Summer Reading Stats Skyrocketing!

At the halfway point of summer, NWCPL's Summer Reading Program statistics are smashing records! As of publication, our registration numbers are: 66 baby/toddlers, 265 children, 93 teens, and 126 adults.

We are also well on our way towards reaching our 600,000 minute reading goal! If we reach our goal, someone will get a pie in the face! Will it be Jill, Sherrie, or Anna?

Make sure to mark your calendars for our Reader Celebration Day on Wednesday, July 17! From 11 am - 3 pm there will be a petting zoo, glitter tattoos, a bounce house, homemade ice cream, popcorn, hot dogs and visits from Belle and Spiderman!

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to the sponsors of our library's summer reading program. Your support has been instrumental in fostering literacy, providing engaging reading materials, and creating a positive impact on the lives of our community members. Thank you for your generosity and commitment to promoting the joy of reading!

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Looking for a good book? Look no further! Here are some of the most popular travel and adventure reads. Need more recommendations? Ask a librarian for other suggestions!

- Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer
- A Walk in the Woods by Bill Bryson
- Wild by Cheryl Strayed
- Eat Pray Love by Elizabeth Gilbert
- The Lost City of Z by David Grann
- Travels with Charley by John Steinbeck
- Touching the Void by Joe Simpson

**Sound Bowls**

**July 8 at 5:30 pm**

Experience a tranquil session with sound bowls to release stress and tension. Sound bath meditation utilizes soothing sounds for relaxation, healing, and mindfulness.

**Coffee with Friends**

**July 24 at 2:30 pm**

Local craftsman Jerry Neibert will be sharing his journey to creating the model boats displayed around the library. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

**Invasive Species**

**July 25 at 1:30 pm**

Learn about invasive species in the area, how to identify them and take effective actions.

**Dixie Day Book Sale**

**July 27**

10 am - 2 pm