



Warren County Memorial Library

Summer Reading 2015

June 15th – July 30th

Children and Family Programs

June 15th 10:00am

Summer Reading Kickoff Celebration

Readers from preschool age through adult are invited to celebrate our theme "Every Hero Has a Story." Registration begins at 10:00am. Please stop by and visit Fat Cat, Smokey the Bear, and the Chick-Fil-A Cow. WARR 1520 AM and several government agencies will also be present.

Character Antics – Boho the Clown will join us at 11:00am during this event. Refreshments will be served!

June 16th 3:00-4:00pm

Turtles and Trains by Sears Bugg

Sears Bugg will stop by to show us some of his fascinating turtles and give us some amazing information about trains.

June 16th 4:00-5:00pm

Paws 2 Read

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June 17th 2:30pm

The Amazing Steve Sommers: Stand Tall – Celebrating the Hero in us all!

You won't want to miss The Amazing Steve Sommers as he shows off his prowess with "Stand Tall – Celebrating the Hero in us all!" This is sure to be an amazing magical reading show for everyone!

June 20th 11:00am

Family Movie Matinee: *Russell Madness* (PG)

Russell is an undersized but big-hearted terrier who dreams of having a family of his own. After running away from his pet store, Russell gets taken in by the Ferraros, a family desperate to revive their grandfather's pro wrestling arena. That's when they discover that their new pet pooch has incredible wrestling skills. Rated PG with a 92 minute runtime.

June 22nd 12:00pm

Donna Pruet, the Balloon Lady

What kinds of amazing things can you make with balloons? Donna Pruet, known as the Balloon Lady, will show you when she visits. Her balloon sculptures are just a part of Pruet's many talents. Her show also features music, storytelling, and engaging magic tricks for all ages.

June 23rd 2:00-4:00pm

Snacks, Crafts, and a Movie: Hero Capes and *Super Buddies* (G)

Want to follow in the footsteps of your favorite superhero? Well the first step is your costume! Stop by to create your very own superhero cape or participate in one of our other crafts. Snacks will be served to the heroes-in-training as they work to create this vital part of any superhero costume. We will also be showing the film *Super Buddies*. Watch the fur fly as the Buddies find mysterious rings that grant each one of them a unique super power! The pups unleash their amazing abilities and race to the rescue when a shape-shifting bully from outer space threatens the planet. Rated G with an 81 minute runtime.

June 29th 11:00am-1:00pm and 2:00-4:00pm

Family Movie Matinee (Two Showings!) – *Disney's Planes: Fire and Rescue* (PG)

Dusty, the famous racing airplane, learns that his engine is damaged, so he must shift gears and find a new career. He joins an elite corps of firefighting aircraft devoted to protecting historic Piston Peak National Park. When a massive wildfire threatens the park, Dusty – with the help of his fearless colleagues – learns what it takes to become a real hero. Rated PG with an 83 minute runtime.

July 1st 12:00pm

NC Museum of Science – Animal Tracks and Signs

The North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences will be here with a fun and educational presentation of animal tracks and signs. Animal lovers won't want to miss out on this exciting chance!

July 6th 11:00am-1:00pm and 2:00-4:00pm

Family Movie Matinee (Two Showings!) – *Big Hero 6* (PG)

Robotics prodigy Hiro lives in the city of San Fransokyo. Next to his older brother, Tadashi, Hiro's closest companion is Baymax, a robot whose sole purpose is to take care of people. When a devastating turn of events throws Hiro into the middle of a dangerous plot, he transforms Baymax and his other friends into a band of high-tech heroes. Rated PG with a 102 minute runtime.

July 7th 4:00pm

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July 8th 12:30pm

Kyokushin Karate with Kenny and Christian Buffaloe

Don't miss this exciting demonstration of the Kyokushin style of karate by Kenny Buffaloe and his son, Christian.

July 9th 10:00am-4:00pm

Halfway Reading Celebration

Visit the library to celebrate the half way mark of Summer Reading. Stop by to report the number of books you have read so far and pick up prizes! Refreshments will also be served.

July 13th 3:00pm

Flow Circus

A comedy juggling and magic show that is sure to engage audiences of all ages and inspire them to discover new interests and talents at the library. The performer, Paul Miller, will also share his own story of how learning to juggle from a book transformed his life.

July 14th 5:30-6:00pm

Books and Cookies

Do you like books? How about cookies? Now imagine having them both at the same time! That's Books and Cookies, a family story time with snacks aplenty.

July 18th 11:00am-1:00pm

Family Movie: *Ultimate Spiderman - "Avenging Spiderman" Episodes (Y7)*

From the new TV series on Disney XD, Ultimate Spiderman features Spiderman as a high school student fighting crime while under the watchful guise of S.H.I.E.L.D. Director Nick Fury and Agent Coulson, who serves as his school's principal. The "Avenging Spiderman" DVD features several episodes from this series. Rated TV-Y7 with an approximate 110 minute runtime.

July 20th 11:00am-1:00pm and 2:00-4:00pm

Family Movie Matinee – *Smurfs 2 (PG)*

Hoping to harness the magical Smurf-essence, evil wizard Gargamel creates a pair of Smurflike creatures, called Naughties. However, only a real Smurf can give Gargamel what he wants, so he kidnaps Smurfette to force her to cast a spell that will transform the Naughties into Smurfs. Papa, Clumsy and the rest of the Smurfs reunite with their human friends Patrick and Grace to rescue Smurfette from the wizard's clutches. Rated PG with a 105 minute runtime.

July 21st 3:00pm

Scienctellers

Scienctellers combines storytelling and exciting science experiments into an unprecedented theatrical learning experience.

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July 27th All Day

Last Day to Report

This is the last day to report books at the library to count towards our top-reader prizes!

July 27th 11:00am-12:00pm and 2:00-3:00pm

Family Movie Matinee: *Martha Speaks: Martha's Superhero Adventures* (TV-Y)

Learn new words with Martha and her friends during these superhero adventures!

July 30th 5:00pm

Closing Ceremony

Join us for light refreshments as we conclude the Summer Reading program for 2015. We will recognize the two top readers in each age category. During the program, there will also be drawings – drawings for door prizes for attendees as well as a drawing for the grand prize for all entering participants throughout the course of Summer Reading.

All events are free and open to the public. They take place at Warren County Memorial Library at 119 S. Front Street, Warrenton, NC. Feel free to contact us! Phone: 252-257-4990. Website: www.wcmllibrary.org. Also "Like" us on Facebook. This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.