

RHOME PUBLIC LIBRARY presents
SUMMER READING CHALLENGE—Universe of Stories—Planets & Stars
Special Event: Perot TECH Truck

Special STEAM activity!!

PEROT TECH TRUCK, Saturday, July 13, open between 12 noon to 2 p.m. Come & Go!

The **TECH Truck** brings hands-on discovery directly to the youth of Wise County. Walk-up activities that range from 10 – 20 minutes will provide hands-on experiences. The Perot Museum brings the inspiration and innovation of the Museum into communities via the **TECH Truck**—a mobile discovery lab where you can **Tinker, Engineer, Create and Hack** right in your own neighborhood. Kids and caregivers share the thrill of discovery that’s so essential to fostering confidence and creativity in STEAM subjects. No registration required.

Special program to encourage your child to read!

The Tail Waggin’ Tutor, June 12 and July 10, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Katherine Prado and her dogs, Honey and Ava, are certified by Therapy Dogs International.

The dog provides a stress-free, relaxing environment for the child to practice reading. Reading to a dog is a great way to encourage reluctant readers & reward proficient readers. The end goal is to get kids reading because reading is a skill that only improves with practice. **Call the library to schedule a time to read or just come on that day. Time segments are 15 minutes.**

Summer Reading Challenge – Set your goal and read, read, read!!

Keep your log with reading time and books—The more you read—the more rewards you earn!

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Preschoolers 😊 Children 😊 Teens

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Activities, snacks, books, story times!*

How many hours can you read this summer?

Join the reading challenge and self-pace yourself as you participate in the RPL Summer Reading Fun. Record the time you read each day during June and July and earn incentives each time you complete a goal. *Registration begins June 4.*

Help your child develop a love for reading and learning and retain their reading skills during the summer by registering for the reading challenge and/or for some fun activities on the dates listed below. Of course, parents log times and books they read to preschoolers and help children ages 6 and older to log their reading times and books read.

Story Time (all ages)

Wednesdays, 11 a.m.-12 p.m.

June 5, 12, 19, 26

July 3, 10, 17, 24

Fun Activities and Program Presentations (all ages)

June 4, Begin Registration for Summer Reading at the Library during open hours.

June 11, Tuesday, 3 p.m. – Moon Rocking Painting, create your own space rock!!

June 12, Wednesday, 2 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tail Waggin' Tutor (Schedule a reading time by calling Library)

June 20, Thursday, 11:30 a.m. – The Aurora Alien Story—presentation by Dr. Toni Wheeler; meet at Aurora Cemetery

June 25, Tuesday, 3 p.m. -- Astronauts in Space (movie day *October Sky*, rated PG)

July 9, Tuesday, 3 p.m. – Discover the Planets, mobile planet activity

July 10, Wednesday, 2 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tail Waggin' Tutor (Schedule a reading time by calling Library)

July 13, Saturday, 12 noon to 2 p.m. –Perot TECH Truck (come and go activities)

July 18, Thursday, 3 p.m., *A Tour of the Universe* presentation by John Wagoner, City Lights Astronomical Society for Students

July 23, Tuesday, 3 p.m. – Art – recreate *The Starry Night* masterpiece by Van Gogh; **registration required**

July 27, Saturday, 11 a.m., Celebration Event! Prize drawings, presentation of completion awards, and refreshments

Summer Reading Challenge

- The RPL summer goal is 16 hours which can easily be met by reading during the eight weeks.
- Receive **Reading logs** when you register at first activity or during open library hours starting June 4. Sign up early, and you have more time to read and receive more rewards!
- Record your reading times and the book titles, and a parent signs your log.
- Complete a goal and visit the Library to present your reading log to Library staff and receive your reward.
- Please add your children's hours on log before presenting to staff.
- Each hourly goal has a designated reward which can be viewed on the Reading Rewards Display in Library.
- All hours must be logged and incentive rewards claimed by 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 25.
- **All incentives/rewards available while supplies last. Substitutions may be given.**
- *Children who complete the 16-hour challenge will receive a book and certificate.*
- Earn tickets for the Celebration Event drawings on July 27 each time you meet a reading goal and/or attend activities during June and July.
- You must sign the Activity Sign-In sheets in order to receive your tickets for the July 27 drawings.
- **Must be present on July 27 to win drawing prize.***

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