TEEN CENTER SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2017





* ¥ SATURDAY, JUNE 17 – FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

Join the "Teen Time Warp - Travel Through the P-Ages" Summer Reading Program. Online registration and tracking of the books that you've read begins June 17. You can log your books online with your TEEN library card. Each week, a gift card will randomly be raffled off and those who have logged books that week will be entered for a chance to win. For each book you have read, you will receive a bonus raffle ticket to win one of the fabulous prize baskets that will be on display in the Teen Center during the summer. For every 10 books you have logged online, you will be eligible to select a paperback book that is yours to keep. (No boxed sets, full series, textbooks, or technical manuals. The retail price of the book may not exceed \$10, limit of 4 prizes per person). The last day to log your books is Thursday, August 17. At the end of the summer, we will have a list in the Teen Center of those that have read the most books. **You must be entering grades 6 - 12 and have a valid Port Jefferson Free Library card to sign up for programs in the Teen Department. In addition, you must be registered for the Summer Reading Program in order to attend any of the programs held at the Teen Center during the summer. Simply go to the library's website and click on the summer reading club link to sign up, visit the Teen Center, or call us for more information.**



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MAKE-IT! DIY FLOWER CROWNS

Saturday, June 17 12:00 PM Flowers are perfect for any occasion. Decorate a headpiece for yourself that is perfect for frolicking in the fields.

MAKE-IT! BAG OF HOLDING

Monday, June 19 3:00 PM Whether you play any RPG dice games or not, a tiny bag of holding is always useful. Join us as we make our own custom drawstring bags.

MAKE-IT! DUCT TAPE WALLET

Monday, June 19

6:30 PM

Join us to make an easy, low cost wallet for money holding with a flash of creativity. Learn how to construct a classic craft that is a handy and styling accessory.

Teens Vs. Librarians

Wednesday, June 21 2:00 PM Do you have the skills to take the librarians down? We challenge you to beat us in a game you vote on!

STRING DOLLS

Wednesday, June 21 6:30 PM An adorable mini person built with simple materials. Create a string doll to show off to your friends.

PRINCESS LEIA AND STORMTROOPER CUPCAKES *

Thursday, June 22 2:00 PM Join us as we decorate plain vanilla cupcakes into Star Wars edible fun.

LIP SYNC BATTLE VIDEOS

Thursday, June 22 6:00 PM Gather your props together and get ready to lip sync your heart out! We'll use our green screen and you can edit your videos to make them even more epic!

SHRINKY DINK ANIMAL PENDANT

Friday, June 23 2:00 PM Print or sketch an animal of your choosing and watch as it shrinky dinks to a mini version of itself.

MINUTE TO WIN IT *

Saturday, June 24 12:00 PM Join us for a friendly competition of various games of skill to challenge your friends to.

FOOD PICTIONARY*

Monday, June 26 2:00 PM Play the game Pictionary with a new twist. Instead of drawing the clues traditionally, you can only use food condiments. Two teams will battle it out for the title of Food Pictionary Champions!

NACHO AVERAGE TUESDAY*

 Tuesday, June 27
 2:00 PM

 Make your own nacho platter with chips, dip and loads of toppings. We will be playing fun games while you munch on your goodies.

BUCKET-LIST CHALLENGE Tuesday, June 27

6:30 PM

Join the Teen Center in creating a Bucket List Challenge for the Summer. If a challenge is created, it will be implemented and used for our Summer Reading Challenge.



MAKE-IT! DIY CLAY

Wednesday, June 28 2:00 PM Make your own clay that you can sculpt and watch harden into your very own masterpiece.

MAKE-IT! DIY WOVEN YARN BANGLES

Wednesday, June 28 6:30 PM Tired of those boring wooden arm bangles? Take them from lifeless to lovable in our craft program designed to make these accessories cute and fashionable.

MAKE-IT! COSPLAY HEADBANDS

Thursday, June 29 2:00 PM Transform yourself into a unicorn or pikachu with the help of these Cosplay headbands!







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MINION CUPCAKE* Thursday, June 29

6:30 PM

Make a minion on a cupcake. Meet a minion and take pictures! Play a minion 4 corners game.

Teen Bake-Off st

12:00 PM

Friday, June 30 Teens who love baking join the Teen Center in our first ever bake off. Create a baked dish at home, cookies, brownies, cake, etc, and present it to the judges for an awesome "Baking Prize."

MAKE-IT! POPSICLE ART

Friday, June 30 3:00 PM Forgot the canvas at home? Did you know popsicle sticks can fix that? You can use small sticks as little canvases for tiny art.

STAR WARS 3-D KEYCHAIN

11:00 AM Saturday, July 1 Join us as we celebrate the 40th anniversary of Star Wars and learn how to make your own keepsake keychain using Tinkercad.

COMIC BOOK MAKEUP

Saturday, July 1 1:00 PM Be a part of the newest makeup trend - Pop Art Makeup. Learn simple makeup techniques to turn your face into a character straight from the pages of a comic book. You will even receive a makeup kit to take home with everything you need to recreate the look!

MAKE-IT! SILLY PUTTY

Monday, July 3 12:00 PM Silly putty is fun! You can stretch it, bounce it or squish it! Come make your own!

MINI MURDER MYSTERY - WHO DONE IT?

Monday, July 3

In this interactive forensic science program participants will use hands on techniques including simulated blood typing, fingerprint and handwriting analysis to investigate and solve the murder mystery.

3:00 PM

Onigiri Keychain

Monday July 3 6:30 PM Super cute, fuzzy, small and a must have! Mimic a Japanese delicacy to create an adorable little friend.

SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT*

Wednesday, July 5 Join the Teen Center in our New Super Smash Bros. Tournament.

CANDY OLYMPICS^{*}

Wednesday, July 5 4:00 PM We supply the candy and the challenges, you supply the competitive edge to win!

HENNA DESIGNS

Wednesday, July 5

6:30 PM

1:00 PM

Get creative by learning how to use henna as temporary body art. Easy to apply and gorgeous by design, you will create your own henna tattoo!

BOOK BUDDIES

Thursday, July 6, 13, 20, 27 August 3, 10 11:00 AM Earn community service hours while reading to young children. Arrive weekly at 11:00 AM to select books for the children, and begin reading to them at 11:30 AM. You must attend the short orientation that will be held immediately prior to the first session (at 11:00) in order to participate

as a Book Buddy during any of the sessions.

OUESADILLAS*

Make-It! Clocks

Thursday, July 6 12:00 PM Learn to make traditional guesadillas as well as a dessert version made out of bananas and caramel.

2:00 PM

Thursday, July 6 Travel through the P-ages, but don't lose track of time with this super neato clock we will be making!

Lego Batman and Pizza st

Thursday, July 6 Watch the newest Lego movie while enjoying pizza.









Community Service – Shell Collectors

Friday, July 7 (rain date July 14) 12:00 PM Collect some beautiful shiny shells with the teen center for an upcoming craft. Wear comfortable clothing and shoes.

RETRO GAMING*

Friday, July 7

2:00 PM Stroll down memory lane with some old school video games and board games. Snacks will be provided..

MAGIC THE GATHERING DRAFT TOURNAMENT 1:00 PM

Saturday, July 8

COMMUNITY SERVICE – PET TOYS

Monday, July 10 Help us transform fabric into fun toys for some friends.

Make-IT! Seed Bombs

Monday, July 10 4:00 PM A gift for the Earth, to show that we care! Craft a seed bomb to spread the love.

TASTE TEST CHALLENGE- SNACKS*

Monday, July 10 6:30 PM We all love to snack but can your taste buds taste the difference in a blind test? Join us as we put your sense of taste to the test!

3:00 PM

6:30 PM

GLOW-IN-THE-DARK HEMP BRACELET

Tuesday, July 11 1:00 PM Oh yeah! You heard it here first! There is now a Glow-in-the-Dark hemp cord that is lead free, acid free, and azo chemical free--so of course we will make awesome macramé bracelets with it for all those summer night flashlight tag games!

EDIBLE ARCHITECTURE*

Tuesday, July 11 Working in small groups, you will build architectural masterpieces using a variety of different edible materials including marshmallows, pretzel sticks, frosting, and cookie wafers.

MARIO KART 8 TOURNAMENT

Tuesday July 11

WOOL ANIMAL CREATIONS

Wednesday, July 12 12:00 PM They're teeny, tiny, and adorable. Join the Teen Center to create a mini wooly creature!

FANTASTIC FUDGE

Wednesday, July 12 2:00 PM Fudge is a yummy candy to learn how to make. We will supply everything you need. Take it home in a tin to enjoy with family and friends.

BLACK LIGHT PAINTING

Wednesday, July 12 6:00 PM Join us for painting in the dark. We will have black lights shining to make glowing creations of your own.

Make_It! 3_D Throwie

Thursday, July 13 12:00 PM Make a fun LED decoration for your fridge or help us decorate our library book carts.

CANDY APPLE POPS *

Thursday, July 13 2:00 PM Enjoy this delicious old timey treat! Transform an apple with chocolate, sprinkles, candy and anything else you can think of!

PARENT/TEEN PLANT NIGHT*

Thursday, July 13 6:30 PM Bring a parent for the chance to get your hands dirty and do something different. Plus, everyone goes home with a trendy terrarium.

GARDEN HELPERS

Fridays, July 14, 28, August 4, 11 10:00 AM Help keep our garden neat while removing weeds and picking vegetables. Program will be cancelled if it rains.

FRIDAY FUNDAY WITH SUNDAES AND A CLASSIC MOVIE *

Friday, July 14 1:00 PM Celebrate National Ice Cream Day (July 16) a bit early with delicious ice cream while watching a classic movie.













CARNIVAL HELPERS*

Friday, July 14

4:00 PM (orientation)

Saturday, July 15 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM (you must be able to volunteer the whole time) Do you enjoy working with children? We need your help with our annual carnival for younger children. You'll run activities for the children to enjoy. Earn 6 hours of community service. You must be able to attend the orientation, as well as be at the carnival for the entirety to earn community service.

MINDFUL ROBOTICS CAMP: GRADES 4-8

Monday - Thursday July 17, 18, 19, 20 & July 24, 25, 26 and 27 10:00 - 11:30 AM Using Lego Mindstorms Education EV3 Base Sets & Software, learn Lego Robotics. A registration fee of \$50 for Port Jefferson Free Library cardholders is due when signing up, checks only, payable to the Port Jefferson Free Library. In person registration for PJFL cardholders begins June 1 in the Teen Department. Non - PJFL cardholders can register (space permitting) in person starting July 11. A registration fee of \$100 is due at the time of registration for all non-PJFL cardholders. **Registration fee is non-refundable.** Attendance at this program is a prerequisite to join the Library's Lego Mindstorms Team (PJFL cardholders only) for the coming school year.

ADVANCED LEGO ROBOTICS CAMP: GRADES 4–8

Monday - Thursday July 17, 18, 19, 20 & July 24, 25, 26 and 27 Learn even more about using Lego Mindstorms EV3. A registration fee of \$50 for Port Jefferson Free Library cardholders is payable by check only please, made out to "Port Jefferson Free Library". In person registration for PJFL cardholder begins June 1. All others may register in person beginning July 11. A registration fee of \$100, will be due upon registration for all non-PJFL cardholders. Registration fee is non-refundable. Attendance at this program is a prerequisite to join the Library's Lego Mindstorm Team for the coming school year (PJFL cardholders only).

SWITCH IT UP

Monday, July 17 2:00 PM Join us as we have open play with the latest Nintendo console, The Switch.

CREATIVE PASTRY WARS*

Monday, July 17 6:30 PM Think you have what it takes to make three different pastry creations?

Make-IT! TRIBAL NECKLACE

Tuesday, July 18 3:00 PM Join us as we use basic materials to make a stylish tribal necklace.

MARSHMALLOW CATAPULT*

6:30 PM

Tuesday, July 18 Ready, Set, CATAPULT! Design your own marshmallow catapult using pencils, rubberbands, paper clips and your own imagination.

OLD FASHIONED ICE CREAM SANDWICHES*

Wednesday, July 19

3:00 PM

We will create a yummy sensation right in the library. First, we will make homemade waffles and place ice cream in between to make this treat. Then, while you are enjoying your ice cream sandwich we will give a presentation on how to make ice cream.

PARENT/TEEN FUSED GLASS NIGHT

Wednesday, July 19

Come in and learn how to cut glass for a fused glass pendant. Each participant will leave their glass creations at the Teen Center to be fused. You will be called when they are ready. You will make three pendants. A materials fee of \$10 is due upon registration. Each participant must have a signed waiver prior to the program.

6:30 PM

MAKE-IT! OUTDOOR EXPERIMENTS

Thursday, July 20

2:00 PM Have you ever seen what happens when you mix Mentos and Diet Coke? Come over to the garden area as we do some messy outdoor explosions in the name of science.

BEACH HUT GINGER BREAD HOUSE *

Thursday, July 20 6:30 PM Create your own beach hut using gingerbread, icing and sugar glaze. Make ornaments with fondant and tootsie rolls.

LIP BALMS AND LOTIONS: GRADES 4-8

Friday, July 21

12:00 PM Have you ever wondered what goes into making lip balm or body lotions? In this fun and informative class,

Tara Penske, Certified Aromatherapist, will show us how to create our own natural products.

ESCAPE THE LIBRARY

Friday, July 21

7:00 PM

Here's your chance to test out your skills in escaping the locked library trying to solve puzzles with only clues and your teammates.





TEEN YOGA

Saturdays, July 22, 29, August 5, 12 10:00 AM Join us for yoga, mindfulness, lavender eye pillows, sage bundles, essential oils and more! Please bring your own mat.

SNACKING AROUND THE WORLD *

Saturday, July 22

Try snacks from all different countries! Snacks used in this program WILL contain peanuts as well as other allergens.

CARD GAME CRAZINESS *

Monday, July 24 3:00 PM Choose from the many fun games at the Teen Center and challenge your friends and the librarians.

MAKE-IT! VINYL TUBE BRACELET

Monday, July 24 6:30 PM Sparkle, sparkle! Keep your wrists flashy and styling. Create a glittery accessory to show off to your friends.

BALLOON TENNIS

Tuesday, July 25 We'll supply the homemade rackets, you supply the tennis skills and teamwork. We'll play against each other in team-based balloon tennis fun!

MUNCHKIN MADNESS*

Tuesday, July 25 6:30 PM OR Wednesday, August 16 12:00 PM

Battle your opponents through dungeons filled with monsters and ghouls, while we serve tasty Munchkins. Never played? Don't worry, other Munchkin fans will show you the details of this RPG fantasy card game.

3:00 PM

TEEN TOP CUTTHROAT CHOPPED CHEF *

Wednesday, July 26

3:00 PM Make the best dish you can from the ingredients we provide. Small cooking prize awarded to the best chefs in the Teen Center.

6:30 PM Wednesday, July 26 We've got a fun night planned for you and your crew. This is your chance to get your hands dirty and do something different. Plus, everyone goes home with a trendy terrarium.

MAKE IT AND TAKE IT MOISTURE BARS

Thursday, July 27

TEEN PLANT NIGHT

2:00 PM Learn the benefits of moisture bars. See how easy they are to make and learn about some of the very special essential oils you can use to feel great!

BAREFOOT SANDALS

Friday, July 28 1:00 PM Minimalism at its finest! Craft a simple pair of barefoot sandals for the summer heat. Look fashionable while exposing your feet to nature.

STUFFED PIZZA STICKS*

Friday, July 28 3:00 PM Take freshly baked herb cheese bread and stuff it with your choice of tomato sauce, mozzarella cheese, pepperoni, chicken and more!

Science Sun Fun

Saturday, July 29 12:00 PM Find out how astronomers measure the sun and receive a FREE pair of eclipse glasses to view the partial solar eclipse on August 21. Guest scientists will help you learn methods and clever tricks astronomers use.

SUMMER SEWING SCHOOL

Mondays, July 31, August 7, August 14 11:00 AM Each week we will improve our sewing skills and learn new techniques on the machine!

HARRY POTTER CELEBRATION*

Monday, July 31 3:00 PM Published 20 years ago, we will celebrate this milestone and Harry's birthday with all things Potter!

MAKE-IT! DIY - GALAXY BATH BOMB

Monday, July 31 6:30 PM Join us as we learn how to make your own galaxy bath bombs using simple ingredients. This is a DIY messy project so please dress accordingly.

Make-it and Take-it Pretzels*

Tuesday, August 1 12:00 PM Make and mold pretzels and take them home to bake. You will create both sweet and savory toppings to take home!









Make_IT! Perler Beads

Tuesday, August 1 3:00 PM Create your own perler bead masterpiece with our perler sets.

SCRUBS. SCRUBS. SCRUBS

Tuesday, August 1 6:30 PM Learn how Sugar and Salt Scrubs can be created to exfoliate and brighten your skin while enhancing and addressing mood and health issues.

Build a Candy Brownie Trifle: Grades 4–8 *

12:00 PM Wednesday, August 2 Creative Chef Rob Scott as we build layers with brownies, chocolate pudding, whipped cream and mini-candies. Yum!

Make_It! 3_D Pen Creation_ Mask

Wednesday, August 2 3:00 PM Design your own party mask with different types of filament colors using our 3-D Pens.

TEEN BOWLING*

Wednesday, August 2 6:00 PM Meet us at Port Jeff Bowl for 2 hours of bowling! Everyone will bowl for 2 hours (bowling shoes included) and get pizza and soda, all for the low price of \$12. Payment is due upon registration.

TIE-DYE TOWELS: GRADES 4-8

Thursday, August 3

12:00 PM Change plain white towels into towels with pizzazz. Your friends will be so impressed when they learn you made them yourself. We supply the towels but you can bring a white shirt or socks to dye with any leftover dye.

NATIONAL WATERMELON DAY - SEED CHALLENGE*

Thursday, August 3 Challenge your friends in a fun time eating watermelon and an exciting outdoor watermelon seed spitting contest!

TEEN/PARENT PAINT NIGHT

Thursday, August 3

6:30 PM

12:00 PM

2:00 PM

We are going to explore Andy Warhol's famous screen printing technique that was so popular in the 80s and make some fabulous pop art! Bring your own T-shirt or canvas tote to screen print on!

WHOOPIE PIES*

Friday, August 4

SOUIRT GUN PAINTING

Friday, August 4 2.00 PM Express yourself with paint and water guns! Your imagination is only limited to the amount of paint you can squirt.

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS – TEEN EDITION 2:00 PM

Saturday, August 5

STAR WARS MARATHON AND MUNCHIES*

Monday, August 7

In a galaxy far far away about 40 years ago Star Wars first came to theaters! We are going to watch the original trilogy in its entirety!

MAKE-IT! DISCO BALL

Monday, August 7 6:30 PM Disco never died and neither did discs; funky fresh forever. Use CD's to construct a customized crystalline craft for all the cool cats.

PLAYSTATION VR

Tuesday, August 8

12:00 PM

CREATIVE DRAMATICS WORKSHOP

Tuesdays and Thursdays August 8, 10, 15 and 17 2:00 PM

Join us for this hour long workshop to build an understanding of theater craft. During each of the four classes we will focus on a particular acting skill: pantomime, body movement, improvisation, and characterization. You must be available to attend all four classes.

FAMILY TRIVIA SMACKDOWN

Tuesday, August 8

6:30 PM

Bring your parent and your best smack talk because it's going down! Who is smarter parents or their kids? Each child registered must come with a parent willing to participate. This program takes place in the Children's Department.







Join us to make 13 different flavor combinations of whoopie pies. Mix and match flavors in vanilla and chocolate shells.

SUPER SMASH BROS TOURNAMENT

Wednesday, August 9 1:00 PM Representing the best of the best at our New Super Smash Bros. Tournament!

MAKE-IT! FUSED GLASS WORKSHOP

Wednesday, August 9

Come in and learn how to cut glass for a fused glass pendant. Each participant will leave their glass creations at the Teen Center to be fused. You will be called when they are ready.

You will make three pendants. A materials fee of \$10 is due upon registration. Each participant must have a signed waiver prior to the program.

DELIGHTFUL DOUGHNUTS*

Wednesday, August 9

6:30 PM

4:00 PM

Make glazes, add toppings and flavorings. We will discuss and hand out recipes on how to make homemade donuts.

Make Your Own Bubble Gum *

Thursday, August 10 12:00 PM With just a few simple ingredients you can make your own delicious bubble gum.

DIP THIS*

Thursday, August 10 Join Chef Rob Scott as you dip various foods in chocolate.

MAKE-IT! SLIME

Monday, August 14 Hold globs of slime in your hands. Learn how to create stunning slimy globules to stretch, smoosh and smack.

S'MORES SUSHI*

Monday, August 14 Using rice crispy treats covered with marshmallow and chocolate syrup and graham cracker crumbs, roll them up served with chopsticks and a side

order of chocolate syrup to take home. TEENS SPEAK OUT NOW*

Tuesday, August 15

4:00 PM Join our teen discussion group to voice your opinion and make a difference. We're seeking dedicated teens to share ideas about activities, materials, and changes to implement to make the library a destination for teens.

MAGIC THE GATHERING TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, August 15

BEFORE | FALL AND MUNCHIES*

Wednesday, August 16 2:00 PM Join us as we watch one of the latest Teen novels to be made into a movie.

END OF SUMMER READING GAMES AND SNACKS PARTY*

Wednesday, August 16 6:30 PM Enjoy playing summer themed games and eating fun food at our Summer Beach Party.

MAKE-IT! DUCT TAPE BRACELET

Thursday, August 17 12:00 PM Decorate a wood bangle with duct tape for an easy and colorful fashion accessory.

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST AND PIZZA*

Thursday, August 17

SILENT LIBRARY – FEAR FACTOR EDITION*

Friday, August 18

2:00 PM

5:00 PM

The rules say "to stay silent" but can you keep quiet while reciting the ABC's with a mouth full of qummy bears? For a twist, we will incorporate some "fear factor" type challenges as well. Shhhh! Can you keep guiet in the library?

End Of Summer Reading and 10th Anniversary of the Teen Center Celebration Lock–In st

Friday, August 18

7:00 PM Celebrate the end of the Summer Reading Program and the 10th year the Teen Center has been around! Come to the main library after hours and play library mini-golf, play nerf in the meeting room, enjoy games and have fun. We'll be celebrating until midnight. What better way to celebrate all the fun you've had this summer?

* Designates that food products used in these programs may contain allergens.







5:00 PM





3:00 PM

6:30 PM