

# Your Ideas Here!



Have an idea for a program, activity, or a book you want to see at the library?

Let Children and Teen Librarian Nicole know!

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# Teen Talk

(Gr. 7-12)

## June 2022

### Want Something to do with Friends?

**Teen Movie and Craft Night, June 9, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

for Teens in Grades 7 and up!



Come after school to watch a mystery movie (the picture is a hint), and make friendship bracelets! Popcorn will be provided! Bring your friends to make matching bracelets!

3:00-4:00: Friendship Bracelet Tutorial

4:00-6:00: *Turning Red* Showing

**Register @ 860-767-1560**  
**or e-mail [staff.essexlib@gmail.com](mailto:staff.essexlib@gmail.com)**

The 2023 Nutmegs are Here!



Our book display this month is dedicated to the 2023 Middle and High School Nutmeg Nominees!

Come check them out!

Ask Miss Nicole if you have any questions!

Take and Make Crafts

June 14

**Father's Day**  
Take and Make Craft



June 28



# Teen's Program Calendar

## June 2022

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*While supplies last. **Book pick up will start June 1st Books can be picked up at the front desk *** Call 860-767-1560 to register or e-mail staffessexlib@gmail.com			1 Dystopian Reader's Society Book Pickup **	2	3	4 Family Board Game Saturday 10-4
5	6	7	8	9 Teen Movie & Craft Night*** 3:00-6:00 PM	10	11
12	13	14 All Ages Take and Make Craft*	15	16	17	18 Paper Squishy Party!*** 12:00 PM
19	20	21	22	23 Summer Reading Kickoff **** 3:30 PM	24 Teen TGIF 3:30 PM	25
26	27	28 Take and Make Craft*	29	30 Dystopian Reader's Society Discussion 4:00 PM**	**** Summer Reading Kickoff held at the Ivoryton Library	

June 4: Family Board Game Saturday  
Program Room - 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Come by anytime to play some board games!  
Games will be provided, but feel free to bring some  
of your family's favorites!

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June 14 & 28: Take and Make Crafts

Front Foyer - 10:00 AM - Supplies Last

June 14: Father's Day All Ages Craft! Make a gift for a special  
parent in your life!

June 28: Come pick up a kit to make a popsicle stick flower  
pot/vase!

While supplies last.

June 18: Paper Squishy Party!  
Program Room - 12:00- 2:00 PM

For tweens and teens in Grades 3-8 and up!

Squishies are popular collectible stuffed toys, and can  
be great to use as a fidget! Learn how to make your  
own paper squishies, and take one home!

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June 23: Summer Reading Kickoff: Let's  
Launch the Summer with Hula!  
Ivoryton Library- 3:30-4:30 PM

Essex and Ivoryton Libraries are teaming up to bring  
you both Summer Reading themes this summer: Beyond  
the Beaten Path AND Ocean's of Possibilities!

Ivoryton Library is hosting the Summer Kickoff Party  
with traditional Hula Dancer, Tiare Kahana Bourget! She  
brings the Spirit of Aloha to students of all ages (Pre-K  
through Senior Adults) through interactive programs of  
Hawaiian dance and storytelling.

She inspires audiences to adopt the Hawaiian value  
system of the Aloha Spirit to enrich their lives by  
leading with love, gratitude, and recognizing the  
connectivity of all beings and our surroundings.

June 24: Teen TGIF  
Program Room - 3:30-4:30 PM

The week is long, but Thank Goodness It's Friday!  
Teen TGIF will take place the last Friday of each  
month!

Come in and hang out! We will have snacks, Nintendo  
Switch games, coloring pages, drawing books, gel  
pens, card games, and more!

Drop in any time from 3:30 - 4:30!

This will be the last Teen TGIF until next school year,  
so make sure to come and bring your friends!

June 30: Dystopian Reader's Society  
Discussion  
Conference Room - 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

The last Thursday of every month, we will meet to  
discuss a new Dystopian Fiction novel.

This month, we will be reading *The Knife of Never  
Letting Go* by Patrick Ness.

"It's not how we fall, it's how we get back up again"

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can register for the discussion.