

Special Events & Programming for Children and Families

Black Light Bingo: Saturday, July 8 at 11 am

Back by popular demand! Bingo with a glow-in-the-dark twist. We welcome you to wear white or fluorescent colors. Glow in the dark setting, dancing, and prizes. Recommended for ages 4 and up. Registration required. Register on our website. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Ed the Wizard's Alchemy Laboratory! Tues., July 18 at 6 pm

"Where Harry Potter meets real science." Family show. Enter the Alchemy Lab of Ed the Wizard. Watch, volunteer, and learn as he performs vanishes, transfigurations, and other feats of magic with everyday items found at home. Registration required. Please register on our website. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library and Christine Carley, ReMax Realtor.

Story Times

Thursdays at 10 am:

Story Time & Fun!

Target age 0-5 years old. Thursday story time includes a craft.

Fridays at 9:30 & 10:30*

Songs and Stories with Miss Lisa Target age 0-5 years old.

Tue., 7/25 at 6 pm: Taco Tuesday Story Time!

Join us for taco stories, songs, activities, and a craft. Enjoy a small taco snack with us! Registration required. Please register on our website.



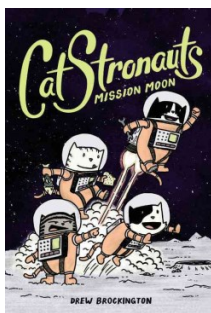
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Book Club for Grades 3 - 5

Page Masters

Mon., 7/31 at 6 pm

Come together with other readers and discuss favorite characters and stories with games, activities, and crafts. The book we are reading is *CatStronauts: Mission Moon* by Drew Brockington. Please read the book before the meeting. Registration is required. Please register on our website.



Program for Teens & Tweens (10+)

Bleach Clothing Design

Wed., 7/19 at 6 pm



This is an outdoor program. Please bring your own clothing items to bleach design. Darker colors work best. Bleach, elastics, stencils, gloves, and other materials provided. Please wear clothes that can get bleach on them. Registration required. Please register on our website.



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Somerset Public Library Happenings



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Hours

Sunday: Closed
Monday: 9 - 8 **New!**
Tuesday: 9 - 8
Wednesday: 9 - 8
Thursday: 9 - 5
Friday: 9 - 3
Saturday: 9 - 3

Message from the Library:

Summer is in full swing, and so is summer reading! There is still plenty of time to join one of our summer initiatives. Kids of all ages can join the Creature Keeper Quest program and collect dragon cards through reading. See Miss Lisa in the Children's area. Adults can join the One Book - One Community program and read Louise Erdrich's *LaRose*. More information is available at the Reference desk. We also have all the suggested summer reading options for Somerset Middle School and SBRHS students. Those books are on display in a kiosk opposite the Circulation desk. Plus, we have beach reads aplenty in the Book Sale area thanks to the Friends of the Library and all the wonderful donations from our patrons. Thank you! Starting Monday, July 3, the library will be open at 9 am every Monday morning instead of noon (with the exception of Monday holidays). We will be closed Saturday, 7/1 and Tuesday, 7/4 in observance of the 4th of July. Enjoy the holiday, and we hope to see you soon!

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library & Somerset Cultural Council

Adult Programs: July Jaunts Returns!

Author Heidi Chiavaroli
Mon., June 10 at 6 pm

Discusses her new book *Hope Beyond the Waves*. Book signing and sales. Open to everyone.

Johnny Cash: Songs & Stories with Matt York
Mon., June 17 at 6 pm

Outdoor concert (weather permitting). Open to everyone. Bring a lawn chair.

Sheryl Faye Presents: Ruth Bader Ginsburg
Mon., June 24 at 6 pm

The inspiring story of how RBG changed her life and ours as a lawyer and Supreme Court Justice.

Chocolate Tasting
Mon., June 31 at 6 pm

Learn about the history and health properties of chocolate & taste it! Registration required.

Weekly Adult Programs

Mah Jongg: Mondays, 12 - 2 pm

Knitting & Crochet: Mondays, 6 - 7:30 pm

Monday Movie Matinee: Mondays, 1 - 3 pm

Scrabble: Tuesdays, 1 - 3:00 pm

Board Games: Tuesdays, 5 - 7 pm

Cribbage: Thursdays, 12:30 - 3:30

Bridge: Thursdays, 1 - 3:30 pm

Monday Movie Matinee

Movies begin at 1 pm.

7/3: *Yankee Doodle Dandy (1942)*

7/10: *Big George Foreman (2023)*

7/17: *Jerry & Marge Go Large (2022)*

7/24: *Are You There, God? It's Me, Margaret. (2023)*

7/31: *Love Again (It's All Coming Back to Me) (2023)*

