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Worcester Public Library Launches Summer Reading June 4
Fun kickoff celebrations planned for June 4 - 24

Worcester, MA – Worcester Public Library’s (WPL) 2022 Summer Reading begins Saturday, June 4. The theme this year is “Read Beyond the Beaten Path” - with loads of free programs being offered through August 13, both in-person and virtually. Participants are eligible to win prizes for reading and participating in programs. All ages are invited to sign up for summer reading at any WPL location or at <https://mywpl.beanstack.org/>.

“With the theme of ‘Read Beyond the Beaten Path’ the WPL wants you to get out there and read!” said WPL Executive Director Jason Homer. “We want to encourage everyone to read outside of their comfort zones and experience something new. Whether it is a new and exciting imaginary world, the experiences of cultures and ethnicities other than your own, or learning more about your own place in this world, the WPL can help you find your next journey beyond your beaten path.”

The library will offer fun kickoff events at all seven locations. Join us Saturday, June 4 at the Main Library; Monday, June 6 at the Goddard Branch; Thursday, June 9 at the Burncoat Branch; Friday, June 10 at the Roosevelt Branch; Tuesday, June 14 at the Tatnuck Magnet Branch; Thursday, June 16 at the Great Brook Valley Branch; and Friday June 24 at the Frances Perkins Branch. For details on all of these events and many more visit: <https://mywpl.org/online-calendar>.

The June 4 event at the Main Library will also include a visit by Libby to celebrate the Mobile Library’s 10th birthday. Libby is on the road bringing library services to our community thanks to the support of the College of the Holy Cross.

Patrons from the Worcester Talking Book Library can also participate in the Summer Reading by signing up online or by calling 508-799-1730 for assistance.

The Summer Reading program is a fun and exciting way to keep the community reading. For more information contact Linnea Sheldon, Community Relations and Communications Manager, at 508-799-1654 or lseldon@mywpl.org. Check <http://www.mywpl.org/> for updates on the Summer Reading program, and for a complete listing of all programs, please visit: <https://mywpl.org/online-calendar>.

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