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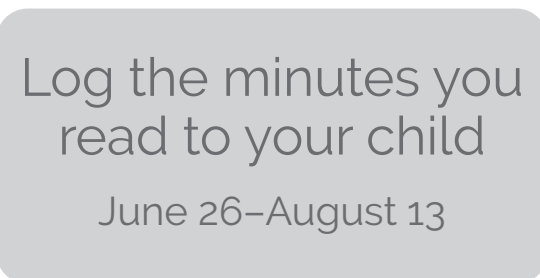
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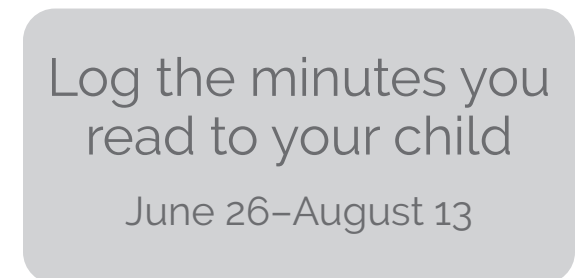
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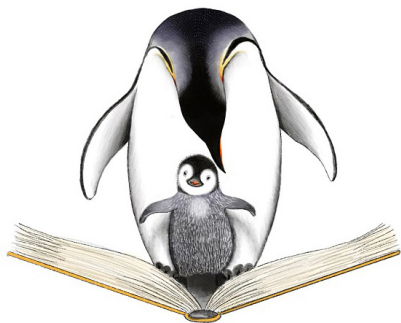
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### LAPSIT STORY TIME

Birth–18 months | Thursdays at 10:30 am

### TODDLER STORY TIME

18 months–2 years | Mondays at 10:30 am

### PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

3–5 years | Tuesdays at 10:30 am

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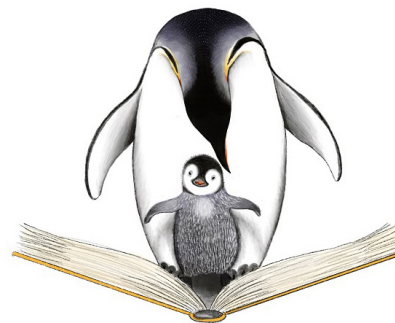
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June 26–August 13

## HOW DOES IT WORK?

Register to receive a necklace or keychain, and then log reading to earn beads to add to your necklace. The more minutes you read, the fancier beads you'll earn—like shark beads or glow-in-the-dark beads! Reading will also earn you virtual raffle tickets for an end-of-summer gift-card raffle.

At **nashualibrary.beanstack.org** you will see activities, such as visiting the Kids' MakerSpace, and reading a book set under the ocean. These activities earn you bonus raffle tickets!

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You can also keep up with recent books we recommend by subscribing to our NextReads newsletters. Go to **tinyurl.com/nplnext**.

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## Join our Kid Summer Reading Program:

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Kid Summer Reading



Kindergarten–Grade 5



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## Story Times

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### STEAM STORY TIME

Ages 5–7 | Saturdays at 10:30 am

6/18: Summer S'mores

7/16: Boat Building: Prevent the Shipwreck!

8/20: Screen-Free Coding

### NASHUA GOES BACK TO SCHOOL

Come meet your principal and get free school supplies. Visit [tinyurl.com/nplchild](https://tinyurl.com/nplchild) after August 1 for date and details.

## Kids' Summer 2022 Reading Events

### 4-H BABYSITTING COURSE \*

**Grades 5–8:** Learn the basics of babysitting! Find out how to handle tricky situations and develop the skills you need to keep kids safe—and have fun! You must attend all four sessions of this program to become certified.

Saturdays at 11:30 am, Theater | 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

### SHAPING WATERSHEDS \*

**Grades 3–5:** Nature and science lovers: Come learn how water flows and picks up pollutants and how it's affected by the way we live. Xploration returns to the library, bringing an augmented-reality sandbox and a 3-D surface-water-pollution table for kids to try out at this hands-on program.

Thursday, June 30, 2 pm, Activity Room

### OCEAN-ANIMAL YOGA \*

**Grades 4–6:** Learn a variety of poses, including some named after ocean animals.

Wednesday, July 6, 2 pm, Theater

### LINDSAY & HER PUPPET PALS

**All ages:** Lindsay brings her larger-than-life Puppet Pals for a show filled with silliness, audience engagement, and memorable characters. This series of charming short stories will delight the young—and the young at heart!

Thursday, July 7, 2 pm, Library Plaza

### FAMILY FIELD DAY

**All ages:** Play Giant Jenga, try your hand at Giant Connect Four, splash in sprinkler toys, and enjoy classic field day games!

Thursday, July 14 at 2 pm, Library Plaza

### COMICS WORKSHOP \*

**Grades 4–6:** Learn about the art form of comics and start working on your own! Facilitated by illustrator and Kids Con New England founder Emily Drouin.

Wednesday, July 20, 2 pm, Activity Room

### UNDERWATER ART IN A JAR

**Grades K–2:** Build your own miniature underwater scene. We'll talk about the ocean zones where our art takes place and cool facts about the deep sea!

Thursday, July 21, 2 pm, Library Plaza

### LIGHTS AND LASERS \*

**Grades 3–5:** Learn about lights and lasers through hands-on challenges; then enjoy an exciting laser show. Presented by Xploration.

Thursday, July 28, 2 pm, Theater

### MOANA SING-ALONG

Animated | 1 hr. 47 mins. | Rated PG

In Ancient Polynesia, when Moana's island is cursed by the Demigod Maui, she seeks him out to set things right. Watch it on our big screen and sing along to your favorite songs!

Thursday, August 4 at 2 pm, Theater

### CUPCAKE DECORATING \*

**Grades 4–6:** Compete in a series of ocean-themed cupcake decorating challenges, judged by a local baked goods expert. The best part? Enjoying your delicious cupcakes at the end!

Wednesday, August 10, 2 pm, Activity Room

### ULTIMATE OCEAN SHOWDOWN

**K–2:** Fun event based on the series *Who Would Win*.

Thursday, August 11, 2 pm, Library Plaza

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Grades 6–12

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At [nashualibrary.beanstack.org](http://nashualibrary.beanstack.org) you will also see activities, like participating in a drop-in program in the Teen Room or writing a poem with an aquatic theme. Complete an activity to win bonus raffle tickets.

## WHAT CAN I READ?

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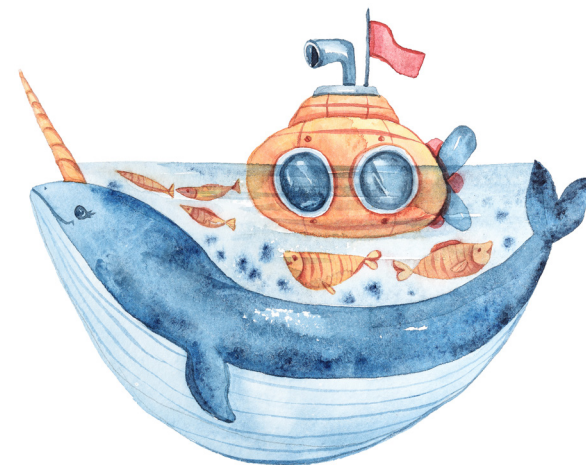
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# Teen Summer 2022 Reading Events

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**Saturdays at 11:30 am, Theater | Grades 5–8**  
6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

## SEWN NARWHAL STUFFIE

Who doesn't love a narwhal? Practice your hand-sewing skills as you create your very own squishy "unicorn of the sea" stuffie!

**Tuesday, June 28, 2 pm, Activity Room**



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## STOP MOTION ANIMATION

Drop by the Teen Room and create a stop-frame animation video using our stop-motion cameras and other tools in our MakerSpace.

**Tuesday, July 5, 11 am–8 pm, Teen Room**

## PAPER QUILLING: OCEAN WAVES

Create a beautifully intricate ocean scene using centuries-old paper-coiling and shaping techniques.

**Tuesday, July 12, 2 pm, Activity Room**

## OCEAN TRIVIA

Brian from Marine Mammal Rescue/Seacoast Science Center will host ocean-themed trivia! This program is geared towards teens and adults. Gather your team and meet us out on the plaza.

**Tuesday, July 12, 7 pm, Library Plaza**

## INTERACTIVE GOONIES

1 hr. 54 mins. | Rated PG

We'll provide a script, props, and snacks so you can become part of the movie!

**Thursday, July 14, 2 pm, Theater**

## DEEP-SEA GLOW PARTY

Bring your friends for black lights, glow sticks, music, and a glow-in-the-dark jellyfish canvas painting.

**Tuesday, July 19, 6 pm, Theater**

## ART GALLERY EXPLORATIONS: SPRAY PAINT

Come explore Ryan Foss's paintings in the Art Gallery, then go outside, experiment with spray paint, and create your own art. Ryan will join us for this event. Register at [tinyurl.com/nplteen](https://tinyurl.com/nplteen).

**Monday, July 25, 4 pm, Library Plaza**

## LU OVER THE WALL

1 hr. 52 mins. | Rated PG

Come watch the anime movie, eat snacks, and make your own bubble tea!

**Tuesday, July 26, 2 pm, Theater**

## TEEN ESCAPE ROOM: THE SUBMARINE

Do you have what it takes to find clues, decipher codes, and solve puzzles before time runs out? Come try this live escape room!

**Monday and Tuesday, August 1 and 2**  
12 noon, Medium Meeting Room

## OUTDOOR GAMES AND ICE CREAM PARTY

Grab some friends and celebrate the end of summer reading with ice cream and lawn games.

**Tuesday, August 9, 2 pm, Library Plaza**

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Adult  
Summer  
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Ages 18 +

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Read to your kids! Read to your pets! When you read to your children, you can log the minutes on both your and their accounts.

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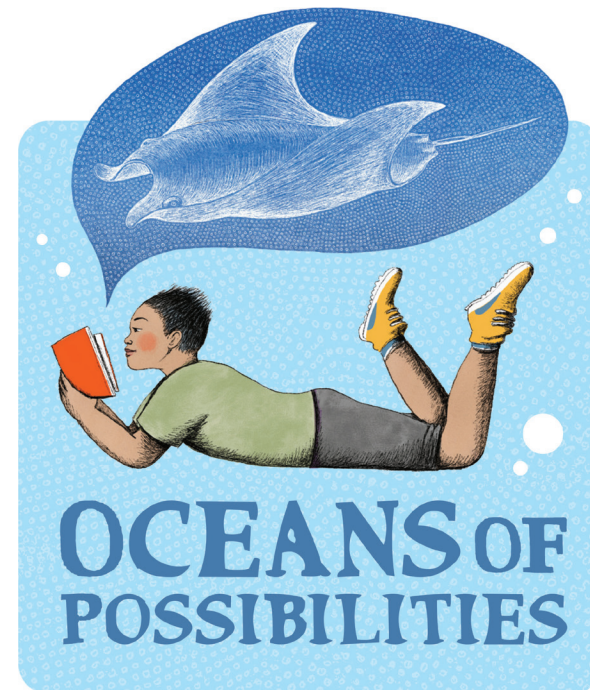
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## NEED BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS?

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The best way to keep yourself informed about library events is by subscribing to our email newsletter, *This Week @ Your Library*.

Go to [tinyurl.com/nplenewsletter](https://tinyurl.com/nplenewsletter) or text "NPL" to 22828.

# Adult Summer 2022 Reading Events

## DOWNTOWN BOOK GROUP

This daytime book group, run by a reference librarian, is open to all. Meetings are hybrids—attend in person or register for the Zoom at [tinyurl.com/npldiscussion](https://tinyurl.com/npldiscussion).

**Tuesdays, 3 pm**  
**Large Meeting Room or Virtual**

- 6/21: *Peaces* by Helen Oyeyemi
- 7/19: *Good Neighbors* by Sarah Langan
- 8/16: *Failure is an Option: An Attempted Memoir* by H. Jon Benjamin

## CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE BOOK KIND

Join our new speculative-fiction book group! In keeping with our theme, Oceans of Possibilities, we'll discuss *The House in the Cerulean Sea* by T. J. Klune. Register at [tinyurl.com/npldiscussion](https://tinyurl.com/npldiscussion) to get an invitation to the Zoom event.

**Tuesday, June 28**  
**7 pm, Virtual**

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**Tuesday, July 12**  
**7 pm, Library Plaza**

## FAR, FAR AWAY FISHING

Capt. Skip Montello has cast a line to some of the world's most amazing gamefish—join us for his slideshow.

His presentation will take us to Pyramid Lake, Nevada in search of Lahontan cutthroat trout; to the Tsiu River, Alaska for silver salmon; and to Jurassic Lake, in a remote corner of the Argentinean Patagonia, for rainbow trout. Registration required; go to [tinyurl.com/lectures](https://tinyurl.com/lectures).

**Tuesday, July 19**  
**7 pm, Large Meeting Room**

## ADULT SUMMER MOVIE: JAWS

Drama | Rated PG | 2 hrs. 4 mins.

*(If this film were released today, it would be rated PG-13)*

The classic! When a killer shark unleashes chaos on a beach community off Long Island, it's up to a local sheriff, a marine biologist, and an old seafarer to hunt the beast down.

**Tuesday, July 26**  
**7 pm, Theater**

