

Northport-East Northport Public Library Teen Summer Reading Program 2011

Join the Teen Services Department from June 27-August 11 for a summer filled with global adventures in books and programs. "You Are Here" is the 2011 Teen Summer Reading program for students entering grades 6-12. Teens are invited to come to the Library and read for prizes, as well as take part in special programs offered throughout the summer. Earn one Book Buck for every age-appropriate book that you read. Obtain your "Read and Rate Forms" in the Teen Centers or online at www.nenpl.org/teens. Your Book Bucks will be held at the Reference Desk. These will be redeemable for great prizes on two

Prize Giveaway dates:

(EN) Tuesday, July 19 5:30-6:30 p.m.

(EN) Thursday, August 11 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Teen Writer's Workshop

(EN) Friday, June 3, 4:00-5:30 p.m. Do you love to write? Local author Marissa LaRocca will help you discover and develop your own unique voice in your writing. Registration is underway at either library building or online. (NENY265)



Puzzle Builders Volunteers

(N) Wednesday, June 8 and 15, 3:00-5:00 p.m. Do you enjoy building 3-D puzzles? Bring your expertise and earn volunteer credit as you help construct Big Ben, the Eiffel Tower, the Taj Mahal, and more. You may attend one or both sessions. This program is for experienced puzzle builders currently in grades 7-12. Registration begins June 1 at either library or online. (NENY266)



Teen Volunteer Opportunities 1

Teen volunteer opportunities are open to students entering grades 7-12. All teens who are new to our volunteer programs must register for Teen Volunteering 101. You may choose one volunteer opportunity in addition to Teen Volunteering 101. Registration begins June 9 at either library building or online.

Summer Kick-Off Party Volunteers

(N) Saturday, June 18, 1:45-3:15 p.m. (NENY244) (EN) Saturday, June 18, 1:45-3:15 p.m. (NENY245) Volunteers will assist young children and their families with activities celebrating the beginning of

summer. Open to students currently in grades 7-12.

Chess Club Volunteers

(N) Thursday, June 16, 6:45-8:00 p.m. (NENY246) (N) Thursday, July 14, 6:45-8:00 p.m. (NENY247)

Help children in grades 3-6 learn to play chess. A basic knowledge of the game is required for all volunteers. (Please select one date.)

Teen Volunteering 101

(EN) Monday, June 27, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

A variety of volunteer opportunities will be offered at the Library throughout the summer. This program is a prerequisite for all teens that are new to our volunteer programs. You must attend this session in order to volunteer at the Library this summer. (NENY248)

Lego Volunteers

(EN) Friday, July 1, 2:45-4:15 p.m. Earn volunteer credit while you assist children in grades 2-5 as they create Lego projects. (NENY249)

Wii Got Game

(N) Thursday, July 7, 2:45-4:15 p.m. Teach children how to play Nintendo Wii games and help run a tournament. (NENY250)

Crafty Teens

(N) Friday, July 8, 9:45-12:00 noon (NENY251) (EN) Thursday, July 14, 2:45-4:15 p.m. (NENY252) (N) Thursday, July 21, 3:15-5:30 p.m. (NENY253) Help children create a craft while you earn volunteer

credit. (Please select one date.)

Wing-It Wednesdays

(EN) July 20, 2:45-4:15 p.m. Volunteers will assist young children with a variety of arts and crafts projects. (NENY254)

Board Game Bonanza I

(N) Friday, July 22, 10:45-12:15 p.m. Earn volunteer credit while you teach children how to play board games. (NENY255)

Summer Salon for Kidz

(N) Monday, July 25, 3:15-4:30 p.m. Have fun and earn volunteer credit while you polish a little one's fingernails and toenails. (NENY256)

Reading Buddies

(EN) Tuesday, July 26, 10:45-11:30 a.m.

Read to a child or listen as a child practices reading to you. (NENY257)



Teen Summer Programs

Registration for the following teen summer programs begins June 16 at either library building or online. These programs are open to students entering grades 6-12.



Killer Quesadillas I

(EN) Tuesday, June 28, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Who doesn't love the taste of gooey melted cheese pressed between a flour tortilla? Learn how to make this classic Mexican snack food. A non-refundable materials fee of \$4 is payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY219)

Manga Madness



(N) Wednesday, June 29, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Enjoy reading graphic novels? Local artist and graphic designer David Miller will teach you how to draw in the Japanese style of manga. (NENY220)

Welcome 6th Graders

(N) Thursday, June 30, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

If you are entering 6th grade this fall, this program is just for you. Join us for an assortment of craft activities and Wii games to welcome you to the Teen Services Department. (NENY221)

Bejeweled Leather Wristlet

(EN) Tuesday, July 5, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Teens will revamp leather wristlets using chain pieces and faux gemstones. This program introduces techniques in simple jewelry-making that can then be used for other projects. A non-refundable \$4 materials fee is payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY222)

Ice Cream Sandwiches I

(N) Wednesday, July 6, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Start your summer fun by creating ice cream sandwiches using homemade waffles and ice cream. A non-refundable \$3 materials fee is payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY223)



Bandana Tote Bag

(N) Thursday, July 7, 7:00-8:00 p.m. Learn how to make a cute tote bag out of two bandanas. No sewing is required. Just cut and knot! A non-refundable \$4 materials fee is payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY224)

Summer Fruit Smoothies I

(EN) Monday, July 11, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

There's nothing like a cool drink on a hot summer's day. Using fresh fruit and a blender, you'll sample delicious and nutritious smoothies. A non-refundable \$4 materials fee is payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY225)

T-Shirt Revamp Camp

(N) Tuesday, July 12, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Want to be eco-friendly and recycle your old t-shirts? Designer Kathryn Hunt will demonstrate techniques to cut and hand-sew easy projects with a basic supply list. Bring a plain t-shirt or two to revamp. (NENY226)

Teen Writer's Workshop

(N) Wednesday, July 13, 3:00-4:30 p.m. Do you love to write? Local author Marissa LaRocca will help you discover and develop your own unique voice in your writing. (NENY268)

Super Smash Brothers (N) Friday, July 15, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Do you have what it takes to be the best brawler? Come join your friends in this multi-player Super Smash Brothers Brawl competition. Gamestop gift cards will be awarded to the top players. (NENY227)

Italian Paninis I

(N) Monday, July 18, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Join Chef Jo-Ann Tiranno and learn how to make a classic Italian grilled sandwich, and then mix up delicious Italian sodas for the perfect alfresco delight. (NENY228)

Sushi Candy Workshop

(EN) Tuesday, July 19, 3:30-4:15 p.m. Train to be a candy sushi chef! Participants will create popular sushi pieces out of candy, cupcakes, and fruit snacks. (NENY229)



Henna Tattoo

(EN) Wednesday, July 20, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Learn about the history and significance of mehndi design, and then create a henna tattoo of your own. A permission form signed by a parent is required to attend this program. These forms are available at the East Northport Library circulation desk. (NENY230)

Flying Colors

(N) Thursday, July 21, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Design a logo, emblem, or family

crest to showcase your nationality on an easy-to-fly kite. Participants will receive a 24" Tyvek Sled kite to decorate with acrylic paints and permanent markers. Draw your unique image on the kite and then add color. Bring ideas and/or images that you would like to feature on your "flying colors" kite. A non-refundable \$5 materials fee is

payable within 3 days of registration. (NENY231)

Zentangle

(EN) Monday, July 25, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Zentangle is an easy-to-learn method of creating images from repetitive patterns. Teens will complete a design on a tile of handmade Italian

calligraphic paper using Micron pigment ink pens. A non-refundable materials fee of \$5 is payable within 3 days of registration, and each teen will receive their own kit to take home. (NENY232)

