

Summer Book Clubs!

We are excited to offer summer books clubs to our current Kindergarten-5th grade students! Your child can choose which book club to join and the book will be provided. The book club begins with a kick-off meeting to hand out the book and launch the reading. The book will be read at home over a few weeks and the club will meet again to celebrate completing the book and participate in book club activities.

Book clubs are led by Allendale teachers. The kick-off and celebration meetings will take place at school either outdoors or in a classroom. These will be one-hour meetings.

The following pages show the details of each book club. There are two sessions of book clubs. Your child can sign up for one book club from session 1 and one book club from session 2, or just one of the sessions. Suggested grade levels are given, but students may choose any club.

Summer reading is so important and participating in a book club is a great way to keep reading over the summer while also enjoying time with teachers and friends in the club!

To sign up for a book club, complete [this form](#) by
Friday, May 13.

If you have any questions, please contact Beth Voss (vossbet@apsfalcons.net)



Book Club Choices for Session 1

***Click on the book title to see a book talk video from the teacher leading the club!**

[Elephant and Piggie Biggie Volume 1](#) by Mo Willems



Teacher: Mrs. Viveros
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 14 at 1:00 p.m.
- June 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 9 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 9 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 157

[Ada Twist Scientist and Rosie Revere Engineer](#) by Andrea Beaty



Teacher: Mrs. Dehning
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

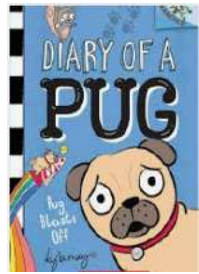
- June 17 at 11:00 a.m.
- June 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 12 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 187

[Diary of a Pug: Pug Blasts Off](#) by Kyla May



Teacher: Mrs. Sampson
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 14 at 10:00 a.m.
- June 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 12 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Library

[Mercy Watson to the Rescue](#) by Kate DiCamillo



Teacher: Mrs. VanderPloeg
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

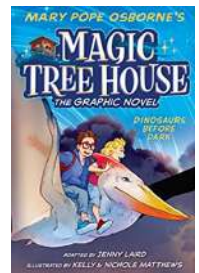
- June 20 at 1:00 p.m.
- June 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 181

[Magic Tree House Graphic Novel: Dinosaurs Before Dark](#) by Mary Pope Osborne



Teacher: Mrs. Slagh
Grade Range: Entering 1st-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 20 at 10:00 a.m.
- June 23 at 5:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 14 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Jasmine Toguchi Super Sleuth](#) by Debbi Michiko Florence



Teacher: Mrs. Reister
Grade Range: Entering 1st-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

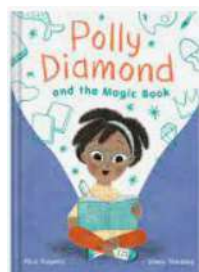
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- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 12 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Polly Diamond and the Magic Book](#) by Diana Toledano



Teacher: Mrs. Powell
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

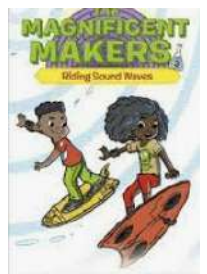
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- June 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[The Magnificent Makers #3: Riding Sound Waves](#) by Theanne Griffith



Teacher: Ms. Dean
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

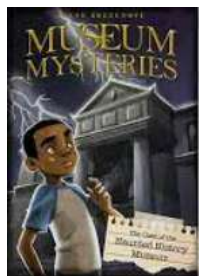
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Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 13 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Library

[The Case of the Haunted History Museum](#) by S. Brazenoff



Teacher: Mrs. Filcik
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 15 at 10:00 a.m.
- June 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[The Secret Explorers & Rainforest Rangers](#) by SJ King



Teacher: Mrs. Dykstra
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 13 at 10:00 a.m.
- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[The Boxcar Children](#) by Gertrude Chandler Warner



Teacher: Mr. DeZwaan
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 14 at 1:00 p.m.
- June 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 12 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Springview Playground

[The One and Only Bob](#) by Katherine Applegate



Teacher: Ms. Nusbaum
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

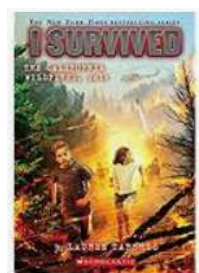
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Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[I Survived the California Wildfires](#) by Lauren Tarshis



Teacher: Mr. Molenkamp
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 13 at 11:00 a.m.
- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Springview Playground

[I Survived the Wellington Avalanche](#) by Lauren Tarshis



Teacher: Ms. Couturier
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 15 at 3:30 p.m.
- June 15 at 5:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 3:30 p.m.
- July 7 at 5:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 155

[The Wild Robot](#) by Peter Brown



Teacher: Mrs. Burkhour
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 15 at 12:15 p.m.
- June 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 13 at 12:15 p.m.
- July 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Timmy Failure: Mistakes were Made](#) by Stephan Pastis



Teacher: Mrs. Hanson
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

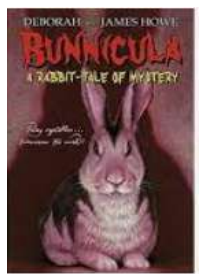
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- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Springview Playground

[Bunnica](#) by Deborah & James Howe



Teacher: Mrs. Schmuker
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

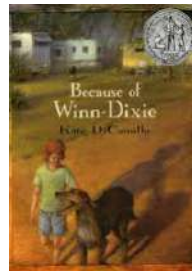
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- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Because of Winn-Dixie](#) by Kate DiCamillo



Teacher: Mrs. Baker
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 13 at 11:45 a.m.
- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 11:45 a.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Soilmar: The Sword of the Monarchs](#) by Pam Munoz Ryan



Teacher: Mrs. Busman

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

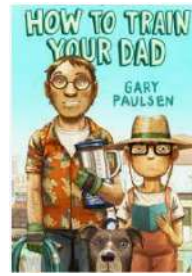
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- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[How to Train your Dad](#) by Gary Paulsen



Teacher: Ms. Holdsworth

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

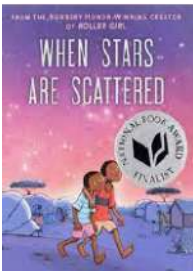
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- June 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[When Stars are Scattered](#) by C. Omar Mohamed & Victoria Jamieson



Teacher: Ms. Persenaire

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

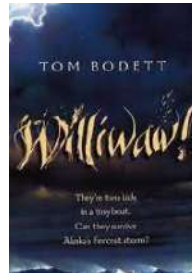
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- June 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 11 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

[Williwaw!](#) by Tom Bodett



Teacher: Mrs. Olsen

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

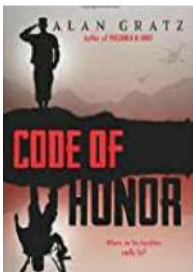
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- June 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 7 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Code of Honor](#) by Alan Gratz



Teacher: Mrs. Francis

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 15 at 11:00 a.m.
- June 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 13 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

[No Fixed Address](#) by Susin Nielsen



Teacher: Ms. Haveman

Grade Range: Entering 5th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- June 15 at 3:00 p.m.
- June 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 13 at 3:00 p.m.
- July 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

Book Club Choices for Session 2

***Click on the book title to see a book talk video from the teacher leading the club!**

[Elephant and Piggie Biggie Volume 2](#) by Mo Willems



Teacher: Mrs. Viveros
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 20 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 157

[Olivia's Secret Scribbles: Amazing Acrobats](#) by Costain & McDonald



Teacher: Mrs. Sampson
Grade Range: Entering 1st-2nd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

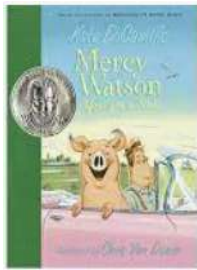
- July 19 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 19 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 9 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 9 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Library

[Mercy Watson goes for a Ride](#) by Kate DiCamillo



Teacher: Mrs. Dykstra
Grade Range: Entering 1st-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Pizza and Taco: Best Party Ever!](#) by Stephan Shaskan



Teacher: Mrs. Slagh
Grade Range: Entering 1st-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 21 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 21 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Zoey & Sassafras: Dragons & Marshmallows](#) by Asia Citro



Teacher: Mrs. Reister
Grade Range: Entering 1st-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Baby-Sitters Little Sister: Karen's Witch](#) by Katy Farina



Teacher: Ms. Nusbaum
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Lola Levine is NOT Mean!](#) by Monica Brown



Teacher: Ms. Dean
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

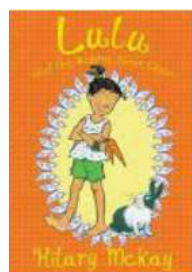
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- July 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 10 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 10 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Lulu and the Rabbit Next Door](#) by Hillary McKay



Teacher: Mrs. Powell
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-3rd
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

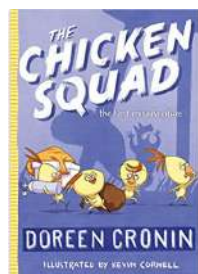
- July 19 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 19 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 16 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[The Chicken Squad: The First Misadventure](#) by K. Cornell



Teacher: Mrs. Filcik
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 14 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 16 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[Bird and Squirrel on the Run](#) by James Burks



Teacher: Mrs. Burkhour
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

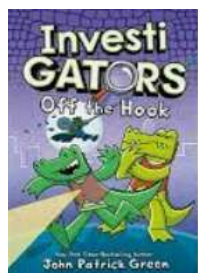
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Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 17 at 12:15 p.m.
- August 17 at 6:30 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[InvestiGators: Off the Hook](#) by John Patrick Green



Teacher: Mrs. Couturier
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 21 at 3:30 p.m.
- July 21 at 5:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 18 at 3:30 p.m.
- August 18 at 5:00 p.m.

Location: ECC Room 155

[A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood](#) by Fred Rogers



Teacher: Mr. DeZwaan
Grade Range: Entering 2nd-4th
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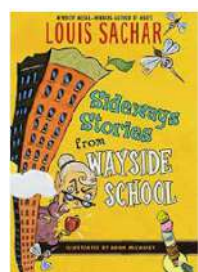
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- July 19 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 16 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Springview Playground

[Sideways Stories from Wayside School](#) by Louis Sachar



Teacher: Mrs. Schmuker
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Ranger in Time: Long Road to Freedom](#) by Kate Messner



Teacher: Mrs. Baker
Grade Range: Entering 3rd-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 11:45 a.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 17 at 11:45 a.m.
- August 17 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Evergreen Playground

[El Deafo](#) by CeCe Bell



Teacher: Ms. Persenaire
Grade Range: Entering 4th-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

[The Magic Misfits #1](#) by Neil Patrick Harris



Teacher: Mrs. Busman
Grade Range: Entering 4th-5th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

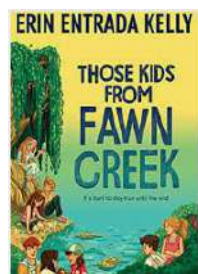
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- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Those Kids from Fawn Creek](#) by Erin Entrada Kelly



Teacher: Ms. Holdsworth
Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th
Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[New from Here](#) by Kelly Yang



Teacher: Mrs. Lema
Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th
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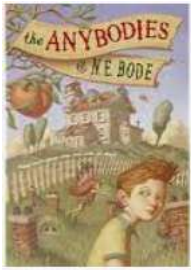
- July 19 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 19 at 7:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 16 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 16 at 7:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

[The Anybodies](#) by N.E. Bode



Teacher: Mrs. Olsen

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 1:00 p.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 1:00 p.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Library

[Ground Zero](#) by Alan Gratz



Teacher: Mr. Molenkamp

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 18 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 15 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Springview Playground

[Projekt 1065](#) by Alan Gratz



Teacher: Mrs. Francis

Grade Range: Entering 4th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 20 at 11:00 a.m.
- July 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 17 at 11:00 a.m.
- August 17 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground

[Jennifer Chan is Not Alone](#) by Tae Keller



Teacher: Mrs. Lema

Grade Range: Entering 5th-6th

Kick-Off Meeting (Attend 1):

- July 19 at 10:00 a.m.
- July 19 at 6:00 p.m.

Celebration Meeting (Attend 1):

- August 16 at 10:00 a.m.
- August 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Oakwood Playground