



# Read By Design!

Parlin-Ingersoll Public Library 2017 Summer Reading Program

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Program Dates  
June 5 - July 14

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## Registration

Registration for the Parlin-Ingersoll Public Library Summer Reading Program starts Monday, 5/22.

The program is for children ages 2 through 8th grade. The 6-week program runs from June 5-July 14. See the calendar for a complete schedule. We host activities throughout each week.

At registration, each child receives an event calendar and a time log, **which will remain in the library during the six week program. Everyone can participate in the summer reading program, but individual classes do fill up quickly so please register early. However, we do offer many programs that do not require registration. The goal of summer reading is to encourage the love of reading.**

## Incentives

Readers who meet their weekly reading goal will earn a prize. Local businesses have donated a number of these prizes including food coupons, trinkets, and many other items.

Prizes vary weekly. Visit the library to view a complete list of sponsors on the 2017 SRP Donor Wall of Fame. Please let businesses know you appreciate their support.

## Weekly Classes

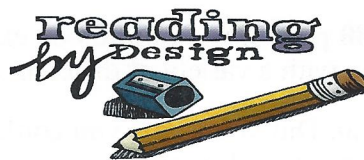
The **Doodlebug's** book group for children ages 2-3 years, meets on Monday mornings from 9:00-9:30 am.

The **Pint Sized Picasso's** book group for children ages 4-5 years, meets on Monday mornings from 10:00-10:45 am.

The **van Gogh's** book group for kids who have finished grades K-2 meets on Tuesdays. You may choose either the 10:00-10:45 am or 11:00-11:45 am session.

The **Warhol's** book group for kids who have finished grades 3-4 meets on Tuesdays from 2:00-2:45 pm.

If you have finished grades 5-8, join the **da Vinci's** book group on Mondays from 3:00-3:45 pm.



## Crafts & Legos

Crafts are Wednesdays from 1-2:30 pm. Children may come anytime during the 1 1/2 hours to make the craft. It is a make and take craft.

All materials are provided. The crafts are for all ages, but younger children may need parental assistance. Lego Club is also on Wednesdays from 3-4:00 pm. We will supply the blocks and you bring the imagination!

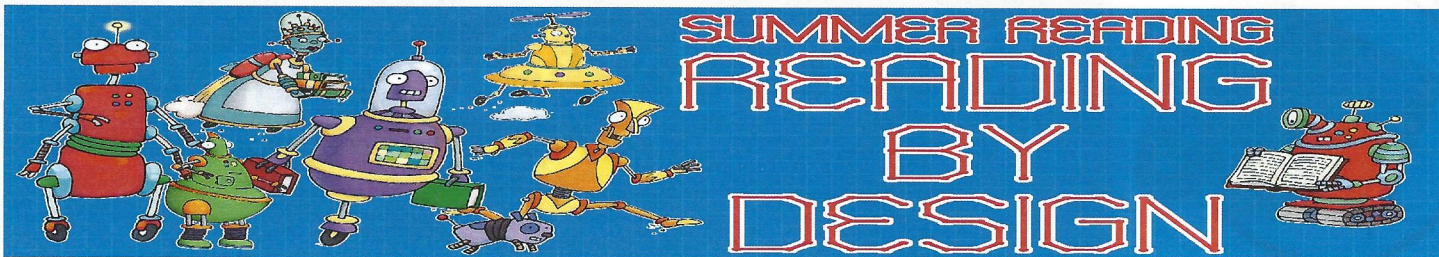
## Reading Rules

Any child from 2 years old through 8th grade may join the summer reading program. Participants must read books from the library collection to reach their reading goal.

### Rules:

1. Register at library.
2. Children in grades K-8th read or listen to 120 minutes (2 hours) per week. Parents of children ages 2-4 must read 10 books a week to their child.
3. Read books at your reading level.
4. Record minutes or books in your log.
5. Bring the time/book log to the children's desk to get stamped and to obtain your weekly prize. (One prize per week)
6. If you read more than the weekly goal, you may enter your name in the weekly prize box for a chance to win a larger prize!
7. Free Swim Party at Big Creek Park on 7/19 for those who read 12 hours. Parent and children attend free.





## **SPECIAL FAMILY EVENTS**

**(registration required for programs with an \*)**

**6/7 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** Welcome to the Parlin-Ingersoll Art Show. Make your mark and contribute to a fun community project.

**6/7 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**6/8 Chris McBrien 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.** Chris McBrien, Chicago area's finest ventriloquist, will entertain your whole family with his spectacular laugh-out-loud performance.\*

**6/14 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** Lets go fishing! Come to the library and make a dazzling fish puppet!

**6/14 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**6/15 Jeff the Juggler 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.** Enjoy a wonderful family friendly event with Jeff the Juggler. This interactive show will delight and entertain you! \*

**6/21 Super Stolie 10:00-11:00 a.m.** Grab your little ones and rock out at the library. Don't forget your dancing shoes!\*

**6/21 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** You can make art out of anything! Come and create a free form art project today!

**6/21 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**6/28 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** Come to a Monster Mash at the library and design your scariest art yet.

**6/28 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**6/29 Forest Park 11:00- 12:00** Come and enjoy a program filled with science, animals, activities, and more!\*

**7/5 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** No flower is exactly the same. Express your personal uniqueness today.

**7/5 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**7/6 Furry Friends 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.** Have a hands-on experience with a bunch of furry friends! Furry Friends is a traveling petting zoo with a variety of different animals to entertain young and old alike.\*

**7/12 Craft Time 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.** Did you know you could paint without using paint? We will prove it today. Yarn painting is happening at the library!

**7/12 Lego Program 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.** We provide the blocks, you provide the imagination!

**7/13 Outdoor Fun & Games 10:30 - 11:30 p.m.** Enjoy games, prizes, crafts, music and more!

**7/19 Final Swim Party at Big Creek Park 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.** For readers who completed their summer reading goal. Parents are encouraged to attend. Parents and children swim for free. (Rain date 7/21)