Programs for Teens and Adults

Owosso Library

Thursdays from June 8 through Aug 3 from 3:00 - 6:00 pm - Monster of the Week Summer Dungeons & Dragons This inperson stand-alone D&D adventure series is open to tweens and teens (ages 10-18).

June 5 (while supplies last) - Take and make D&D health potion craft - Tweens and teens can pick up all the supplies you need to make fun craft to go along with the summer D&D Monster of the Week program.

June 14 from 5:30 - 7:00 pm - Silent Book Club - Happy Hour for introverts, but with books. SBC is about taking time out of your busy schedule to simply relax and read whatever you want while in the company of others who just want to do the same thing. Snacks will be provided. Also meets July 12 and Aug 16. Meets at Owosso Library- upper floor. Ages 17 and up.

June 20 at 5:30 pm - Author Talk and Book Signing with Ed Demerly - Ed will primarily be speaking about his time growing up on the farm in Shiawassee County as recorded in his first book, First Years: A Farm Boy Faces the Future

July 12 from 5:30 - 7:00 pm - Silent Book Club - Meets monthly-second Wednesday Owosso Library upper floor.

July 17-22 Drop-In Community Art Project - Help us create a beautiful piece of art to display in the library.

July 17 and July 24 at 6:00 pm -MoneyMasters - This 2-week series is led by Modern Woodmen Financial Services and is geared toward teens and young adults just starting out on their own. It will provide tips on how to budget, manage debt and credit to start out on the right financial foot.

Aug 16 from 5:30 - 7:00 pm - Silent Book Club - Meets monthly-second Wednesday Owosso Library upper floor.

Durand Library

June 10 at 1:00 pm - Bead Bracelet Craft - Teens and adults can learn to make a bead bracelet to take home. Registration Required.

See Also- Programs for Kids and Families inside this brochure for additional options for adults and teens at Durand

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June 5 - August 4

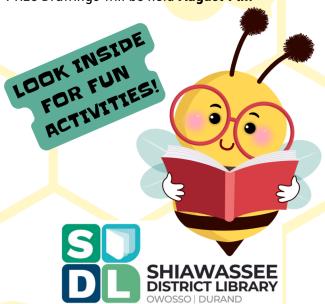
Visit your local branch, check out our website at mysdl.org, or download the Beanstack app and search for Shiawassee District Library to register starting June 5th. If you used the app last year, no need to download again.

Participate online, or with a paper reading record you can pick up from the library when you register inperson. Children and teens are eligible to pick up a reading journal or badge book from the library at registration.

The deadline for completion and reporting is

August 4th. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Prize Drawings will be held August 7th.



June 3rd - Start Early Saturday!

10:00 am - 2:00 pm Friends of the Owosso Library Book Sale on the lawn of the Owosso Library - A Curwood Festival Favorite! Go inside the library to pick up your materials for early summer reading registration anytime on Saturday.



Programs for Kids and Families

Durand Memorial Library

June 5 from 2:00 - 7:00 pm - Summer Reading Kickoff! Water Blaster Painting - Bring the whole family to the library for some fun using a water blaster to create your own work of art.

June 8 from 2:00 - 7:00 pm - Father's Day Crafts - Drop in to make a craft to take home to dad.

June 14 from 2:00 - 7:00 pm - Family Game Day -Bring the whole family to the library for some fun games.

June 20 from 2:00 - 7:00 pm - Glass Bottle Painting Ages 6 and up can drop in and paint a jar or bottle to take home.

June 29 from 4:00 - 7:00 pm -Art in the Park: Tiny Art All ages are welcome to join us in Trumble Park to paint on a tiny canvas. We hope you'll enter your work in our second annual tiny art show to be held in July! Can't make it? That's ok. You can pick up a paint kit to go.

July 1-31 During normal Library Hours - Tiny Art Show - Come and see a display of tiny artworks created by your friends and neighbors!

July 11 from 2:00 - 7:00 pm - Glow Jars and Bugs! - Children can make bugs that glow in the dark out of plastic eggs while teens and adults decorate jars with glow paint and glitter.

July 15 from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm - Family Game Day -Bring the whole family to the library for some fun games.

July 20 from 4:00 - 7:00 pm - Art in the Park - VanGogh and Kandinsky - All ages are welcome to join us in Trumble Park to learn a little about the artist and try your hand at their style of painting.

July 25 from 2:00 -7:00 pm - Switchplate Craft -decorate a light switch plate to bring a little personality to something mundane. For all ages.

Owosso Public Library

June 5 While Supplies Last -Decorate a Coffee Sleeve. Get creative when you visit the library. Decorated sleeves will be donated to local coffee shops and distributed to our friends and neighbors. Help spread joy with coffee!

June 16 at 2:00 pm - Meet a Real Life Racecar Driver!

Local racecar driver, Scott Clifford will talk to us about what it's like to race cars-the work that goes into it-the fun and the danger. He'll tell us more about the different kinds of races that take place right outside of town at Owosso Speedway and how families can enjoy an affordable evening at the races, close to home.

June 17 from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm - Our friends from Community Cats of Owosso will be at the library with cats you can adopt!

July 10 from 11:00 am - 6:00 pm - Maker Monday - Dropin program for kids ages 8 and up. Our mobile makerspace will be available for independent play.

July 24 from 11:00 am - 6:00 pm - Maker Monday - Dropin program for kids ages 8 and up. Our mobile makerspace will be available for independent play.

Farmers Market Fun



We'll meet you at the market with some interactive fun for kids of all ages. Weather permitting.

Durand Farmers Market (on Hagle St.)

12 Noon - 3:00 pm June 7, 21 - July 5, 19 - Aug 2, 16, 30

Downtown Owosso Farmers Market

9:00 am - 1:00 pm June 24 - July 29 - Aug 26 - Sept 30

Summer Storytimes



Storytime is geared toward preschool aged kids, but all are welcome with adult supervision.

Storytime with Miss Natalie at Owosso Library

June 6-July 28 Tues, Wed, Fri

We meet at the Owosso Library at 10:30 am on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for stories and activities except for the days we'll be at DeVries Nature Conservancy (see below).

Storytime at Trumble Park-Durand

June 13th at 11:00 am

Kids and their families are invited to enjoy stories, crafts, and more. We meet at 11:00 am in the park right behind the library. Bring blankets or chairs.

Sensory Storytime at Durand Library

July 6th at 11:00 am

Kids and their families are invited to enjoy this special storytime featuring a sensory project.

Storytime at DeVries Nature Conservancy- Owosso

June 9 - June 23 - July 7 - July 21

Dress for a mess. When storytime and nature collide, things can get messy! We meet at 10:30 am for stories and activities.