

Plymouth Public Library

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ORIGINS OF FATHER'S DAY

The campaign to celebrate the nation's fathers did not meet with the same enthusiasm-perhaps because, as one florist explained, "fathers haven't the same sentimental appeal that mothers have." On July 5, 1908, a West Virginia church sponsored the nation's first event explicitly in honor of fathers, a Sunday sermon in memory of the 362 men who had died in the previous December's explosions at the Fairmont Coal Company mines in Monongah, but it was a one-time commemoration and not an annual holiday. The next year, a Spokane, Washington woman named Sonora Smart Dodd, one of six children raised by a widower, tried to establish an official equivalent to Mother's Day for male parents. She went to local churches, the YMCA, shopkeepers and government officials to drum up support for her idea, and she was successful: Washington State celebrated the nation's first statewide Father's Day on July 19, 1910. Slowly, the holiday spread. In 1916, President Wilson honored the day by using telegraph signals to unfurl a flag in Spokane when he pressed a button in Washington, D.C. In 1924, President Calvin Coolidge urged state governments to observe Father's Day. However, many men continued to disdain the day. As one historian writes, they "scoffed at the holiday's sentimental attempts to domesticate manliness with flowers and gift-giving, or they derided the proliferation of such holidays as a commercial gimmick to sell more products-often paid for by the father himself."

Friends of the Library...

~Our next meeting will be Monday, July 20th at 4p.m.~

Volunteers Needed:

Volunteer opportunities available at the library:

Shelf reading, cutting, pasting, and assembling items, Data entry, Dusting shelves and cleaning books, Providing baked goods, Helping with the children's and young adult activities.



Donations of books, cassette tapes, CD's, DVD's, computer software, etc. in good resale condition will be accepted at the library, during library hours. SORRY, NO MAGAZINES. All sorts of people belong to the Friends of the Library, especially those who love reading and want others to have the benefits of using a library. The goals of the Friends? Fundraising for the library through a variety of means: book sales, bake sales and our wagon, & wheelchair rental booth at the Blueberry Festival are just a few. We provide money to purchase items needed in the library that are not provided for in the library budget. We provide financing for over 500 children to participate in the Summer Reading program. The Friends of the Library need your support.

Please RENEW your membership or BECOME A NEW FRIEND by filling out an application at either circulation desk. There are many ways to help out and have fun meeting new people and making a difference in our community.

Remember. . . "The only way to have a friend is to be one!" ——Ralph Waldo Emerson

AV Department



Adult Summer Reading Program

Plymouth Public Library Summer Reading Bingo





For adults 18 and over.

1 Bingo Card per person.

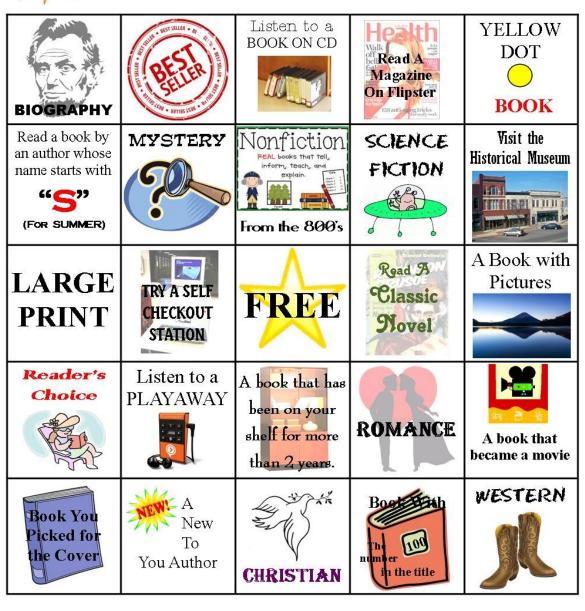
Have a staff member stamp a square when completed.

5 squares in a straight or diagonal line = BINGO

1st Bingo prize is a \$5.00 Chamber Bucks check (one per person).

2nd through 5th Bingos get to pick from the Prize Basket for prizes.

Program runs May 31st—July 15th (all prizes must be picked up by July 17th).



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Plymouth Public Library Young Adult Summer Reading Program

All students just completed 6th grade through 12th grade

Sign up starts: Sunday, May 31

- First day to record books: June 1
- * Last day to record books: July 10
- * Recorded books must be presented 2y closing on Wednesday,

July 15 to be counted.

Auction will be



July 19

Sunday.



1:30 - 3:30

Come join the fun!

For every 100 pages read, your Reading Account will be credited 1 (one) Library Buck. (maximum 100 Library Bucks).

Sign up and record books on the library website at:

> www.plymouth.lib.in.us Click on "Summer Reading Sign-up"

You may only count books that you have started on or after Sunday, June 1, 2015.

You may only record a book one time. No phone-in recording, All books must be recorded on the Library's website, either from a home computer or at the library on one of our computers.

You must bring recorded books into the library for staff review in order to receive credit for the pages. NO EXCEPTIONS! If we don't see you WITH the book you recorded, you WILL NOT get credit for those pages.

No more than 1000 pages may be recorded before you are required to bring the books to the library for staff review, although you may bring them in at any time, staff may put a stop on your record if you disregard this rule. You must be prepared for a random verbal report. (Those not following the rules will be removed from the program).

▶ Books read & recorded must have font type that is no larger than 15 points. Font templates are available at the library. Also, no pages with pictures may be counted (except at the beginning of chapters).

Students registering for Summer Reading Program must live (or their parents must own property) in Plymouth, Contex, Polk, North, or West Townskips, OR have a guid out-of-township card gurckesed at Plymouth Public Library, OR a PLAC card with an additional \$5.00 fcc, OR be a reciprocal bomower and pay an additional \$5.00 fcc.

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Summer Reading Prizes!



Check out
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window

full of

YA Auction

items!



Lego Club is the second
Tuesday of the month from
4:00-5:30p.m. In the
Guild Storyhour Room.
Open to all ages!





Next Session:
June 26 3:30-5pm
Sign up early-Space is limited!!

Sign up on our website. Reciprocal and PLAC patrons may attend for a fee.



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June 2015 Plymouth Public Library Summer Reading Program



May 31 This is the first day to start reading books and register for the Summer Reading Program.	1st day to record books and pick out your prizes.	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	Ronald McDonald's Magic Book Show at 1 p.m.	Art Class at 1p.m. Art Class at 2:30p.m.	12	13
14	15	Movie and popcorn at 1p.m.	Super Hero Craft 2p.m.	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 Kids' Indoor Flea Market at 1p.m.	25	26	Super Hero Training Camp at 10a.m
28	29	Movie and popcorn at 1p.m.	HERO HAS A	THROUGHOUT THE TORY		READ



June 2015 Plymouth Public Library Summer Reading Program



June Activities

May 31st-1st day to read books for the program and sign up for the program.

1st-1st day to record-books and get prizes.

10th-Ronald McDonald's Magic Show at 1 p.m.: Ronald will help us celebrate the Summer Reading Program.

11th-Art Class: Alien Scratch Art at 1p.m.: Learn to draw a 3D flying saucer and lunar landscape and draw it on a special scratch art paper with Gloria Seitz. Ages 6 - 10 only. Online sign-up beginning May 28th. Only one class per child.

11th-Art Class: Super Hero Peg People at 2:30p.m.: Super Hero Peg People" Art projects with Gloria Seitz. Paint your own original super heroes as you create them on wooden pegs. Ages 9-12. Sign up online beginning May 28th. Only one class per child.

16th-Movie & popcom at 1p.m.: Bring a drink or buy one here to enjoy with popcom!

17th-Super Hero Craft 2p.m.: We will be making a mask and super hero wrist cuffs.

24th- Kids' Indoor Flea Market: 1p.m.: Children bring pre-priced items and food to sell.

Tables will be first come, first pick. You may bring your own table. No sign-up required.

27th-Super Hero Training Camp at 10a.m.: Join a team of real-life super heroes and learn some of their best moves! Event takes place in River Park Square between 10 am and noon. THIS EVENT IS FOR ALL AGES!

30th-Movie & popcom at 1p.m.: Bring a drink or buy one here to enjoy with popcom!

Sign-up Information - sign-up begins May 31st.

*Sign up and record books at the library website: www.plymouth.lib.in.us. Click on Summer Reading Sign Up.

*BE SURE TO READ requirements for each reading program. They are posted in the programs when you sign up and record your books.

*Program is free for City of Plymouth, Center, West, North, and Polk Townships patrons and PPL paid out-of-township patrons. All others must come in to the library to register & pay a \$5.00 fee per child per family, a maximum of \$10.00 per family

*Fun prizes will be awarded. All readers may choose from an aisle that has prizes. Food coupons and prizes will be awarded upon availability while supplies last.

Grade Level Information for the Grade the Child Completed Infant-Preschool:

Parents read books to their child. Prizes are awarded at 20 book intervals. If you read 100 books you complete the program!

Kindergarten and 1st Grades:

Children if able, should read grade appropriate books by themselves. Prizes are awarded at 15 book intervals. If you read 75 books you complete the program!

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- -Board books are reserved for the Infant-Preschool level.
- -You can record a title only once.

2nd & 3rd Grade:

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Students read grade appropriate books by themselves. Prizes are awarded at 8 book intervals. If you read 40 books you complete the program!

-You can record a title only once.

4th & 5th Grade:

Students read grade appropriate books themselves. See GAME CARDS for more information. You must haave a GAME CARD to participate. Pick up your GAME CARD at the library or print one at home from our website at www.plymouth.lib.in.us.



Summer Reading Program Movie Times @ the Library



~ June 16: Incredibles - Rated PG Minutes: 115

Bob Parr and his wife Helen used to be among the world's greatest crime fighters, saving lives and battling evil on a daily basis. Fifteen years later, they have been forced to adopt civilian identities and retreat to the suburbs where they live "normal" lives with their three kids, Violet, Dash, and Jack-Jack. Itching to get back into action, Bob gets his chance when a mysterious communication summons him to a remote island for a top secret assignment. He soon discovers that it will take a super family effort to rescue the world from total destruction.

~ June3o: Super Buddies - Rated G Minutes: 81

An ordinary day at Fernfield Farms turns extraordinary when Budderball, Mudbud, B-Dawg, Buddha and Rosebud discover mysterious rings that grant them each a unique superpower. Before you can say, "Buddies, assemble," the pups unleash their amazing abilities and race to the rescue when a shape-shifting bully from outer space threatens the planet. But can they succeed in kicking major tail without revealing their new secret identities? A must-own movie event packed with laughter, action and incredible new characters, SUPER BUDDIES proves when you use your wits and work together, you don't need superpowers to be a super hero!

~ July 14: Big Hero 6 - Rated PG Minutes: 90

BIG HERO 6 is an action-packed comedy adventure that introduces Baymax, a lovable, personal companion robot, who forms a special bond with robotics prodigy Hiro Hamada. When a devastating turn of events catapults them into the midst of a dangerous plot unfolding in the streets of San Fransokyo, Hiro turns to Baymax and his diverse group of friends -- adrenaline junky Go Go Tomago, neatnik Wasabi, chemistry whiz Honey Lemon and fanboy Fred -- who transform into a band of unlikely heroes.

All Movies are @ 1:00 p.m. in Laramore A.

Popcorn will be served but you can bring your own snack and drink or buy one here. Parents of children 10 and under must **ACCOMPANY & REMAIN** with children.







The next big thing from Playaway is ready for liftoff.

FAQ:

- ~2 Launchpad's may be checked out per adult library card.
- ~\$1 per Launchpad
- ~ Each Launchpad will check out for one week.
- ~Late fee is \$1 per day per Launchpad
- ~ \$100 replacement cost for a lost or damaged Launchpad

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of June!

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