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2024 Summer Events & Summer Reading Program

for Families, Children, Tweens, & Teens

SUMMER READING PROGRAM
REGISTRATION BEGINS THURSDAY, JUNE 13

Stop by the **San Juan Island Library** to pick up a **Summer Reading Program Starter Kit** or participate online with the **Beanstack** app, available through your app store or visit sjlib.beanstack.org.

Also happening this summer are special events for a variety of ages and our popular **Wednesday Afternoon Performance** series featuring professional family-fun entertainment.

All Summer Events & Programs Are FREE!



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Get Started

HOW the 2024 SUMMER READING PROGRAM WORKS

Win prizes, books, and entries into our Grand Prize Raffle Drawing! There are multiple ways to participate. Try all of them or select the option that suits you and/or your child best!

- Use the **Reading Challenge** to track your reading and/or listening time.
- Use the **Activity Challenge** to complete a series of activities.
- Participate in our special **Outdoor Adventure Challenge** to enjoy family time while discovering spaces and preserves and the stories they hold. Co-sponsored by the Land Bank.
- Use our **FREE** online program called **Beanstack**. Visit sjlib.beanstack.org to get started or download the **Beanstack** app from your mobile device app store! Digital badges are generated to help you track your progress and meet your goals! You do not have to register again if you registered as a San Juan Island Library user last year. Look for the **2024 Summer Reading Program Challenge** based on your age/grade level!

Prizes may be claimed in person at the San Juan Island Library during open hours, during our Wednesday Afternoon Performances at Friday Harbor Elementary School, at our Preschool Story Play sessions at the Fairgrounds on Friday mornings, and at other special events for youth happening this summer. The Grand Prize Raffle Drawing winners will be announced at the end of August. Other prizes may be claimed until Labor Day.



**Happy Reading &
Welcome Summer!**

Preschool Story Play

Outdoors at the Fairgrounds

Friday Mornings from 10:00 AM-Noon

Begins Friday, June 21

The Final Party is Friday, Aug. 2



Join Miss Lauren and friends outdoors on the lawn of the Fairgrounds each Friday morning for stories, songs, activities, and play time!

Designed for preschool-aged kiddos (3-5) and their caregivers. Younger and older siblings are always welcome! No registration required.

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Wednesday Afternoon Performances

Held at the Friday Harbor
Elementary School Outdoor Play Shed

Join us each Wednesday afternoon for our professional performances for children and families! All performances are FREE. No registration required. Simply **drop in and enjoy the show!**

Performances run approximately 45 minutes and are held in a shaded area with access to restroom facilities. Please bring blankets and chairs for seating.

KICK-OFF CELEBRATION!

with Library Staff and Friends

Wednesday, June 26

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Join us for our kick-off celebration! There will be bubbles, face painting, crafts, games, and more!

Light refreshments will be served and Library staff will be available to get you registered for the 2024 Summer Reading Program to win prizes!



Eric Haines One Man Band

Wednesday, July 3

Showtime: 1:30 PM

Back by popular demand, Eric Haines is a man of many talents. Watch and listen as he plays multiple instruments at once. Be prepared to join the band for a special musical medley. Eric's show includes lots of audience participation and upbeat vibes!



**Gravity Catastrophe
with The Zaniac**
Wednesday, July 10
Showtime: 1:30 PM

Expect the unexpected! Alex Zerbe, AKA The Zaniac, is bringing his unique style of comedy and calamity to San Juan Island. You don't want to miss this high energy show!

**Rootin' Tootin' Family Show
with Cowboy Buck and Friends**

Wednesday, July 17
Showtime: 1:30 PM

Yeehaw! Get ready to dance and sing to the catchy tunes of Cowboy Buck. This time 'round he's bringing new friends and faces to help make more musical-inspired memories.



**World Champion Hacky Sack Playing
Comedy with Peter Irish**
Wednesday, July 24
Showtime: 1:30 PM

Experience the excitement of watching Peter Irish defy gravity like a superhero with his fancy footwork and agility! Peter is visiting from Boulder, Colorado where he is one of the reigning champs of hacky sack playing and comedy!



Cap'n Arrr Pirate Show
Wednesday, July 31
Showtime: 1:30 PM

Cap'n Arrr is back after another swashbuckling high seas adventure. He's looking for new crew mates for his mighty ship. Learn how to speak pirate and avoid "walking the plank." Be ready for lots of laughter and audience participation.

More Summer Programs

Tile Coaster Decorating

Thursday, July 25

2:00-4:00 PM

San Juan Island Library

Use different materials to create one-of-a-kind tile coasters!

Grades K-12th



Grades 3rd-5th
Ages 8-11

S.T.E.A.M. Popsicle Party

Tuesday, July 2

1:00-3:00 PM

San Juan Island Library

Build with craft sticks while eating popsicles!



Water Works

Tuesday, July 9

2:00-3:30 PM

Fairgrounds Lawn

Water games and fun.
Prepare to get wet!

Grades 3rd-5th
Ages 8-11



Special Events for Teens

Teen Summer Reading Program 2024
For youth entering 6th-12th grade

Cupcake Decorating Contest
Friday, June 28 | 3-4:30 PM
Library Meeting Room

Register online!



Grades 6-12
Broadway Book Group
W/ Lindsey Saarie "Steel Magnolias"

Friday, June 7
Friday, June 21

Register Online!
July Dates TBD



Teen Summer Reading Program 2024
Entering 6th-12th grade




Water Wars!
Thursday, July 11
2:00-3:30 PM
Fairgrounds - Argyle Lawn

Prepare to get wet!



YOU ARE INVITED TO
TEEN SUMMER READING PROGRAM
KARAOKE KICKOFF
Saturday, June 22 | 7-8:30 PM
Library Main Salon

FOR YOUTH ENTERING GRADES 6-12



Teen Summer Reading Program 2024
For youth entering 6th-12th grade

BOARD GAME NIGHT
Friday, July 26
6:30-8:30 PM
Main Salon



Summer DnD Series
for grades 6-12

Friday, July 5 | 3-5 PM
Miniature Painting
no registration required

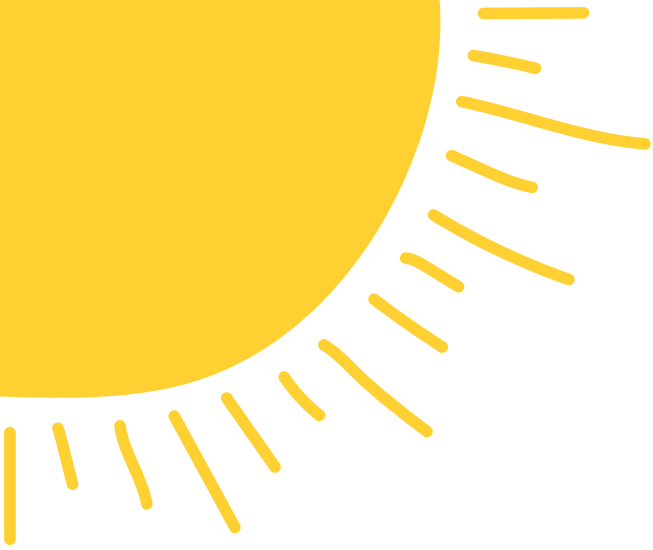
Friday, July 12 | 3-5 PM
Character Design
with Alchemy Art
*registration required



Teen Summer Reading Program 2024
Entering 6th-12th grade

Movie Marathon
Sat, August 3
5:00-10:30 PM
Library Main Salon





Thanks to our 2024 Summer Reading Program Sponsor



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Additional Gratitude to:



- * Friday Harbor Elementary School
- * Island Rec & Camp Eagle Rock
- * San Juan County Fairgrounds
- * Collaborative Summer Reading Program
- * Washington State Library
- * San Juan County Land Bank
- * Alchemy Art
- * Lindsey Saarie
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