




# July 2018 Summer Reading

**Watertown Free Public Library Children's Room**  
123 Main Street Watertown, MA 02472 www.watertownlib.org 617-972-6435



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
<p>1 <b>School Skills</b> 1:00 - 5:00 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>2 <b>3 and Up Story Time</b> 10:15 am Ages 3 - 5 No Registration <b>Flying High Dogs</b> 3:30 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>3 <b>Onesies Twosies</b> 9:30 am &amp; 10:15 am Walkers - Age 2 No Registration <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration</p>	<p>4 <b>Library Closed</b></p> 	<p>5 <b>Unplugged Jr.</b> 3:30 pm Ages 6 - 8 No Registration</p>	<p>6 <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration <b>Family Movie</b> with popcorn 4:30 pm All Ages No Registration</p>	<p>7 <b>Dads 'n' Donuts</b> 9:15 am All Ages No Registration <b>Emily Hall</b> 10:15 am Age 6 and Under No Registration</p>	
<p>8 <b>School Skills</b> 1:00 - 5:00 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>9 <b>3 and Up Story Time</b> 10:15 am Ages 3 - 5 No Registration <b>Big Games</b> 3:30 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>10 <b>Onesies Twosies</b> 9:30 am &amp; 10:15 am Walkers - Age 2 No Registration <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration</p>	<p>11 <b>Drum Circle</b> 9:30 am Babies who Sit Up No Registration <b>Active Toddlers</b> 11:00 am Walkers - Age 2 No Registration</p>	<p><b>Unplugged</b> 3:30 pm Ages 8 - 11 *Registration Required</p>	<p>12 <b>Read to a Dog</b> 1:00 pm Independent Readers *Registration Required <b>Unplugged Jr.</b> 3:30 pm Ages 6 - 8 *Registration Required</p>	<p>13 <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration <b>Family Movie</b> with popcorn 4:30 pm All Ages No Registration</p>	<p>14 <b>Charlie Hope</b> 10:15 am Age 6 and Under No Registration</p>
<p>15 <b>School Skills</b> 1:00 - 5:00 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>16 <b>3 and Up Story Time</b> 10:15 am Ages 3 - 5 No Registration <b>Museum of Science: Reptiles</b> 3:30 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>17 <b>Onesies Twosies</b> 9:30 am &amp; 10:15 am Walkers - Age 2 No Registration <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration</p>	<p>18 <b>Drum Circle</b> 9:30 am Babies who Sit Up No Registration <b>Active Toddlers</b> 11:00 am Walkers - Age 2 No Registration</p>	<p><b>Unplugged</b> 3:30 pm Ages 8 - 11 *Registration Required</p>	<p>19 <b>Read to a Dog</b> 1:00 pm Independent Readers *Registration Required <b>Children's Theater</b> 1:30 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration <b>Unplugged Jr.</b> 3:30 pm Ages 6 - 8 *Registration Required</p>	<p>20 <b>Nursery Rhyme Time</b> 11:00 am Pre-Walking Babies No Registration <b>Family Movie</b> with popcorn 4:30 pm All Ages No Registration</p>	<p>21 <b>Jammin' with You</b> 10:15 am Age 6 and Under No Registration</p>
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<p>29 <b>School Skills</b> 1:00 - 5:00 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>	<p>30 <b>3 and Up Story Time</b> 10:15 am Ages 3 - 5 No Registration <b>Didgeridoo Down Under</b> 3:45 pm Age 5 and Up No Registration</p>						



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## Story Times

Exposing children to literacy-based activities sets the foundation for a future of strong reading and writing. Story times are designed for different developmental stages. To help ensure a positive and enriching experience for all participants, please only attend the programs that are intended for your child's age.

### 3 and Up Story Time

*Mondays at 10:15 a.m.*

This program presents stories, songs, and other activities in a fun environment. For ages 3 to 5. No registration.

### Onesies Twosies

*Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.*

This program uses books, songs, movement, and play to engage your child.

Ones are encouraged to come at 9:30.

Twos are encouraged to come at 10:15. Come for the one you can! No registration.

### Nursery Rhyme Time

*Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m.*

*Fridays at 11:00 a.m.*

This program is an introduction to nursery rhymes, stories, songs, and fingerplays.

For newborns and pre-walkers. No registration.

## Monday Specials

### Flying High Frisbee Dogs

*Monday, 7/2 at 3:30 p.m.*

What's better than meeting friendly dogs who love to do tricks? Watch these border collies perform amazing jumps and catches. You may even get to pet them. For age 5 and up. No registration.

### Big Games

*Monday, 7/9 at 3:30 p.m.*

Imagine your favorite games on a different scale—giant four-in-a-row, jumbo wooden toppling tower, and kid-sized bean bag toss-across. We'll play and display our skills.

For age 5 and up. No registration.

### Museum of Science: Reptiles

*Monday, 7/16 at 3:30 p.m.*

Are snakes really slimy? A museum educator will visit our library with examples of scaly, cold-blooded animals. Learn about what they eat and where they lay their eggs.

For age 5 and up. No registration.

### Life-Sized Candy Land

*Monday, 7/23 at 3:30 p.m.*

This is your chance to visit a real-life candy land! We've recreated the board game on a much larger scale so that you can play within it. Bring friends and family to help you collect the candy! For age 5 and up. No registration.

### Didgeridoo Down Under

*Monday, 7/30 at 3:30 p.m.*

What do you know about Aboriginal music? Experience rich harmonies and interactive storytelling inspired by the indigenous culture of Northern Australia. For age 5 and up.

No registration.

*Libraries Rock*, the 2018 summer reading program, is sponsored by the Watertown Free Public Library, the Watertown Free Public Library Building Committee, the Charles Burke Fund, the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, the Massachusetts Library System, and the Boston Bruins.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, we will make every effort to make library programs accessible to people with disabilities. To aid us in making accommodations, please contact us a minimum of *two weeks* prior to the program you wish to attend. This calendar is available in Braille at the Children's Reference Desk.

Call us at: **617-972-6435** TTY: **617-600-1154**

View Programs Online at: [www.watertownlib.org/events/children](http://www.watertownlib.org/events/children)

## Saturday Music Series

Recommended for age 6 and under. No registration.

### Emily Hall

*Saturday, 7/7 at 10:15 a.m.*

Sing-along songs for the young and young at heart.

### Charlie Hope

*Saturday, 7/14 at 10:15 a.m.*

Acoustic indie-rock from Seattle, perfect for a soothing Saturday morning.

### Jammin' with You

*Saturday, 7/21 at 10:15 a.m.*

Multi-instrumental teacher, Thomas Meunier, has performed all types of music, all over the world. He'll invite you to jam along!

### Stacey Peasley

*Saturday, 7/28 at 10:15 a.m.*

Energetic music that quickly becomes a family favorite.

## Activities

### School Skills

*Sundays in July from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.*

We'll have worksheets and games to activate your brain all through the summer. For age 5 and up. No registration.

### Unplugged Jr.

*Thursdays in July at 3:30 p.m.*

(Just like Unplugged but for a slightly younger crowd.) The world is full of exciting curiosities! This is your chance to play, experiment, and create—without using electronics. For ages 6 through 8. *Registration is required and begins 2 weeks prior to the program date.*

### Family Movie with popcorn

*Fridays in July at 4:30 p.m.*

We'll be showing a fun family movie on our big screen! Stop in or call to find out what movie we'll show. For families with children of all ages. No registration.

### Dads 'n' Donuts

*Saturday, 7/7 at 9:15 a.m.*

Skip the coffee shop and make the Children's Department part of your morning routine! Come to the library for some coffee, a donut, and to peruse the newspaper while children play. This program is open to all caregivers, not just dads. For families with children of all ages. No registration.

### Drum Circle

*Wednesdays in July at 9:30 a.m.*

Let's make some noise! We'll examine the different sounds and patterns that you can make with drums. For babies who can sit up. *No registration; space is limited.*

### Active Toddlers

*Wednesdays in July at 11:00 a.m.*

It's time to move! Let's dance to the music and play with new friends. For walkers through age 2. No registration.

### Unplugged

*Wednesdays in July at 3:30 p.m.*

The world is full of exciting curiosities! This is your chance to play, experiment, and create—without using electronics. For ages 8 through 11. *Registration is required and begins 2 weeks prior to the program date.*

### Read to a Dog

*Thursday, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26 at 1:00 p.m.*

Read to a therapy dog! This program creates a supportive environment for early and struggling readers to practice their skills. For independent readers in grades K to 5. *Registration is required and begins 2 weeks prior to the program date.*

### Children's Theater

*Thursday, 7/27 at 1:30 p.m.*

Watertown Children's Theatre's Break-A-Leg Troupe is a group of actors in grades 3-8 who transform children's literature into a live performance in the comfort of your library! For age 5 and up. No registration.