

# Summer Fun at



## ELLSWORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER CHALLENGE FOR ALL AGES!

**GET A BOOK! GIVE A BOOK!**

**Starting June 29!  
New online summer  
challenges powered  
by:**



To access all the fun:

- log on to our Summer Challenge program at [ellsworthlibrary.beanstack.org](http://ellsworthlibrary.beanstack.org) **OR**
- download the Beanstack Tracker app from your mobile device **OR**
- call us at 715-273-3209 for information about other ways to join the fun

### **JUNE 29 - AUGUST 17** (registration begins online June 29th)

Ages 0-4 Log reading by number of books. Earn a reading badge for every 10 books read. Each earned reading badge rewards you with a grab bag gift. Earn 7 badges to get a book, give a book reward. Each earned activity badge and any reading badge beyond badge 7, earns you an entry to win a Summer Gift Basket.

Ages 5-11 Log reading by number of minutes. Earn a reading badge for every hour of reading. Each earned reading badge rewards you with a grab bag gift. Earn 7 reading badges to get a book, give a book. Also, each earned activity badge and any reading badge beyond 7 hours, earns you an entry to win a Summer Gift Basket.

Ages 12-18 Log reading by number of minutes. Earn a reading badge for every hour of reading. Each earned reading badge rewards you with an entry to win a gift card from local businesses. Earn 7 reading badges to get a book, give a book. Also, each earned activity badge and any reading badge beyond 7 hours, earns you additional entries into the gift card drawings.

Ages 19+ Log reading by number of minutes. Earn a reading badge for every hour of reading. Each earned reading badge rewards you with an entry to win a gift card from local businesses. Also, each earned activity badge and any reading badge beyond 7 hours, earns you additional entries into the gift card drawings.

**EARN A GRAB  
BAG GIFT!**

**EACH EARNED  
BOOK FOR YOU,  
EARNS A BOOK  
DONATION TO A  
LOCAL  
ORGANIZATION!**

**ENTER DRAWINGS  
FOR GIFT BASKETS  
AND GIFT CARDS!**

**HAVE FUN READING  
AND COMPLETING  
ACTIVITIES!**

**TRACK YOUR  
BADGES AND LOG  
YOUR READING!**

# Summer Programs & Events

## YOUTH & FAMILY



(ages are recommendations)

**FACEBOOK LIVE STORYTIMES** (ages 0-10) Thursdays at 1 and Fridays at 10  
Watch live on Facebook (don't need an account) or view on our YouTube channel.

**READ TO A HEDGEHOG** (ages 5-12) Ms. Caroline has a hedgehog named Fernie who loves stories. Will you read to him? Registration required from a link on our website or call the library.

**LEGO/BUILDING CHALLENGE** (ages 5+) Find a new challenge every other Tuesday on our YouTube Channel or access through Facebook or our website. Share your creations if you wish on Facebook or Flipgrid.

**SCAVENGER CRAFTERNOONS** (ages 5+) Learn a new craft every other Tuesday on our YouTube channel or access through Facebook or our website. Share your creations if you wish on Facebook or Flipgrid.

**MIGHTY MIDDLES DOODLE CLUB** (ages 9-12) **ZOOM PROGRAM** Learn to draw something new with Ms. Caroline while chatting about summer, books, and you! Get the Zoom invite by calling or emailing the library or via Facebook.

**CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE READING EXPERIENCE** (ages 8+) Each part of a story will be read in installments on Facebook. Vote for where the story goes. Check Facebook or the website for dates and details.

**TEEN MEET-UP** (ages 13-18 only please) **ZOOM PROGRAM** Join Ms. Caroline to chat and share ideas for Teen Programming. Watch the website or Facebook for dates and times.

**SCIENCETELLERS** (ages 5-15) Dragons: Return of the Ice Sorceress - Amazing experiments with DRY ICE : Discover just how "cool" matter can be! Virtual Science Adventure! Unlimited, on demand viewing until August 31. Link found on Facebook and our website.

**COLOSSAL FOSSILS** (ages 5-15) **FACEBOOK LIVE** "Dinosaurs and Dragons" on July 22 at 1 pm and "Ice Age Giants" on August 12 at 1 pm. Will be recorded to view later.

**CORCORAN PUPPETS** (ages 0-6) Corcoran Puppets will be joining us for Facebook Live Story Times. "Dog's Colorful Day" on July 17 at 10 am and "Frederick" on August 7 at 10 am.



## ADULTS

**VIRTUAL COMMUNITY BOOK CLUB** (21+) **ZOOM PROGRAM** Let's gather together to share our love of books, conversation, and community. Email or call the library to access the Zoom invite. Watch Facebook or our website for July and August book titles, dates and times.

**THE POLITICAL LINCOLN: HONEST ABE ON CAMPAIGNS AND ELECTIONS** Facebook Live Event on July 14 at 10:30 am. Will be recorded to view later for a limited time.

**FAKE NEWS AND MEDIA LITERACY** Watch the online presentation August 3 - 10. Find the link on Facebook or the website. Join a ZOOM Q&A August 11 at 10:30 am with Susan LaRusso, Ph.D., University of Minnesota Hubbard School of Journalism & Mass Communication. Both sessions will be recorded to view later.

**ADULT GAME NIGHT ZOOM PROGRAM** July 2 at 7 pm. Join us for Scattergories, fun, and conversation! Call or email the library for the Zoom invite.

**ADULT ART NIGHT ZOOM PROGRAM** In August at 7 pm. Watch for date and details on Facebook or our website. Call or email the library for the Zoom invite.