

Coy Public Library Summer Learning Program 2026



Registration is encouraged for all programs, required for camps
Call, visit the library, or visit our webpage to register.

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Library Hours:
Mon: 9am-8pm
Tue: 9am-8pm
Wed: 9am-8pm
Thu: 9am-8pm
Fri: 9am-5pm
Sat: 9am-5pm (through 6/6)
Sat: 9am-1pm (starting 6/13)
Sun: Closed

Closed 5/25, 7/3, 7/4, 8/29

All About Our 2026 Summer Learning Program!

Read for fun and enjoy free activities! Registration for our reading challenge opens May 1st at shipreads.org. Choose to log minutes or days of reading. Pick which program you would like to complete, and sign up! The goals are to read for either 60 days of the summer, or a set number of minutes based on your age. Ages 0-18 earn tokens along the way and everyone earns extra raffle entries for extra reading! Track reading online, with the Beanstack mobile app, or using our paper tracking sheets. Log your reading from June 1st-August 10th! The raffle baskets will be available to view at our Awards Party at 6:00 pm on Tuesday August 11th, and we will draw winners then! Those not in attendance will be entered into a separate raffle. The tokens will be redeemable at the Tokens to Trophies Prize Shop, open at the Awards Party or by appointment through August 22nd! Earn extra tokens by sharing books read on the Youth Services Book Adventures Map, attending Camps, Performers, and Regular Programs!

GO Cumberland

Between June 1st and August 15th, hike selected parks throughout Cumberland County, find the secret code and log it into Beanstack, and earn prizes! Booklets with more information are available at the library. Sponsored by Wellspan Health

Weekly Programs

Baby and Me | Ages 0 - 2 | Mon 9:45 am | Fri 9:45am | June 8 - August 14

Join us for a short board book, songs, and play time!

Summer Storytime | Ages 3 - 5 | Mon 10:30am | Fri 10:30am | June 8 - August 14

We will read 1-2 short picture books, and finish with fun activities!

Build With Me Storytime | Ages 3 - 5 | Mon 11:15am | Fri 11:15am | June 8 - August 14

Join us as we read a story then use blocks or other materials to build something related to it each week!

Elementary Storytime | Ages 5 - 10 | Wed 1:00pm | June 10 - August 12

Join us for 1-2 books and fun activities!

Chapter Book Club | Ages 7 - 12 | Every other Wed 6:00 - 7:00pm |

June 10 & 24 | July 8 & 22 | August 5

Join us as we read through chapters between meetings and come together every other week for discussion/activities related to what we've been reading.

Teen Crochet Club | Ages 10-17 | Mondays 1:00-2:00pm | June 8 - August 10

Join us for a fun-filled crochet workshop where you'll learn the basics of crochet stitches and techniques. No experience necessary!

Teen Chess Club | Ages 8-18 | Mondays 2:30-4:00pm | June 8 - August 10

Join us for Teen Chess Club! Whether you know how to play or want to learn, this club is open for both.

Gaming Club | Ages 10 - 18 | Tuesdays 2:00-4:00pm | June 16 - August 4

Join us for card games, board games, trivia, video games, and socialization with other teens!

Teen Book Club | Ages 12 - 18 | Every Other Wednesdays 5:00-6:00pm |

June 10 & 24 | July 8 & 22 | August 5

Join us as we read through chapters between meetings then come together to discuss and do activities related to what we're reading!

Teen Scene | Ages 12 - 18 | Thursdays 1:00-2:00pm | June 11 - August 13

Hang out, eat snacks, and enjoy activities such as games, movies, and more!

Preschool Mini Camps

Space is limited, **registration required!** Mini, 1-hour camps for ages 3-5 and their parent/caregiver.

Wednesdays 10am & 4pm or Thursdays 10am & 6pm

Dino Explorers Preschool Mini Camp | June 3 & 4

Stomp, roar, and explore! We will travel back in time to meet some amazing dinosaurs through stories, songs, simple games, and hands-on activities!

Walk Like An Egyptian Preschool Mini Camp | June 24 & 25

Through hands-on activities, imaginative play, music, and movement, campers will "Walk Like Egyptians" as they discover the pyramids, pharaohs, hieroglyphics, and more.

Wiggly Wombats Preschool Mini Camp | July 8 & 9

Wiggle, wobble, and have fun! We will dive into the delightful world of wombats through stories, movement, music, and hands-on activities!

Regular Camps

Space is limited, **registration required!** Registration open April 27 - May 17. Sign up with your camp preferences. As we fill the camps, we do our best to admit every child into at least one camp (or more if space permits). We will contact you during the last two weeks of May with what camp(s) you were admitted to.

Camps held 9:30-11:30 am on Wednesdays (Grade K-3) & Thursdays (Grade 4-8)

Unearth Your Story: Design Your Own Time Capsule Camp | June 10 (K-3) & 11 (4th-8th)

What do you want your future self to know and remember about life in 2026? Come unearth your own story to save in a time capsule for your future you.

Jurassic Journey Camp | June 17 (K-3rd) & 18 (4th - 8th).

Travel back in time and explore the amazing world of dinosaurs with dinosaur-themed crafts. Fun dinosaur facts and games!

Time Travelers: Journey Through America's Past Camp | July 15 (K-3rd) & 16 (4th - 8th).

Step back in time and explore the events, places, and people that shaped our nation into what it is today. We'll also discover meaningful ways to celebrate this great country as it approaches its 250th anniversary.

Sparkle & Stone Explorers | July 22 (K-3rd) & 23 (4th-8th).

Join us at the library for a hands-on camp designed especially for curious kids who love rocks, crystals, and treasures from the earth!

Shipwreck Sleuths and Treasure Trackers Camp | July 29 (K-3rd) & July 30 (4th-8th).

Come investigate with us how to survive the most treacherous maritime disasters in history and discover the most tantalizing treasures around the world.

Special Camps

Space is limited, **registration required!**

Passport: Lost Cities Beneath Our Feet Camp | June 15 (Ages 6-8) & June 16 (Ages 9-11) | 10:00-11:30am

Come explore what happened to ancient buried cities. The younger group will learn all about how the eruption of Mount Vesuvius buried Pompeii and Herculaneum. The older group will learn how Petra slowly faded due to trade routes changing and how Oxyrhynchus was slowly preserved by the desert sand.

Leading the Way: American Girls Who Shaped Our Nation's History Camp | Ages 6-12 | July 6 & 7 10:00-11:30am

Girls shape history! On the first day, we will learn about Felicity during the Revolutionary War and Caroline during the War of 1812. The second day we will learn how both Nanea and Molly helped during World War 2. Each day will be different so attend one day or both days!

Unearth the Mesozoic Era STEAM Camp (Multi-Day) | August 3-5 (Ages 6-11) & August 6 & 7 (Ages 12-18) | 9:30-11:30am

Ever wonder how scientists know what dinosaurs look like? Come explore the jobs of paleontology, paleoartist, and archaeology! We will unearth dinosaur fossils and try our hand at being a paleoartist. Each day will be a different focus, so attend all or one of the days.

Teen Camps (Ages 12-18)

Paleo Cache: Mapping the Past With GPS Camp | June 18 | 1:00-3:00pm | Space is limited, registration required!

Come join us in our geocaching treasure hunt to find all the clue words to reveal the location of the library's secret treasure. Who will find it first? Will it be you?

Lost & Found on Route 66 | July 16 | 1:00-3:00pm | Space is limited, registration required!

Hit the road without leaving the library! In this 2-hour interactive camp, teens will explore the history, culture, and weirdly wonderful stories of Route 66—America's most famous highway. Perfect for curious teens who love history, travel, and a little nostalgia.

Performers and Family Camps

All ages welcome. Join us at the library for our Tuesday evening performances! Outdoors (weather-permitting), bring a blanket or chairs to enjoy.

Dino-Mite Kickoff - Dino Duo - Mr. Mike and Dr. Bob | June 9 | 6:00pm

Register to secure your spot and reserve your family snack pack, craft supplies, and a spot to enjoy our kickoff entertainment of Dino Duo with Mr. Mike and Dr. Bob. Visit all 4 stations to complete an activities card (1 per family). Place cards into a raffle to win a gift basket for your family!

Science Heroes "Digging it" | June 16 | 6:00pm

Unearth your curiosity as we dig into the incredible science that's all around us!

If you didn't already love science, you'll really 'dig it' after experiencing Science Heroes! Like all our programs, "Digging It!" features tons of audience interaction and opportunities for your children to volunteer.

Jurassic Bricks Family Camp | June 23 | 6:00pm

Travel back to the age of dinosaurs at the library! In Dinosaur LEGO® Family Camp, participants will use their creativity and engineering skills to design and build prehistoric worlds, towering dinosaurs, and imaginative habitats using LEGO® bricks

River Barry - Bubble Magician | June 30 | 6:00pm

A One-of-a-Kind Magic Act Combining Bubbles, Magic, and Wonder. Combining bubbles, magic, and dance, his passion for people and exceptional understanding of their behavior have helped him create an extraordinary magic act.

Bingo-Saurus Rex Family Camp | July 7 | 6:00pm

Get ready to ROAR into fun! At Dinosaur Bingo Family Camp, you will stomp back in time to the age of the dinosaurs while playing exciting rounds of bingo to win prehistoric prizes!

The Amazing Magi Presents Dinomania and the Power of Reading | July 14 | 6:00pm

Michael Reist delivers an experience that is not only super fun and incredibly amazing, but also filled with audience interaction and laughter!

A-Roar-Able Family Movie Night | July 21 | 6:00pm

Join us at the library for a roar-some dinosaur movie, The Land Before Time! Sit back, relax, and enjoy a prehistoric adventure on the big screen—perfect for dino fans of all ages. Snacks, fun, and fossil-sized excitement await!

ZooAmerica - Library Zoo Out Reach Program | July 28 | 6:00pm

Through their outreach programs, experience animal encounters up close and learn all about their species. Enjoy an exciting presentation that includes our ambassador animals, natural history information, and a conservation message for a truly adventure-filled Zoo experience.

Tricera-Top Tie-Dye Family Camp | August 4 | 6:00pm or 6:30pm

Add some color to your life! Bring your family to the library for a tie-dye program.

Bring 1 t-shirt or other white item per person to dye.

Dino Palooza Awards Party | August 11 | 6:00pm

Join us for free pizza, awards, and celebration! The Tokens to Trophies Prize Shop will be open for participants to redeem their tokens for exciting prizes!

Special Programs

Touch-a-Truck & the Library Duck Derby | May 30 | 10:00am-2:00pm

Stuffed Animal Sleepover | Ages 2-8 | June 18 | 5:00pm

Bring a stuffed animal friend for a special storytime, and then leave them at the library for a fun night of sleepover activities! Pick them up the next day, and catch up on all their fun.

American Girl Tea Party: Back to School | Ages 5-11 | August 13 | 4:00-6:00pm

Come join us for our American Girl: Back to School tea party! Bring your doll for a special doll sized craft, tea, and snacks! Registration is required and spaces are limited.