

As the pandemic continues, we recommend that you call your location with any questions about SLP. Programs are subject to change. Many programs are also available as take home kits, while supplies last.

**2021**  
**Summer Library Program**  
**JUNE 7-JULY 31**

MRCPL acknowledges the generous support of **The Friends of the Library, Directions Credit Union, and The Steven Goldman Foundation** for their assistance in making this program possible.

# FEATURED PERFORMERS

Performers will not be performing at library locations this year. See below for the scheduled venue and time. No registration is needed for these performances, just come and enjoy! Space may be limited due to social distancing requirements. Each performer's show will also be available virtually on our website the week that performer is scheduled for shows.

## **Tom Sparough**

**June 7-10**

A mix of comedy, storytelling, juggling, and audience participation fun for the whole family.

Monday, June 7 -Marshall Park 6 PM

Tuesday, June 8 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM

Wednesday, June 9 -Lexington Bicentennial Park 10:30 AM

-Butler Hitchman Park 2:30 PM

-Renaissance Lot 6:30 PM

Thursday, June 10 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM

## **MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY**

**June 21-24**

Miss Beverly, The Music Lady travels from Dearborn, Michigan with her guitar and a collection of animal tunes to share songs and interactive music activities everyone can enjoy. Musical adventure awaits as we enjoy familiar childhood favorites and create new music memories. Never the same show twice as the audience will help guide us, everyone will help us sing the "Tale of Tails" this summer.

Monday, June 21 -Marshall Park 6 PM

Tuesday, June 22 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM

-Lexington Bicentennial Park 6:30 PM

Wednesday, June 23 -Butler Hitchman Park 2:30 PM

-Renaissance Lot 6:30 PM

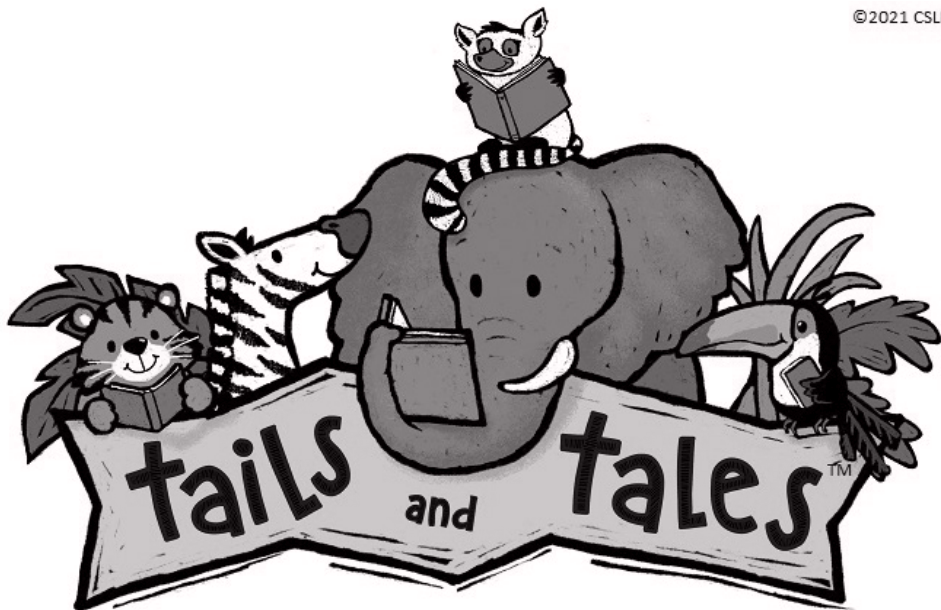
Thursday, June 24 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM

Butler Hitchman Park: located directly behind the Butler library building

Lexington Bicentennial Park: Lex-Ontario Rd., Lexington

Marshall Park: 3375 Milligan Rd., Ontario

Renaissance Theater (back lot): 138 Park Ave. W, Mansfield



## LINDSAY BONILLA

July 12-15

This summer, join author and storyteller, Lindsay Bonilla, as we step into stories from around the world! Audience members will become active participants in these exciting animal folktales by making sound effects and doing kinesthetic movements. Get ready to let your imagination run WILD as we bring these stories to life!

Monday, July 12 -Marshall Park 6 PM

Tuesday, July 13 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM

Wednesday, July 14 -Lexington Bicentennial Park 10:30 AM

-Butler Hitchman Park 2:30 PM

-Renaissance Lot 6:30 PM

Thursday, July 15 -Renaissance Lot 10:30 AM



## Cockadoodle Do You Know?

Starting June 7, our Madison, Main, and Plymouth libraries will offer free meals for kids ages 2-18 Monday through Friday 12:30-1:30 PM.

Meals are take home and shelf-stable. Up to 3 meals may be picked up Fridays to supplement weekend meals.



# SLP PROGRAMS



All of these programs will be held at the library locations listed on the calendar pages and are designed for children of all ages. Registration is required for all programs. Space is limited, call the location to register.

## Animal Tales

Do you love all things animal? Come to the Library to explore the animal kingdom. Animal costumes encouraged!

## Tales Galore

Join us for a great time as we delve into our favorite fairy tales with crafts and activities.



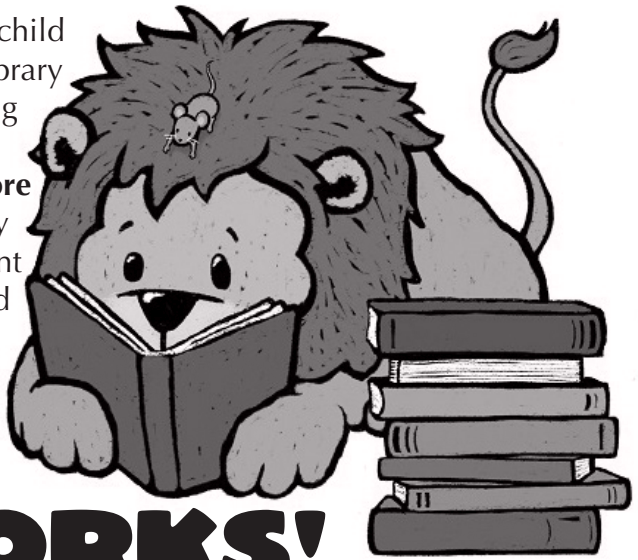
## Magical Mythical Creatures

Journey to a land of dragons, unicorns, and mermaids. Explore their world through stories and hands-on fun!

## Party in a Bag!

Stop in to get your own Party in a Bag to celebrate the end of SLP!

Our mission is for your child to have **fun** with your library this summer! The reading goals and activities are suggestions- you are **more than welcome** to modify them to best complement your child's interests and reading abilities.



# HOW IT WORKS!

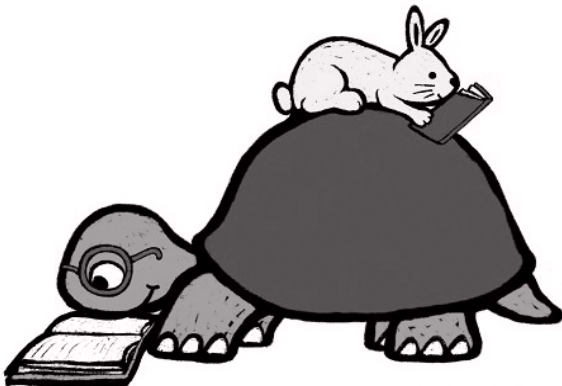
## Early Literacy

Babies to Preschool Age

1. Get your **ACTIVITY** sheet by stopping in to get a paper copy or go online to print or fill out digitally between June 7 and July 31. Have fun filling them out!
2. Return in person or submit online a completed **ACTIVITY** sheet to be entered into our **Grand Prize** drawings.

## K-6 Grade

1. Get your **BINGO** sheets by stopping in to get a paper copy or go online to [mrcpl.org/slp2021](http://mrcpl.org/slp2021) to print or fill out digitally between June 7 and July 31.
2. Return in person or submit online a completed **BINGO** sheet to be entered into our **Grand Prize** drawings!




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**Grand Prize drawings will be held at each location the week of August 2!**

# Bellville Branch

97 Bell St., Bellville 419.886.3811

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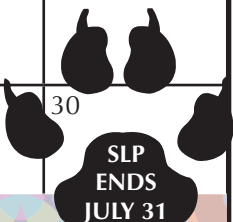
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
<b> TOM SPAROUGH</b>				
<b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15 Animal Tales 2:30 PM	16 Story Time 10:30 AM	17	18
21	22 Animal Tales 2:30 PM	23 Story Time 10:30 AM	24	25
<b> MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29 Tales Galore 2:30 PM	30 Story Time 10:30 AM	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6 Tales Galore 2:30 PM	7 Story Time 10:30 AM	8	9
				
12	13 Magical Mythical Creatures 2:30 PM	14 Story Time 10:30 AM	15	16  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17
<b> LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20 Magical Mythical Creatures 2:30 PM	21 Story Time 10:30 AM	22	23
26	27 SLP Finale 2:30 PM	28 Story Time 10:30 AM	29	30 
<b>PARTY IN A BAG PROGRAM</b>				
<b>SLP ENDS JULY 31</b>				



# Butler Branch

21 Elm St., Butler 419.883.2220










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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 <p><b>SLP Begins!</b></p>	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
	7	8	9	10
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b> <b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14 Story Time 10:30 AM Animal Tales 2:30 PM My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15	16	17	18
21 Story Time 10:30 AM	22	23	24	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28 Story Time 10:30 AM Tales Galore 2:30 PM	29	30	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7	8	9
 <b>S C A V E N G E R H U N T</b>				
12 Story Time 10:30 AM	13	14	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17 
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19 Story Time 10:30 AM Magical Mythical Creatures 2:30 PM	20	21	22	23
26 Story Time 10:30 AM SLP Finale 2:30 PM	27	28	29	30  <b>SLP ENDS JULY 31</b>
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# Crestview Branch

1575 SR 96 E., Ashland 419.895.0010

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 SLP Begins!	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b> <b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins Animal Tales 11 AM	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24 Animal Tales 2 PM	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28 Tales Galore 11 AM	29	30	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7	8 Tales Galore 2 PM	9
				
12 Magical Mythical Creatures 11 AM	13	14	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17 
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20	21	22 Magical Mythical Creatures 2 PM	23 
26	27	28	29	30  SLP ENDS JULY 31
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# Lexington Branch

25 Lutz Ave., Lexington 419.884.2500









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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
	7	8	9	10
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b> <b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins 	15	16	17 Animal Tales 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	18
21 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	22	23	24 Animal Tales 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	29	30	1 <b>JULY</b> Tales Galore 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7	8 Tales Galore 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	9
				
12 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	13	14	15 Magical Mythical Creatures 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends  July 17
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	20	21	22 Magical Mythical Creatures 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	23 
26 Story Time 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	27	28 SLP Finale 10:30 AM-1:30PM @ Bicentennial Park	29	30
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# Lucas Branch

34 W. Main St., Lucas 419.892.2576

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
 <b>SLP Begins!</b>	8	9	10	11
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b> <b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29	30	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7	8	9
 <b>SCAVENGER HUNT</b>				
12	13	14	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17 
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	 <b>SLP ENDS JULY 31</b>
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# Madison Branch

1395 Grace St., Mansfield 419.589.7050

















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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
7  SLP Begins!	8	9 Story Time 10:30 AM	10	11
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b> <b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15 Animal Tales 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	16 Story Time 10:30 AM	17	18
21	22 Animal Tales 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	23 Story Time 10:30 AM	24	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29 Tales Galore 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	30 Story Time 10:30 AM	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6 Tales Galore 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	7 Story Time 10:30 AM	8	9
 <b>SCAVENGER HUNT</b>				
12	13 Magical Mythical Creatures 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	14 Story Time 10:30 AM	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17 
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20 Magical Mythical Creatures 10:30 AM & 2:30 PM	21 Story Time 10:30 AM	22	23
26	27	28 Story Time 10:30 AM	29 SLP Finale 2:30 PM	30  SLP ENDS JULY 31
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# Main Library

43 W. Third St. 419.521.3130








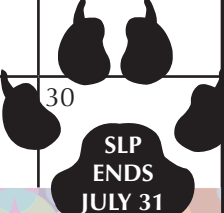
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 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b>				
<b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14 Story Time 10:30 AM  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15	16 Animal Tales 1 PM	17	18
21 Story Time 10:30 AM	22	23 Animal Tales 1 PM	24	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28 Story Time 10:30 AM	29	30 Tales Galore 1 PM	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7 Tales Galore 1 PM	8	9
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19 Story Time 10:30 AM	20	21 Magical Mythical Creatures 1 PM	22	23
26 Story Time 10:30 AM	27	28	29	30  <b>SLP ENDS JULY 31</b>
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# Ontario Branch

2221 Village Mall Dr., Ont. 419.529.4912


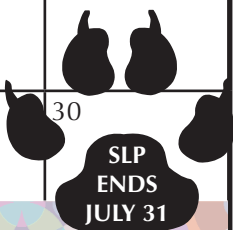
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29 Story Time 11 AM	30 Tales Galore 11 AM & 3 PM	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6 Story Time 11 AM	7 Tales Galore 11 AM & 3PM	8	9
				
12	13 Story Time 11 AM	14 Magical Mythical Creatures 11 AM & 3 PM	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends  July 17
<b> LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20 Story Time 11 AM	21 Magical Mythical Creatures 11 AM & 3 PM	22	23
26	27 Story Time 11 AM	28 SLP Finale 11 AM & 3 PM	29	30  <b>SLP ENDS JULY 31</b>
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# Plymouth Branch

29 W. Broadway, Plymouth 419.687.5655

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 <b>JUNE</b>	2	3	4
7 	8	9 Story Time 10:30 AM	10	11
 <b>TOM SPAROUGH</b>				
<b>Scavenger Hunt</b>				
14  My Pet is Awesome! Contest Begins	15	16 Animal Tales 2:30 PM	17	18
21	22	23 Story Time 10:30 AM	24	25
 <b>MISS BEVERLY, THE MUSIC LADY</b>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29	30 Magical Mythical Creatures 2:30 PM	1 <b>JULY</b>	2
5 <b>CLOSED</b>	6	7 Story Time 10:30 AM	8	9
				
12	13	14 Tales Galore 2:30 PM	15	16 My Pet is Awesome! Contest Ends July 17 
 <b>LINDSAY BONILLA</b>				
19	20	21 Story Time 10:30 AM	22	23
26	27	28	29 SLP Finale 5 PM	30 
<b>PARTY IN A BAG PROGRAM</b>				

# My Pet is Awesome!

**June 14-July 17**

*Children of all ages*

Send your favorite photo of your pet to [youthservices@mrcpl.org](mailto:youthservices@mrcpl.org) along with your name, age, and what branch you use. We will share your photo on the [mrcpl.org](http://mrcpl.org) website and all entries will receive a small prize!





ASK A LIBRARIAN HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE AND WIN GREAT PRIZES!



# Tails & TALES

*Adult and Teen*

**SUMMER  
LIBRARY  
PROGRAM**



GET ALL INFO @ [MRCPL.ORG/SLP2021](https://www.mrcpl.org/slp2021)