

for all ages

Virtual Dessert **IMPOSTER** Challenge

Open to all ages!

Create a fake-out dish that is actually sweet but looks savory! Take a picture of your imposter then email it to the library at Franklin.Children@mcfls.org.

Submissions will be accepted from June 15 thru July 24.

Online public voting will take place July 31 thru August 6, based on appearance. Winners will be announced on August 7. Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place!



Teen Zone Grades 6 through 12!

TEEN TAKE OUT (RAFTS!) For grades 6 - 12 June 15 - August 7

HOW DOES IT WORK?

- ✓ Reserve your Take-Out craft *for each craft* at least a week in advance. Call 414.425.8214 or email Franklin.Teens@mcfls.org
- ✓ Pick up your Take-Out Kit *for that week* at the library during open hours on Mondays from June 15-August 7. Kits will include supplies and instructions.
- ✓ Join the Teen Librarian and other Franklin teens for an *optional* Zoom hangout the Tuesday after each pick-up day from 3-4 pm to make the craft together! Zoom instructions will be included in the Take-Out Kit.

Sharpie Tie-Dye Tote Bags for Teens

Monday, **June 15**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **June 16**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Make Your Own Succulent Terrariums

Monday, **June 22**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **June 23**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Galaxy T-Shirts for Teens

Monday, **June 29**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **June 30**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

DIY Washi Tape Journals for Teens

Monday, **July 6**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **July 7**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Monogram Initial Sharpie Mugs for Teens

Monday, **July 13**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **July 14**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Book Hedgehog for Teens

Monday, **July 20**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **July 21**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Glitter Jars & Stress Balls for Teens

Monday, **July 27**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **July 28**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout

Perpetual Desk Calendars for Teens

Monday, **August 3**: Take-Out pick-up (in library)
Tuesday, **August 4**, 3 - 4 pm, optional Zoom Hangout



End-of Summer Reading Sidewalk Chalk & Graffiti Ice Cream Party for Teens • Thursday, August 6, 3 - 4 pm

Celebrate the end of Summer Reading by decorating the library sidewalk with chalk graffiti and enjoying pre-packaged ice cream! Check our website and Facebook page prior to this event for updates.

This program may be canceled due to health and safety concerns.

NEED SOME TEEN BOOKS TO-GO THIS SUMMER?

Request a personalized Teen Book Bundle for check-out! Email Franklin.Teens@mcfls.org and tell us your name, library card number, age, and what kind of books you like, and the Teen Librarian will put together a bundle of three books for you to pick-up inside the library or using Curbside Pick-up!

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your guide to Summer virtual programming

A note from the Director:

Welcome to Franklin Public Library's 2020 Virtual Summer Reading Program, *Imagine Your Story!* Made possible through a grant from WaterStone Bank.

Even during challenging times, the enterprising and creative librarians at Franklin Public Library have found a way to offer an amazing Summer Reading Program for all ages. From virtual Summer Reading Clubs for adults, teens, and kids to take home craft kits and online programs, we have found a way to bring the library to your home even when our library home isn't quite ready for full-time. We hope you learn something new and find yourself imagining your story during this historic time.

Jennifer



Temporary Library Hours:

Monday: 12 - 8 pm
Tuesday: 10 am - 5 pm
Wednesday: 10 am - 5 pm
Thursday: 12 - 8 pm
Friday: 10 am - 5 pm
Saturday: 10 am - 2 pm

Curbside Pick-up Hours:

Monday: 10 am - 12 pm
Tuesday: 5 - 7 pm
Thursday: 10 am - 12 pm



How to participate and stay connected



Subscribe to our YouTube Channel: www.youtube.com/user/FranklinpubliLibrary and search our Facebook pages (www.facebook.com) for Franklin Public Library, Franklin Public Library Children's Department, & Franklin Public Library Teen Page for a variety of programming for all ages! Use the QR code for a quick link to the Franklin Public Library web page calendar of events for more details about the individual programs listed in this guide & Zoom meeting links. www.franklinpubliclibrary.org

Summer Reading for Adults, Teens and Kids

IMAGINE YOUR STORY June 15 to August 7

Beginning June 15 register and start reading in our online Summer Reading Program for **Adults, Teens, & Kids**

Download the Beanstack Tracker app  or visit <http://franklinpubliclibrary.beanstack.org>.

Register then start reading. Earn tickets by reading or participating in virtual activities & programs to win a great prize!

Paper reading records are available upon request.



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FPL Book Clubs for adults



All meetings of the book discussion groups will be held via the Zoom teleconferencing app until further notice. For more information or a Zoom invitation to the meeting, please contact: Andy Scott at 414.425.8214 or andy.scott@mcfls.org

Brown Baggers @ 12:30 pm

June 16: *The Stars are Fire* by Anita Shreve

July 21: *Rise and Shine* by Anna Quindlen

August 18: *Home Front* by Kristin Hannah

Night Readers @ 6 pm

June 22: *Let Him Go* by Larry Watson

July 27: *The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek*

by Kim Michele Richardson

Both of the above books are available via Hoopla e-reader app (register for free at Hoopladigital.com)

August 24: *The Lost Vintage* by Ann Mah



Adult programming

Making It! Challenge

June 15 to August 3, Facebook

Show us your maker skills! Create a craft inspired by a fairy tale. It could be an original painting, a wreath or even a structure!

The contest begins June 15 and submissions must be received online by midnight on August 3.

See the complete contest rules and how to submit the photo of your craft on FranklinPublicLibrary.org.

The public will vote via the Franklin Public Library Facebook page from August 4-9 and winners will be announced August 10. 1st, 2nd & 3rd place prizes!

This challenge is for adults ages 18 and over.

VIRTUAL DIY CRAFTERNOON

Wednesdays @ noon, FPL Facebook

Join Keri on the Franklin Public Library Facebook page for a live class. Pick up supplies for the class during open hours at the library and then follow along online! Kits will be available one week prior to the program while supplies last.

- June 17:** Beaded Wine Charms
- June 24:** Wind Spinners
- July 8:** Tassel Keychain
- July 15:** Twine Bowls
- July 22:** Mod Podge Fabric Jars
- July 29:** Book Page Roses
- August 5:** Bottle Cap Flowers

Kids birth through 5th grade!

Waddlers & Walkers

23 months & under with adult
A 20 minute virtual program focusing on parent-child interaction with books, music, rhymes, and songs!
On Facebook Children's Dept. page and YouTube.

Mondays, 10:30 am
June 15 & 22
July 6, 13, 20 & 27
August 3

Family Storytime

Ages 5 & under with adult
This 30 minute virtual storytime includes stories, songs, and other early literacy activities held using Zoom.

Wednesdays, 10:30 am
June 17 & 24
July 8, 15, 22 & 29
August 5

A KIDS BOOK CLUB BOOKS IN BITS

Thursdays @ 11:30 am



June 18 & 25
July 9, 16, 23 & 30
August 6

Using Zoom, school-age kids can listen to a librarian read *The One and Only Bob* to get their 20 minutes of reading each week! If we finish, we'll choose a new book.

Program in a Bag Grades 1 - 5

A different theme each week & contains 1-2 activities! Instructions & a YouTube link will be provided. Pick up a bag anytime during the week of the program* while supplies last.
* bags will not be available prior to current week's program.



June 15 - 19: Fairytale Spells
June 22 - 29: The Beanstalk
July 6 - 10: Unicorns Unite
July 13 - 17: Dragon's Breath
July 20 - 24: Gnome Depot
July 27 - 31: Myths & More
August 3 - 7: Villain's Lair

Family Performers

Professional performers will **VIRTUALLY** entertain the entire family this summer! Videos will be posted **TUESDAYS @ 11 AM** during the Summer Reading Program on our website and Franklin Public Library Children's Department Facebook page.

- June 16:** Fairytale Princess Tales
- June 23:** Jim Lenz's Comedy Magic Show
- June 30:** Mermaid Cove
- July 7:** Predators and Prey (this performance will be LIVE on Facebook)
- July 14:** Gypsy Geoff's One Man Circus Show
- July 21:** Kidsplay: Fitting in Fitness
- July 28:** Dragons and Dinosaurs (this performance will be LIVE on Facebook)
- August 4:** Tyrannosaurus Rex (this performance will be LIVE on Facebook)

LIBRARY LUNCH LADIES



Join Keri and Sarah as they demonstrate their favorite recipes! Recipes will be posted to the website on the day of the program.

BRUNCH FAVORITES
June 29 @ 10:30 am

PICNIC PARTY!
July 17 @ 2 pm

GARDEN HARVEST
August 21 @ 2 pm