



A **UNIVERSE** of Stories

SUMMER READING 2019

June 24th – August 9th

FOR KIDS 1 DAY OLD – ENTERING 4TH GRADE

There are 2 parts to Summer Reading:
THE READING PROGRAM and **THE FUN, FREE EVENTS.**

THE READING PROGRAM:

Registration for the Reading Program starts June 3rd. Register at: www.agawamlibrary.org/children
Then come to the Children's Room to pick up your Reading Log. **Reading Logs available starting June 17th.**
Use the Reading Log to keep track of the days you read. **Earn prizes just by reading!**

THE FUN, FREE EVENTS:

We have programs for kids of all ages. **Some programs require registration.**

Register at: www.agawamlibrary.org/children

Registration for June events starts June 10th.

Registration for July events starts June 17th.

Registration for August events starts June 24th.



SPECIAL EVENTS:

BINGO for Books For students entering grades 1-4 **Tues. June 18, 2019 at 6:30 pm - Registration is required.**
The annual race to fill a BINGO card slated with tiles, characters, and settings from popular children's books is back! The exciting program is sponsored by the Agawam Junior Women's Club.

Safety Bug: First Time Bus Rider Event For students entering K **Wed. August 28th at 3:30 pm**
This event is for Agawam/Feeding Hills residents. Registration is required.

First time bus riders are invited to learn about bus safety from the Safety Bug and take a short bus ride. Each bus rider will leave with a new book courtesy of the Agawam Family & Community Program.

Library sponsored events are on the following page.

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p><u>JUNE 24</u></p> <p><u>POPSICLE DAY!</u> If you're signed up for the Summer Reading Program come in and get a popsicle. <i>(while supplies last)</i></p>	<p>25</p> <p><u>POPSICLE DAY!</u> If you're signed up for the Summer Reading Program come in and get a popsicle. <i>(while supplies last)</i></p>	<p>26</p> <p><u>JOKE DAY!</u> Get a raffle ticket for telling a librarian a joke.</p>	<p>27</p> <p><u>CRAZY HAT DAY</u> Get a raffle ticket for wearing a crazy hat.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>10:30 am <u>MUSIC TOGETHER</u> <i>Birth – preschool</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>
<p><u>JULY 1</u></p> <p><u>MUSIC MONDAY!</u> Get a raffle ticket for singing (or humming) a couple of lines from a song.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:30 am <u>LEARN, PLAY & GROW</u> <i>Ages 2-5</i> Registration is appreciated. <i>Sponsored by the Agawam Family & Community Program.</i></p> <p>6:00 pm <u>LEARN, PLAY & GROW</u> <i>Ages 2-5</i> Registration is appreciated. <i>Sponsored by the Agawam Family & Community Program.</i></p>	<p>3</p> <p><u>RED, WHITE & BLUE DAY</u> Get a raffle ticket for wearing red, white & blue.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>LIBRARY CLOSED</p>	<p>5</p> <p><u>STUFFED ANIMAL DAY!</u> Get a raffle ticket for bringing your stuffed animal to the library.</p>

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<u>MONDAY</u> <u>JULY 8</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u> 9	<u>WEDNESDAY</u> 10	<u>THURSDAY</u> 11	<u>FRIDAY</u> 12
<p>10:00 am <u>STARRY STORYTIME</u> <i>Ages 3 - 5</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>15 10:00 am <u>STARRY STORYTIME</u> <i>Ages 3 - 5</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>3:00 pm <u>SHOOT FOR THE MOON</u> <i>Birth – 2 years old</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p>10:00 am <u>STARSHINE LAPSIT STORYTIME</u> <i>Birth – 18 months</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>16 10:00 am <u>STARSHINE LAPSIT STORYTIME</u> <i>Birth – 18 months</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>6:00 pm <u>MOON LANDING</u> <i>Entering gr. 3-4</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p><u>WE LOVE THE LIBRARY WEDNESDAY!</u> Get an extra raffle ticket just for coming in to the library.</p> <p>17 <u>WE LOVE THE LIBRARY WEDNESDAY!</u> Get an extra raffle ticket just for coming in to the library.</p>	<p>10:00 am <u>ROBOT ROCKIN' TODDLER TIME</u> <i>19 months old – 36 months old</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>6:00 pm <u>CONSTELLATIONS</u> <i>Entering gr. K-2</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p> <p>18 10:00 am <u>ROBOT ROCKIN' TODDLER TIME</u> <i>19 months old – 36 months old</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>3:00 pm <u>S.T.E.A.M. WARS</u> <i>Entering grades 3-4</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p>10:30 am <u>MUSIC TOGETHER</u> <i>Birth – preschool</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p> <p>4:00 pm <u>PLANET PARTY</u> <i>Ages 3-5</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p> <p>19 10:30 am <u>MUSIC TOGETHER</u> <i>Birth – preschool</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>

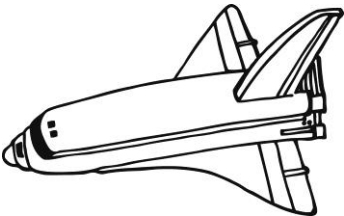
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<p><u>JULY 22</u></p> <p>10:00 am <u>STARRY STORYTIME</u> Ages 3 - 5 Registration is appreciated.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>10:00 am <u>STARSHINE LAPSIT STORYTIME</u> <i>Birth – 18 months</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>6:00 pm <u>EDIBLE SPACE SAND ART</u> <i>Entering grades 3-4</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p>24</p> <p><u>WE LOVE THE LIBRARY WEDNESDAY!</u> Get an extra raffle ticket just for coming in to the library.</p>	<p>25</p> <p>10:00 am <u>ROBOT ROCKIN' TODDLER TIME</u> <i>19 months old – 36 months old</i> Registration is appreciated.</p> <p>6:00 pm <u>LUNAR BOOK BUDDIES</u> <i>Entering grades K-2</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p>26</p> <p>11:00 am <u>STELLAR S.T.E.A.M.</u> <i>Ages 3-5</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>
<p>29</p> <p>6:00 pm <u>STARLAB : PORTABLE PLANETARIUM</u> <i>Ages 5-11</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p>30</p> <p>10:30 am–12 pm <u>BABY SIGN LANGUAGE WITH SHERYL WHITE</u> <i>2 months or older and pre-verbal.</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p> <p>6:00 pm <u>ALIEN BALLOON TWISTING WITH ED THE WIZARD</u> <i>Entering grades 1 and up</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p>31</p> <p><u>WE LOVE THE LIBRARY WEDNESDAY!</u> Get an extra raffle ticket just for coming in to the library.</p>	<p>August 1</p> <p>6:30 pm <u>BALLOONVERSE OF STORIES WITH JUNGLE JIM</u> <i>Ages 4-11</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>	<p>2</p> <p>11:00 am <u>SPACE CAMP B.I.N.G.O</u> <i>Entering grades K-2</i> <u>Registration is required.</u></p>

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<p><u>MONDAY</u> <u>AUGUST 5</u></p> <p><u>MUSIC MONDAY!</u> Get a raffle ticket for singing (or humming) a couple of lines from a song.</p>	<p><u>TUESDAY</u> 6</p> <p><u>WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?</u> Get a raffle ticket for telling us about a place that you've been.</p>	<p><u>WEDNESDAY</u> 7</p> <p>9:30 am <u>LEARN, PLAY & GROW</u> Ages 2-5 Registration is appreciated. <i>Sponsored by the Agawam Family & Community Program.</i></p> <p>6:00 pm <u>LEARN, PLAY & GROW</u> Ages 2-5 Registration is appreciated. <i>Sponsored by the Agawam Family & Community Program.</i></p>	<p><u>THURSDAY</u> 8</p> <p><u>TEAM SPIRIT DAY</u> Get a raffle ticket for showing support for your favorite sports team.</p>	<p><u>FRIDAY</u> 9</p> <p>LAST DAY OF SUMMER READING PROGRAM</p> <p>All Summer Reading Raffle tickets <u>must</u> be submitted by 3:00 pm</p>
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Event descriptions on the following pages

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Program Descriptions

Programs are listed in order by date of program

Fri. June 28th

10:30 am

MUSIC TOGETHER

Birth – preschool

Registration is required.

Greater Springfield Music Together will lead this 45 minute program where little ones can learn to access the music that's inside them in a fun and informative way.

Register for each class separately.

Tues. July 2nd

9:30 am

LEARN, PLAY & GROW

Ages 2-5

Registration is appreciated.

Sponsored by the Agawam Family & Community Program.

Join Erin from the Agawam Family and Community Program for a fun filled program with hands on activities, at the Agawam Public Library.

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Mon. July 8th

10:00 am

STARRY STORYTIME

Ages 3 - 5

Registration is appreciated.

Join us for a stellar storytime for children ages 3 and up & their caregivers.

Tues. July 9th

10:00 am

STARSHINE LAPSIT

STORYTIME

Birth – 18 months

Registration is appreciated.

Join us for a sparkly storytime for babies & their caregivers.

Thurs. July 11th

10:00 am

ROBOT ROCKIN'

TODDLER TIME

19 months – 36 months **Registration is appreciated.**

Join us for a rockin' storytime for toddlers & their caregivers.

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Thurs. July 11th **6:00 pm**
CONSTELLATIONS *Entering gr. K-2* **Registration is required.**
Learn about our starry sky. We will make constellations, even some we can eat!

Fri. July 12th **10:30 am**
MUSIC TOGETHER *Birth – preschool* **Registration is required.**
Greater Springfield Music Together will lead this 45 minute program where little ones can learn to access the music that’s inside them in a fun and informative way.
Register for each class separately.

Fri. July 12th **4:00 pm**
PLANET PARTY *Ages 3-5* **Registration is required.**
Zoom through the atmosphere and into this amazing solar system with great stories and interesting facts.

Mon. July 15th **10:00 am**
STARRY STORYTIME *Ages 3 - 5* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a stellar storytime for children ages 3 and up & their caregivers.

Mon. July 15th **3:00 pm**
SHOOT FOR THE MOON *Birth – 2 years old* **Registration is required.**
We will celebrate the celestial bodies with stories, activities and fun!

Tues. July 16th **10:00 am**
STARSHINE LAPSIT
STORYTIME *Birth – 18 months* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a sparkly storytime for babies & their caregivers.

Tues. July 16th **6:00 pm**
MOON LANDING *Entering gr. 3-4* **Registration is required.**
The moon landing was 50 years ago. Learn about Neil Armstrong, the 1st man to walk on the moon, and join in fun lunar activities. The first 10 registrants get a copy of Who Was Neil Armstrong? to keep.

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Thurs. July 18th **10:00 am**
ROBOT ROCKIN'
TODDLER TIME *19 months – 36 months* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a rockin' storytime for toddlers & their caregivers.

Thurs. July 18th **3:00 pm**
S.T.E.A.M. WARS *Entering gr. 3-4* **Registration is required.**
Explore the science, technology, engineering and math of Star Wars.

Fri. July 19th **10:30 am**
Music Together *Birth – preschool* **Registration is required.**
Greater Springfield Music Together will lead this 45 minute program where little ones can learn to access the music that's inside them in a fun and informative way.
Register for each class separately.

Mon. July 22nd **10:00 am**
STARRY STORYTIME *Ages 3 -5* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a stellar storytime for children ages 3 and up & their caregivers.

Tues. July 23rd **10:00 am**
STARSHINE LAPSIT
STORYTIME *Birth – 18 months* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a sparkly storytime for babies & their caregivers.

Tues. July 23rd **6:00 pm**
EDIBLE SPACE SAND ART *Entering gr. 3-4* **Registration is required.**
Have fun layering your favorite flavors to create an edible masterpiece.

Thurs. July 25th **10:00 am**
ROBOT ROCKIN'
TODDLER TIME *19 months – 36 months* **Registration is appreciated.**
Join us for a rockin' storytime for toddlers & their caregivers.

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Thurs. July 25th **6:00 pm**
LUNAR BOOK BUDDIES *Entering grades K-2* **Registration is required.**
Join Pete the Cat on his space camp adventure.

Fri. July 26th **11:00 am**
STELLAR S.T.E.A.M. *Ages 3-5* **Registration is required.**
Join us for S.T.E.A.M. activities based on what we can see in the sky.

Mon. July 29th **6:00 pm**
STARLAB :
PORTABLE PLANETARIUM *Ages 5-11* **Registration is required.**
Go inside a portable planetarium and learn about the stars. Kids will be allowed into the planetarium without adult supervision, but adults must stay in the room where the show is happening. If a child needs the adult to go in with them that can be accommodated.

Tues. July 30th **10:30 am–12 pm**
BABY SIGN LANGUAGE
WITH SHERYL WHITE *babies 2-months or older and pre-verbal.* **Registration is required.**
The class is designed to instruct parents and be stimulating and fun for babies while they some sign language in an enriching environment. Caregivers should attend with their babies.

Tues. July 30th **6:00 pm**
ALIEN BALLOON TWISTING
WITH ED THE WIZARD *Entering gr. 1 and up* **Registration is required.**
Patrons will learn how to twist their own balloon Aliens; no balloon twisting experienced required.
This event is sponsored in part by the Agawam Cultural Council.

Thurs. August 1st **6:30 pm**
BALLOONVERSE OF STORIES
WITH JUNGLE JIM *Ages 4-11* **Registration is required.**
Jungle Jim’s Space-themed balloon magic show features rocket propulsion science, celebrates the moon landing, Star Wars Jedi Training and a 6-foot galaxy explosion!
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Fri. August 2nd

11:00 am

SPACE CAMP B.I.N.G.O

Entering grades K-2

Registration is required.

Have fun learning about the solar system and win some out-of-this-world prizes.

Wed. August 7th

9:30 am

LEARN, PLAY & GROW

Ages 2-5

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6:00 pm

LEARN, PLAY & GROW

Ages 2-5

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**Blast Off to
the Library!**



Children's Room Staff

Pamela Weingart – Children's Librarian
Susan Peoples, Rose Dupre

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