

Sawyer Free Library Children's Services Summer Reading 2023

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Summer Reading Events

Gardening & Stories with Backyard Growers

Thursdays, June 22 & 29, July 13 & 27, August 3, 10 & 24 at 10am:

Plant, water, weed, harvest & share stories at the library!

Located at the raised library garden bed at 88 Middle Street (original library location)

Rainforest Reptiles: Conservation through Education:

Friday, July 7 at 10:30am:

Kick off summer reading with an educational and exciting show with bugs, frogs, snakes, lizards, a tortoise, and the American alligator

Captain Lester S. Wass American Legion Post 3, 8 Washington Street

Snakes of New England and the World with Cape Ann Vernal Pond Team!

Saturday, July 15 at 10:30am:

Rick Roth and the Cape Ann Vernal Pond Team bring snakes for us to meet & learn about!

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Library Visit to Hammond Castle Museum: Tuesday, July 18 at 10am

Visit, tour & learn about this unique local spot!

80 Hesperus Ave (Registration Required)

Library Visit to Maritime Gloucester : Monday, July 24 at 10:20 am

Join us for a touch tank/aquarium visit & craft activity at Maritime Gloucester

23 Harbor Loop (Registration Required)

Creative Movement: July 29 at 10am

Join Sarah Slifer Swift of Movement Arts Gloucester, MA outside at the 2 Dale Avenue library amphitheater

Professor Bugman Entomology Adventures! Tuesday, August 8 at 10:30am:

Join Professor Bugman to meet & greet a variety of insects, bugs & more!

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Gloucester Counts Down to Kindergarten! Thursday, August 17 5-7pm

A Citywide celebration for families of incoming kindergarten students!

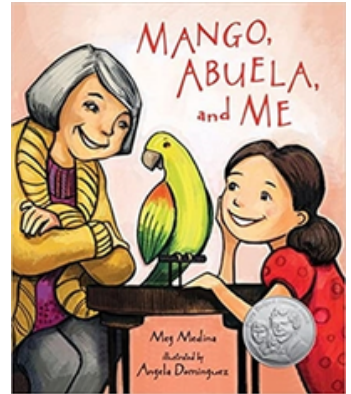
Meet school staff, board a school bus, get a library card & lots of family fun!

Kids Poetry Afternoons @ 21 Main Street:

Tuesdays, June 27, July 11, 18, 25 2-3:30pm

Poetry workshops led by young Gloucester Poet Willa Brosnihan

Students entering grades 3-5 & interested younger kids also welcome



Ongoing Programs

Stories, Bubbles & Fun:

Wednesdays at 11:15am

Summer Storytime with

Christy at Magma

186 Main St (or 11

Pleasant St)

5th Floor of Brown's Mall

Open Play @ 21 Main

Thursdays at 10:30am

Unstructured playtime for

caregivers & children

Best suited for ages 0-2

Located @ 21 Main St

