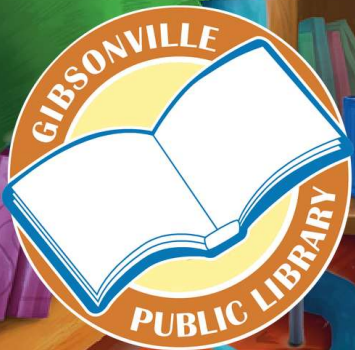


**SUMMER READING 2026**

# **UNEARTH** **A STORY™**



**JUNE 22 -  
AUGUST 1**

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# IN THE LIBRARY

## June 22 - August 1

### Weekdays @ Noon

Each day is geared for specific ages, details on last page. Bring a lunch or make one at the library. Kids under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

### Special Saturday Events

July 18: 'Dinosaur' Tech  
Petting Zoo

August 1: Summer Wrap-up  
Party

# AROUND TOWN

## Juneteenth Celebration

June 20 from 11:00 – 4:00 at  
Murrell Park (315 Tenth St)

## Scavenger Hunt

Look for six Dino Prints  
downtown (June 22-July 31).

## Fourth of July

Look for the Book Bike  
11:00-1:00 Downtown

# READING TRACKER & GOALS

Track your summer reading minutes online at  
[gibsonville.readsquared.com](http://gibsonville.readsquared.com)

**Bonus Reading Tracker:** Log 400 minutes on the  
Books & Bundts form and take to Nothing Bundt  
Cakes on University Drive for a Free Bundtlet!



## HELP US MEET OUR READING GOALS!

Let's see how many minutes  
we can all read this summer  
and unlock fun rewards!

### Rewards for hitting our Summer Reading Goals as a Library!

2,000 minutes- Water fight  
4,000 minutes-Field Day  
8,000 minutes- Ice Cream Party  
12,000- Pizza Party

# LUNCH - LAUGH - LEARN



Thanks to the support of local businesses and community organizations, we will offer lunch as a part of all of our weekday Summer Reading programs!  
You are welcome to bring your own lunch, or have what we're having.

**SMO - Centre Stage - Nadia's Alterations  
Scapegoat Seasonings - First Baptist Church Gibsonville - Gibsonville UMC**

## SCAVENGER HUNT

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- 5 .....
- 6 .....



**All Dino Hunters!  
Find the locations of all 6 dino prints around downtown Gibsonville and complete this form. Bring to the Library for a PRIZE!**

## ***SUMMER ACTIVITIES BY AGE GROUP***

This summer there's something for everyone at the library -and dinosaurs are taking over! Our school-age activities are scheduled at lunch-time, so you can bring your lunch or make one here. Kids under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

### **Summer Storytimes Ages 0-5 (Birth-PreK) Tuesdays @ 10:00 am**

Little ones and their grown-ups will sing, enjoy a dino-story and stay to play and craft.

### **Living Like a Dino Ages 6-12 (Kindergarten-5th) Mondays @ 12:00 pm**

We will add to our dino knowledge each week as we create habitats for our very own dinosaurs.

### **Short Film Challenge Ages 13-18 (Middle/High School) Thursdays @ 12:00 pm**

We have just 6 weeks to write, design, film and edit a short in time to screen it at the wrap party!

## ***ALL AGES & FAMILY ACTIVITIES***

Friends of all ages are invited to join us for prehistoric fun on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays every week of Summer Reading! There's something different to do each day, which means you can mix and match the days and activities that work for you. Bring your lunch or make one here, kids under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

### **Tuesdays @ 12:00 pm**

A different dinosaur themed craft or activity each week, including:

- DIY Dino Prints
- Creating Clay Fossils
- Prehistoric Chalk Art
- Comic Strip Creations
- Paint a Pet Rock
- Lego Challenge & MORE!

### **Wednesdays @ 12:00 pm**

Take a break to beat the heat with a low-key lunch and learn. We'll share a meal and queue up a different dino documentary each week to learn all about: Plants & Dinosaurs, Strongest Dinosaurs, Secrets of the Dinosaurs & MORE!

### **Fridays @ 12:00 pm**

It's Trivia Time! Test your Dino knowledge with us... until we start to unlock bonus activities by hitting our Summer Reading Goals - First Goal is 2,000 minutes for a Squirt Gun Fight!

### **Saturday July 18 -- 'Dinosaur' Tech Petting Zoo!**

Drop in anytime 10am-3pm to see our collection of "real fossils"! Parents and grandparents will have fun sharing stories of the distant past when "dinosaurs" like typewriters, landlines, and Pong ruled the Earth.

### **Saturday August 1 -- Summer Wrap-up Party**

Families are encouraged to come see what our school-age groups have been working on this summer. Watch a short film created in just 6 weeks by local teens and experience dino habitats built over the course of the summer.