

AUGUST EVENT

Saturday, August 1, 3-4 p.m.

Origami & Seeds. Alan Foss of Fort Bragg Garden Club will show kids eight and older how to use origami to make seed packets and pots. (All supplies provided.)



**Sat, August 8,
10 a.m.**

Wild Things.

Celebrate the end of Summer Reading with

animal ambassadors from five continents and hear their extraordinary personal stories.

REGULAR EVENTS

Storytime at 10:30 a.m. Fridays and Saturdays (except June 13, July 4, and August 8).

Kids Craft at 11 to 12 on these Saturday mornings: June 20, July 18, and August 1.

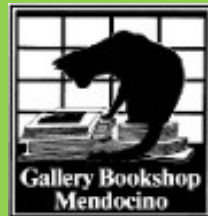
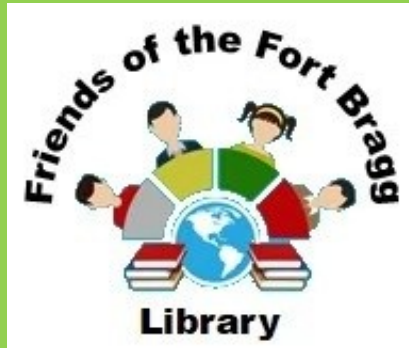
SUMMER ART

Ages 2 to 17, create visual art that fits the “Plant a Seed, Read” theme. All art mediums are welcome. Pick up an entry form at the Check-Out Desk, then turn it in with your artwork by **Friday, August 7th.**



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BOTANICAL GARDENS**

**SUMMER
READING
2026**
*Plant a Seed,
Read*
**June 13th to
August 8th**



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**MENDOCINO
COUNTY** *Library*

Summer Reading is for everyone!



Kids and teens (0 to 18) can read and win prizes. Stop by the library between June 13th and August 8th and get a reading log. Start keeping track of your reading and activity time. You can win a Cowlick's Ice Cream Café coupon and a free book of your choice!



JUNE EVENTS



Saturday, June 13—Summer Reading Kick-off. Be one of the first people to sign up for the Summer Reading game and get special prizes. And at **3 p.m.** welcome back Magical Nathaniel! His high-energy magic show includes audience volunteers.

Saturday, June 20, 3 p.m. Hydroponics Made Easy. Transform a recycled bottle into a mini-garden that needs only light, air, and nutrient-rich water to grow. For ages 10 to 18. Space is limited, so please sign up in advance.

Saturday, June 27, 2 p.m. Sinister Science. Professor Shirley Seau and Dr. Shirley Knott will teach kids 5 and older how to build bug hotels.



JULY EVENTS

Teen Dungeons & Dragons—3-5 p.m. on these Wednesdays: July 1, 15, and 29. For ages 12 to 18.

Saturday, July 11, 3 p.m.—Coventry & Kaluza. These award-winning circus comedians bring a variety of skills and thrills to their show, which features juggling, acrobatics, music, comedy, and “high numbers” hula-hooping.



Saturday, July 18, 3-4 p.m.—Meet a Gardener. Phoebe Hanson of Mendocino Coast Botanical Gardens will talk about growing vegetables, and then the kids (ages 5 to 11) will do a fun gardening activity.

Saturday, July 25, 2-4 p.m.—Farm to Fable and Fairytale STEM. Back-to-back STEM activities, about fairytales and nursery rhymes, and farming and gardening. The first hour is for ages 3+, the second for kids 5 to 11. Sign-ups required for that second hour.