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**Agawam Public Library Summer Reading Programs**  
*For students entering grade 4 and younger*

Registration starts June 1<sup>st</sup>. Register online at <http://agawamlibrary.org/children/>

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>JUNE 26</b>  First Day of Summer Reading	27	28	29 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Magic with Scott Jameson</u> <i>All ages</i> Registration is required.	30 11:30am–12:30 pm <u>STEAM: Build a Better Garden</u> <i>Ages 3-5</i> Registration is required.
<b>JULY 3</b> 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Storytime</u> <i>Ages 3 and older</i> Registration is required.	4  <u>Library Closed</u>	5	6 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Toddler Time</u> <i>Ages 19-36 months</i> Registration is required.	7 11:00am–12:00 pm <u>Music Together</u> <i>Ages birth – 5 years</i> Registration is required  3:00 pm – 5:00 pm <u>Lego Movie</u> (2014) <i>All Ages</i>
10 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Storytime</u> <i>Ages 3 and older</i> Registration is required.  6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Block Party</u> <i>Grades 1-4</i> Registration is required	11 10:30 am-11:30 am <u>Lapsit Storytime</u> <i>Ages birth-18 months</i> Registration is required.  2:30 pm– 3:30 pm <u>Crochet with Plastic Yarn: Planning for the Whole Family</u> <i>Ages 10 and older</i> Registration is required.	12  <u>Joke Day:</u> Tell a librarian in the Children’s Room a joke for an extra raffle ticket	13 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Toddler Time</u> <i>Ages 19-36 months</i> Registration is required.	14 11:00am–12:00 pm <u>Music Together</u> <i>Ages birth – 5 years</i> Registration is required  3:00 pm – 5:00 pm <u>Moana</u> (2016) <i>All Ages</i>



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# BUILD A BETTER WORLD™

<p><b>17</b> 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Storytime</u> <i>Ages 3 and older</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>(Incr)edible Architecture :</u> <u>Building with Food</u> <i>Grades 3-4</i> Registration is required</p>	<p><b>18</b> 10:30 am-11:30 am <u>Lapsit Storytime</u> <i>Ages birth-18 months</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>2:30 pm– 3:30 pm <u>Crochet with Plastic Yarn:</u> <u>Planning for the Whole Family</u> <i>Ages 10 and older</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>19</b> 2:30 pm-3:30 pm <u>BINGO</u> <i>Grades K-2</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>20</b> 11:00-12:30 p.m. <u>Baby Massage</u> <i>Newborn- prewalking &amp; their caregivers</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>21</b> 11:00am–12:00 pm <u>Music Together</u> <i>Ages birth – 5 years</i> Registration is required</p> <p>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm <u>Patron Pick Movie</u> <i>All Ages</i> <b>Winner: <u>Dr. Seuss’ The Lorax</u> (2012)</b></p>
<p><b>24</b> 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Storytime</u> <i>Ages 3 and older</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>25</b> 10:30 am-11:30 am <u>Lapsit Storytime</u> <i>Ages birth-18 months</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>2:30 pm– 3:30 pm <u>Crochet with Plastic Yarn: Planning for the Whole Family</u> <i>Ages 10 and older</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Mike the Bubble Man</u> <i>All Ages</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>26</b></p>	<p><b>27</b> 10:30am–11:30 am <u>Toddler Time</u> <i>Ages 19-36 months</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>4:30 pm – 5:30 pm <u>Build a Better Reader</u> <i>Grades 3-4</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Hooked on Books</u> <i>Grades 3-4</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>28</b> 11:00am–12:00 pm <u>Music Together</u> <i>Ages birth – 5 years</i> Registration is required</p> <p>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm <u>Lego Batman (2017)</u> <i>All Ages</i></p>
<p><b>31</b></p>	<p><b>AUGUST 1</b> 2:30 pm– 3:30 pm <u>Crochet with Plastic Yarn:</u> <u>Planning for the Whole Family</u> <i>Ages 10 and older</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>2</b> 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Book Buddies</u> <i>Grades K-2</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>3</b> 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm <u>Build a Better Reader</u> <i>Grades 3-4</i> Registration is required.</p> <p>6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <u>Balloon Workshop</u> <i>Ages 6 and older</i> Registration is required.</p>	<p><b>4</b>  <b>Last Day of Summer Reading</b></p>

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## Program Descriptions

*Programs are listed in alphabetical order*

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### Baby Massage      *Newborn-prewalkers & their caregivers*

**Thursday, July 20th      11:00 am - 12:30 p.m.**

This one-time introductory workshop will teach you how to massage, relax, and soothe your newborn to pre-crawling baby. All of the techniques will be demonstrated on a doll and you will practice the strokes on your own baby during the class.

**Registration is required.**

### Balloon Workshop      *Ages 6 and older*

**Thursday, August 3rd      6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Learn the art of Balloon Twisting, easy as Fold, Pinch, and Twist! Students will learn to make a variety of animals to take home such as a dog, mouse, cat, giraffe, parrot, and others.

**Registration is required.**

### BINGO      *Grades K-2*

**Wednesday, July 19th      2:30 pm-3:30 pm**

Join us for a lively, fun-filled game of BINGO. There will be prizes.

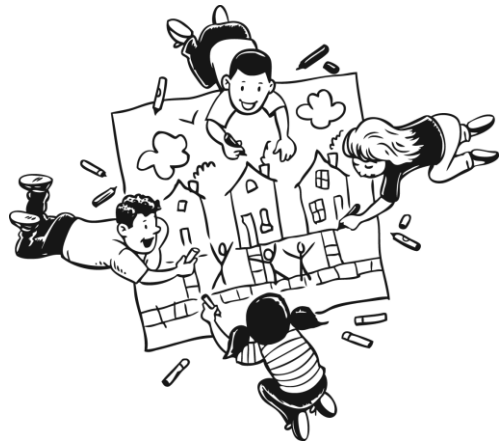
**Registration is required.**

### Block Party      *Grades 1-4*

**Monday, July 10th      6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Build cool things using Lego blocks.

**Registration is required.**



### Book Buddies      *Grades K-2*

**Wednesday, August 2nd 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Join us as we read a book together and do activities based on the book. We will be reading Curious George Builds an Igloo by H. A. Rey

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# BUILD A BETTER WORLD™

## **Build a Better Reader**

*Grades 3-4*

**5 week program.**

**Thursdays, July 27th, August 3rd, 10th, 17th, & 24th**

**4:30 pm – 5:30 pm**

**Please only register if you can attend all 5 classes.**

This program will be run by Olivia & Demi, two student leaders who are completing their Silver Award for Girl Scouts.

Week 1: We will explore different ways to tell a story.

Week 2: We will read a story together and do an activity based on the story.

Week 3: We will learn different fun ways we can Reduce, Reuse & Recycle.

Week 4: We will learn about Reader's Theater and practice a performing a play together.

Week 5: We will perform the play from week 4 for our friends and family.

**Registration is required.**

## **Crochet with Plastic Yarn: Planning for the Whole Family** *Ages 10 and up.*

**Tues. July 11th, 18th, 25th, & August 1st 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm.**

Bring the whole family and build a better world by learning how to crochet mats out of plastic grocery bags. Families are encouraged to bring their own bags. A basic knowledge of crocheting helps but is not required.

**Registration is required**

## **Hooked on Books**

*Grades 3-4*

**Thursday, July 27th 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Join us as we discuss and do activities based on the book **Summer According to Humphrey** by Betty G. Birney. The first 10 people to register get a free copy of the book to keep.

**Registration is required.**

## **(Incr)edible Architecture : Building with Food**

*Grades 3-4*

**Monday, July 17th 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Join us as we learn about engineering and build things using food!

**Registration is required**

## **Lapsit Storytime**

*Ages birth-18 months*

**Tuesdays, July 11th, 18th, & 25th 10:30 am-11:30 am**

There will be songs, movement activities, and a story.

**Registration is required**



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**Lego Batman (2017)** *All Ages*

**Friday, July 28th 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

Come watch the THE LEGO BATMAN MOVIE (2017) on the big screen. Popcorn will be served.

**Drop-in. No registration.**

**The Lego Movie (2014)** *All Ages*

**Friday, July 28th 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

Come watch the THE LEGO MOVIE (2014) on the big screen. Popcorn will be served.

**Drop-in. No registration.**

**Magic with Scott Jameson** *All Ages*

**Thursday, June 29th 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Join magician and juggler Scott Jameson for an extraordinary performance that will have you laughing out loud and perched on the very edge of your seat.

**Registration is required.**

**Mike the Bubble Man** *All Ages*

**Tuesday, July 25th 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Mike the Bubble Man brings magic and science to the stage with this interactive 45-minute indoor show about BUBBLES!

**Registration is required.**

**Moana (2016)** *All Ages*

**Friday, July 14th 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm**

Come watch the MOANA (2016) on the big screen. Popcorn will be served.

**Drop-in. No registration**



**Music Together** *Ages birth – 5 years & their caregivers*

**Fridays, July 7th, 14th, 21st, & 28th 11:00am–12:00 pm**

This is a 45-minute class that include songs, rhythmic rhymes, movement, and instrument play. These activities are presented as informal, non-performance-oriented musical experiences--developmentally appropriate for children and easy for parents and caregivers--regardless of their own musical ability.

***When you register for 1 session you will be registered for 4 weeks***

**Registration is required.**

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## **Patron Pick Movie**     *All Ages*

**Friday, July 21st     3:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

Library patrons get to vote for the movie we will show on Friday July 21st

Cast your vote in the Children's Room through May 20th

Will it be Paddington (2014), Dr. Seuss' The Lorax (2012), or Pete's Dragon (2016)?

**Winner: Dr. Seuss' The Lorax (2012)**

## **STEAM: Build a Better Garden**     *Ages 3-5*

**Friday, June 30th     11:30am–12:30 pm**

Come learn about gardening. There will be activities, a craft, and stories.

**Registration is required.**

## **Storytime**     *Ages 3 and older*

**Mondays, July 3rd, 10th, 17th, & 24th     10:30 am – 11:30 am**

There will be activities, books, and a craft.

**Registration is required.**



## **Toddler Time**     *Ages 19-36 months*

**Thursdays, July 6th, 13th, & 27th     10:30 am- 11:30 am**

There will be songs, movement activities, and books.

**Registration is required.**

## **Going to programs is only half the fun of Summer Reading.**

Don't forget to sign up to receive a Reading Log.

With the Reading Log you can keep track of the time that you spend reading and earn prizes.

Sign up for a Reading Log at <http://agawamlibrary.org/children/>.

Then come to the Children's Room to pick up your Reading Log.



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