



Crazy Days of Summer at GPL

The 2023 Summer Reading Program has been a smashing success through the month of June... and we're just getting started!

The first month has already crushed our previous record of over 400 kids signing up for the entirety of the 2022 program with nearly 500 joining in by the time this article was written. Adults are excitedly turning in reading slips hand over fist as well, eager to win the prize of their choosing. All-in-all, things at GPL are going swimmingly!

July brings another month of reading and programming for all ages. In addition to the adult programs highlighted inside this newsletter, we have Family Fun Days, Lego Club, Storytimes, and School-Age programs all month long.

The summer fun will conclude with our 3rd Annual Carnegie Carnival August 2 at 11 a.m. on the front lawn. This free event will feature bounce houses, games, popcorn and prizes galore! The Children's and Young Adult Summer Reading grand prizes will be

awarded, but you need not attend in order to win. Winners will be contacted before the carnival so arrangements can be made for pickup, if needed.

If you haven't signed up yet, it's still not too late! For kids, stop by the Circulation Desk for your reading trackers, and adults can pick up reading slips at the prize display on the first floor across from the desk. All entries must be received by the end of the day on July 28. Good luck and keep reading!

Live Online Paint: Sunset Sailboat



Get in touch with your inner Bob Ross with our upcoming painting event! This program will be held on Thursday, July 6 at 10:30 a.m. in the third floor conference room.

All of the supplies will be provided as you follow along with the video to create your very own Sunset Sailboat painting. Aprons are not among the provided materials, so we recommend bringing your own or wearing clothing you don't mind getting messy.

This program is only open to 10 patrons, so registration is required. Registration began on June 19, and will likely fill up fast, so get your name in soon!

July Movie Matinee



You can register by calling the Reference Desk at (937) 548-3915. If the event becomes full, we will announce the news on our Facebook page as well as on the Events page on our website, greenville-publiclibrary.org.

In honor of the cult classic film's 45th anniversary, GPL will be showing *Grease*, starring John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John, on Thursday, July 20 at 1 p.m.

The film is rated PG with a run time of 1 hr 50 min. Patrons are welcome to bring their own movie snacks and drinks. We hope to see you there!

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Power of Attorney documents & Living Wills

On Tuesday, July 18, Lovett & House Law Office will be at GPL to discuss the documents you need if you are unable to make your own health care decisions. This program will be held at 10 a.m. in the third floor conference room.

An attorney will address the importance of the Health Care Power of Attorney and the Living Will, both of which ensure your wishes are carried out in the event of serious accident or illness at any time of life. They will also discuss how Living Trusts help your beneficiaries avoid the fees, delays, and publicity of probate, as well as Medicaid Planning.

At the conclusion of the program, a representative from Lovett & House will prepare your Health Care POA and Living Will for you for free. If there are too many people to complete that day, an appointment can be made with their Kettering office at no charge. This is a free event and registration is not required to attend.



Kickoff winner announced

GPL would like to congratulate Pearl Schwartz, the lucky winner of our Summer Kickoff Prize Basket!

We would also like to thank everyone who came out to make our Kickoff event such a huge success!



Summer Fun at Greenville Public Library!



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