



Youth Services Programming

AUGUST 2026

#These Programs

Require Registration

To register, please arrive 15 minutes before the program starts and sign in at the Children's Room desk.



THE LIBRARY

utica public library

303 Genesee Street Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-2279 ext 4
www.uticapubliclibrary.org

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
CLOSED	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.	9:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.
2 Summer Reading Week 6 →	3 #Dino Night Lights 2:00 p.m.	4 Wiggle Worms Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	5 #Wild About Painting 10:30 a.m.	6 Zoomobile 2:30 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	7	1
9	10 Cool Down Cinema 1:00 p.m.	11 Seed & Weed Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	12 Blue Dog Day All Day First Source Lemonade Stand 10:30 a.m.	13 Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	14 Milestones Matter 10:30 a.m.	8 15 Show How Saturday 10-12:00 p.m. Summer Reading Tickets due! RAFFLE
16	17	18 Wiggle Worms Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	19 #DIY Book Bag 11:00 a.m. Dino Bingo 5:00 p.m.	20 Lego Club 3-4:00 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	21 History Center Storytime 10:30 a.m. #Ice Cream Making 2:30 p.m.	22
23	24 Cool Down Cinema 1:00 p.m. COMHPS 4:00 p.m.	25 Wiggle Worms Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	26	27 #Locker Clips 1:00 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	28 Milestones Matter 10:30 a.m.	29
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WINNERS NOTIFIED
MON, AUG 17

**SUMMER READING
ENDS AUGUST 8**
Return tickets before
Saturday, August 15 to
enter the raffle
drawing!

CREATION STATION

ALL MONTH LONG

Make an accordion pet! Choose a cow, dog, cat or unicorn, or design your own!

CREATIVE CRAFTS WITH COMHPS

MONDAY, AUG 24 4:00 P.M.

Join COMHPS (COMMUNITY Health Promotion and Support) for some fun crafts to support mental health. All Ages.

SPECIAL GUEST

WILD ABOUT PAINTING

Ages 8-12

Learn to create your own masterpiece and meet some animal friends!



#20 spots available. Please register.

UTICA ZOOMOBILE

For all ages.

Meet and learn about animals from the Utica Zoo!



FIRST SOURCE LEMONADE STAND

For ages 8-12.

Enjoy a hands on, interactive activity, and brainstorm what you need to create your own lemonade stand. You'll learn what it takes to run your own mini-business in order to make a profit, and enjoy the fruits of your labor with FREE lemonade at the end.



ICE CREAM MAKING

For ages 5-12.

Students learn how to make homemade ice cream and taste the final product.



#25 spots available. Please register.

Storytime

WIGGLE WORMS STORYTIME

For ages 2-6

Visit us on Tuesday mornings for stories, songs, fingerplays and crafts.



#25 spots available. Please register.

SEED AND WEED STORYTIME

For ages 3-6.

Join the Seed and Weed Gardening Club for stories and an activity about gardening.



MILESTONES MATTER

For ages 5 and under.

Enjoy stories and songs to get you moving. We will be joined by special instruction teachers to help us wiggle! This storytime is brought to us by the Oneida County Special Children's Services.



HISTORY CENTER STORYTIME

For ages 4-8.

Enjoy stories and a craft celebrating the Dog Days of Summer!



Hosted at The Oneida County History Center
1608 Genesee St, Utica, NY 13502

DINO NIGHT LIGHTS

For ages 5-12.

Put together mini plastic dinosaurs, decorations, and a tealight in a jar to make your own dino nightlight.



#10 spots available. Please register.

COOL DOWN CINEMA

For all ages.

Beat the heat with an afternoon movie in the Children's Room!

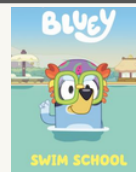


Please call for more movie info.

BLUE DOG DAY

For all ages.

Drop into the children's room for self-directed activities and crafts all themed around our favorite blue dog from down under! Children can enter a drawing to win a gift basket.



SHOW HOW SATURDAY

For ages 7-12.

Hop over to the library for a laid-back crafting session! Learn how to draw a collection of realistic animals and mythical creatures!



DIY BOOK BAGS

For ages 5-17.

Design your own canvas tote bag to hold all of your library books.



#10 spots available. Please register.

DINO BINGO

For ages 8-14.

Create your own dinosaur bingo card, play several rounds of bingo, and win small prizes.



LEGO CLUB

For ages 6-12.

Free build or take on this month's themed challenge:

Aquatic August!



LOCKER CLIPS

For ages 10-17.

Make your own customized locker clips to hang up pictures or other fun things in your school locker!



#15 spots available. Please register.

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