

# Summer 2016 @ the GFJ Library!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>June</b>				<b>July</b>
<b>27</b> 5-7 pm → Summer Reading Kickoff Party	<b>28</b> 	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>4</b>  Independence Day Library Closed	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 7 pm → Take a Tromp Through the Swamp with Musician Tom Seiling	<b>7</b> 6 pm → Kid's Street Art* 6 pm → Minecraft & iPad Games	<b>8</b>
<b>11</b> 1:30 & 3 pm → Hearty Fun (GS)* 6 pm → Happy Hula Hoops (MM)**	<b>12</b> 10 am → Little Listeners* 3:30 pm → Get in the Game: Teen Book Discussion Group*	<b>13</b> 10 am → Great Beginnings* 12:45 pm → Muggle Quidditch Game* 1:30 & 3 pm → Way Back (CH)* 7 pm → Animal Adventure	<b>14</b> 10 am → Highland Park Story Time 5 pm → Teen Book & a Movie: Mockingjay Part 2	<b>15</b> 1 pm → Goosebumps (FM)
<b>18</b> 1:30 & 3 pm → Balancing Acts (GS)* 6 pm → Board & Table Games (MM)**	<b>19</b> 10 am → Little Listeners* 3:30 pm → Get in the Game* 6 pm → Teen Street Art*	<b>20</b> 10 am → Great Beginnings* 1:30 & 3 pm → What's New (CH)* 7 pm → GFJ Dance Party	<b>21</b> 10 am → Highland Park Story Time 5 pm → Clue Party	<b>22</b> 
<b>25</b> 1:30 & 3 pm → Skeletons and Balloons (GS)* 6 pm → Jazzy Jump Ropes (MM)**	<b>26</b> 10 am → Little Listeners* 3:30 pm → Get in the Game*	<b>27</b> 10 am → Great Beginnings* 1:30 & 3 pm → Book Games (CH)* 7 pm → A Visit with Laura Ingalls Wilder	<b>28</b> 10 am → Highland Park Story Time 6 pm → Paper Football Tournament & Game Night	<b>29</b> 1 pm → Inside Out (FM)
<b>August</b>				
<b>1</b> 1:30 & 3 pm → Winter in August (GS)* 6 pm → Exercise Extras (MM)**	<b>2</b> 10 am → Little Listeners* 3:30 pm → Get in the Game* 	<b>3</b> 10 am → Great Beginnings* 1:30 & 3 pm → Screen Scene (CH)* 7 pm → Life-Sized Board Game	<b>4</b> 10 am → Highland Park Story Time 5 pm → Teen Book and a Movie: Fifth Wave	<b>5</b> 6 pm → Teen Mystery Night*
<b>8</b> 1:30 & 3 pm → Winter and Hope (GS)* 6 pm → Rad Recyclables (MM)**	<b>9</b> 10 am → Little Listeners* 3:30 pm → Get in the Game* 6 pm → Dinner & a Book*	<b>10</b> 10 am → Great Beginnings* 1:30 & 3 pm → Take a Trip (CH)* 7 pm → Chalk Extravaganza	<b>11</b> 10 am → Highland Park Story Time 6 pm → Teen Trivia Night	<b>12</b> 1 pm → Alice in Wonderland (FM)

Register from home with our new online registration!!!



Visit the Kid Zone at [www.gfjlibrary.org](http://www.gfjlibrary.org) and click on any program on the calendar to register. A valid Four County Library card number is required.

**Program registration begins on Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 am.**

### Calendar Key

- \* Registration is required.
- \*\* Registration is not required but is encouraged.

- CH → Champs (entering grades 4-6)
- FM → Family Movie Afternoons
- GS → Good Sports (entering grades 1-3)
- MM → Maker Mondays for families

Adult Programs are gray.  
 Elementary-Age are green.  
 Family Programs are orange.  
 Story Times are blue.  
 Teen Programs are red.

# George F. Johnson Memorial Library

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All programs are free of charge. For more detailed information, please call or check our website. Try our new online registration!

## Programs for Children & Families

**ON YOUR MARK,  
GET SET...  
READ!**

**Summer Reading Club** ♦ Kids can win prizes for reading books! Set a reading goal for the summer and then work on reaching it. Registration begins on Thursday, June 23. Final prizes will be awarded August 10-31 and include two chances to win one of our fabulous prize bags!

**Summer Reading Kick-off Party** ♦ Monday, June 27 from 5-7 pm ♦ Join us on the library lawn (or inside if it rains) for our annual summer reading kick-off party. Enjoy games, crafts, music, and lots of family fun! *No registration required.*

**Wednesday Performances** ♦ Wednesdays @ 7:00 pm (7/6-8/10) ♦ Fun family entertainment @ GFJ! Programs will be held rain or shine. Check out the calendar or our website for this year's new and improved lineup! *No registration required.*

**Maker Mondays** ♦ Mondays @ 6:00 pm (7/11-8/8) ♦ Bring the whole family to the library for a variety of fun, "make and take" activities! *No registration is required but registering in advance guarantees that you will have the supplies needed to create the project. Drop-ins are welcome, but not guaranteed supplies.*

**Family Movie Afternoons** ♦ Friday 7/15, 7/29 & 8/12 @ 1:00 pm ♦ Enjoy movies at the library! Children must be **ages 5 and older** and must be accompanied by an adult. Check the calendar for movie titles. *No registration required.*

**Kid's Street Art** ♦ Tuesday, July 7 from 6-7:30 pm for children ages 7-11 ♦ Join Eric Maruscak to learn about chalk art and create your own amazing pictures on the sidewalk! *Advance registration required.*

**Elementary Programs** ♦ Programs will include books, technology, games, crafts, and more! *Advance registration for one or all weeks is required.* Please see the calendar or our website for more information on the weekly program themes.

- The Good Sports ♦ Mondays @ 1:30 & 3 pm (7/11-8/8) for children entering grades 1-3
- The Champs ♦ Wednesdays @ 1:30 & 3 pm (7/13-8/10) for children entering grades 4-6

**Story Times** ♦ These story times will include books, music, early literacy activities, and more! *Advance registration is required for the two story times being held at the library. No registration is required for the Highland Park Story Time.*

Little Listeners ♦ Tuesdays @ 10 am (7/12-8/9) for children ages birth to 2 ½  
Great Beginnings ♦ Wednesdays @ 10 am (7/13-8/10) for children ages 2 ½ to 5  
Highland Park ♦ Thursdays @ 10 am (7/14-8/11) for children ages 2-5 **Shelter 1**

## Programs for Teens

All teen programs are for children entering grades 7-12.

**GET IN THE GAME  
READ**

**Teen Summer Reading Club** ♦ Get in the game and read great books this summer! Read a book, fill out a passport review sheet, and enter to win a prize each week. Three winners will be chosen each week through August 8. Get a free book for each summer program you attend!

**Get in the Game with Great Books - Teen Book Discussion Group** ♦ Tuesdays from 3:30-4:30 pm (7/12-8/9) ♦ Participants will read one free book each week and discuss it. *Advance registration and good attendance are required.*

**Teen Muggle Quidditch Game** ♦ Wednesday, July 13 from 12:45-3 pm ♦ Everyone's favorite game from the Harry Potter series is coming to the GFJ Library. Try to catch the snitch! *Advance registration is required.*

**Teen Street Art with Eric** ♦ Tuesday, July 19 from 6-7:30 pm ♦ Create some great chalk art with cartoonist & illustrator Eric Maruscak! Bring a picture you'd like to draw. *Advance registration is required.*

**12<sup>th</sup> Annual Teen Mystery Night** ♦ Friday, August 5 from 6-8 pm ♦ Another murder, another chance to discover who, what and how to win a prize! Enjoy treats and check out the library "after hours." *Registration is required.*

**Teen Fun Nights** ♦ Thursdays beginning at 5 or 6 until 8 pm (7/7-8/11) ♦ Minecraft, games, Clue, movies, and fun! Check the calendar or our website for specific information on the weekly activities. *No registration is required.*

## Programs for Adults

**EXERCISE  
your mind.  
READ!**

**Summer Reading Club** ♦ June 23-August 8 ♦ Read 5 books, fill out a reading log, and drop it in the box near the Adult Information Desk. You'll be entered to win one of four gift baskets worth \$50 each with each reading log!

**Dinner and a Book** ♦ Tuesday, August 9 from 6-8 pm ♦ Join us for a pizza dinner and a leisurely discussion of your favorite summer reads. Get great book recommendations! *Advance registration is required.*

*These programs are made possible by the Friends of the GFJ Library, the BOOKS Program, and with public funds from the Chenango Arts Council's Decentralization Program, a re-grant program of the NYS Council on the Arts, with support from Governor Cuomo and the NYS Legislature.*