



JUNE 2024

OKEECHOBEE LIBRARY

KID & TEEN SUMMER READING CHALLENGE!

Adventure begins at the Okeechobee Library this summer! Track your reading starting June 1st - July 31st, **for every 15 minutes** you read, you can **earn a ticket** to spend at our **Summer Reading Adventure Arcade!** Sign up for our Summer Reading Challenges and to **claim your sign up prize bundles!**

While supplies last

OUT OF MY HANDS MAGIC SHOW!

Go on a magical adventure on **Friday, June 7th @ 3:00 p.m.** with the **Out of My Hands magic show** by Gerard Tricarico **featuring juggling, illusions, and lights!** Appropriate for all ages!

JUNETEENTH CONCERT!

Journey through time and explore **"The Roots of Black Music in America"** with a **musical performance by Karlus Trapp** in honor of the Juneteenth holiday on **Wednesday, June 19 @ 3:00 p.m.!**

MAGICAL CRITTER QUEST!

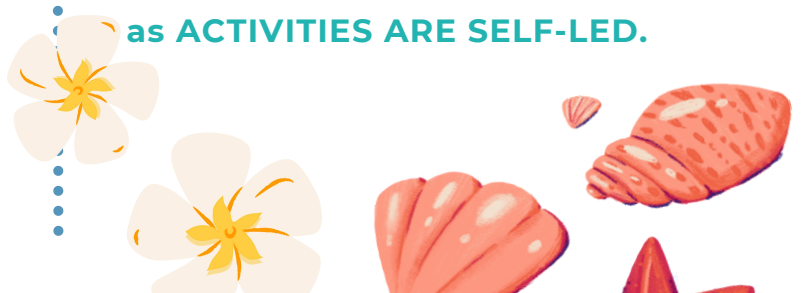
Can you find the hidden magical creatures around the Library? Come on in and join our Critter Quest **scavenger hunt every Saturday in June.** Find all of the magical critters sneaking around the Library, fill in the scavenger sheet, and **win a small prize!**

STORYTIME!

Stop by for storytime this month on **Wednesday, June 12th @ 11:00 a.m.** for a **Mermaid storytime** and **Wednesday, June 26th @ 11:00 a.m.** for a **Monster storytime.** Perfect for infant to preschool ages, join us for stories, crafts, and snacks!

S.T.E.A.M. SPACE

Join us every month for a new S.T.E.A.M Space activity! May's activity will be **Light-up Magic Wands!** Stop by **June 15th from 3:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.** We provide the supplies, instructions, and space! **Supervision required for underage participants as ACTIVITIES ARE SELF-LED.**



CRAFT KITS!

Want to try a new craft? Check out one of our **monthly craft kits!** Each Craft Kit Box will **contain all necessary materials** and instructions to complete your own creation. June's craft kits will be **Fairy Wing Charms!** **Craft kits are limited and available while supplies last.**

BOOK BOXES!

Calling all readers to check out our **FREE monthly Book Boxes!** June's theme is **Fantasy!** Each box contains a book selected just for you, along with **snacks and other fun giveaways!** Available for all ages. **Spaces limited, please call 863-763-3536 to sign up beginning June 1st.**

TAKE HOME KITS!

Stop by the Library this month for a **FREE Take Home Craft Kit!** June's craft kit will be a **Paper Plate Monster!** All kits will have necessary materials and instructions. Follow along with our online tutorials at tinyurl.com/okelibrary or [facebook.com/okelibrary!](https://www.facebook.com/okelibrary)



BOOK CLUB!

Join us each month for light refreshments and discussion of our latest read! Book Club will meet **Thursday, June 27th @ 2:00 p.m.** to discuss "**Demon Copperhead**" by **Barbara Kingsolver.**



ADULT SUMMER READING CHALLENGE!

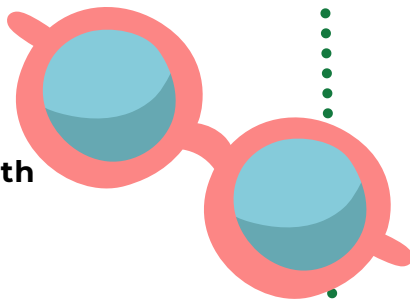
Join our Summer Reading Challenge to get your **Passport bookmark** for your **chance to win 1 of 4 themed gift baskets!** Check out a book to receive a punch on your passport bookmark, for every 5 books you check out you can earn an entry into the raffle. **Fill up your passport and receive an extra gift!**

GARDEN CLUB!

Interested in gardening? Join our new group on **Tuesday, June 11th at 10:30 a.m.** and help us form our **new Garden Club of Okeechobee.** The club will host demonstrations, classes, speakers, and other resources for all of our local gardening enthusiasts. Stop by to help us make this club a great resource for our community. **Light refreshments will be provided.**

JUNE DATES!

- **Monday - Thursday,**
@ 12:10 - 12:30 p.m.
FREE School Breakfasts & Lunches
Parking Lot
- **Wednesdays, All month**
@ 1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.
Crochet Club
- **Thursdays, All month**
@ 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
FREE Lunches & Snacks (5 day's worth)
- **Thursdays, All month**
@ 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Crafting & Coloring Club
- **Saturdays, All month**
All Day
Magical Critter Quest - Scavenger Hunt
- **Thursday, June 7th**
@ 3:30 p.m.
Juggling & Illusion Show!
- **Tuesday, June 11th**
@ 10:30 a.m.
Garden Club
- **Wednesday, June 12th**
@ 11:00 a.m.
Storytime
- **Saturday, June 15th**
@ 3:15 - 5:15 p.m.
S.T.E.A.M. Space
- **Wednesday, June 19th**
@ 3:00 p.m.
Juneteenth Concert: Roots of Black
Music in America
- **Wednesday, June 19th**
@ 4:00 p.m.
Friends of the Library meeting
- **Wednesday, June 26th**
@ 11:00 a.m.
Storytime
- **Thursday, June 27th**
@ 2:00 p.m.
Book Club



CELEBRATE CARIBBEAN HERITAGE MONTH!

Join us in celebrating Caribbean Heritage Month by reading stories written by and about Caribbean authors and characters and check out our monthly display.



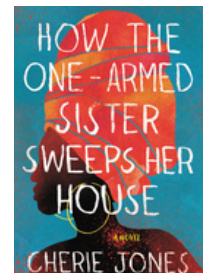
*Hungry
Ghosts*



*Black
Cake*



*River Sing
Me Home*



*How the One-
Armed Sister
Sweeps Her
House*

BECOME A FRIEND OF THE LIBRARY!

Join the Friends of the Okeechobee Library to become more involved in your Library! **Call 863-763-3536** for more information, or attend our next Friends meeting on **June 19th @ 4:00 p.m.**

READING ROAD TRIP: PARIS!



Love is in the air in **Paris** with our **Romance genre** display. Sign up for our Adult Summer Reading Challenge and **check out books from our displays for an entry to our gift basket raffles! (1 book = 1 entry)**



How to End a Love Story



Christa Comes Out of Her Shell



Starstruck



King of Sloth



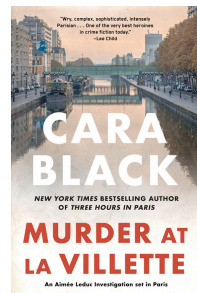
The Gentleman's Gambit



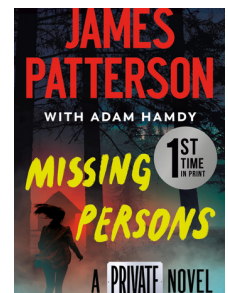
The Paradise Problem

READING ROAD TRIP: LONDON!

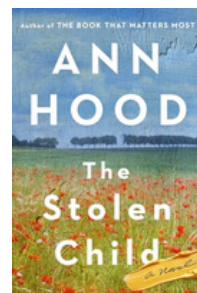
Travel to the mysterious **London** alleys with our **Mystery genre** display. Sign up for our Adult Summer Reading Challenge and **check out books from our displays for an entry to our gift basket raffles! (1 book = 1 entry)**



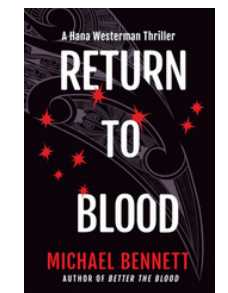
How to End a Love Story



Missing Persons



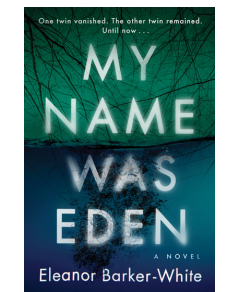
The Stolen Child



Return to Blood



Disturbing the Dead



My Name Was Eden

