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SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2017

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Build a Better World!

KICK-OFF & SIGN-UP (all ages)

Tuesday, June 20, 1:30 p.m. Library front lawn

LITTLE BUILDERS STORY TIMES

(ages 3-7, to grade 2)

Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. June 29,
July 13 & 20, August 3 & 17

RILEY RACCOON'S 5th ANNUAL STUFFIE SLEEPOVER (ages 3 & up)

Wednesday, July 12, 5-7 p.m.

Pick-up Thursday at 11 a.m. or 5:30 p.m.

BETTER WORLD BOOK GROUP (ages 8ish-11ish, entering grades 3-6) Inquire at the library to participate.

BE A LIBRARY HELPER!

(ages 12ish & up, entering grade 6 & up)
Organizational meeting: Thursday, June 22, 6 p.m.

FAMILY BUILDER NIGHTS (all ages)

Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m.

July 5 & 19, August 2 & 16

MOVIES (ages 7 & up)

Fridays at 4:00 p.m.

June 30, July 14, August 4 & 18

COMICS WORKSHOP:

**Build a Better World: Creating Your Comics
Universe, One Panel at a Time with Marek
Bennett** (ages 8-12ish, max. 30 participants)

Monday, August 21, 9 a.m. to noon.

Register at the library [OR HERE](#).

ICE CREAM SOCIAL & WRAP-UP PARTY

(all ages) Lyme School playground

Tuesday, August 29, 6 p.m.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM DETAILS

ALL AGES. **Kick-off & Sign-Up Party.** Tuesday, June 20, 1:30 p.m. (after school dismissal; preschoolers may come after 12:30). Come get your form, schedule, and bookmark, check out some fun activities, and enjoy a cold treat!

AGES 8-12, entering grades 3-6. **Better World Book Group.** Time and books to be determined by participants. Inquire at the library to participate.

AGES 12ish & up. **Be a Library Helper!** Due to popular demand, we are starting a new program for kids entering grades 6 and up. Volunteer at the library this summer. Adopt some shelves to maintain, help out on a Builder Night or Story Time, assist Miss Judy with a special project, or just lend a hand to help “build” a better library. Organizational meeting: Thursday, June 22, 6 p.m.

ALL AGES. **Family Builder Nights.** Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m. July 5 & 19, August 2 & 16. Come take the challenge to build a super LEGO™ structure, create a paper-circuit light-up greeting card, design (and maybe build!) a picnic/reading space in the library’s backyard, and create something useful from the library’s hodge-podge of craft supplies! Whole families (and friends) are very welcome. Pizza is entirely possible.

AGES 3 & UP. **Riley Raccoon’s 5th Annual Stuffie Sleepover.** Wednesday, July 12, 5-7 p.m. Register your stuffie for a library sleepover with the staff. Give us special instructions to make your stuffie’s night as fun as it can be. After a bedtime story and some fun, kiss your stuffie good-night and head on home. Thursday, July 13, 11:00 a.m. Stuffie Story Time! Come get your stuffie, listen to some stories, and watch a slideshow of all the fun those critters had at the library. (Second pick-up from 5:30-6:30 p.m. if you can’t come earlier.)

AGES 3-8. **Little Builders Story Times.** Preschool story times will be at 11:00 a.m. on the following Thursdays: June 29, July 13 & 20, and August 3 & 17. Books, rhymes, and crafts with Miss Judy and special guests!

AGES 7 & UP. **Movies.** Fridays at 4:00 p.m.: June 30 (*A Dog’s Purpose*), July 14 (*The Queen of Katwe*), August 4 (*Beauty & the Beast-2017*), and August 18 (*WALL-E*). Films are rated G/PG; snacks and drinks will be served! Please have a caretaker accompany children under 7.

AGES 8-12ish. **Marek Bennett Workshop:** Build a Better World: Creating Your Comics Universe, One Panel at a Time. Monday, August 21, 9 a.m. to noon. Register at the library [OR HERE](#).

ALL AGES. **School/Library Ice Cream Social & Wrap-up Party.** Tuesday, August 29, 6:00 p.m., at the Lyme School playground. Thanks for a *constructive* summer of reading!

Thanks to the FRIENDS OF LYME LIBRARY for funding this year’s
(and every year’s) Summer Reading Program!