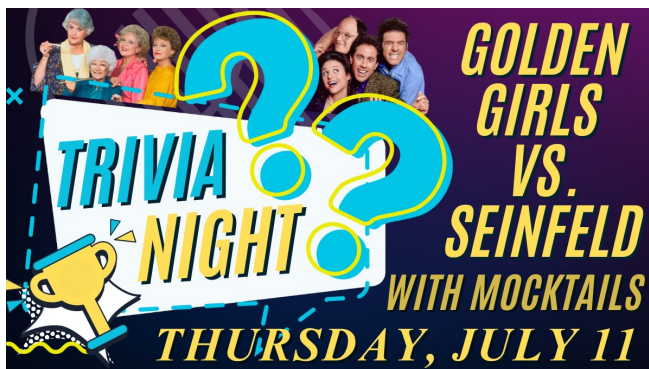


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The "Adventure Begins at Your Library" Summer Reading Program is in full swing! There's still plenty of time to participate. If you haven't signed up yet, visit www.btpl.org/summer, or stop in at any one of the Library's Service Desks to begin your summer adventure!

Adult Services Programs @ the Library



[The Golden Girls vs. Seinfeld Trivia Night with Mocktails](#)

Thursday, July 11, Doors open at 6 p.m.; Game begins at 6:30 p.m.

Registration is required. Get ready to answer questions based on both iconic shows. Form a team of up to six and register in advance. Themed mocktails and snacks will be provided. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team.

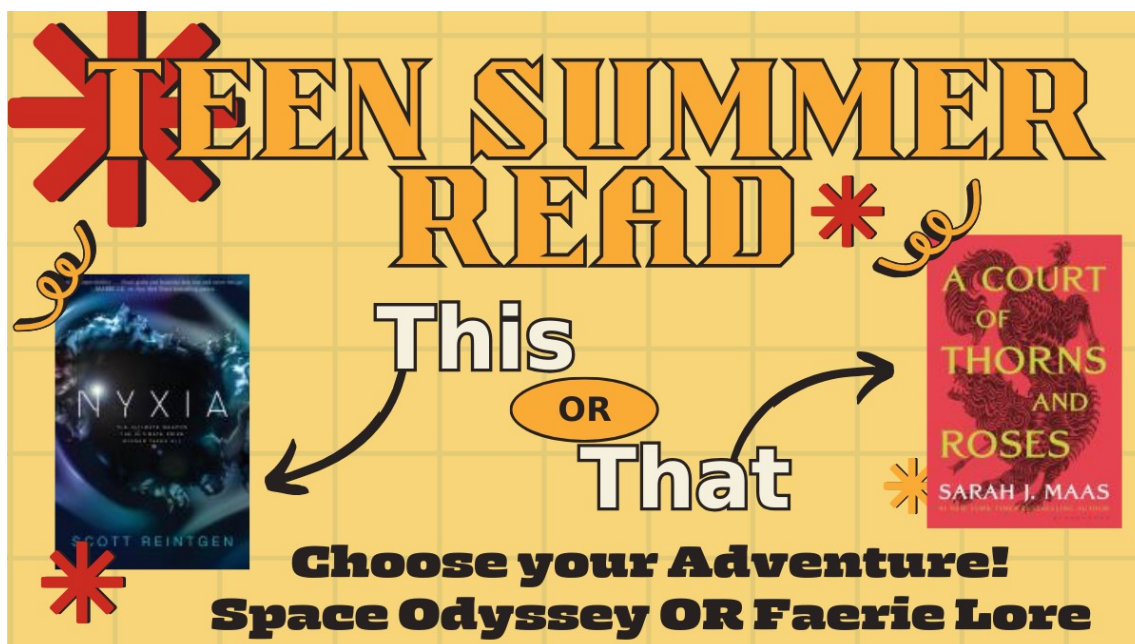


Houseplant and Seed Swap

Saturday, July 13, 2 p.m.

Registration is required. Come to the Library for a houseplant and seed swap. Please bring in your saved seeds or healthy plants rooted in dirt or loose cuttings and be ready to trade with others.

Teen Summer Fun @ the Library



Teen Summer Read: *Nyxia* and *A Court of Thorns and Roses* Series

Read along with other teens this summer. Multiple copies of books in both series are available. Each book read from one of these series counts double in your Beanstack summer reading app!

- ***Nyxia* series by Scott Reintgen** – Recruited by a mysterious corporation for a mission in outer space, an ordinary teen joins a group of fellow travelers, each of whom must earn the right to travel down to a paradise planet where the universe's most valuable mineral has been discovered.
- ***A Court of Thorns and Roses* series by Sarah J. Maas** – Dragged off to a treacherous magical land as retribution for killing a wolf, huntress Feyre learns that her captor, Tamlin, is one of the lethal, immortal faeries who once ruled her world.



Teen Adventure Duck Hunt

Wednesday, July 10, 3 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

No registration is required. Go on an adventure duck hunt! Search inside the Library for ducks. If you find a special duck, you win a prize. Kick-off is at 3 p.m., and the hunt ends at 4:30 p.m. or while supplies last. Limit three ducks per person. Prizes are for teens ages 13 – 18.



Crafting Conversations for Teens:

Beaded Charm Bracelet Bar

Wednesday, July 24, 2:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

No registration is required. Stop by the Library with your friends to gather supplies and create your own *A Court of Thorns and Roses* inspired beaded bracelet. Teens are welcome to select beads to take home and make, or stay and create with other teens.

Summer Events in Youth Services

Visit www.btpl.org/events for more information on all of the Library's upcoming Youth programs, or check out the links below!



Outdoor Family Story Times

Thursday, July 11, 11 a.m.

Monday, July 15, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, July 24, 11 a.m.

No registration is required. For families of all ages. Join us outside for story time on the Youth Terrace. Cozy up together for stories, songs, movement, and more. In inclement weather, Story Time will be held inside.

Construction Club: Build or Bust!

Tuesday, July 16, 7 p.m.

No registration is required. Junior architects, ages 5 and up, are invited to join us for building fun with LEGO bricks, giant blocks, MAGNA-TILES, Lincoln Logs, and more.





Disney Movies through the Ages

Wednesday, July 17, 6:30 p.m. – Up (PG)

No registration is required. Bring a blanket and cozy up to watch Disney movies from the '90s to today. Popcorn and water provided, but you may bring your own nut-free snacks. Additional movies will be shown in August. Check www.btpl.org/events for more information.

Splash Bash

Thursday, July 25, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.

No registration is required. Drop-in water play fun for ages 1 – 3 years, on the Youth Terrace. There will be splashy activities so be prepared to get a little wet. Towels and swimsuits are welcome. If the weather is bad, we will try to reschedule for another date outside.



Tales on the Trails at the Johnson Nature Center

Monday, July 29, 2 p.m.

Registration is required. Join us for a hiking story time adventure on the trails at the Johnson Nature Center. Stories, songs, and activities on the move for families of all ages. Meet in front of the Visitor's Center.

UPCOMING EVENTS



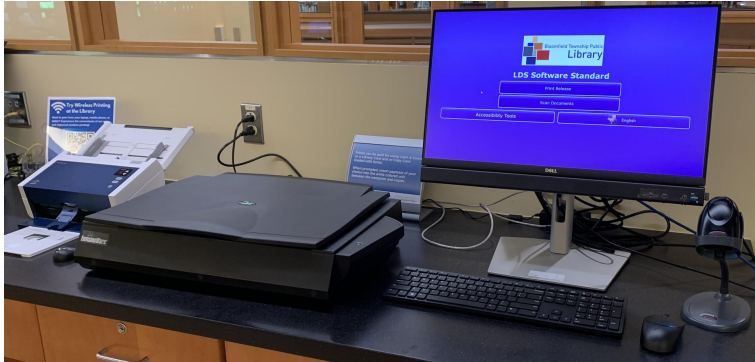
Visit our [Calendar of Events](#) for upcoming programs at the Library including:

- [English Language Conversation Group](#), Fridays, 10 a.m. – 12 noon
- [Tots and Friends Playtime](#), Fridays, 10 a.m. – 12 noon
- [Classics Book Club](#), Tuesday, July 16, 7 p.m.
- [Google Apps](#), Wednesday, July 17, 5:30 p.m.
- [Microsoft Excel I](#), Tuesday, July 23, and [Microsoft Excel II](#), Tuesday, July 30, 5:30 p.m.

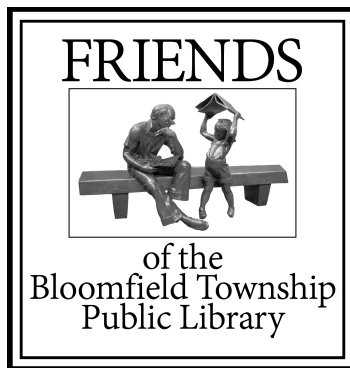


**NEW BOOKS
FOR JULY**

New Services @ the Library



The Library is excited to introduce a new **Library Document Station** in the Computer Center that allows patrons to easily print, copy, and scan documents to USB, email, or fax. Visit the Computer Help Desk for assistance and enjoy these enhanced services!



Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Library will hold their next **Second Saturday Sale**, Saturday, July 13, from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., with a members-only sale period from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. ([memberships available](#) at the door). Please bring a bag or box for your purchase. Donations are also being accepted in the Book Donation Room on the west end of the building during the Library's open hours. For the most up-to-date Friends information, please visit their [Facebook page](#) or the [library's website](#).

Library Hours

The Library building is open. Please visit www.btpl.org for up-to-date information.

M-Th: 9:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Fri: 9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Sat: 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sun: Noon - 5:30 p.m.

Holiday Closings

The Library will be closed Sunday, September 1, and Monday, September 2, in observance of Labor Day.

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