

RUTLAND FREE LIBRARY KIDS' PROGRAMS

ALL PROGRAMS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO ALL!

June-August 2026

Weekly Programs

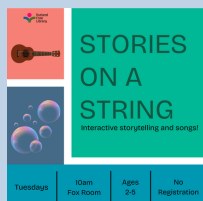
That's right, these programs are every week unless otherwise noted! Please see reverse side for special programs and activities!



Art Bar: Open Craft Time
Mondays, 3:30 pm,
Children's Room

Craft supplies galore -- work on any project you want. All ages.

No Art Bar on June 29 & July 6.



Stories on a String
Tuesdays, 10 am,
Fox Room

Join Ms. Helen, of Green Mountain Music, for interactive storytelling, folktales, and songs for all ages! Recommended for ages 2-5.

No Stories on a String on June 30 & July 7.



Playgroup
Wednesdays, 10 am,
Fox Room

Join the Rutland County Parent Child Center for a literacy-based drop-in playgroup with snacks, crafts, songs, games, and more!

Recommended for ages 0-5.

No Playgroup on June 10 & 24, July 1, Aug 19



Storytime
Thursdays, 10 am,
Fox Room

Join one of our youth librarians for books, songs, movement, and activities! Recommended for ages 2-5.

Themes:

June 4: Berries

June 11: Rainbows

June 18: Explorers

June 25: Dinosaurs

July 2: America 250

July 9: Fresh Dirt

July 16: Paleontology

July 23: Archaeology

July 30: Ocean

August 6: Hot Sun

August 13: Beach

August 20: Zoo

August 27: Jungle



Yoga for Littles
Fridays, 10 am,
Fox Room

Learn yoga poses and breathing techniques through a variety of songs, games, and activities! Recommended for ages 2-5.

We're back!
Starts June 26!

Reoccurring Programs

These programs happen throughout the month on a regular schedule. Please see reverse side for special programs and activities!



June 2 July 21
June 16 August 4
July 7 August 18

Kids Yoga
1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 3:30 pm,
Fox Room

Learn yoga poses and breathing techniques through a variety of songs, games, and activities!

Recommended for ages 6-10.



June 9 July 28
June 23 August 11
July 14 August 25

Dungeons & Dragons: Tweens
2nd & 4th Mondays, 3:30 pm,
Children's Room

Join our Dungeon Master as you embark on this awesome journey. We'll provide the supplies- all you need is yourself, a love of games, and a sense of adventure. Ages 8-12.



June 26 July 24
July 10 August 14
August 28

Kids Zumba
2nd & 4th Fridays, 3:30 pm
Fox Room

Kid-friendly routines and choreography. A fun and high-energy program! Don't forget good shoes and a water bottle. Recommended for ages 4-11.

No Zumba on June 12.

Special Dates Continued!

Mark your calendar for these great programs! See the reverse side and additional pages for MORE!

Some programs may require registration, please visit our website calendar to sign up.

Tales to Tails: Kids Reading to Dogs

Wednesday, June 3 (4:15 - 5:15 pm) Children's Room

Perfect for beginning readers! Practice your reading on the best audience- therapy dogs!

Dinosaur Yoga

Saturday, June 6 (10 - 10:45 am) Fox Room

Join Tiny Trees Yoga to work on your best dinosaur moves while incorporating mindfulness, music, and a lot of fun. We'll provide the mats, you bring yourself and your water bottle. Ages 4-10.

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, June 6 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Summer Reading Kickoff

Saturday, June 6 (11 am - 1 pm) Library Lawn

Join us outside on the lawn where you'll find a variety of activities and crafts run by us and some of our amazing community partners! Don't forget to sign up for our 2026 Summer Reading Program while you're here.

Stuffed Animal Storytime: Pebbles Dinosaur

Multiple Dates, Times, and Locations (see below)

Join us for a dinosaur story or two! Following our short Storytime, sit down with your materials to make your very own stuffed animal long-neck dinosaur!

Registration Required - Reg. opens May 27 for all dates.

Program Dates:

Wednesday, June 10 (5:30 pm) - Fox Room

Monday, June 15 (10 am) - Children's Room

Tales to Tails: Kids Reading to Dogs

Saturday, June 12 (10 - 11 am) Children's Room

Perfect for beginning readers! Practice your reading on the best audience- therapy dogs!

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, June 13 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, June 27 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Stuffed Animal Storytime: Bald Eagles

Wednesday, July 1 (6 - 6:45 pm)

We're celebrating the 250th birthday of the United States of America by making stuffed animal bald eagles - our national symbol and bird! Join us in the Fox Room for a story or two before you make your own bald eagle. With any luck, we'll also have a live view of some bald eagles on our projector.

Registration Required - Reg. opens June 17.

Tales to Tails: Kids Reading to Dogs

Thursday, July 2 (4:15 - 5:15 pm) Children's Room

Perfect for beginning readers! Practice your reading on the best audience- therapy dogs!

Pokemon Club: TCG

Friday, July 3 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

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Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Make it with Marissa: Firefly Jars

Wednesday, July 8 (3 - 4:30 pm)

Join Marissa to make your own jar of fireflies using glow-in-the-dark polymer clay. Ages 6+

Registration Required - Reg. opens June 24.

Dinosaurs: A Story of Survival (a 360 movie)

Saturday, July 18 (Multiple Times: 10 am, 11 am, 12 pm)

The Planetarium Lady is back with her inflatable dome!

Join her in the dome for a 360 degree movie. "Dinosaurs: A Story of Survival" is all about Celeste, a smart and dreamy girl, who returns to the domes of planetariums around the world to travel in the footsteps of DINOSAURS. She discovers that not all of them are extinct, that there are many, many dinosaurs surrounding us. The movie is approximately 40 minutes long.

Registration Required - Reg. opens July 4 for all times.

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Silver Circus Show

Tuesday, July 21 (6 - 7 pm) Fox Room

Featuring spectacular magic, juggling, physical comedy, and tons of audience participation, Andrew presents a one-of-a-kind exhibition of skill and comedy! The show touches on many important themes including, self confidence, overcoming obstacles, control, and dealing with failure. By adapting techniques and themes from the new vaudeville clowns, Andrew has created a masterpiece of modern performance for every age level.

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, July 25 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Dinosaur Storytime

Wednesday, July 29 (5:30 - 6:30 pm)

Join us for a special evening Storytime!

We'll read a few books about dinosaurs and maybe sing a song or two before exploring some special activities including cookie cutter dinosaur fossils and building with dinosaur bones!

Registration Required - Reg. opens July 15.

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, August 1 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Stuffed Animal Storytime: REXY Dinosaur

Multiple Dates, Times, and Locations (see below)

Join us for a dinosaur story or two! Following our short Storytime, sit down with your materials to make your very own stuffed animal t-rex!

Registration Required - Reg. opens July 20 for all dates.

Program Dates:

Monday, August 3 (10 am) - Children's Room

Wednesday, August 12 (5:30 pm) - Fox Room

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, August 8 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Finding Rhymes with Diggy Digs

Monday, August 10 (10 - 11 am) Fox Room

Deirdre Trowel—Archaeologist (friends call her 'Diggy'), and partner, Dug, sift through Medieval evidence of well known children's songs & rhymes. Inspect the treasures they find. Sing the songs they unearth. Play the games children played hundreds of years ago. All the while, you'll be learning a little about the lives of children in the Middle Ages. Suggested for ages 4-10.

Pokemon Club: TCG

Saturday, August 15 (10 - 11:30 am) Children's Room

Join our seasoned players and learn how to play Pokemon the Trading Card Game (TCG). Ages 8-18.

Make it with Marissa: Bird Feeders

Saturday, August 15 (10 am) Fox Room

We'll have the wood pre-cut but it's your job to put the bird feeder together. This program will require the use of tools and is best done with an adult that can help. We'll have limited adult help and recommend that any adult bringing a child is prepared to dive into the project if their child needs it.

Registration Required - Reg. opens August 1.

Back to School BINGO & Pizza Party!

Tuesday, August 18 (6 pm) Fox Room

It's BINGO time and we're playing for new backpacks, binders, folders, pencil cases, and anything you need for an awesome school year! Did we mention we'll also have pizza?

Registration Required - Reg. opens August 4.



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