



Charlotte Mecklenburg Library

JUST DIG IT!
4th/5th GRADE

Summer Reading
June 11 - August 9, 2013

What comes to mind when you think about summer? Swimming? Summer camp? Barbecues? Music in the park? This year, why not make reading and sharing books part of your summer fun?

No matter what your reason for reading -- whether it's to learn new things, escape with a great story, or simply to relax and unwind -- you reap great benefits. Teachers and literacy experts agree that reading throughout the summer helps students retain skills learned during the school year. Most importantly, when parents and children enjoy summer reading together, children develop a love of books and reading that lasts a lifetime.

In the Garden

J Fiction

- Arold, Marliese..... The Vanishing Gate and the Imposter
- Bozarth, Jan..... Birdie's Book
- Brisson, Pat..... The Summer My Father was Ten
- Burlin, Eric..... The Potato Chip Puzzles
- Burnett, Frances..... The Secret Garden
- Greenburg, J.C..... In the Garden

(Andrew Lost paperback series)

- Howe, James and Deborah..... Bunnica: a Rabbit Tale of Mystery
and other Bunnica books

- Kurtz, Jane..... Lanie's Real Adventures
- Potter, Ellen..... The Humming Room
- Rockwell, Thomas..... How to Eat Fried Worms Shipton,
- Paul..... Bug Muldoon: the Garden of Fear
- Stine, R.L..... Revenge of the Lawn Gnomes

J Nonfiction

- J635 Kuhn, Dwight..... More than Just a Vegetable Garden
..... More than Just a Flower Garden
- J577.5 Rosenberg, Pam Yuck! Icky, Sticky, Gross Stuff in Your Yard
- J635..... *Books on Gardens and Gardening*
- J745.5 Outdoor Crafts
- J759.4 Bjork, Christina..... Linnea in Monet's Garden

DVDs

- DVD CHILDREN..... Back to the Secret Garden
- DVD CHILDREN..... Gnome & Juliet
- DVD CHILDREN..... The Secret Garden

Buried Treasure

J Fiction

- Alexander, Lloyd..... The Golden Dream of Carlo Chuchio
- Beil, Michael D..... The Secret Cellar
- Besson, Luc..... Arthur and the Forbidden City

- Arthur and the Minimoy
- Buckey, Sarah Masters..... The Smuggler's Treasure

(History Mysteries)

- Cowell, Cressida..... How to Be a Pirate
- Delabarre, Eric..... Saltwater Taffy
- Dixon, Frank..... Mystery Map
- Ernst, Kathleen..... Secrets in the Hills: a Josefina Mystery

(American Girl)

- Fairlie, Emily..... The Lost Treasure of Tuckernuck
- Gilligan, Alison..... Pirate Treasure of the Onyx Dragon
(Choose Your Own Adventure)

- Gregory, Kristiana..... The Clue at the Bottom of the Lake
(Cabin Creek Mysteries)

- Haven, Paul..... The Seven Keys of Balabad
- Kidd, Rob..... Poseidon's Peak *and other Jack Sparrow books*

- Kidd, Ronald Teddy Roosevelt and the Treasure of Ursa Major
- Korman, Gordon..... The Discovery *and other Dive books*

- Kress, Adrienne..... Alex and the Ironic Gentlemen
- Lacey, Josh..... Island of Thieves

- Lawrence, Caroline..... The Dolphins of Laurentum

(Roman Mysteries)

- Marsh, Carole..... The Mystery of Blackbeard the Pirate

(Carole Marsh)

- Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds..... The Treasure of Bessledorf Hill
- Rodkey, Geoff..... Deadweather and Sunrise
- Selfors, Suzanne..... Smells Like Treasure

- Simner, Janni Lee..... Secret of the Three Treasures
- Smallcomb, Pam..... The Trimoni Twins and the

- Shrunken Treasure
- Snyder, Zilpha Keatley..... The Treasures of Weatherby

- Stevenson, Robert Louis..... Treasure Island (also *YA*)

- La Isla del Tesoro

- Wallace, Bill..... Trapped in Death Cave

- Wilhelm, Doug..... Curse of the Pirate Mist

(Choose Your Own Adventure)

- Wilson, N.D..... Leepike Ridge

J Nonfiction

- J910.45..... *Books on Pirates*
- J971.623 Redmond, Shirley-Raye..... Oak Island Treasure Pit

DVDs

- DVD CHILDREN..... The Gold Retrievers
- DVD CHILDREN..... Labou

Young Adult Fiction

- Jacques, Brian..... Doomwyte (also *Book on Disc*)
- Sachar, Louis..... Holes or *Hoyos (Spanish Collection)*

Dirt Movers/Construction

- J621.865- J629.225 *Books on Earthmovers, Trucks, and Construction*

Forces of Nature

J Fiction

Abela, Deborah..... Mission - The Nightmare Vortex
 Cowell, Cressida..... How to Twist a Dragon’s Tale
 Frazier, Sundee Tucker Brendan Buckley’s Universe and Everything in It
 Karwoski, Gail..... Quake!: Disaster in San Francisco, 1906
 Klimo, Kate..... The Dragon in the Volcano
 Korman, Gordon The Discovery *and other Dive books*
 Lasky, Kathryn..... The First Collier
 The Last Girls of Pompeii
 Lawrence, Caroline..... The Secrets of Vesuvius
 Salisbury, Graham..... Night of the Howling Dogs
 Smith, Roland..... Eruption (also *Book on Disc*)
 Snicket, Lemony..... The Grim Grotto (also *Book on Disc*)
 Twain, Mark..... The Adventures of Tom Sawyer
 Wilson, Nathan..... Leepike Ridge
 Yep, Laurence..... City of Fire
 The Earth Dragon Awakes: The San Francisco Earthquake of 1906

J Nonfiction

J363.349509 Winchester, Simon..... The Day the World Exploded: The Earthshaking Catastrophe at Krakatoa
 J550 Van Rose, Susanna..... Earth
 J550s..... *Books on Geology*
 J551.078 Anderson, Alan H..... Geology Crafts for Kids
 J551.136 Snedden, Robert..... Earth’s Shifting Surface
 J551.2 Christian, Spencer Shake, Rattle, and Roll: The World’s Most Amazing Volcanoes, Earthquakes and Other Forces
 J551.21 Lindop, Laurie..... Probing Volcanoes
 J551.21..... *Other books on Volcanoes*
 J551.44 - J551.447 *Books on Caves*
 J551.46 Tagliaferro, Linda How Does an Earthquake Become a Tsunami?
 J551.46 Gibbons, Gail..... Exploring the Deep Dark Sea
 J552s..... *Books on Rocks, Gems and Minerals*
 J553.8 Kallen, Stuart A. Gems
 J560 Harrison, David Cave Detectives: Unraveling the Mystery of an Ice Age Cave
 J577.584 Banting, Erinn..... Caves
 J624.19 Macauley, David..... Underground
 J624.193 Oxlade, Chris..... Tunnels
 J624.193..... *Other books on Tunnels*
 J741.5 Smith, Jeff Old Man’s Cave. Bone. Volume 6. (*graphic novel*)
 J796.525 Howes, Chris Caving
 J811 Peters, Lisa Westburg..... Volcano Wakes Up!

Construction Below Our Feet (Subways, Tunnels, and Sewers)

J Fiction

Beil, Michael..... The Secret Cellar
 Bukiet, Melvin Jules..... Undertown
 Carey, Benedict..... The Unknowns: A Mystery
 Draper, Sharon M..... Lost in the Tunnel of Time
 Ibbotson, Eva..... The Secret of Platform 13
 Ponti, James..... Dead City

Selden, George..... Harry Kitten and Tucker Mouse

J Nonfiction

J388.428..... *Books on Subways*
 J392.36 Harper, Charise Mericle Flush!: The Scoop on Poop throughout the Ages
 J624.193..... *Books on Tunnels*
 J625.42 McKendry, Joe Beneath the Streets of Boston: Building America’s First Subway
 J625.42 Weitzman, David..... A Subway for New York
 J696.182 Jacobson, Ryan..... How Toilets Work
 J741.5 Petrucha, Stefan..... City under the Basement (*graphic novel*)

Worlds Below Our Feet

J Fiction

Appelt, Kathi..... Keeper
 Besson, Luc..... Arthur and the Minimoys
 (*and other Arthur books*)
 Blume, Lesley Modern Fairies, Dwarves, Goblins, and Other Nasties: A Practical Guide by Miss Edythe McFate
 Buckingham, Royce..... Goblins!: An UnderEarth Adventure
 Carroll, Lewis..... Through the Looking Glass
 Collins, Suzanne..... Gregor the Overlander
 (*also Book on Disc*) *and other Underland Chronicles books*
 DuPrau, Jeanne..... City of Ember
 Gordon, Roderick Tunnels (*also Book on Disc*) *and other Tunnels books*
 Joyce, William E. Aster Bunnymund and the Warrior Eggs at the Earth’s Core
 Kessler, Liz..... The Tail of Emily Windsnap
 (*also Book on Disc*) *and other Emily Windsnap books*
 Kozlowsky, M.P..... Juniper Berry
 MacDonald, George..... The Princess and the Goblin
 Meloy, Colin..... Under Wildwood
 Norton, Mary..... The Borrowers
 Oliver, Lauren..... The Spindlers
 Reese, Jenn..... Above World (*other Above World books*)
 Snow, Alan Here be Monsters: An Adventure Involving Magic, Trolls, & other Creatures
 Stead, Rebecca..... First Light
 Wagner, Hilary..... Nightshade City
 The White Assassin
 Walsh, Pat..... The Crowfield Curse

J Nonfiction

J741.5 Kibuishi, Kazu..... Amulet. Book One. The Stonekeeper
 *and other Amulet books (graphic novel)*
 J910.452..... *Books on Shipwrecks*