



Summer Reading Kickoff - "Tails and Tales"  
 Animal Bingo on the Village Green  
 Wednesday, June 16 @5:00pm

# Animal Bingo



THIS IS A FAMILY EVENT. BRING A BLANKET AND KICKOFF SUMMER READING WITH A GAME OF ANIMAL BINGO. SPACE IS LIMITED AND REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. REGISTRATION FOR ALL SUMMER PROGRAMS BEGINS AND CHILDREN WILL BE GIVEN A KICKOFF PACKET AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR READSQUARED OUR ONLINE SUMMER READING PROGRAM.

## Summer Reading Program

**Ages 5 & older, Thursday, June 17-Friday, August 6**

We are offering summer reading to all ages: Preschool, K-5, 6-12 and Adults. For the K-5 read for one hour and earn a sticker to put on your "Tales & Tails" log. Read for 2 hours and earn raffle tickets for a chance to win a gift certificate. We will have weekly raffle drawing throughout the summer on Fridays.

Preschoolers will complete activities and color squares on a bookmark. All reading programs are offered through READSQUARED.

To register, visit our website at [bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordfreelibrary.org). You can create an account before the Kickoff but cannot track any books until after the event.

## Baby Bounce and Rhyme on the Village Green

**Ages 4-11 months, Wednesdays, 9:30am**

Session I: July 7,14,21

Session II: July 28 August 4,11

You may sign up for one session only and then join a waiting list for other session. Online registration begins June 1 @10:00am  
 In case of inclement weather program will be on Zoom.  
 Bring a blanket to sit on and all current CDC rules apply.

## Musical Mother Goose on the Village Green

**Ages 12-30 months, Wednesdays, 10:15am**

Session I: July 7,14,21

Session II: July 28 August 4,11

You may sign up for one session only and then join a waiting list for other session. Online registration begins June 1 @10:00am  
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Weekly Storytime  
 on Village Green  
**Ages 3 and up**  
**Thursdays, 11:15am**

**June 3, Counting 1,2,3**  
**June 10, Pout, Pout Fish**  
**June 17, What Daddies do Best**  
**June 24, Hello Summer!**  
**July 1, Stars & Stripes**  
**July 8, At the Beach**  
**July 15, Duck, Duck Goose**  
**July 22, Prince & Princess**  
**June 29 Toot toot, Beep beep**

In case of inclement weather this program will be on Zoom.

Registration is required for all programs unless indicated and all programs are free of charge.

Call 914-234-3570 for information or register online at [bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordfreelibrary.org).

Thanks to Bedford Village Chowder and Marching for their ongoing support of the Bedford Free Library Summer Programs.

# BEDFORD FREE LIBRARY - SUMMER 2021

## Children's Programs

### Family Event

Animal Embassy presents

"A Tale of Two Tails"

Tuesday July 27, 4:00 - 5:00

Location is a local barn

Meet and learn about animals. Limited space. Online registration begins June 17.



### Family Event

"Tails & Trails" co-hosted with Bedford Riding Lanes

Tuesdays, June 22 & August 17 @10:30am

We will meet a member of Bedford Riding Lanes and explore a local trail and stop for storytime. This is an hour long event. Limited space. Online registration begins June 17.

### Ages 3 and older

Stuffed Animal Sleepover on the Village Green

Wednesday, July 14, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Good night storytime on the green, bring your animal and share name and take photos. You will be given a sleepover activity kit to complete at home. Space is limited to 15. Online registration begins June 17.

### Entering Kindergarten in Fall 2021

Countdown to Kindergarten on the Village Green

Monday, August 2 at 4:00pm

Decorate your own "Countdown to Kindergarten" calendar with supplies you pick up at the library. *Special guest reader expected from BCSD.*

### GRADES PRE K-2 GRAB AND GO KITS,

Animal Paw Print :Thursday, July 8

Pick up your supplies and make various animal prints in model magic.



Hungry, Hungry Hippos: Thursday, July 22

Create a Hungry, Hungry Hippo game! All the materials will be supplied for you.



### Tuesday Grab and Go Craft for Preschool ages 3-5

**Funny Farm Animal Flip Book:** Tuesday, July 6

**Paper Plate Dinosaur:** Tuesday, July 13

**Giraffe Family:** Tuesday, July 20

Pick up your supplies at the Library between 10am-6pm and create your own art project at home.

### Grab and Go Kits GRADES 3-5

#### Owl Exploration

Grades 3-5

Thursday, July 15

Pickup between 10am-6pm

Be a nature detective! Find

out more about owls by dissecting their pellets.

You will be given all the

tools and materials for this activity. Online registration is required & begins June 17.



#### Animal Sand Art

Grades 3-5

Thursday, July 29

Pick up between 10am-6pm

Create Safari Sand Art necklaces

pictures. You will be given all the

tools and instructions for this

activity. Online registration is

required.



### Summer Legos on ZOOM with Gus



Grades K-5, all levels welcome

Mondays from 3:15pm-4:00pm,

July 5, 12, 19, 26

Enjoy creating with Gus a Lego enthusiast.

Share your projects and learn tips and tricks

from one another. Space is limited.

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