

Sign up today to Join ALL TOGETHER NOW Summer Reading

Program! Get your Reading Road Trip map to keep track of your reading and complete the challenges! Participate independently and/or join any or all of our community events! Touch base weekly with Miss Amy to share updates on your Road trip progress and earn prizes! This summer is packed with community events for kids, families & adults, all bringing our greater community together!

June 22nd – 11:30 Join Miss Amy for stories and a *Stick Together Challenge*. Everyone will work together to place their colored stickers on the board to create a community picture! June 29th Join Miss Amy at 11:30 for *STEM stations* work together to move a cup with a string, cross a bridge as a group, build the tallest tower, play Dr. Tangle, transfer water across the park, & more.

July 6th Join us for a *Community Chalk Walk, 10am-5pm* to decorate the sidewalk outside the library with art, just in time for the Harbor Arts Festival! Special story in the children's garden, then creations begin! Chalk will be available all day! Great for family together time, and fabulous for artists of all ages! Bring your own chalk or use some of ours.

July 13th Meet at 11:30 at the *Mt. Battie Carriage Trail head* to hike up together. We'll have a special story time on the steps of the tower at the top at 12:30. Bring a picnic lunch and enjoy the view together with us! Meet us at the top if you prefer not to hike the trail. It is kid pack friendly and walkable for families. July 11th- 18th Celebrate SHARK WEEK! Daily make and takes all week at the library! Face painting, photo-ops, fun costumes, special story times and more details to come!

July 13th 11:30 Let's make music together! We'll make and decorate our own Lummi Sticks and play a *Maori stick game*! We'll learn the rhythm and patterns to play it!

July 16th On Sunday at 2pm *Calling All Community members!* Join us for a *Community Ethnic Food Faire*! See, smell, taste local community ethnic foods, and celebrate the diversity in our own area! Share your culture with our greater community. Email to sign up to share yours! info@librarycamden.org

July 20th Join Miss Amy from 5-7pm at the **Camden Art Walk**, in front of PAGE gallery, a fabulous community street event! We'll be creating landscape collages! All ages welcome from kids to adults. July 25th Tuesday from 2-4pm Join us in celebrating Harry Potter's Birthday! We'll have a Hogwarts Lawn Party in front of the library with crafts, sorting hat, photo ops, games, and come in costume to celebrate at this fun community event!

July 27th Join us at 1pm for a NO-Mess Tie-Dye Party!

This is a community event. ALL AGES WELCOME! Not just for kids! Bring a white t-shirt, pillowcase, pants, shoes or any cotton piece of clothing to dye. We'll be doing non-traditional Sharpie Marker and rubbing alcohol dying! This will be held in the amphitheater.

August 11th at 11:30 Blueberry Storytime up on Beech Hill -11:30 with Coastal Mountains Land trust. Join Miss Amy up on top for a special story time and a taste of blueberries, bring a picnic and enjoy the hill and it's view on your own after!

August 19th from 1-4 pm 16th Annual Children's Book-Fair-by- the-Sea.

Join us in celebrating these fabulous children's book authors and illustrators and their fabulous books. Jennifer Richard Jacobson, George Jreije, Jamie Hogan, Ray Chalmers, Alexandra Hinrichs, Diane Magras, Fran Hodgkins, Alison Strout, Kate Egan, Mark Hoffman & Annie Higbee. Signings, Q&A, readings, drawings, etc.

August 24th 5-7pm Join Miss Amy from 5-7pm at the **Camden Art Walk**, in front of PAGE gallery, a fabulous community street event! We'll be making pipe-cleaner figures!

Creative Art Afternoons will continue Thursdays from 4-5pm all summer! School age kids, 5+ will do a different creative project weekly with all supplies provided. Sign up monthly 236-3440 or email info@librarycamden.org

MSBA BOOK CLUB for 4th

-8th graders who love to read and want to chat books with other like minds, please join Miss Amy on every other Tuesday from 5-6pm beginning June 6th to talk about Maine Student Book Award books and others that we are reading. This is a great place to hear about new books and add some to your reading lists!

Regular story times will continue all summer at 10am. Booktime for Babies -Wednesdays Preschool storytime w/crafts – Thursdays and Fridays

