

GET STARTED!



Scan to sign up for this summer's Beanstack challenge and start earning prizes.

athollibrary.beanstack.com

Scan to view the digital calendar and register for programs.

athol.librarycalendar.com



COSPLAY DUCKS

Transform an ordinary rubber duck into a costumed character. Pick up a duck and dress it up as a character from a book, movie, tv show, or pop culture. When you're finished, bring it back to be displayed in the library during the month of August.

Pick Up Your Duck:
July 7 - 30
while supplies last

Bring In Your Duck:
by 12pm on July 31



EARN PRIZES ONLINE AND IN PERSON.

WIN BOOKS,
COLLECTIBLES,
BUILDING SETS,
CANDY,
T-SHIRTS,
& MORE!



ATHOL PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Athol, MA 01331
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athollibrary.org/teens



FOR
AGES
12-18



This is not a school sponsored program.

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PLANT A SEED, READ



2026
TEEN
SUMMER
READING



AT THE
ATHOL PUBLIC LIBRARY

TEEN SUMMER PROGRAMS

JUNE

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
22 Knitting 1-3 First day of Summer Reading!	23 Summer Reading Kickoff! 4 - 5:30 Chess Club 6-7:45	24	25 Pixel Plants* 3:30 - 5	26

JULY

29 Knitting 1-3	30 Book Swap 3:30 - 4:30 Chess Club 6-7:45	1 Tween & Teen D&D 3:30 - 5:30	2 Retro Board Games 3:30 - 5	3
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6 CLOSED Cosplay Duck Pick Up July 7 - 30	7 Can You Spot the AI? 3:30 - 4:30 Chess Club 6-7:45	8 The Zoo Show: Live Animals!* 3 - 4 America is Wild!* 5:30 - 6:30	9 Anime 5E with Malcolm* 11 - 1	10
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13 Knitting 1-3 Manga Book Club: 4 - 5	14 VOC's D&D* 3:30 - 5 Chess Club 6-7:45	15 Buildwave* 2 - 3	16 Anime 5E with Malcolm* 11 - 1	17
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20 Knitting 1-3 Jeopardy 3:30 - 4:30	21 Chess Club 6-7:45	22 Escape Room* 2 - 3 3:30 - 4:30	23 Anime 5E with Malcolm* 11 - 1 Escape Room* 2 - 3 3:30 - 4:30	24 Teen Only Escape Room* 5 - 6
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27 Knitting 1-3 Summer Scavenger Hunt All Week!	28 VOC's D&D* 3:30 - 5 Chess Club 6 - 7:45	29	30 Anime 5E with Malcolm* 11 - 1 Bracelet Making* 3:30 - 5	31 Cosplay Duck Entry Deadline by Noon
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AUGUST

3 Knitting 1-3	4 Paint By Number* 3:30 - 5 Chess Club 6 - 7:45	5 Tween & Teen D&D* 3:30 - 5:30	6 Anime 5E with Malcolm* 11-1	7
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10 Knitting 1-3 Manga Book Club 4 - 5	11 VOC's D&D* 3:30 - 5 Chess Club 6 - 7:45	12	13	14 Last day of Summer Reading!
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*Registration is required to attend. Programs free and open to ages 12-18. Find more details about these programs by visiting athollibrary.org/teens.

READ AND WIN!



EVERY BOOK COUNTS!



IN PERSON

Complete special activities on our summer BINGO sheet and in the teen space to earn spins on our prize wheel. Track your reading, attend programs, and write book reviews to earn tickets for our grand prize raffle.

ONLINE

Sign up for Beanstack at athollibrary.beanstack.org or download the free app. Track your reading; count the minutes you spend reading any book to earn grand prize raffle tickets. Complete unique digital activities and reviews to earn spins on our prize wheel.

GRAB & GO ACTIVITIES

TEEN TAKE HOME KITS

Grab a kit in the Teen Space and enjoy a craft or activity at home.

TEEN SKILL STARTER TOTES

Borrow one of our totes this summer. Each tote contains books and gear to help you learn a new skill or hobby such as knitting, ukulele, drawing, mindfulness, D&D, and more.

BREAK-IN BAGS

Use your library card to borrow a themed break-in bag. Complete unique puzzles to solve the mystery and unlock treasures.

