

## 2024 Summer Reading Program Rules

(Ages 12 & under)

Our REWARD parties will be held July 10 at 1:00pm & 2:30pm; however, you may continue earning prizes until July 31.

Our "Adventure Begins at Your Library" Kids Summer Reading Program is open to all children ages 12 & under. To participate in the program, register online or fill out a registration form and return it to the library May 13 through June 29, 2024. You may pick up your first reading log and program calendar at the circulation desk at that time.

You will earn a prize and be invited to attend a Summer Reading Program Reward Party on July 10, provided you read at least 15 library books or audiobooks <u>OR</u> read at least 1,000 pages and return <u>at least</u> 1 completed reading log to the library before the parties on July 10. You can earn multiple prizes by reading more books!

Record the library books you read on the provided reading log BEFORE you return your books to the library. If your goal is to read at least 1,000 pages, you must also list the number of pages in each book you read. Books must be read between May 13 and July 31. Audiobooks may be counted; if you're counting "pages" for audiobooks, use the number of pages in the physical book.

Only materials checked out from Rainbow City Public Library or read via our online catalog may be counted unless you are registered for our program through a school-sponsored summer camp with access to a school library. Group participation and registration requires pre-approval from the library's director. Digital titles are available for checkout with your RCPL card in the Libby App or through the Camellia Net website.

Before you turn in your reading log, make sure you have listed at least 15 books <u>or</u> indicated that you have read at least 1,000 pages. Return your completed reading log to the circulation desk and select a prize from the prize board. **Request another reading log and start earning your next prize!** 

Reading logs must be returned to the library by 7:00pm on July 31, 2024. Prizes will not be available after that time.

### **Rainbow City Public Library**

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# Rainbow City Public Library 2024 Summer Reading Program Schedule

Please attend the program for your age group: 1:00pm for ages 6 & under or 2:30pm for ages 7-12.

All programs are held in the large auditorium in the community center located on the other side of our building. Most programs last 45-60 minutes. Parents, grandparents & guardians are welcome to attend.

If siblings are in different age groups, choose the time that works best!

Wednesday, June 5 — Alabama Nature Center, Nature on Wheels "Reptiles and Amphibians of Alabama" — Meet and learn about a variety of animals that call Alabama home including a variety of frogs, toads, salamanders, turtles, tortoises, snakes, and alligators. Animals included are subject to change.

**Wednesday, June 12 — "Jungle Adventures" – Rick Rakestraw's** program features a wide variety of live exotic animals, including monkeys!

Wednesday, June 19 — Barry Mitchell, Sam the Turtle presents "Mis-Adventures in Fun With a Chicken" — Mr. Barry's show is a combination of comedy, magic, and puppets.

Wednesday, June 26 — Mr. Bond's Science Guys, "STEM Adventure" — In this thrilling show, young scientists will embark on a STEM adventure! Kids will explode right into a mission that reveals challenges of defying gravity and electrifying obstacles, all while exploring science principles to navigate an escape! This adventure includes the powerful forces of physics, stunning reactions of chemistry, and much much more!

#### Lego® Club

Our Lego® Club meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of EVERY month from 3:00-4:30pm. We provide the Lego® pieces.

Bring a friend and come build with us! Ages 4 & up. Registration is not required.

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#### Saturday, June 29 – LAST day to register!

**Wednesday, July 3** — **Rise Raptor Project** – See and learn about raptors including a Eurasian Eagle Owl, American Kestrel (falcon), Red-tailed Hawk, and Barn Owl (raptors included are subject to change).

Wednesday, July 10 — REWARD PARTY! If you submit your reading log listing of at least 15 books or 1,000 pages, you're invited to attend a reward party today. Pizza, ice cream, and beverages will be provided by the Rainbow City Lions Club and area businesses while you enjoy Tommy Johns' program, "Finders Keepers! Your Library! Your Adventure!" The program features magic, puppets, comedy, and a game show segment.

Wednesday, July 31 — <u>All prizes earned during the Summer Reading Program must be claimed by 7pm.</u>
Return your completed reading log to the circulation desk to choose your prize.