

Wilton Public Library

Read Beyond the Beaten Path

Summer Reading Program 2022



For more information and
registration visit us at:
wilton.lib.ia.us

Summer Science
June 3, 15, and July 1
2-3 pm

Pop Up Story Time
Blue City Park
June 7 and 21
11 am
Cherrydale
TBA

Kid Craft
Thursdays @ 11:30 am
June 9 - Design Your Own Visor
June 16 - Wiggly Ants
June 23 - Bead Jewelry
June 30 - Pet Rocks
July 7 - Nature Rubbings
July 14 - Wind Chimes
July 21 - Coffee Filter Butterfly
July 28 - Finger Paint Forest

Puppet Workshop
July 6 and 7
1:30 pm, Registration Required

Drama Workshop
July 12, 13, and 14
3-4:30 pm,
Registration Required



Kickoff to Summer!

Let's kick off our summer with some fun! Michelle Berns June 1
shares her knowledge of wild animals here in Iowa that we 1:30 pm
might see if we go camping or hiking. She might even
have some animal furs to show us and their tracks. This
event will be happening at the library. Everyone welcome!

Mikayla Oz!

June 8 Mikayla Oz will entertain us with magical comedy and
1 pm storytelling. Her performance will be held in the Community
Center. This is an excellent program for all ages!

Star Lab

Travel beyond the beaten path into the inflatable StarLab June 10
Planetarium, where we will learn about the different June 12
constellations and moon phases. This event will be held in 2-4pm
the Community Center. It is a great experience for all ages.
Registration is required. The number of people in the
StarLab at one time is limited.

Bug Safari

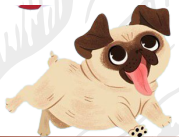
June 17 It's all about bugs, bugs, bugs! Join us for a Bug Safari! This
10:30 am special story time will have fun activities and great stories.
This event will be happening in-person at the library. The Bug
Safari will be a fun event for children 1 - 8 years old.
Registration is required to ensure we have enough supplies.
To register, call, message or stop by the Library.

Tiny Tumblers and Tumble Time

Skye Jimenez from the Muscatine Academy of Music June 25
and Dance will be here to help us do fun things for Tiny Tumblers
beginner tumblers. This program is held in the 10:30-11:15 am
Community Center. Tiny Tumblers is great for ages 1-5
years old. Tumble Time is ideal for 6 years and older. Tumble Time
11:15 am-Noon

Pet Rescue

July 9 Join us for an afternoon with "It Takes a Village" animal
11 am - 1 pm rescue. Learn about their organization, meet the pets,
and more. Maybe even adopt a pet for yourself! Library
teens will host a dog wash to help raise funds for the
rescue. This will be at the library. Families and children of
all ages welcome. QuickE's food truck will join us for the
event. No registration needed.



Teddy Bear Picnic

Join us for a special story time with your favorite July 15
stuffed animal on a fun adventure with songs and 10:30-11:30 am
activities. This event will be happening in-person at
the Blue City Park. The teddy bear picnic will be a
fun event for children 1 - 8 years old. Registration is
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Teen Summer @ the Library

Camp Craft:

Tuesdays @ 2 pm

June 7 - Beaded animals

June 14 - Boondoggles

June 21 - Friendship bracelets

June 28 - Fidgets

July 12 - Shrinky Dinks

July 19 - Moon Dough

July 26 - Airplane Challenge

Teen Club

June 13

July 11

3:30 - 4:30 pm

Teen After Hours Events

June 17 - Movie Night

July 22 - Scary Stories

6 pm



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Program dates and times
subject to change.

Adult Summer Programs

Make Your Own Reading Garden

June 6

6-7 pm



Master Gardener, Barb Reesink, explains how you can have your very own Reading Garden. She will give us some great tips and answer your gardening questions while we gather casually for a chat and snack time. This event is perfect for adults interested in gardening. It will be held at the Library.

Hedge the Library

June 18

1 pm

Let's "Hedge the Library" together! We will be repurposing old paperback books by learning a book folding technique that will give us a hedgehog to decorate the library or to take home. This event will be held at the Wilton Public Library. Hedge the Library is open to anyone in 5th grade thru adults. No registration is required.



Spines and Wines

July 9

6-8 pm



Ready to take a trip to wine country with us? The Friends of the Wilton Public Library are hosting a Wine Tasting Fundraiser. Wine expert Lisa Hunter will guide us through multiple wines, explaining each of these lovely Napa Valley wines. Each wine sampling will be paired with a book theme. Registration is required. Must be 21 years or older to attend. Tickets to the event are \$50. This price includes your ticket to the 2 hour event and a bottle of wine!

Programs for Everyone!

Big Foot Hunt June and July

It's a search for Big Foot! Spend some time searching around Wilton for 10 locations with a Big Foot captured in a photo. You can snap a picture of each one or jot down the location where you've sighted them. Then bring in those locations and/or pictures to the library and get a prize! If you would like even more Big Foot fun, check out Musser Library's Big Foot Hunt too. This event will be happening all around the town of Wilton.

Retro Game Day

July 8

3:30-

4:30 pm

Isn't running and playing outside the best? Retro Games Day is a time to enjoy the great outdoors! Play games like red-light green light and SPUD. Come join our fun outside in front of the library. This event is for everyone. Please join us on Friday, July 8th from 2-3 pm.

Books and Burgers Block Party

Summer Reading is over and we're throwing a block party here at the Library! We'll have games, music, food, and books! Arty's food truck will be here to help us celebrate all of the reading we accomplished! Part of the Library parking lot will be blocked off for this event. Everyone is invited!

July 30
11 am - 2 pm