THE FOCUS

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EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

The Summer Reading Edition!

Every Hero has a Story. What will YOURS be?

Look, up in the sky! It's a bird! It's a plane! No, it's the Clearview Library District's Summer Reading Program! We have a summer reading program for all ages - for every superhero of every size , shape, and superpower. Just visit our website www.clearviewlibrary.org, visit the Bookmobile, or stop into the library to learn more!

Sidekicks: Little ones ages 0-5 can build their super human pre-reading skills by completing activities such as attending a storytime, singing the alphabet song, or taking a nature walk. Complete all the activities in one of the 6 categories of read, write, talk, sing, play, and discover, and stop into the library for a prize! Win up to 6 prizes!

Superheroes: Heroes ages 5-12 can try to take over the world by reading six books to earn up to 6 prizes! Want to get your Hulk on and SMASH through more books? Try reading 12 books to earn up to 6 prizes! You decide your strength, speed, and skill level.

Masterminds: Teens ages 13-18 can use their superhero genius IQs to read 4 books and earn up to 4 prizes! Is your spider sense tingling because reading 4 books is too easy? With great power comes great responsibility. Try reading 8 books to earn up to 4 prizes! Assemble your Avengers and get reading!

Secret Agents: Yes, adults, there is a summer reading program for you too, but don't worry; we won't blow your cover. Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to complete 3 of the suggested activities to win up to 3 prizes! Participants will be entered to win the grand prize of a hot air balloon ride at Harvest Fest! More information on page 2. This message will not self-destruct.

Who knows what books lurk in the hearts of men? The library knows…. This summer, fight for truth, justice, and the American way by participating in the Clearview Library District's Summer Reading Program. Up, up, and away!

Be a Part of the Future of the Library!

Take the survey!

If you haven't already responded to the Library Survey that was sent via email a little more than a week ago, please take the time to do so. The information we gain from the survey will be instrumental in planning for the future of the Library District. The email came from the Clearview Library District. The subject line was "Be a Part of the Future of the Library."

TRENDING NOW, PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS!

June is a great time to learn and have fun...and you can do both at the Library! Check out the June events:

Breathing for Runners, Tips for Making Smart Vehicle Purchases, AARP's Life Re-Imagined Check-up, Protecting your Skin from the Sun, Women's Self-Defense Seminar, Green Smoothies & Nice-Cream, and Patriotic Crafts.

There is something for everyone. Please visit our website to see the full list of classes for dates and times.

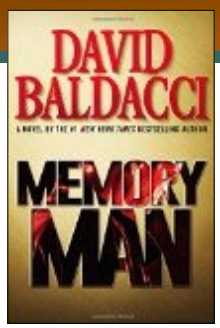
Have a class idea or interested in teaching? Contact Ally at ally@myclearview.info.

ADULT SUMMER READING!

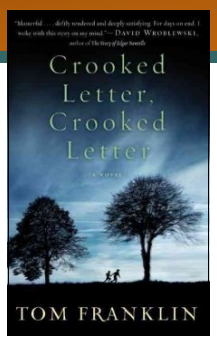
Summer reading is not just for kids, adults like to read and get prizes too! This summer Adult Summer Reading is easier than ever. Sign up and complete any three of the eight Library activities to receive your three prizes. Pass them off one at a time or wait until you have finished all three, it does not matter. Bring your activity log into the Library, show it to a staff member and take home prizes. The first prize is a CLD water pouch, the second a free book from our book sale self and the third is a customized mix from Twin Sisters Gourmet Mixes. It could not be simpler to get free stuff.

If you are more adventurous and complete all eight activities bring your log into the Library and you will be entered into the drawing to receive two free tickets to ride a hot air balloon during the Harvest Festival!

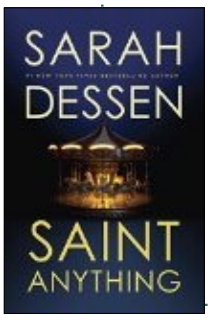
IF YOU LIKED...

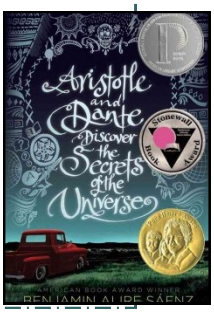


If you liked this best seller…
David Baldacci's *Memory Man*
try this as a read-a-like:
Crooked Letter, Crooked Letter
By Tom Franklin



What about this Young Adult title? Did you like?...
Saint Anything by Sarah Dessen
Try this:
Aristotle and Dante discover the secrets of the Universe
by Benjamin Saenz





To see more read-a-likes go to our database page, click on NoveList.
Search for titles you liked to see their read-a-likes.
It's so easy to find you next read!

BOMO Patrons of the Month

Kylie, Ryan & Kendra

Where are you from?- Living in Maryland but originally from Colorado.

What is your favorite book?- Pinkalicious & CSI Kids.

What is your favorite thing about the BoMo or Outreach Services? - Crafts & checking out books!

What is your favorite quote? - "Those who mind don't matter, those who matter don't mind" & "When you're working out it hurts, keep going!"

What are you currently reading? -Picture books and reading to each other!

BoMo Special Events:

As part of the Summer Reading fun on the BOMO we will have games and crafts that celebrate the superhero theme all summer long!

As if that wasn't enough, we are bringing some fun special events to Severance Town. **The LEGO Guy** will be at Severance Town hall on June 19th at 4pm. Join Curtis, the LEGO guy, for a superhero-charged LEGO workshop. Build your best trap to capture the villain. Registration is not required.

Concerts @ Boardwalk Park

June 4th – August 6th

5:30pm – 8:00pm

Every Thursday the BoMo will be at the Boardwalk Park near Windsor Lake where The Town of Windsor show-cases free live music from local bands. Bring your lawn chairs and your dance moves and get ready to boogie with the BoMo.

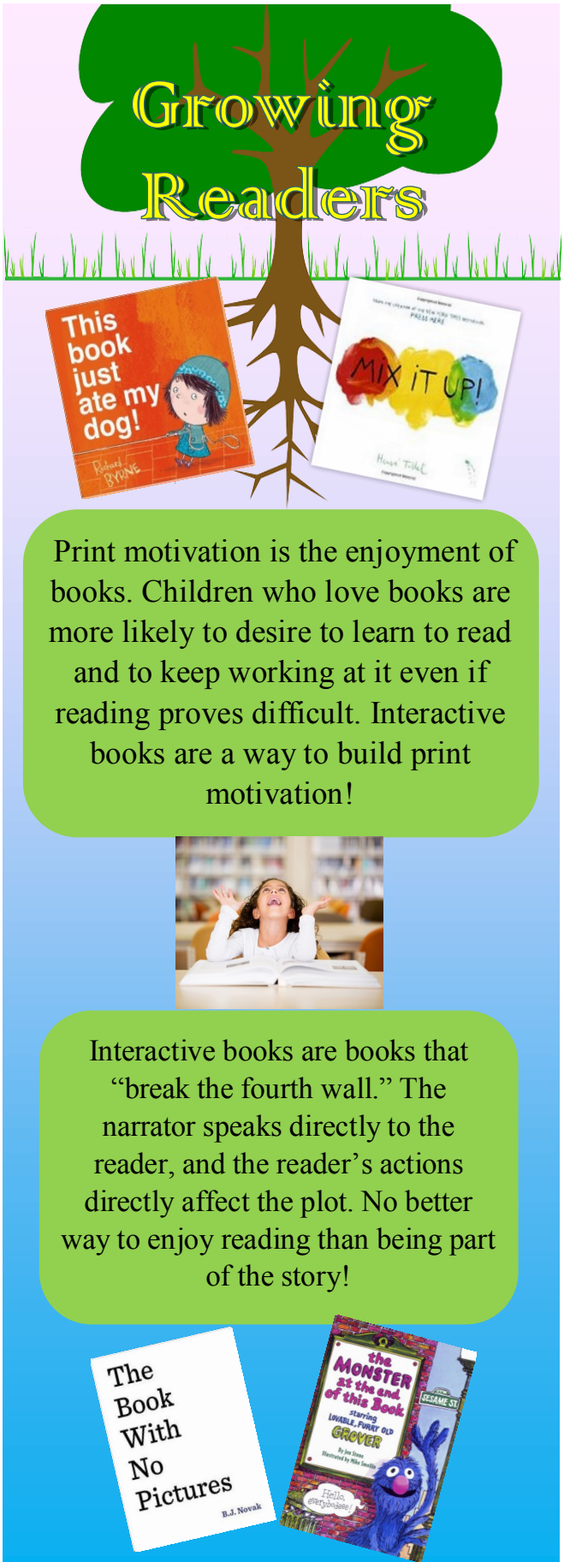
Storytime will be at 7:00pm

Crafts available anytime

Summer Schedule

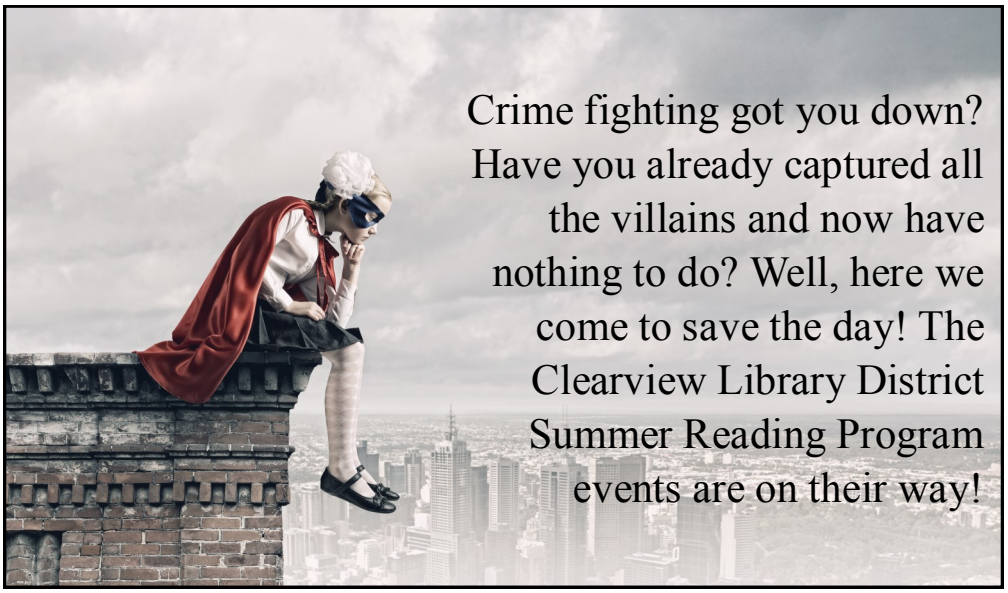
Please see our new bookmobile summer schedule as some stops have changed and others have been added.

You can find our BoMo schedule online at www.clearviewlibrary.org.



SUMMERTIME AND THE READIN' IS EASY

Picture this; the lawn is mown, the kids are out of school, the sun is shining and you have some free time. It's the perfect opportunity to enjoy relaxing on your patio, in the park, by the river, or wherever your favorite spot may be. Stop by the library and grab some summertime reads to incorporate into your much deserved R&R time. The Library is stocked full of new mysteries, fiction, e-books, large print, science fiction and non-fiction books from which to choose. Be sure to pick up some great music or a new movie. If digital is your preference, check out the Library's website and download e-books, peruse magazines or stream music. These downloads are also perfect for when you're feeling more active. Simply download an e-audiobook or some music to your phone and take it along on that hike or bike ride. Whatever your preference, the Library can provide just what you are looking for.
Happy summer!



Don't let the summer doldrums zap your superpowers; we have plenty to do here this summer! From rockets to Ronald McDonald, the library has events and programs for all ages to enjoy! Look into the future; here's just a sample of what's happening in June!

Superheroes don't all wear capes. Join us Tuesday, June 9th at 10am to see some Everyday Heroes from our very own neighborhood! Explore police cars, fire engines, garbage trucks, and more, and meet the heroes that operate them! This event is for ages 0-5 and their grown-ups (but no age will be turned away).
No registration required. Want more activities for the little ones, like music, storytimes, book clubs, and more? See our calendar for more information!

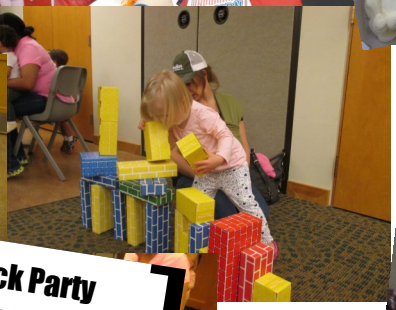
Of course, some superheroes DO wear capes, and we've got the supplies to make them! Our Summer of the Superheroes Kickoff Party is for ages 5 and up and will be held on June 11th from 3-4:30. We've got everything you need to create a superhero costume you can wear all summer long! No registration is required. Can't get enough of the crafts? Register on our website for each session of Crafty Tuesdays at either 2 pm or 3:30 to create sand art, felt monsters, and more!

What would a superhero be without super strength? Discover the power of healthy food at Superfoods for Superheroes on Monday, June 29th at 1:30. Registration is required on our website. Also, tweens ages 9-13 can learn how to harness the Power of the Sun to make an object fly on June 29th at 11:30 am. Registration is required. Not enough to do? Keep an eye out for visits from the Butterfly Pavilion and Rocket Works from the Denver Museum of Natural History. Check out www.clearviewlibrary.org for more information!

May Events Photo Page

Big Hero 6 Party

BOMO Day!



Block Party

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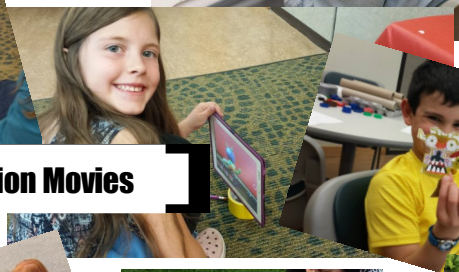

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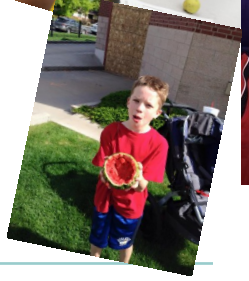
Weird Science