sessions) 6:00pm and 7:00pm  Ages 7 & up. ® |
| **Wednesday, July 10** |  | | | Dog Story Hour! Join Johanna, Robert, and Kiefer for more out of this world dogginess! 11:00am. Families. |
| **Thursday, July 11** |  | | | PODCASTING PRIMER: Communicate your stories to the world! Learn how to podcast with Easthampton Media. 1st of 3 sessions. **7/18 & 7/25 sessions will be at Easthampton Media.** 6:00-8:00pm. Ages 14 & up. ® |
| **Friday, July 12** |  | | |  |
| **Saturday, July 13** |  | | |  |
| **Sunday, July 14** |  | | | **The Library is closed today**. |
| WEEK FOUR | |
| **DATE** | **TIME SPENT READING** | | | A UNIVERSE OF STORIES |
| **Monday, July 15** |  | | |  |
| **Tuesday, July 16** |  | | | “The Universe’s Story” Fred Venne from Amherst College returns! Learn about the real stars, our Solar System. 4:00-5:00pm. Ages 7 & up. ® |
| **Wednesday, July 17** |  | | | Dog Story Hour! Join Johanna, Robert, and Kiefer for the final frontier of dogginess.11:00am. Families. |
| **Thursday, July 18** |  | | | The Return of SMOOTH HOOTS! You know ‘em, you love ‘em, they are the Out of this World Improv Troupe. 6:30pm. Ages 9 & up.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  PODCASTING PRIMER: Ever wanted to communicate your stories to the world? Learn how to podcast with Easthampton Media. 2nd of 3 sessions**. This and the 7/25 sessions will be at Easthampton Media, 116 Pleasant Street, Suite 102, Easthampton, MA**. 6:00pm-8:00pm. Ages 14 & up. ® |
| **Friday, July 19** |  | | |  |
| **Saturday, July 20** |  | | | *50th Anniversary of the first Lunar Landing! Celebrate “One Giant Leap for Mankind”.* |
| **Sunday, July 21** |  | | | **The Library is closed today.** |

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| WEEK FIVE | |
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| **Monday, July 22** |  | |  |
| **Tuesday, July 23** |  | | Meet Jeff Mack! You love his books, now meet the author! Jeff will teach you how to create your own world of stories with words and art. 6:30-7:30pm. All ages. |
| **Wednesday, July 24** |  | | Space Monsters with Lois! Make a space creature to live in your room. ET phone home! Ages 5 & up. 3:00pm. ® |
| **Thursday, July 25** |  | | Communicate with Satellites! HAM Radio and Morse Code with Roy Thompson. Ages 7 & up. 6:30pm. ®  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  PODCASTING PRIMER: Ever wanted to communicate your stories to the world? Learn how to podcast with Easthampton Media. 3rd of 3 sessions. **This session will be at Easthampton Media**, **116 Pleasant Street, Suite 102, Easthampton, MA.** 6:00pm-8:00pm. Ages 14 & up. ® |
| **Friday, July 26** |  | |  |
| **Saturday, July 27** |  | | Join NASA Solar System Ambassador, Jim Zebrowski for the Lunar Impactor Model. Find out how craters were formed. 11:00-Noon. All ages. ® |
| **Sunday, July 28** |  | | **The Library is closed today.** |

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| WEEK SIX | |
| DATE | TIME SPENT READING | A UNIVERSE OF STORIES |
| **Monday, July 29** |  |  |
| **Tuesday, July 30** |  |  |
| **Wednesday, July 31** |  | Space Monsters with Lois! Make a space creature to live in your room. ET phone home! Ages 5 & up. 3:00pm. ® |
| **Thursday, August 1** |  | Get ready to get back to school! Read to Rover program starts at 4:00pm. Meet Skye! All ages.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Final SMOOTH HOOTS! You know ‘em, you love ‘em, they are the Out of this World Improv Troupe.6:30pm. Ages 9 & up. |
| **Friday, August 2** |  |  |
| **Saturday, August 3** |  |  |
| **Sunday, August 4** |  | **Reading Logs will be accepted until August 13th. Prizes will be chosen at the end of August. The Library is closed today.** |

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