

The Sikeston Public Library



Summer Reading at the Sikeston Library

Summer Reading is back and going under the sea for this year's theme- Ocean of Possibilities

As usual, we kick off with three weeks of special presenters, followed by five weeks of programs organized by age group. The Summer Reading Program is designed to keep kids excited about reading and learning during the summer months through fun activities, reading challenges, and STEM projects.

Schedule of events will be as follows:

Mon Jun 6

10am & 1pm- **Be a Bookaneer**

Mon June 13

10am & 1pm- **Amazing Oceans**

Mon June 20

10am & 1pm- **Roads of the Sea**

Public programs:

Mondays June 27- July 24	Tuesdays June 28- July 19	Wednesdays June 8- July 20	Wednesdays June 29- July 27
K-5th Grade	3rd -5th Grade	Pre-school	Teen (6th grade +)
1pm	1pm	10am	1:30pm

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New at the Library

West Side Love Story by Priscilla Oliveras- Having grown up in the nurturing household of Casa Capuleta, Mariana will do anything for familia. To solve her adoptive parents' financial problems Mariana and her sisters are determined to win the Battle of the Mariachi Bands. That means competing against Hugo Montero, their father's archnemesis, and escalating a decades-old feud. It also raises the stakes of Mariana's forbidden attraction for a certain dark-eyed mariachi who sets her heart racing.

The Invisible Things by Mat Johnson- When sociologist Nalini Jackson joins the SS Delany for the first manned mission to Jupiter, all she wants is a career opportunity. But what she discovers is an entire city encased in a bubble on Europa. Nalini and the rest of the crew soon find themselves abducted and joining its captive population, forced to start new lives in a place called New Roanoke. It's covered by an enormous dome, it's populated by alien abductees, and it happens to be terrorized by an invisible entity so disturbing that no one even dares acknowledge its existence.

The Facemaker by Lindsey Fitzharris- Harold Gillies, a Cambridge-educated New Zealander, became interested in the nascent field of plastic surgery after encountering the human wreckage on the front of WW I. He established one of the world's first hospitals dedicated entirely to facial reconstruction. There, Gillies assembled a unique group of doctors, nurses and artists whose task was to recreate what had been torn apart.

Coming Soon

Upgrade by Blake Crouch- At first, Logan Ramsay isn't sure if anything's different. He just feels a little . . . sharper. Better able to concentrate. Better at multitasking. Reading a bit faster, memorizing better, needing less sleep. But before long, he can't deny it: Something's happening to his brain. To his body. Because of his new abilities, Logan's the one person in the world capable of stopping what's been set in motion. But to have a chance at winning this war, he'll have to become something other than himself. Maybe even something other than human.

The Daughter of Doctor Moreau by Silvia Moreno-Garcia- Carlota Moreau: the only daughter of either a genius, or a madman. Montgomery Laughton: An outcast who assists Dr. Moreau with his scientific experiments. The hybrids: the fruits of the Doctor's labor, destined to blindly obey their creator and remain in the shadows. All of them living in a perfectly balanced and static world, which is jolted by the abrupt arrival of Eduardo Lizalde, the charming and careless son of Doctor Moreau's patron, who will unwittingly begin a dangerous chain reaction.

Any Other Family by Eleanor Brown- They look just like any other family. But they aren't a family like any other – not quite. Instead, they are three sets of parents who adopted four biological siblings, committing to keeping the children connected after the death of their grandmother.

Book Club

Tuesday,
June 21, 6 pm



Library Hours

Monday-Thursday
10am-8pm
Friday
10am-6pm
Saturday
10am-4pm

OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES

STEAM Room

Open July 5 for hands-on learning



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