

SUMMER 2024
June, July & August

ADVENTURE — BEGINS AT — YOUR LIBRARY™



The Northwest Regional Library System aspires to help students to prevent the “summer slide” by providing a variety of engaging, educational programs that encourage discovery throughout the summer. This year’s theme is *Adventure Begins at Your Library*.

Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial Library in Port St. Joe Summer Reading Incentives

Camp Read S'More Reading Challenge

June & July (Ages 6 - 11)

Pick up the Summer Reading Adventure log and complete all 10 adventures to receive a prize! One reading log per child.

Weekly Adventure Themed Raffle (Ages 6 - 11)

June 10 - July 26

Each day you visit the library, you can enter a raffle drawing for a cool ‘adventure’ themed prize! Each week, new winners will be selected, with a drawing for three grand prize winners at the end of the summer!

Charles Whitehead Public Library in Wewahitchka Summer Reading Incentives

Camp Read S'More Reading Challenge (Ages 3 - 12)

June & July

Pick up the Summer Reading Adventure log and complete all 10 adventures to receive a prize! One reading log per child.

Bay County Libraries Summer Reading Incentives

Reading incentive prizes have been generously sponsored by the **Bay County Public Library Foundation** (<https://bcplfoundation.org/>) to encourage kids to visit the library this summer and pick up more books!

Camp Read S'More Reading Challenge June & July (Ages 6 - 11)

Pick up the Summer Reading Adventure log at any of the Bay County library locations. Complete all 10 adventures to receive a prize! One reading log per child. Turn in completed log at any Bay County location: Bay County Public Library, Parker Public Library, and Panama City Beach Public Library.

Weekly Adventure Themed Raffle (Ages 6 - 11)

June 1 - July 13

Each day you visit the library, you can enter a raffle drawing for a cool ‘adventure’ themed prize! Each week, new winners will be selected.

Summer Reading Brag Tag

Starts June 1 while supplies last

Check out an item with a children’s or teen library card for an “Adventure Begins at Your Library” Brag Tag for your backpack! Visit the front desk at any Bay County library location. One per library card, available while supplies last.

**All Northwest Regional Library System locations will be closed on:
Independence Day (Thursday, July 4)**

Bay County Public Library

Early Literary Programming

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3 - 5 with Caregiver)

Thursdays during June 6 - July 18 at 10:30 a.m. CT
Enjoy books, songs, and rhymes while building early literacy skills. **No class on July 4th.

School Aged Children's Programming

Adventure Begins @ Your Library Summer Kickoff:

Adventures in Nature

Wednesday, June 5 at 2 p.m. CT
Local performer Miss Calliope is helping us kick off the summer with an interactive singalong show "From the Soil to the Stars"! We will also have games and activities available throughout the week, including a rubber duck scavenger hunt.

Adventures on the High Seas

Wednesday, June 12 at 2 p.m. CT
Avast me hearties! Come dressed in your best pirate garb to participate in a swashbuckling Reader's Theater. Stick around afterward for more pirate activities and crafts.

Adventures in Fantasy

Wednesday, June 19 at 2 p.m. CT
Hear ye, hear ye! Join us for a Renaissance Faire at the library! Enjoy live music, crafts, and Ye Olde Storytime. Feel free to dress up in family-friendly medieval attire!

Family Game Day (Families with Children Ages 6 and up)

Saturdays, June 22, July 27, and August 24
from 12:30 - 4:00 p.m. CT
Mario Kart & Board Games. Parents must stay with their children. Program in the Meeting Room.

Adventures in the Dark

Wednesday, June 26 at 2 p.m. CT
We're bringing the popular online game Among Us to life! Work together with your crewmates to complete tasks—but watch out, there's an imposter among us. Will you survive?
Registration required. Call 850-522-2118 to register or visit the YS desk.

Adventures on Safari (Animal Tales: ZooSafari)

Wednesday, July 3 at 2 p.m. CT
Our friends from Animal Tales will educate, entertain, and inspire by sharing animals from around the world.

Adventures in Library Olympics

Wednesday, July 10 at 2 p.m. CT
Help us celebrate the Summer Olympics and the end of our Summer Reading Program with library-style Olympic games!

Teen Programming

Registration Required for ALL Teen Programming.
Please call 850-522-2118 to register.

Teen Summer Reading Giveaway (Ages 12-18)

June 3 - July 12
Fill out a reading survey and turn it in to Youth Services for a chance to win a prize! One survey per teen. A name will be drawn after July 12th.

Sewing Basics: Mushroom (Ages 12-17)

Tuesday, June 4 from 2 - 4 p.m. CT
Learn how to hand sew a mushroom plush! No sewing experience needed.

Make Your Own Journal (Ages 12-17)

Tuesday, June 11 at 2 p.m. CT
Make your own journal or notebook out of provided supplies!

D&D Map Making (Ages 12-17)

Tuesday, June 18 at 2 p.m. CT
Learn how to create a fictional map for role playing games or your own fantasy world.

Constellation Jars (Ages 12-17)

Tuesday, June 25 at 2 p.m. CT
Turn recycled glass jars into constellation lanterns!

Teen Game Night

Wednesdays, June 26, July 31, and August 28
from 4 - 6 p.m. CT
Play various Switch games in the Meeting Room.
No registration required for this Teen program.

Adulting Adventure: Meal Planning (Ages 14-18)

Tuesday, July 2 from 2 - 4 p.m. CT
Learn how to meal plan, grocery shop on a budget, and make microwave brownies. Please bring one microwave safe mug to use.

VR Adventure Party (Ages 14-18)

Tuesday, July 9 from 2 - 4 p.m. CT
Play video games on our VR console and make crafts!

Virtual Programs: Upcycled Origami with Kat (YouTube/Facebook)

Video tutorials of origami folding techniques!

Origami Fantail Goldfish: June 12 at 2 p.m. CT

Origami Crab: July 10 at 2 p.m. CT

Origami Panda: August 14 at 2 p.m. CT

Bay County Public Library

Adult Programming

Writing Corner

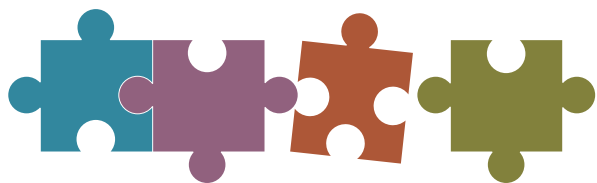
Saturday, June 1 from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. CT
Bring your laptops and notebooks to a dedicated writing space filled with other writers. Resource sheets will be available for all those looking to dip their toes in. Light refreshment provided by The Bay County Friends of the Library. Adult geared, but teenagers are welcome!
Contact Ariel at asmith@nwrls.com for more information.

Beginning Japanese Class (Adults 18+)

Mondays, June 3, July 1, and August 5 at 5:30 p.m. CT
Come learn some basics of conversational Japanese, as well as reading and writing hiragana. **Registration Required.** Call 850-522-2107 to register.

Puzzle Swap

Tuesday, June 4 at 6 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. CT
Puzzles must have all pieces and be in good condition to swap with others. Meet in the Bay County Public Library Meeting Room to swap for a new-to-you puzzle!



Nature Sunprints (All Ages / Families)

Friday, June 7 at 10 a.m. CT
Before coming to the program, you are encouraged to take a nature walk to gather leaves, flowers, and other items that would work well for creating your own Sunprint design. We will meet out in front of the library. Learn how cyanotype paper reacts to the sun and create a print or two. Sunprint paper & additional objects will be provided.

Adventures with Audubon

Tuesday, June 11 at 2 p.m. CT
Learn more about what the Bay County Audubon Society does for the community through habitat preservation efforts, birdwatching, and environmental awareness. Program presented by Ron Houser of the Bay County Audubon Society.

Readers Theater: Adventures in the Arcane

Thursday, June 20 at 6 p.m. CT
Join us for a thrilling Readers Theater performance of Jayson Kretzer's short story *Ashwood: Magic Eater* performed by Kaleidoscope Theatre actors. Meet authors Jayson Kretzer, Tony Simmons and Mark Boss who create the *Adventures in the Arcane* Anthologies. Books will be available for sale following the performance.

Let's Talk Native Plants

Friday, July 12 at 10 a.m. CT
Learn all about native plants with Sam from Sandhills Native Nursery.

Write the SciFi Adventure that Begins @ Your Library!

Saturday, July 20 from 2 - 4 p.m. CT
Join Ariel Smith and Khelsea Rantanen, NASA Solar System Ambassador, to learn about the sun and the impact the Parker Solar Probe will have on humanity's understanding of heliophysics. After the lecture, writers shall participate in a 500 word short story speedwriting contest. The topic and content will be the summer reading theme "Adventure Begins @ Your Library" and the information from the lecture to construct a science fiction adventure.

BCPL Book Club (Zoom/In-Person Hybrid)

Thursdays, June 13, July 11, and August 8 at 10:30 a.m. CT
June: *Zero Days* by Ruth Ware
July: *None of This is True* by Lisa Jewell
August: *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt
Email rfillingame@nwrls.com for Zoom invitation or meet in the Meeting Room. Additional copies available to borrow thanks to the Bay County Public Library Foundation.

11th Street Dulcimer Group (Zoom/In-Person Hybrid)

Fridays, June 14, July 19, and August 16 at 2 p.m. CT
All skill sets welcome. Email sburriss@nwrls.com for Zoom invitation or meet in the Youth Services Program Room. Several spare dulcimers will be available in the practice.

Crafternoon @ The Library

Fridays, June 28, July 26 and August 30 from 2 - 4 p.m. CT
Bring a current craft project or the supplies to start a new one! Adult coloring pages provided. Join other crafters in forming a more tight knit (or crocheted) community!
Program geared for adults, but teens welcome.

Justice on the Block Legal Clinic

Tuesday, June 18, July 16 and August 20
from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. CT
Lawyers with Legal Services of North Florida will be at the library to help provide legal information or help eligible clients apply for services on a first-come, first-served bases. Bring documents related to your question.

Play Music on the Porch Day at the Gallery of Art

Saturday, August 31 from 1 - 3 p.m. CT
The Bay County Public Library's **11th Street Dulcimers** group will be performing at the Gallery of Art (36 W Beach Drive) for Play Music on the Porch Day. Free to attend!

Panama City Beach Public Library Summer Reading Children's Programming

Summer Reading KICKOFF with Pat Nease

Wednesday, June 5 at 10 a.m. CT

Local storyteller, Pat Nease, is sure to entertain you with her stories, music and tales of adventure!

LEGO Club (Ages 7 - 11)

Tuesdays, June 11 and July 9 at 4 p.m. CT

Join us every month for a different theme to create with LEGOs. We will display completed LEGO creations in the library. **Registration required** due to limited class size. Registrations begin on the 1st of each month by visiting the library or calling 850-233-5055.

Gulf World Marine Animal Rescue Adventure at Your Library!

Wednesday, June 12 at 10 a.m. CT

Lauren Albrittain, Stranding Coordinator for Gulf World Marine Institute, will present on the organization's history, mission, and conservation work with stranded marine mammals and sea turtles in the Florida Panhandle.

Smokey the Bear Birthday Party!

Wednesday, June 19 at 10 a.m. CT

Celebrate Smokey's 80th birthday with us. There will be games, crafts, s'mores take home treat, and a Smokey the Bear Photo-op.

Beach Bum Ukulele Society

Wednesday, June 26 at 10 a.m. CT

Get ready to sing, laugh, and maybe even dance with the BUMS as you join them in a musical adventure!

Animal Tales Zoo-Fari Earth Adventure

Wednesday, July 3 at 10 a.m. CT

Audience members will become explorers and visit animals from all around the world. What an adventure you'll have!

Pirate Adventure on the High Seas of the Library

Wednesday, July 10 at 10 a.m. CT

There will be an outside Story Walk, "How to Be a Pirate", by Isaac Fitzgerald. Then come inside for a Pirate Scavenger Hunt in the Youth Services area. Find the hidden clues and choose a prize from the treasure chest. Dress as a pirate if you dare!

All Summer Reading programs are generously sponsored by the Panama City Beach Library Foundation.

Adult Programming

Sea Needles

Fridays at 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. CT

Join us and make new friends as you work on your own sewing project. Stop by our display case to see some of the beautiful finished projects.

Beach Book Club (Zoom/In-Person Hybrid)

Thursday, June 6 at 10:30 a.m. CT

June: *The Charm Bracelet* by Viola Shipman

Thursday, July 11 at 10:30 a.m. (IN-PERSON ONLY)

July: *Queen Bee* by Dorthea Benton Frank

Wednesday, August 7 at 10:30 a.m. CT

August: *The Guest List* by Lucy Foley

Email shill@nwrls.com for Zoom invitation or meet at the library! New members are always welcome. Extra copies of the monthly title are provided by the Bay County Public Library Foundation. Check the Front Desk to see if a copy is available.

Humana Health Education Classes

Wednesdays, June 19, July 17, and August 21

from 2 - 3:30 p.m. CT

June: Boost Your Brain with Food and Fitness

July: Medicare 101

August: Fall Asleep and Stay Asleep

Program taught by Jacob White with Humana. Light refreshments are provided.

WJHG Chapter Chat

Tuesdays, June 25, July 30, and August 27 at 2 p.m.

Jessica Foster and Mel Zosh from WJHG News Channel 7 to talk about our monthly read and much more! Follow Facebook and WJHG for the title of the month.

Refreshments are provided. Extra copies of the monthly title are provided by the Bay County Public Library Foundation. Check Front Desk to see if a copy is available.



Parker Public Library

Children's Programming

Storytime & Craft (Ages 3 - 6)

Saturday, June 1 at 11 a.m. CT - **Summer Adventures**

Saturday, June 15 at 11 a.m. CT - **Ocean Adventures**

Saturday, June 29 at 11 a.m. CT - **Dinosaur Adventures**

Saturday, July 13 at 11 a.m. CT - **Space Adventures**

Saturday, August 3 at 11 a.m. CT - **Back to School**

"Ocean Life" LEGO Club (Ages 6 - 11)

Saturday, June 15 at 12:30 p.m. CT

Dinosaur Perler Beads (Ages 8 - 11)

Saturday, June 29 at 12:30 p.m. CT

Must have parent supervision.

"Space" LEGO Club (Ages 6 - 11)

Saturday, July 13 at 12:30 p.m. CT

Family Board Games

Saturday, July 20 at 11 a.m. CT

Bring the family and try out some new games. We have Catan, Ticket to Ride, Bananagrams, Connect 4, Mexican Train Dominoes, Triominos and more!

Lego Club (Ages 6 - 11)

Saturday, August 3 at 12:30 a.m. CT

Take and make kids monthly crafts are available while supplies last.

Adult Programming

Patriotic Clothespin Wreath

Saturday, June 8 at 11 a.m. CT

All materials provided. **Registration Required.** Limited to 8. Register at library or call 871-3092.

Diamond Painting Bookmarks

Saturday, June 22 at 11 a.m. CT

Bring a friend and work on a bookmark to take home.

Crafternoon at the Library

Saturday, July 27 at 1 p.m. CT

Craft and create with your library community. Bring your current craft project and make new friends.

Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial

Public Library in Port St. Joe

Children's Programming

Preschool Storytimes

Monday, June 10 at 11 a.m. ET - **It's all About the Bears!**

**Bring your bear for a Teddy Bear Sleepover.*

Monday, June 17 at 11 a.m. ET - **Down on the Farm!**

Monday, June 24 at 11 a.m. ET - **Out of this World!**

Monday, July 8 at 11 a.m. ET - **Take a Hike!**

Monday, July 15 at 11 a.m. ET - **Campout!**

Monday, July 22 at 11 a.m. ET - **Celebration of Reading!**

Its All About the Bears! (School Age)

Tuesday, June 11 at 11 a.m. ET

Meet FWC Bear biologist Cheryl Spencer as we learn about Florida's native black bears! Make a special snack and pose for a picture with a life size bear!

Petting Zoo! (School Age)

Tuesday, June 18 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. ET

Try your hand at milking a cow, collecting eggs from chickens, and carding wool from a sheep with special guests from Redemptive Love Farm!

Out of This World! (School Age)

Tuesday, June 25 at 11 a.m. ET

Learn more about our Solar System with stories, games, crafts and a walkable solar system! Use the power of the sun to make nature prints to take home!

Take a Hike! (School Age)

Tuesday, July 9 at 11 a.m. ET

Crack open a geode to discover what's inside, and participate in a scavenger hunt to discover the variety of plants and animals present around the library!

Campout!

Tuesday, July 16 at 11 a.m. ET

Listen to campfire stories, learn how a compass works, tie cool knots, and of course: eat some s'mores!

A Celebration of Reading

Tuesday, July 23 at 11 a.m. ET

We will wrap up our summer reading program with a party! Each child will receive a free book of their choosing, with a drawing for three grand prizes!

Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial Public Library in Port St. Joe

Lego Club (Ages 5 - 8)

Mondays, June 10, June 24, July 8, July 22, August 12 at 4 p.m. ET

Enjoy a new challenge each week and time to free-build!

Lego Club (Ages 9 - 12)

Mondays, June 17, July 1, July 15, July 29, August 5 at 4 p.m. ET

Enjoy a new challenge each week and time to free-build!

Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial Public Library in Port St. Joe Children's Programming continued

Nintendo Switch (Ages 6 and up)

Thursdays, June 20, July 11, and July 18 at 2 p.m. ET

Thursday, August 15 at 4 p.m. ET

Join us to play games with friends on the big screen!

Pokémon Collectors Club (Ages 6 and up)

Thursdays, June 27, July 25, August 29 at 4 p.m. ET

Join friends to compare and trade Pokémon cards!

Introduction to Spanish (ages 6+)

Fridays, June 14, 21, 28 and July 12, 19, 26 at 11 a.m. ET

Listen to stories, learn songs and vocabulary in Spanish and English. Participate in activities and games to explore the theme of each week's summer reading adventure.

The final meeting will be a Fiesta!

All Ages Programming

Chess Club (All ages)

Mondays at 2:30 - 5 p.m. ET

Crafternoon Programs

Thursday, June 6, June 13, June 20, June 27, July 11,

July 18, and July 25 at 2 p.m. ET

Visit the website or Facebook for the weekly craft

project from Paper Cranes to Constellations in a Jar!

***Children under 7 should be accompanied by an adult.*

July 25 is not suitable for children under 3.

Teen Programming

Young Adult Book Club (Ages 15 - 18)

Monday, June 24 at 12 p.m. ET - **Action/Adventure**

Monday, July 22 at 12 p.m. ET - **Sci-Fi/Fantasy**

Join us for pizza and conversation about Young Adult titles that fit the genre of the month! If you are unsure where to begin, we'll have suggestions on the website.

Adult Programming

Seaside Stitchers

Saturdays from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. ET

Bring your latest needle arts project and join us!

Writers Group

Tuesdays, June 11 and 25, July 9 and 23,

August 13 and 27 at 10:30 a.m. ET

Join writers to discuss writing techniques & tips.

Yoga for Everybody

Saturdays, June 8, July 13 and August 10 at 2 p.m. ET

Free, donation-based class exploring different aspects of yoga practice. Visit FB or call the library for details.

Adult Programming

Ask-a-Master Gardener

Saturdays, June 8, July 13, and August 10 at 10:30 a.m. ET

Learn about Florida Friendly landscaping and gardening.

Legal Services of North Florida Mobile Legal Clinic

Thursday, June 6 from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. ET

Visit the mobile law office's stop in Gulf County for a free on-site legal clinic! The clinic will allow people to apply for free legal services and learn about disaster preparedness.

Honey-Tasting with Beekeeper Pam Palmer of Blue-Eyed Girl Honey

Tuesday, June 11 at 2 p.m. ET

Join us as we learn about beekeeping, what makes our local Tupelo honey so unique, followed by a honey-tasting!

Let's Get Growing! with Gulf Community Gardens

Tuesday, June 18 at 2 p.m. ET

Join us to learn more about the Gulf Community Gardens, with project founder Kim Miller and President Jennifer Garthwaite. Learn how you get involved as a gardener, donor or volunteer! Refreshments will be served.

NightSky Talk with NASA Ambassador Skip Marlin

Tuesday, June 25 at 2 p.m. ET

Join us for a discussion about the James Webb telescope!

Geocaching Workshop with Botanist Scott Davis

Tuesday, July 9 at 2 p.m. ET

Join enthusiast Scott Davis, for an introduction to the world of geocaching. Discover the mysteries of this contemporary treasure hunt, where GPS devices or your Smartphone lead the way to hidden geocaches, scattered around the Forgotten Coast, and the world!

Gulf County's Birds of Prey with Nelson Mongiovi

Tuesday, July 16 at 2 p.m. ET

Join the founder of Birding St. Joe to learn more about eagles, osprey and other raptors in our area.

The Tall Ship Governor Stone with Colleen Reilly

Tuesday, July 23 at 2 p.m. ET

The Governor Stone is a historic schooner, built in 1877, in Pascagoula, Mississippi. Join Colleen Reilly, of the Friends of the Governor Stone, Inc., to learn more about the restoration, preservation, maintenance and sailing of this historic ship, currently housed in Apalachicola.

Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, August 20 at 11 a.m. ET

Celebrate Senior Citizens Day with an Ice Cream Social for all ages!

Charles Whitehead Public Library in Wewahitchka

Children's Programming

LEGO Club

Thursdays at 3:30 p.m. CT

Pokémon Exchange

Tuesday, June 11 and Friday, August 2 at 3:30 pm CT
Join friends to compare and trade Pokémon cards!

Father's Day Craft (Ages 3 - 12)

Friday, June 14 at 2:00 pm CT
Create a cool craft for Dad. Fathers and Grandfathers are encouraged to attend.

A Day At The Farm Summer Kick Off Party (All Ages)

Monday, June 17 at 9:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. CT
Bring a blanket and enjoy an outdoor storytime followed by a hands on learning experience. Activities include milking a cow, collecting chicken eggs, spinning llama and goat yarn, and a petting zoo.

Summer Programs for Ages 1 - 5

Tuesday, June 18 at 10 a.m. CT - **Bubble Party**
*Bring a blanket for this outdoor storytime followed by a super fun bubble party!

Tuesday, June 25 at 10 a.m. CT - **Let's Go Camping**
Tuesday, July 2 at 10 a.m. CT - **Adventures We Will Go**
Tuesday, July 9 at 10 a.m. CT - **Adventures in the Dark**

*Wear your pajamas and bring your favorite stuffed animal to spend the night in the library!
Tuesday, July 16 at 10 a.m. CT - **Catch the Reading Bug**
Tuesday, July 23 at 10 a.m. CT - **Pirate Celebration Party**

Adventures in Horseback Riding (Ages 6-12)

Friday, June 21 at 3 p.m. CT
Learn about horseback riding and how to take care of your horse. Afterwards we will head outside to meet a sweet pony. Special Guest: A-C Performances Horses.

Bears Among Us (Ages 6-12)

Friday, June 28 at 3 pm CT
Florida Fish and Wildlife Conversation Commission's Regional Bear Coordinator Cheryl Spencer will share her knowledge of bears. See a real bear pelt and skull.

Travel Adventures (Ages 6 - 12)

Friday, July 5 at 3 p.m. CT
Learn about flight attendants & amazing places to travel!

Scouting Adventures (Ages 6 - 12)

Friday, July 12 at 3 p.m. CT
The Boy and Girl Scouts will join us to talk about their clubs followed by activities and crafts.

Fish and Wildlife Adventures (Ages 6 - 12)

Friday, July 19 at 3 p.m. CT
Learn how a game warden protects the fish and wildlife in our area. Tour their truck & boat. Program presented by Bryce Gerber, Florida Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Smokey The Bear's 80th Birthday Party and Reading Celebration (Ages 6 - 12)

Friday, July 26 at 3 p.m. CT
Learn to prevent forest fires at Smokey the Bear's 80th birthday with treats, prizes and a free book!

STEAM for Littles

Friday, August 23 at 3:30 p.m. CT
Come learn while you play with a variety of S.T.E.A.M. activities at this fun program!

Budding Bookworms (Ages 0 - 5 with caregiver)

Tuesdays, August 13, 20, and 27 at 10 am CT
Stories, songs, and crafts to instill a love of reading!

Family / All Age Programs

Chess Club

Friday, June 7 and Tuesday, June 18 at 3:30 p.m. CT

Scrabble

Mon. June 3, Mon. July 1, and Tues. August 6 at 2 p.m. CT

Family Summer Adventure Programs:

Monday, July 8 at 3 p.m. CT - **Outdoor Scavenge Hunt!**
Monday, July 15 at 3 p.m. CT - **Make Blue Ocean Slime!**
Monday, July 22 at 3 p.m. CT - **Rocks & Crystals!**
Tuesday, August 6 at 3:30 p.m. CT - **Family Game Day!**

Adult Programs

Busy Bee Readers Book Club

Mondays, June 24, July 29 and August TBD at 2 p.m. CT
Call library for monthly book club titles at 850-639-2419.

BearWise

Friday, June 28 at 1 p.m. CT
Join Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's Regional Bear Coordinator Cheryl Spencer for a discussion on bears in Florida and how to be BearWise!

Let's Bee Crafty

Thursday, June 27 at 1 p.m. CT - **Let's Make Manatees**
Thursday, August 29 at 1 p.m. CT - **Picture Frames**

Ice Cream Social for Senior Citizens Day (All Ages)

Monday, August 19 at 11 a.m. CT

Genealogy Workshop

Friday, August 23 at 10 a.m. CT
Genealogical dive into tax, land and probate records.

NWRLS Library Locations

BAY COUNTY

Bay County Public Library

898 West 11th Street
Panama City, FL 32401
(850) 522-2100

M, Tu, W 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. CT
Th, F, Sa 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. CT

Bay County Public Library Local History Room

M, Tu, W, Th, F 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. CT

Panama City Beach Public Library

12500 Hutchison Boulevard
Panama City Beach, FL 32407
(850) 233-5055

M, Tu, W 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. CT
Th, F 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. CT
Sa 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. CT

Parker Public Library

4710 Second Street
Parker, FL 32404
(850) 871-3092

M, Tu, W, Sa 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. CT

GULF COUNTY

Corinne Costin Gibson Memorial Public Library

110 Library Drive
Port St. Joe, FL 32456
(850) 229-8879

M, Tu, Th 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. ET
F, Sa 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. ET

Charles Whitehead Public Library

314 North Second Street
Wewahitchka, FL 32465
(850) 639-2419

M, Tu, Th, F 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. CT

LIBERTY COUNTY

Harrell Memorial Public Library

13016 NW CR 12
Bristol, FL 32321
(850) 643-2247

Tu, W, Th 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. ET
Sa 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. ET

Jimmy Weaver Memorial Public Library

22149 NE State Road 20
Hosford, FL 32334
(850) 379-3300

Tu, Th 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. ET
Sa 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. ET

NWRLS MOBILE LIBRARY

The **NWRLS Mobile Library** has scheduled stops in Bay, Gulf and Liberty Counties! A valid library card is required to borrow library materials from the Mobile Library. Items borrowed can be returned to any NWRLS location. Visit <https://www.nwrls.com/mobile-library/> for the latest schedule.

The Northwest Regional Library System is a department of Bay County. The seven library locations serve a population of over 200,000 providing access to books, DVDs, ukuleles, telescopes and more! Each location has public computers with Internet access and Wi-Fi. Most research databases are available offsite 24/7.

Facebook Pages: @baycountypubliclibrary, @PCBLibrary, @PSJLibrary, @ParkerPublicLibraryFL @CharlesWhiteheadPublicLibrary, @libertycountyflpubliclibraries, @weaverlibrary

YouTube: Northwest Regional Library System, FL

Instagram: bcpl_teens (Bay County Public Library), library4teens (Wewahitchka)

X, Formerly Twitter: Northwest Regional Library System

Podcast: Unstacked - available where ever you listen to Podcasts!

Libby App for eBooks/audiobooks: Select Panhandle Library Access Network then Northwest Regional Library System. Enter your Library Card Number and PIN.



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