

Voorheesville Public Library
Summer Reading Program: Camp Weeks
Please fill out this form and return it to Gail Brown or Debbie Sternklar
on the first day of the camp week your child will be participating in.

Child's Name _____
Name of Parent/Caregiver: _____
Contact # of Parent/Caregiver (BEST # to reach this person DURING the Camp hours): _____
Grade in Fall 2017 _____
Camp Week(s) child is attending (please put a check next to all camps that child will be attending):
Maker Week (July 10-14 2:00-4:30) _____
Animal Week (July 24-27 2:00-4:30) _____
Science, Flight & Space Week (July 31-August 3 2:00-4:30) _____
Will child need after care? (**available from 4:30-5:30**) _____ If so, until what time? _____
Emergency Contact: _____
Emergency Contact's Phone #: _____
Please list any person who may **NOT** pick up your child(ren): _____
Please list any food allergies: _____

Thank You! We are looking forward to an adventure in fun and learning.

Maker Week Evaluation 2017
Disagree 1; So-so 2; Agree 3

- A. The Maker Week activities were interesting and enjoyable. _____
- B. The projects were too hard and frustrating. _____
- C. I was able to complete the projects. _____
- D. I got the most help from the Librarians and teen volunteer. _____
- E. I learned tips from other Maker students. _____
- F. The web tutorials helped me. _____
- G. When I had trouble, I kept trying and succeeded. _____
- H. I would recommend this weeklong program to friends. _____
- I. There were enough supplies for the projects I was making. _____
- J. There was enough time for me to work on my project. _____
- K. There was enough computer equipment for the group. _____
- L. I would like to work more with the tools I learned about this week. _____
- M. If there was a space for me to continue making projects like these at the Library, I would use it. _____
- N. If there was a Maker program once a month, I would attend. _____
- O. I feel more confident about my Maker and STEAM skills now. _____

“Summer Camp” Teasers

Something new at the Library this Summer!

This summer, in addition to our scheduled entertainers, book discussions, and fun activities for all ages, we will be offering three themed afternoon camps. Camp will be held from 2:00 to 4:30 with the possibility of extended care, if needed. Registration for these free camps will begin for Voorheesville residents on May 1.

“Maker Camp” for students entering grades 5 through 8

Monday, July 10 through Friday, July 14

Campers will be offered a series of creative projects that introduce the basics of circuitry, coding, crafting, and engineering.

“Animal Camp” for students entering grades 1 through 4

Monday, July 24 through Thursday, July 27

Campers will explore their love of animals through a variety of exciting hands-on activities, which will include a tour of a local veterinarian clinic, a visit from a therapy pig, educational programs from Reptile Adventures and Just Cats, and a Stuffed Animal Vet Clinic project.

“Science, Flight & Space Camp” for students entering grades 1 through 5

Monday, July 31 through Thursday, August 3

Campers will participate in workshops offered by Mad Science of Saratoga, discover the night skies with the Dudley Observatory Starlab from MiSci, explore the science of flight with WMHT, and engage in STEM activities.

Getting ready for MAKER WEEK July 10 to 13, with Maker Faire on Friday, July 14!

General information: Each afternoon’s activities will begin at 2:00 and end at 4:30.

After care is available until 5:30, please let us know by reply email ASAP if you need after care, and until what time.

Please fill out the attached form for each child entering grades 5 thru 9 who you've registered, and bring it with you on Monday.

Pack a snack and drink for mid-afternoon, no peanut products please, and there will be no trading.

Students should bring their library cards along in case they see items they’d like to borrow. They also should bring the book that they are currently reading, in case there is down-time.

Students can bring a thumb drive if they’d like to save the work they create on the Library’s laptops.

If students can bring an Apple device with the LongExpo (by Eyetap Soft) free app downloaded for Painting with Light on Monday, that would be appreciated. The Library has a limited number of iPads and staff cell phones.

Students are expected to participate in the activities and stay with the group. Library staff, visitors and equipment must be treated with respect and care.

Students should arrive at 2:00 on Friday to help set up the Faire displaying their work and also some projects from local Makers.

We can’t wait to see the creative projects the students will MAKE this WEEK! We’ll be sharing the students’ work with parents and the public on Friday, July 14 from 3:00 to 4:30 in the Community Room with a Maker Faire! Please stop in!