

# Summer Programs at Benbrook Public Library

**Adulting 101**

Hone the skills necessary for navigating the adult world.

**All About Animals:**

Our unique and friendly animals are available to educate the whole family.

**Audio Bingo:**

Bingo with a twist - instead of calling out boring old numbers, we'll play audio clips of songs, movies, and more! **\*At 3 Parrots Taco Shop**

**Baby Sign:**

A basic storytime format to support you and your baby as you learn helpful signs.

**Baby Sensory:**

Let your baby explore freely using their developing senses with our sensory stations.

**Big Games:**

Checkers and Jenga, but BIG!

**Bilingual Storytime:**

This storytime in both English and Spanish!.

**Bluebonnet Kick-Off:**

Join us to preview new titles & make crafts!

**Book Babies:**

Connect with your baby through songs, finger-plays, and stories.

**Brett Roberts:**

The Gone Fishing Bubble Show is full of bubbles and fish-themed magic.

**Buzz About Bees:**

Join beekeeper and storyteller Kim Lehman for this fun-filled program about honey bees.

**Closing Party:**

Our last Fun Friday of the year -- join us for snow cones and other outdoor fun.

**Code Club (Registration Required):**

Learn the basics of coding during this fun gamified program!

**Crafternoon:**

Crafts and casual conversation!

**Dan Parr :**

An award-winning singer, songwriter, and DJ whose lyrics are fun and thought-provoking.

**Escape Room (Registration Required):**

Put your puzzle-solving and teamwork skills to the test and race against the clock in a themed escape room.

**Explore & Play:**

Start the morning with open-ended free play to spark your child's imagination!

**Family Fort Night (Registration Required):**

Build a fort with your family at the library!

**Fun Friday Parties:**

Drop in for parties with a different theme each week (space, bubbles, etc.).

**James Wand:**

Come see the hilarious show about the world's only spy magician.

**Japanese Culture Club:**

Celebrate and learn about Japanese culture!

**Jigsaw Puzzle Competition (Registration Required):**

Puzzle lovers unite! Teams of 2-5 can compete in a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle contest! There will be prizes and snacks.

**Karaoke:**

Be ready to sing your best tune and rock the stage! Gather your friends and sing your heart out! Snacks will be provided.

**Mad Scientist:**

Stop by for an interactive science show!

**Maricela & Friends**

Be entertained with singing puppeteer Maricela!

**Minute to Win It:**

Get ready to see if you have what it takes to win!

**Move & Shake:**

Get ready to move and make noise at this storytime! We'll play with shakers, scarves, and bells.

**Music, Movement, & Me:**

Children will learn basic music terminology with singing, dancing, and fun rhymes at this great class hosted by Miss Donna!

**Nancy & Friends:**

Join award-winning ventriloquist, Nancy, and her puppet friends for a fun and lively themed show.

**Play on Swords:**

A Play On Swords will test your readiness for a potential zombie outbreak!

**Pokémon Club:**

Trade cards & befriend other Pokémon fans!

**Puppet Karaoke:**

Decorate your own sock puppet and sing out loud in front of the crowd!

**Robb Holladay:**

A wacky puppet and balloon show!

**Robotics (Registration Required):**

Be part of a team as you build and code a robot!

**Snapology (Registration Required):**

Robotics and coding + LEGOs!

**Star Party:**

Learn about the night sky with the Fort Worth Astronomy Society for families.

**Storytime:**

Join us for fun books, songs, and crafts based on a weekly theme.

**Taste Test:**

Is it good? Is it gross? Try the snacks and decide!

**Teen Matinée**

Join us for an interactive showing of *Encanto*!

**Teen Scene:**

Join us for an evening of unscripted fun! In this improv workshop, we'll play silly games!

**Teen Trivia:**

Compete in teams and take on questions. We'll have prizes for the winners!

**Tiny Food Party:**

Come watch *The BFG*; feel like a giant while you eat tiny foods!

**Trashcan Basketball:**

Dribble, dunk, and toss crumpled paper at this trashketball tournament!

**Trivia Night:**

Compete in teams of 2-8 people and take on questions on pop culture, history, general knowledge, and more. We'll have prizes for the winners! **\*At 3 Parrots Taco Shop**

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All library programs are FREE!

# Growing Together

## Benbrook Public Library Summer Reading Program 2023





June 2023						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1065 Mercedes St. Benbrook, TX 76126  <b>HOURS</b> Mon–Thu: 8am–8pm Fri–Sat: 10am–5pm Sun: Closed	<b>Ages</b> <div> <div>0–2</div> <div>2–7</div> <div>8–12</div> <div>12–17</div> <div>18+</div> <div>all</div> </div>			1 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime	2 10:30 am Music, Movement, & Me 11:15 am Music, Movement, & Me 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required	3 2–3 pm Snapology Registration Required
4 Week 1 Theme: Colors 	5 9:30 am Move & Shake 10:30 am Book Babies 1:30–3:30 pm Robotics Registration Required 5 pm Pokémon Club	6 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Puppet Karaoke 	7 9:30 am Baby Sign 10:30 am Book Babies 2 pm Trashcan Basketball	8 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Dan Parr 3 pm Dan Parr 5 pm Japanese Culture Club	9 10:30 am Art Time 1–2 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required	10
11 Week 2 Theme: Numbers 	12 9:30 am Move & Shake 10:30 am Book Babies 1:30–3:30 pm Robotics Registration Required	13 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 11:00 am Bilingual Storytime 2 pm Big Games	14 9:30 am Baby Sensory 10:30 am Book Babies 2 pm Teen Scene	15 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Mad Scientist 3 pm Mad Scientist	16 10:30 am Space Party 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required 4–7 pm Escape Room Registration Required 	17 10 am–5 pm Escape Room Registration Required
18 Week 3 Theme: Farm 	19 9:30 am Move & Shake 10:30 am Book Babies 1:30–3:30 pm Robotics Registration Required	20 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm BFG Tiny Food Party	21 9:30 am Baby Sign 10:30 am Book Babies 2 pm Taste Test 7:30 Trivia Night @ 3 Parrots	22 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm All About Animals 3 pm All About Animals	23 10:30 am Farm Party 1–2 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required	24 11 am Adulting 101: Self Defense Registration Required
25 Week 4 Theme: Music & Dance 	26 9:30 am Move & Shake 10:30 am Book Babies 1:30–3:30 pm Robotics Registration Required	27 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 11:00 am Bilingual Storytime 2 pm Pokémon Club	28 9:30 am Baby Sensory 10:30 am Book Babies 2 pm Teen Trivia	29 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Nancy & Friends 3 pm Nancy & Friends	30 10:30 am Dance Party 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required 8–10 pm Star Party 	

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16 Week 7 Theme: Ocean 	17 9:30 am Move & Shake 10:30 am Book Babies 1:30–3:30 pm Robotics Registration Required	18 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Tween Crafternoon	19 9:30 am Baby Sign 10:30 am Book Babies 2 pm Teen Matinée 4 pm Bluebonnet Kick-Off 7:30 Trivia Night @ 3 Parrots	20 9:30 am Explore & Play 10:30 am Storytime 2 pm Robb Holladay 3 pm Robb Holladay 5 pm Adulting 101: Kitchen & Cooking	21 10:30 am Bubble Party 1–2 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3 pm Snapology Registration Required 2–3:30 pm Code Club Registration Required 6–8 pm Family Fort Night Registration Required	22
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