

THE LIBRARY LEDGER

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OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES

SUMMER READING 2022

MAY 23-JULY 23

Get ready to dive into our annual Summer Reading Program, *Oceans of Possibilities*. Everyone can make a splash and enjoy all the library has to offer this summer.

KICK-OFF EVENT

Monday, May 23—10am-6pm

Come to the library on May 23, sign-up for Summer Reading and pick up your packet of materials. There will be snacks and activities for everyone. Summer Reading is open to all ages.

There will be Passport Tables for the children that include activities like beading, a treasure chest, decoding and more. Complete your Passport and get a prize.



The Collaborative Summer Library Program (CSLP) began in 1987 when ten Minnesota regional library systems developed a summer library program for children. State libraries and systems continue to join and CSLP continues to evolve, but its guiding principle remains the same, librarians sharing ideas, expertise and costs to produce a high-quality summer reading program for children.

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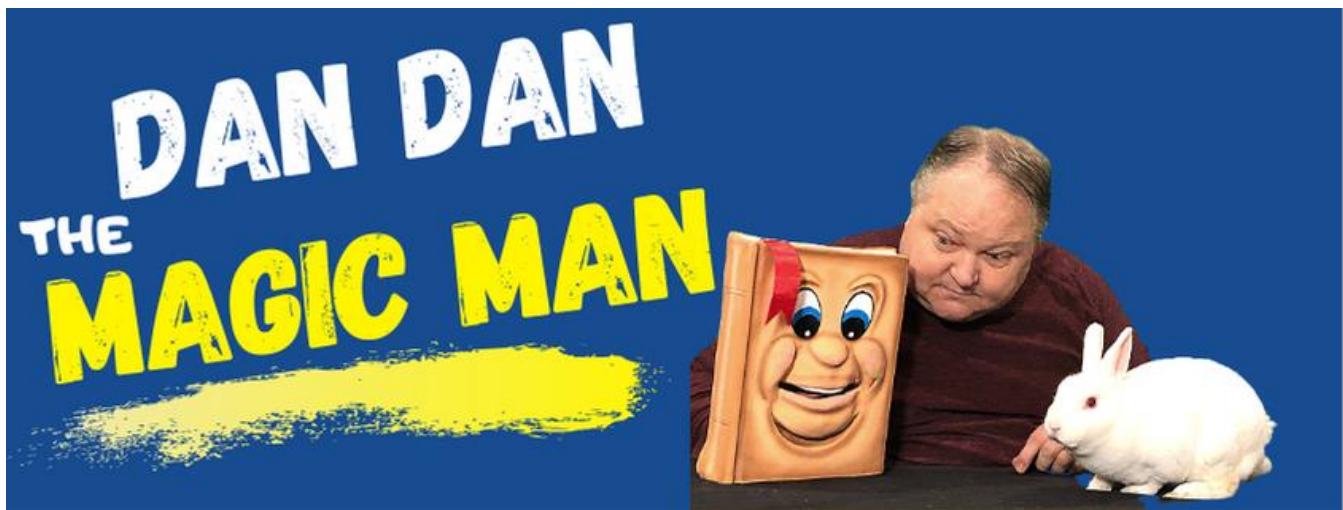
M & W: 9:30am-6:00pm
T & TH: 9:30am - 8:30pm
F: 9:30am-5:00pm
S: 9:30am-4:00pm
Sun: Closed

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“OCEAN’S OF MAGICAL OPPORTUNITIES”

Tuesday, July 19—10:30am

Dan began performing when he was just seven years old with a discarded magic set from his older brother. He soon discovered the joy of entertaining and using magic to teach and create stories.

As teachers, Dan and his wife Kim were looking for a way to share these stories with their kids, and so the [Dan Dan the Magic Man](#) summer reading programs were born. In 2004, they began with just 3 area libraries. Now, they load up the kids and travel to up to 35 libraries a year spreading the love of reading with magic. Have rabbit! Will travel!

This program is sponsored by Cowley College Workforce & Community Education. Thank you!



JUNE: NATIONAL OCEAN MONTH

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) is promoting Ocean Literacy during June. If you want to learn more about the wonders of the ocean, check out their [website](#).

Ocean Literacy Principle #1: Earth has one big ocean with many features. If you could watch planet Earth rotate from space, there’d be a time each day where nearly all you could see beneath the clouds would be blue ocean water. After all, approximately 70% of the surface of our planet is covered by the ocean. We are all connected to ONE ocean, ONE climate, ONE future — together.



(Kaleigh Ballantine, Oregon State University for NOAA Education).



SUMMER PROGRAMS & EVENTS

CHILDREN

May 23-July 23, 2022

Mondays — Visit the Library for a **Weekly Activity Challenge**

Tuesdays — **Stay and Play** from 10:30-11:30

Wednesdays — **Raising Readers Storytime & Craft** at 10:30am

Thursdays — **Special Programs** at 3pm

Fridays — **Draw, Color and Paint Fun** from 2-3pm

Dan Dan the Magic Man Show—Tuesday, July 19 at 10:30 am. “Oceans of Magical Opportunities”

Pokémon Trading Card Club—3rd Saturday from noon-4pm. Join other Pokemon fans to trade cards and play games.

Check out the [website](#) for more info.

Sign up at Library for the “Birthday Club” and receive a post card and redeem for a prize at the library on your special day!



TWEEN/TEEN/YA

May 23-July 23, 2022

Tuesdays — **Special Programs** at 3pm (ages 13-18)

Teen After Hours (ages 13-18)—Friday, June 10, 24 and July 22 at 7pm. Come to the library and stay after hours where we will hang out and choose activities for the night.

Pokémon Trading Card Club—3rd Saturday from noon-4pm. Join other Pokemon fans to trade cards and play games.

YA Book Club—June 26, July 28 at 6pm. This is an open group and welcomes new members.

Check the [library website](#) for more information!



SUMMER PROGRAMS & EVENTS (cont.)

ALL AGES

Breakout Box —Tuesday, May 24, 3-7pm. Decode the clues and open the box.

Our Blue Planet Trivia—Tuesday, June 2, 3-4pm

Kansas Wheat Festival—Wednesday evening, July 6 Booth at Picnic in the Park

Bookmark Contest—Entry deadline Thursday, July 7 at 10:30am. Voting begins at noon.

Edible Book Contest—Entry deadline Thursday, July 7 at 10:30am. Voting begins at noon.

ADULTS

PROGRAMS

The Bookies Book Club—meets monthly on the 3rd Tuesday at 5:30pm. The Bookies will be reading *The Island of Sea Women* by Lisa See for our June meeting.

\$Tree Hacks—3rd Monday of each month at 5:00 pm. Join library staff as they present a craft or helpful hack using primarily \$tree materials each month. This is a no charge workshop with all materials provided.

Cricut Projects—Wednesday, June 1 from 6-8 pm.

Tech Tuesdays — Tuesday evenings between 6:00 - 8:30pm. Jarrod Kline has been on staff at the library for over 5 years. He is ready to assist you with your technology questions by phone or in person.

RECEIVE WPL NEWS IN YOUR INBOX!



Save a tree! Sign up to receive *The Library Ledger* by email! Send your request to: mkern@wellingtonpubliclibrary.org or notify a library staff member.

SUMMER CONTESTS!

6TH ANNUAL EDIBLE BOOK CONTEST

Cook, bake or arrange some kind of food that makes you think of a book: either because it looks like the book cover, represents the title, or makes a literary joke or pun. Judging is based on originality, unusual use of food, humor and creativity.

- Open to all ages, families and groups.
- \$5 entry fee payable to the Wellington Public Library.
- Drop off entries at the Library on Thursday, July 7 between 9:30-10:30am.
- Voting begins at noon and will end at 8:00pm on July 7.
- Winners will be announced on Friday, July 8 at 10 am and prizes awarded. You need not be present to win.



ENTRY FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY & THE WELLINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

DESIGN A BOOKMARK FOR THE LIBRARY!

Design a bookmark for the Wellington Public Library during the Kansas Wheat Festival. Entries from all ages are encouraged.



BOOKMARK TEMPLATES AND ENTRY FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY. ENTRY DEADLINE IS 10:30AM ON THURSDAY, JULY 7.

Public voting will begin at noon and conclude at 8:00pm on July 7.

Winners will be announced on Friday, July 8. Winners will receive a prize and their bookmark will become available for patrons to actually use. All participants will get their original design back and the option to have it laminated for personal use.

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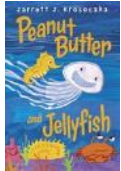
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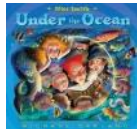
CHILDREN



Ocean! Our watery world as you've never seen it before, by Smithsonian



Peanut Butter and Jellyfish, by Jarrett Krosoczka



Miss Smith Under the Ocean, by Michael Garland

JUVENILE



Jack and the Geniuses: in the deep blue sea, by Bill Nye & Gregory Mone



Secrets at Sea, by Richard Peck



Everything awesome about sharks and other underwater creatures, by Mike Lowery

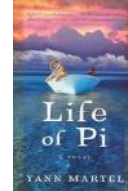
YOUNG ADULT



Passenger, by Alexandra Bracken

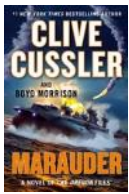


Escaping from Houdini, by Kerri Maniscalco



Life of Pi, by Yann Martel

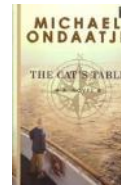
ADULT FICTION & LARGE-PRINT



Marauder, by Clive Cussler



The Plover, by Brian Doyle



The Cat's Table, a romance by Michael Ondaatje



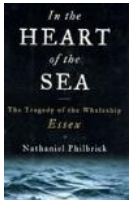
Child of a Hidden Sea, by A.M. Dellamonica



Moby-Dick, by Herman Melville



All by myself, alone, by Mary Higgins Clark



In the Heart of the Sea, by Nat Philbrick

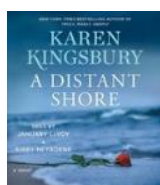


Black Wave, by John Silverwood

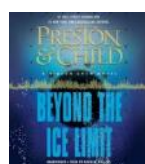


1912 Facts about Titanic, by Lee William Merideth

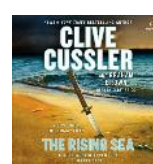
AUDIO BOOKS



A Distant Shore, by Karen Kingsbury



Beyond the Ice Limit, by Douglas Preston



The Rising Sea, by Clive Cussler