

# Growing Readers

Warren County Public Library Summer Reading Program 2023



WARRENPL.ORG  
270.781.4882

★ FREE FAMILY CAMPS ALL SUMMER! VISIT WARRENPL.ORG/CAMPS TO LEARN MORE OR REGISTER. ★

## MAY 22 - JULY 31

EVERYONE who participates in Summer Reading gets a prize and an entry to win a **GRAND PRIZE** of their choice! Scan the QR code for details.



### FARM FEST KICKOFF!

**THURSDAY, JUNE 8 @ 10:00 A.M. - NOON**  
**NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM**

Petting Zoo - Mobile Dairy Classroom - Kindergarten  
Screenings - Pop-up Farmers Market - Smokey the Bear - Bluey  
Free flower seeds for the first 1000 people!

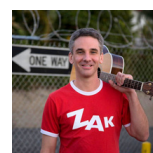
★ PURPLE FOOD BUS @ LISA RICE LIBRARY EVERY WEEKDAY FROM 11:20 A.M. - 12:15 P.M. ★



**FARM FAMILY HOUR FACT SHOP**  
Wednesday, June 14 @ 6:00 p.m.  
Bob Kirby Branch  
Monday, June 26 @ 6:00 p.m.  
Smiths Grove Branch



**BUILD-A-BULL**  
Thursday, June 29  
5:30 p.m.  
Lisa Rice Library



**ZAK MORGAN KIDS  
MUSICAL PERFORMANCE**  
Tuesday, July 11  
6:00 p.m.  
The Capitol



**MOBILE DAIRY  
CLASSROOM AND  
ICE CREAM PARTY**  
Thursday, July 20  
12:30 p.m.  
Buchanan Branch



**PETTING ZOO**  
Thursday, June 15  
10:00 a.m. - Noon  
Smiths Grove Branch



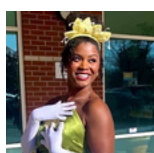
**BUILD-A-PIG**  
Wednesday, July 5  
6:00 p.m.  
Bob Kirby Branch



**BLUEY STORYTIME  
AND MEET & GREET**  
Thursday, July 13  
4:30 p.m.  
The Capitol



**NOT YOUR AVERAGE  
PETTING ZOO**  
Wednesday, July 26  
6:00 p.m.  
Bob Kirby Branch



**PRINCESS TIANA  
STORYTIME**  
Thursday, June 22  
12:30 p.m.  
Buchanan Branch



**MR. BOND'S  
SCIENCE GUYS**  
Thursday, July 6  
12:30 p.m.  
Buchanan Branch



**SMOKEY THE BEAR**  
Tuesday, July 18  
6:00 p.m.  
Lisa Rice Library



**LEGO PARTY**  
Saturday, July 29  
11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Bob Kirby Branch

★★★ FREE KIDS MOVIES @ THE CAPITOL EVERY TUESDAY AT 12:30 P.M. ★★★



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# JUNE 2023

Special Events are in **BOLD**  
Library events are **FREE** unless noted  
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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>MAY 29</b>  <b>ALL LOCATIONS CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY</b>	<b>MAY 30</b>  Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: The Incredibles 12:30 p.m.  Teen Pottery Club 3:30 p.m. @ Kirby	<b>MAY 31</b>  Hooked on Crochet Lisa Rice Library @ 4:00 p.m.  Beekeeping with Warren County Beekeepers Lisa Rice Library @ 6:00 p.m.	<b>JUNE 1</b>	<b>2</b>  <b>YA Author M Hendrix The Capitol @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>3</b>  Saturday Family Storytime Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>  Get Crafty: Farm Painting* Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.  Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Planes 12:30 p.m.	<b>7</b>  <b>An Evening with Top Gun Pilot Captain Jacob R. Vaughan The Capitol @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>8</b>  <b>Summer Reading Kickoff: Farm Fest @ National Corvette Museum! 10:00 a.m. - Noon</b>  Movies @ The Capitol: The Fifth Element 6:00 p.m.	<b>9</b> 	<b>10</b>  Duncan Hines Duck Paddle Block Party 9:00 a.m. @ 1292 River St
Family Camp: Soar 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Mon & Wed @ BG Airport, Tues @ The Capitol, Thurs @ Aviation Heritage Park					
<b>12</b>  Summer Reading Kickoff Rain Date	<b>13</b>  Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Inside Out 12:30 p.m.  Teen Pottery Club 3:30 p.m. @ Kirby	<b>14</b>  <b>Farm Family Hour FACT Shop Kirby @ 6:00 p.m.</b>  Family Yoga Lisa Rice Library @ 5:00 p.m.  Native Landscaping with SOKY WildOnes Lisa Rice Library @ 6:00 p.m.	<b>15</b>  <b>Petting Zoo Smiths Grove @ 10:00 a.m. - Noon</b>  Get Crafty: Farm Painting* Lisa Rice Library @ 5:30 p.m.	<b>16</b> 	<b>17</b>  Saturday Family Storytime Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.  Community Helpers Storytime Kirby @ 11:00 a.m.
<b>19</b>  <b>ALL LOCATIONS CLOSED FOR JUNETEENTH</b>	<b>20</b>  Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Soul 12:30 p.m.	<b>21</b>  <b>Summer Solstice: A Celebration with Music and Poetry The Capitol @ 7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>22</b>  Spanish Storytime Lisa Rice Library @ 10:00 a.m.  <b>Princess Tiana Buchanon @ 12:30 p.m.</b>  <b>Chef Edward Lee The Capitol @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>23</b> 	<b>24</b>  Saturday Family Storytime with SOKY WildOnes Lisa Rice Library @ 11:00 a.m.
Family Camp: Disney 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Tues @ The Capitol, Wed & Thurs @ Buchanon Gym					
<b>26</b>  <b>Farm Family Hour FACT Shop Smiths Grove @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>27</b>  Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Sing 12:30 p.m.	<b>28</b>  Flower Farming with Lovee & Rose Farm Lisa Rice Library @ 6:00 p.m.	<b>29</b>  <b>Build-a-Bull Lisa Rice Library @ 5:30 p.m.</b>  Community Performance of Stone Soup The Capitol @ 7:00 p.m.	<b>30</b> 	<b>JULY 1</b>  Saturday Family Storytime Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.
Theatre Camp 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Monday-Thursday @ The Capitol   Community Performance Thursday @ 7:00 p.m.					

## Regularly Scheduled Programs

### 0-18 MONTHS

#### Brilliant Babies

Mondays @ 10:00 a.m.  
Lisa Rice Library  
Wednesdays @ 10:00 a.m. Kirby

### 18 MONTHS - 3 YEARS

#### Talented Toddlers

Mondays @ 10:00 a.m. Kirby  
Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.  
Lisa Rice Library

### 3-5 YEARS

#### Preschool Storytime

Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m. Smiths Grove  
Tuesdays @ 11:00 a.m. Kirby  
Thursdays @ 11:00 a.m. Lisa Rice Library  
Fridays @ 10:30 a.m. Lisa Rice Library  
**Preschool Yoga**  
Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m. Kirby

### Sensory Storytime

Mondays @ 11:00 a.m. Kirby  
Fridays @ 9:30 a.m. Lisa Rice Library  
**Preschool Lab**  
Fridays @ 11:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.  
Lisa Rice Library  
**STEAM Storytime**  
Wednesdays @ 11:00 a.m. Kirby

### ELEMENTARY AGES

**Lego Club (5+)**  
Thursdays @ 4:00 p.m. Smiths Grove  
**Creative Kids (8+)**  
Tuesdays @ 4:00 p.m. Smiths Grove

### ALL AGES/FAMILY

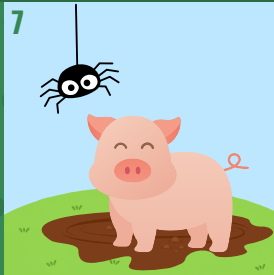
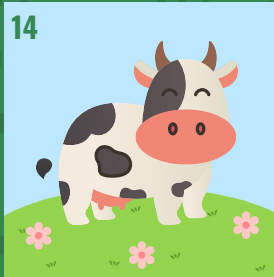
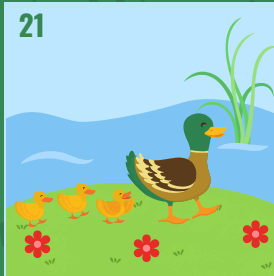
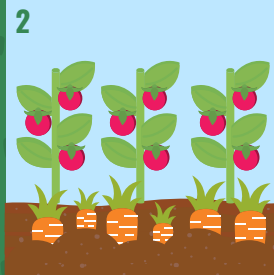
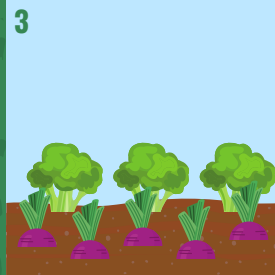
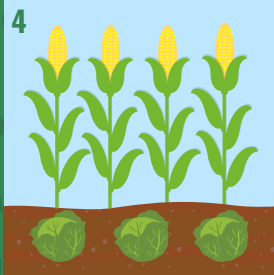
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Buchanon Branch



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<b>3</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Return of the Living Dead 6:00 p.m.	<b>4</b> <b>ALL LOCATIONS CLOSED FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY</b>	<b>5</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  <b>Build-a-Pig Kirby @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>6</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  <b>Mr. Bond's Science Guys Buchanan @ 12:30 p.m.</b>	<b>7</b> 	<b>8</b> <b>Saturday Family Storytime Kirby @ 11:00 a.m.</b>
Family Camp: STEM 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Monday, Wednesday & Thursday @ Buchanan Gym					
<b>10</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Some Like It Hot 2:00 p.m.	<b>11</b> Get Crafty: Rainbow Earrings* Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m. Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m. Movies @ The Capitol: Chicken Run 12:30 p.m. <b>Zak Morgan Kids Musical Performance The Capitol @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>12</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  Family Yoga Lisa Rice Library @ 5:00 p.m.	<b>13</b> Future Healthcare Professionals Lisa Rice Library 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  <b>Bluey Storytime and Meet &amp; Greet The Capitol @ 4:30 p.m.</b>	<b>14</b> 	<b>15</b> <b>Saturday Family Storytime Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.</b>  Community Helpers Storytime Kirby @ 11:00 a.m.  Jr. Makers Club: Harry Potter Wand Making Smiths Grove @ 3:00 p.m.
<b>17</b> Movies @ The Capitol: O Brother, Where Art Thou? 6:00 p.m.	<b>18</b> Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Turning Red 12:30 p.m.  <b>Smokey the Bear Lisa Rice Library @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> <b>Mobile Dairy Classroom and Ice Cream Party Buchanan @ 12:30 p.m.</b>  Get Crafty: Rainbow Earrings* Lisa Rice Library @ 5:30 p.m.	<b>21</b> 	<b>22</b> Composting Storytime with Compost BG & Miss Flora Lisa Rice Library @ 11:00 a.m.  <b>SUNDAY, JULY 23: World Cup Champion Goalkeeper Briana Scurry 3:00 p.m. @ SKYPAC</b>
Family Camp: Animal 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Mon, Wed, & Thurs @ Buchanan Gym, Tues @ The Capitol					
<b>24</b> Homemade Ice Cream and Games Smiths Grove @ 5:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Enter the Dragon 6:00 p.m.	<b>25</b> Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Chicken Little 12:30 p.m.  Teen Pottery Club 3:30 p.m. @ Kirby	<b>26</b> <b>Not Your Average Petting Zoo Kirby @ 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>27</b> Spanish Storytime Lisa Rice Library @ 10:00 a.m.	<b>28</b> Mother Son Dodgeball 5:00-8:00 p.m. @ Buchanan Gym	<b>29</b> <b>Saturday Family Storytime Smiths Grove @ 11:00 a.m.</b>  <b>Lego Party 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. @ Kirby</b>
<b>31</b>	<b>AUGUST 1</b> Storytime at Fountain Square Park @ 12:00 p.m.  Movies @ The Capitol: Encanto 12:30 p.m.	<b>2</b> 	<b>3</b> 	<b>4</b> 	<b>5</b> <b>Saturday Family Storytime Kirby @ 11:00 a.m.</b>

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**REGISTER FOR THESE  
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### Teen Pottery Club @ the Idea Lab

Tuesday, May 30 @ 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 13 @ 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 25 @ 3:30 p.m.

Bob Kirby Branch

### Get Crafty: Farm Painting\* (Teen/Adult)

Tuesday, June 6 @ 11:00 a.m.

Smiths Grove Branch

Thursday, June 15 @ 5:30 p.m.

Lisa Rice Library

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Tuesday, July 11 @ 11:00 a.m.

Smiths Grove Branch

Thursday, July 20 @ 5:30 p.m.

Lisa Rice Library

## FROM BEES TO BLOOMS SERIES

### Beekeeping with Warren County Beekeepers

Wednesday, May 31 @ 6:00 p.m.

Lisa Rice Library

### Native Landscaping with SOKY WildOnes

Wednesday, June 14 @ 6:00 p.m.

Lisa Rice Library

### Flower Farming with Lovee & Rose Farm

Wednesday, June 28 @ 6:00 p.m.

Lisa Rice Library

**LISA RICE LIBRARY**

1225 State Street  
270.781.4882 ext. 4

**BOB KIRBY BRANCH**

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270.781.4882 ext. 3

**BUCHANON BRANCH**

9222 Nashville Rd  
270.781.4882 ext. 6

**SMITHS GROVE BRANCH**

115 Second Street  
270.781.4882 ext. 5

**THE CAPITOL**

416 E MAIN AVE  
270.904.6040

**HOTEL INC.**

1005 Boatlanding Rd  
270.781.4882 ext. 601

**SUMMER READING IS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS, TOO! Complete a reading log  
to win a Growing Readers tote bag and enter the GRAND PRIZE drawing!**



### JOIN THE REBELLION: THE RESISTANCE TOUR WITH AUTHOR M HENDRIX

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 @ 6:00 P.M. | THE CAPITOL

Free tickets available at capitolbg.org.



### MASTERING THE SKIES: AN EVENING WITH TOP GUN PILOT CAPTAIN JACOB R. VAUGHAN

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 @ 6:00 P.M. | THE CAPITOL

Free tickets available at capitolbg.org.



### NATASHA NEELY: A TRIBUTE TO DOLLY PARTON

SATURDAY, JUNE 10 @ 2:00 P.M. | THE CAPITOL

Free tickets available at capitolbg.org.



### SUMMER SOLSTICE: A CELEBRATION OF MUSIC AND POETRY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21 @ 7:00 P.M. | THE CAPITOL

Tickets available at capitolbg.org.



### FOOD, CULTURE, AND COMMUNITY: AN EVENING WITH CHEF AND AUTHOR EDWARD LEE

THURSDAY, JUNE 22 @ 6:00 P.M. | THE CAPITOL

Free tickets available at capitolbg.org.



### WORLD CUP CHAMPION AND OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALIST BRIANA SCURRY

SUNDAY, JULY 23 @ 3:00 P.M. | SKYPAC

Free tickets available at capitolbg.org.

## FREE MOVIES AT THE CAPITOL

### The Fifth Element

Thursday, June 8 @ 6:00 p.m.

### Return of the Living Dead

Monday, July 3 @ 6:00 p.m.

### Some Like It Hot

Monday, July 10 @ 2:00 p.m.

### O Brother, Where Art Thou?

Monday, July 17 @ 6:00 p.m.

### Enter the Dragon

Monday, July 24 @ 6:00 p.m.

### The Straight Story

Monday, August 7 @ 6:00 p.m.

### Almost Famous

Monday, August 14 @ 6:00 p.m.

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Warren County Public Schools, Bowling Green Independent Schools, Graves Gilbert Clinic, Beech Bend,  
Fountain Square Players, Tennessee Valley Lego Club, Lost River Cave, Kentucky Division of Forestry, Early  
Childhood Council of Warren County, Southwest Farms, Vertical eXcape, Wright Implement, Flora's Forest  
Friends, Lost River Cave, Chaney's Dairy Barn, and Compost BG