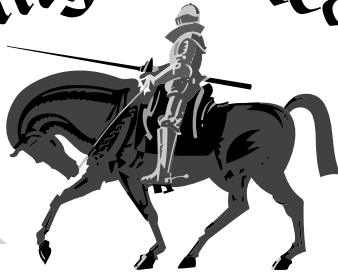


# A Midsummer Knight's Read



## The Urbana Free Library's Children's Summer Reading Program

May 23 - August 31, 2011



This summer, you're invited to join our merry kingdom for tales of daring deeds, dragons, and enchanted lands when you sign up for **A Midsummer Knight's Read**, the Children's Summer Reading Program.

The **Royal Read-To-Me Club** is for children who have not yet learned to read. Follow the path on the royal reading log and complete the activities to earn a free book.

The **Royal Readers Club** is for children through fifth grade who want to do their own "knightly" reading. Read 10 books, write the titles on your reading log, and you'll be rewarded with a free book. But don't stop reading—enter the **X-Treme Readers Bonus**. For each additional 5 books read, you can enter our end-of-summer prize raffle to win coupons and prizes from local businesses.

Sign-up for **A Midsummer Knight's Read** begins on May 23—just head to the Children's Services question desk and pick up a reading log!

### The Urbana Free Library Programa de Lectura para niños 2011 23 de mayo - 31 de agosto

Este verano, cuando te registres el programa infantil de lectura de verano **El Caballero Lector del Verano** podrás unirte a nuestro reino feliz lleno de cuentos con hazañas, dragones, y tierras encantadas! Solo tienes que registrarte en uno de nuestros Clubes de Lectura y vas a recibir el Registro de Lectura.

El **Club Lectura Real-para-mí** es para niños que todavía no han aprendido a leer. Complete el registro de la lectura real, y las actividades para obtener un libro gratis.

El **Club Real de Lectores** es para niños hasta quinto grado que quiere hacer su propia lectura "caballeresca." Lee 10 libros, escribe los títulos en tu Registro de Lectura, y vas a recibir de premio un libro gratis! Pero, si no dejas de leer—vas a recibir un **Bono Extra de Lectores**. Por cada 5 libros adicionales que lean, podrán entrar en la rifa fin-de-verano y ganar cupones y premios donados por negocios locales.

Suscríbete al **El Caballero Lector del Verano**. El programa comienza el 23 de mayo—en la mesa de entrada de la sección de Niños de la Biblioteca de Urbana pueden recoger un Registro de Lectura!



The Urbana Free Library

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Monday - Thursday: 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. • Friday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. • Sunday: 1 - 5 p.m.

# Slay the Summer Doldrums!

From June through August, the library will host a wide range of free activities for children and families that encourage and support a love of reading.

Start the summer with ***En Garde!***: a fencing demonstration by The Point Fencing Club.

Anita Purves Nature Center will share reptiles during our ***Radical Reptile*** program and UIUC's Vet Med Center will bring their resident raptors to our ***Wild and Wonderful Birds***.

***Gussy Up Your Bike*** at the library for the 4th of July and let your ***Furry Friends*** have fun at the library overnight.

Create your own duct tape wallet, bookmark or jewelry at our ***Stick To It*** program.

Create your own "super vegetable" when Common Ground Food Co-operative presents ***Attack of the Giant Tomato*** and learn about the ***Reason for a Flower*** from the UI Pollinatarium Learning Center.

***Zoo Improv*** will create madness and mayhem with their special kind of comedy and our resident mad scientist will explore ***Wild Weather***.

Have a ***Bubble Blast*** outside of the library and draw up some ***Snazzy Sidewalk Chalk*** art on the sidewalk of Cherry Alley.

Learn all about dragons and make your own at our ***Flying Dragons*** program.

Don't forget our regularly scheduled programs: ***Babies' Lap Time***, ***Toddler Time***, and ***Preschool Story Time***.

Visit us at the Farmer's Market on the first Saturday of every month!

For even more programs and details, check our website ***urbanafreelibrary.org***, pick up the library's monthly newsletter, or call Children's Services (367-4069).

Book prizes for ***A Midsummer Knight's Read*** are funded by the Friends of The Urbana Free Library.

