

Read S'more Books!

Rochester Public Library Children's Room Summer Calendar

- June 26
Monday
Read S'more Books begins. Sign up for this year's Summer Reading Program, pick up your Summer Reading Booklet and start to read!
- June 28
Wednesday
Summer Story Time: This drop-in Story Time for children age 2-5 will be held in the Story Time Room at 10:00 am. Parents are asked to accompany 2 and 3 year olds. Older children may attend on their own. In order to meet safety regulations attendance will be limited to 35 people (including adults and babies).
- July 3
Monday
Summer Toddler Time: This drop-in program for children 12-24 months old will be held in the Story Time Room at 9:15 am. There is 10-15 minutes of stories, songs and finger plays. After that portion of the program, toys will be available for the toddlers to play with while the grown-ups get a chance to socialize. Sorry, no siblings may attend this program.
- July 4
Tuesday
The Library is closed in celebration of Independence Day.
- July 6
Thursday
Craft Program: Sparkling Constellations: Children 2 and up can drop-in any time between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon to make a sparkling Big Dipper constellation. Older children may attend independently, but younger children will need help from their grown-up.
- July 11
Tuesday
Wildlife Encounters: Come see some of the creatures you might see in different parts of America! 10:00 am in the Children's Room. The Children's Room will close for business 15 minutes before the program begins, and will reopen shortly after the program ends. For all ages.
- July 14
Summer Story Time: This drop-in Story Time for children age 2-5

- Friday will be held in the Story Time Room at 10:00 am. See June 28 for more details.
- July 17
Monday **Craft Program: Animal Track Prints:** Children 2 and up can drop-in any time between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon to make potato print animal tracks. Older children may attend independently, but younger children will need help from their grown-up.
- July 19
Wednesday **Summer Toddler Time:** This drop-in program for children 12-24 months old will be held in the Story Time Room at 9:15 am. See July 3 for more details
- July 24
Monday **River Builders:** Take a “trip along the river” to learn about some of nature’s best builders! Registered participants will get to build their own osprey nest platform, an osprey nest and mini-osprey birds! Children between the ages of 5-11 may register to participate starting on Monday July 10th. (There is a maximum registration of 50.) Children outside of the 5-11 age range are welcome to attend, but will not be able to participate in the hands on projects. This program is presented by the Children’s Museum of NH. 10:00am on the lawn behind the library. Registration Required.
- July 27
Thursday **Stories Under the Stars:** This special “Camping” Story Program is for children 3-7 and will be held in the Children’s Room next to our “camp-site”. We will read some (not so) scary stories, sing some songs, and maybe even hand out a treat to take home! At 7:00 pm in the children’s Room. We will be turning out most of the lights in the Children’s Room during the program, so library services will be limited until the program is over.
- August 1
Tuesday **Summer Toddler Time:** This drop-in program for children 12-24 months old will be held in the Story Time Room at 9:15 am. See July 3 for more details
- August 4
Friday **Read S’more books! Party:** All “summer readers” are invited to the end of Summer Reading Program Party. Join us for games and refreshments from 2:00-3:30 pm on the lawn behind the library. The Children’s Room will close for the day at 1:00 pm. Prizes will be available at the party.

In case of bad weather any program scheduled to be held outside will be moved indoors unless otherwise noted.