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PUBLIC LIBRARY**

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**9:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m.**

**Friday:**

**9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.**

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Library**



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# The Bell Bulletin

June 2022

## BMPL 2022 Summer Reading Program



**Bell Memorial Public Library  
2022 Summer Reading Program  
June 6th - July 15th!**

**Sign up begins on Thursday, June 2nd!**

**Free and open to all age groups!**

**Prizes available!**

**All activities are FREE for anyone wishing to participate!**

**Activities planned are:**

**Family Fun Fridays in our Makers' Space (located in our  
Main Library)**

**Movie Wednesdays in our YA Room including an  
interactive movie**

**(popcorn will be provided)**

**Craft kits will be available each week for children to do  
in-house or take home**

**and outdoor activities planned for all ages.**

**For more information, please contact**

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**Billie Abalos Adult Programming Coordinator at  
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# Recipe: Strawberry Pretzel Pie

Prep time: 45 mins + chilling

## Ingredients

4 cups miniature pretzels  
6 tablespoons butter, melted  
1/4 cup sugar  
3/4 cup boiling water  
1 package (6 ounces) strawberry gelatin  
1/4 cup lemon juice  
1 pound fresh strawberries, hulled, divided  
2 cups heavy whipping cream, divided  
1 jar (7 ounces) marshmallow creme  
2/3 cup whipped cream cheese  
2/3 cup sweetened condensed milk



## Directions

Place pretzels in a food processor; pulse until chopped. Add butter and sugar; pulse until combined. Reserve 1/3 cup pretzel mixture for topping. Press remaining mixture onto bottom of a greased 9-in. springform pan. Refrigerate 30 minutes. Meanwhile, in a bowl, add boiling water to gelatin; stir 2 minutes to completely dissolve. Stir in lemon juice. Refrigerate 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Chop half the strawberries; slice remaining berries and reserve for topping. In a large bowl, beat 1 cup heavy cream until stiff peaks form. Beat marshmallow creme, cream cheese and sweetened condensed milk into cooled gelatin mixture until blended. Gently fold in chopped strawberries and whipped cream. Pour into crust. Refrigerate, covered, until firm, 4-6 hours. Beat remaining 1 cup heavy cream until stiff peaks form; spread over pie. Top with reserved strawberries and pretzel mixture.

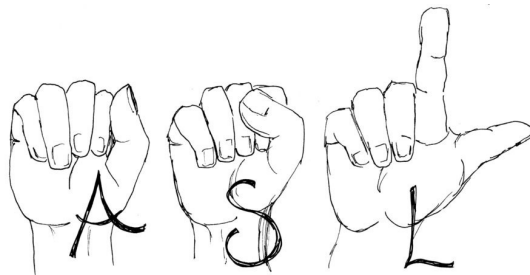




Lego Club  
Thursday, June 30th  
4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.



Movie Monday returns!  
Seniors 55+  
Monday, June 20th  
1:00 p.m.  
Popcorn & drink provided



## Bell Memorial Public Library is offering Sign Language Classes!

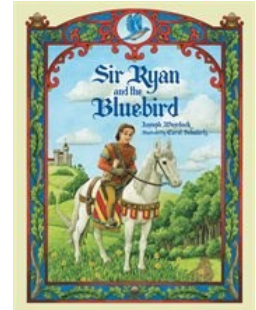
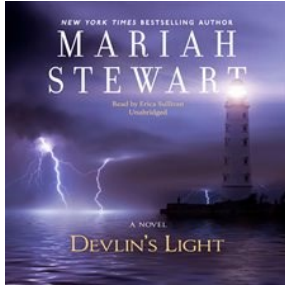
**\*Sign up is required to attend since class size is limited to 15 participants only\*** Classes begin Saturday, June 18th at 2:00 p.m. in our large conference room and will continue for 6 weeks. They will be taught by Pat Lancet. She has 20 years of experience as an interpreter. This is a FREE class to anyone signing up to participate. Materials needed will be presented at the first class. Please contact Pat at [PLancet@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:PLancet@bell.lib.in.us) or 574-893-3200.

~Kids/Juniors/Teens & Young Adults~

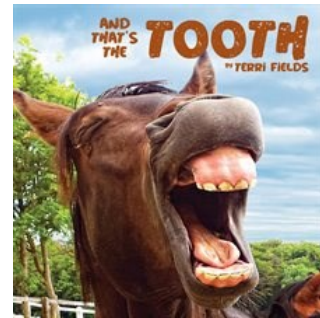
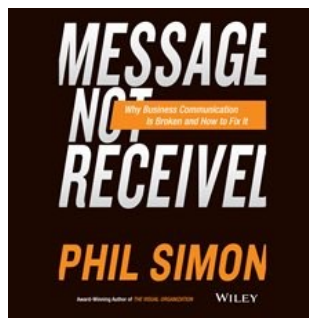
**See attached Summer Reading Activity Sheets.**



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Come see any staff member at Bell Memorial Public Library for information on how to get started.

### Wi-Fi Hotspots!

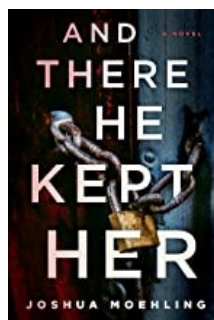


No Internet access at home? Let the Library help with that. Bell Memorial Library is circulating 4 Internet Hotspots.

These devices are about the size of a large cell phone and connect the user to the Internet via cell phone towers. The device will circulate for a week with a possibility of renewing

for an additional week (as long as there are no prior holds, units can be reserved.) For more information, contact Stephen Boggs at (574) 893-3200 or via e-mail at [sboggs@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:sboggs@bell.lib.in.us)

## New Books Coming Soon!



And There He Kept Her by Joshua Moehling

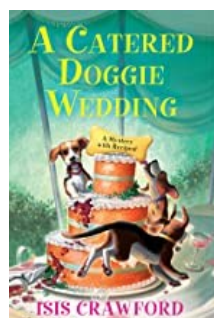
When two teenagers break into a house on a remote lake in search of prescription drugs, what starts as a simple burglary turns into a nightmare for all involved. Emmett Burr has secrets he's been keeping in his basement for more than two decades, and he'll do anything to keep his past from being revealed. As he gets the upper hand on his tormentors, the lines blur between victim, abuser, and protector.

Release date: June 14, 2022

Brannigan's Land by William W. Johnstone

The greatest western writers of the 21st century, William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone, kick off a blazing new series featuring Tynan "Ty" Brannigan, a man who traded his tin star for a cattle ranch and a family. But the men he left to rot behind bars have their own hash to settle with him...

Release date: June 28, 2022



A Catered Doggie Wedding by Isis Crawford

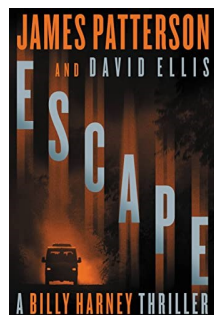
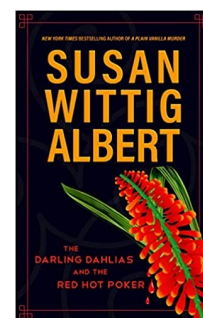
When Bernie and Libby Simmons, sisters and co-owners of A Little Taste of Heaven, are hired to cater a doggie wedding for a pair of posh golden retrievers, they wind up stepping into a fresh murder investigation!

Release date: June 28, 2022

The Darling Dahlias and the Red Hot Poker by Susan Wittig Albert

It's Labor Day weekend, 1935, and members of the Darling Dahlias—the garden club in little Darling, Alabama—are trying to keep their cool at the end of a sizzling summer. This isn't easy, though, since there's a firebug on the loose in Darling. He—or she!

Release date: June 7, 2022



Escape by James Patterson

As Chicago PD's special-ops leader, Detective Billy Harney knows well that money is not the only valuable currency. The filthy rich man he's investigating is down to his last twenty million. He's also being held in jail.

Release date: June 29, 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 <i>Summer Reading Program sign Up begins</i>	3 <i>Family Fun Friday (Crown) 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.</i>	4
5	6 <i>Summer Reading Program Begins</i>	7	8 <i>SRP Movie The Little Mermaid 12:00 p.m.</i>	9 <i>Layers of The Ocean Craft 2:00 p.m.</i>	10 <i>Family Fun Friday (Squishie) 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.</i>	11
12	13	14 <i>Soap Pump Painting 2:00 p.m.</i>	15 <i>SRP Movie Aquaman 12:00 p.m.</i>	16	17 <i>Family Fun Friday (Pillow) 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.</i>	18 <i>Sign Language Class 2:00 p.m.</i>
19 	20 <i>Senior Movie 1:00 p.m.</i>	21 	22 <i>SRP Movie Moana (interactive) 12:00 p.m.</i>	23 <i>Reverse Tie Dye Mentzer Park 2:00 p.m.</i>	24 <i>Family Fun Friday (Keychain) 10:00 a.m.-11:00a.m.</i>	25 <i>Donuts with Dad 9:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m.</i>
26	27 <i>Library Board Mtg. 6:30 p.m.</i>	28 <i>Messy Twister Mentzer Park 2:00 p.m.</i>	29 <i>SRP Movie Finding Nemo 12:00 p.m.</i>	30 <i>Lego Club 4:00 p.m.</i>		

# Family Fun Fridays at Bell Memorial Public Library!

Programs are **FREE** and open to all ages from preschool to adult  
(unless noted in description).

Contact **Billie** at [babalos@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:babalos@bell.lib.in.us) 574-893-3200 for any  
questions.

**\*Space is limited, so we kindly request signing up in advance.\***



Mosaic Crown

**Friday, June 3rd 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. in our Maker's Space**

Create a crown fit for royalty with this fun art craft. Includes self-adhesive foam pieces and an adhesive tab closure.

**Chocking hazard—not intended for children under 3 years old due to small pieces.**

Paintable Squishies

**Friday, June 10th from 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. in our Maker's Space**

Come in and paint your own squishie! These are fun and a great stress reliever! Everything needed to complete the craft is included for free!

**Suitable for Teens, Tweens and Kids**

**Not intended for children under 3 years due to small parts**



Avocado Fleece Pillow

**Friday, June 17th from 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. in our makers' Space**

This fun craft kit results in a fun avocado-shaped pillow kids will love. Pre-cut fleece pieces and polyester fiber fill are included.

**Suitable for Adults, Teens, Tweens or Children (with assistance from an adult)**



Diamond Painting Keychains

**Friday, June 24th from 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. In our Makers' Space**

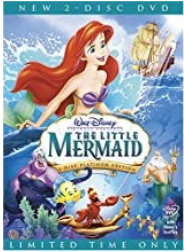
Diamond painting by number embroidery kits to enhance children's hands-on ability, color matching ability, develop concentration and joyful self-discipline. Use diamonds and tools (included), you only need to fill in the corresponding area of each mark. It's very easy to follow.

**Suitable for Adults, Teens, Tweens and Children (with adult supervision). Not intended for children under 3 years of age due to small parts.**



# Summer Reading Program Movie Schedule

Join us at Bell Memorial Public Library during our Summer Reading program on Wednesday afternoons for movies! Movies will be shown in our large conference room starting at 12:00 p.m. Popcorn & a beverage will be provided. Bring the entire family! Movies are FREE!



## Wednesday, June 8: Disney's The Little Mermaid Rated G

Ariel, a fun-loving and mischievous mermaid, is off on the adventure of a lifetime with her best friend, the adorable Flounder, and the reggae-singing Caribbean crab Sebastian at her side. But it will take all of her courage and determination to make her dreams come true and save her father's beloved kingdom from the sneaky sea witch Ursula! Dive into a world of music and Adventure!

## Wednesday, June 15: Aquaman Rated PG-13

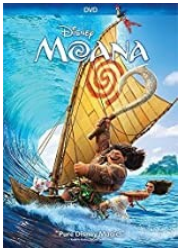
An action-packed adventure that spans the vast, visually breathtaking underwater world of the seven seas, "Aquaman" reveals the origin story of half-human, half-Atlantean Arthur Curry and takes him on the journey of his lifetime—one that will not only force him to face who he really is, but to discover if he is worthy of who he was born to be...a king.



## Wednesday, June 22: Moana (this will be an interactive movie and will take place in our YA Room).

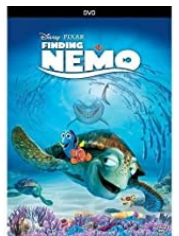
### Hot dogs, chips, ring pops and a drink will be provided Rated PG

From Walt Disney Animation Studios comes MOANA, an epic adventure about a spirited teen who sets sail on a daring mission to save her people. Along the way, Moana (Auli'i Cravalho) meets the once mighty demigod Maui (Dwayne Johnson), and together they cross the ocean on a fun-filled, action-packed voyage.



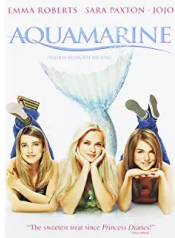
## Wednesday, June 29: Disney/Pixar's Finding Nemo Rated G

In the depths of the Great Barrier Reef, Marlin (Albert Brooks), an overly protective clownfish, embarks on a daring rescue mission when his beloved son, Nemo, gets scooped up by a diver. With his unforgettable friend Dory (Ellen DeGeneres) by his side, Marlin encounters an ocean full of memorable comedic characters on his momentous journey -- to find Nemo.



## Wednesday, July 6: Aquamarine Rated PG

It's the end of summer and Claire (Roberts) and Hailey (Jojo) have a major problem. In just five days, Hailey's family is moving halfway around the world! These girls need a major miracle, and they get one in the form of Aquamarine, a beautiful mermaid who washes ashore in a late summer storm. Sweet but clueless to the ways of romance, she offers to grant the girls one wish if they help her find the boy of her dreams. But when they attempt to reel in the cute local lifeguard, the result is something none of them expect and they discover that sometimes what you wish for isn't what you really want after all!



## Wednesday, July 13: Dolphin Tale PG

While swimming free in the ocean, a young dolphin gets caught in a trap and severely damages her tail. Though she is rescued and transported to Clearwater Marine Hospital, her tail cannot be saved, and the prognosis is dire. What the dolphin, now named Winter, needs is a miracle. She gets that miracle in the form of a marine biologist (**Harry Connick Jr.**), a prosthetics designer (**Morgan Freeman**), and a devoted boy (**Nathan Gamble**), who find a way to help Winter swim again.





# Bell Memorial Public Library's Summer Reading Activities!

Come join in the fun! All activities are FREE!

## Layers of the Ocean Under the Sea Activity (indoor activity)

Thursday, June 9th at 2:00 p.m. In our Young Adult Room.

All ages are welcome!!!

Sign up is requested to ensure we have enough supplies for everyone!

Sign up sheet will be in the YA Room

For Questions email Natalie Salazar at [nsalazar@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:nsalazar@bell.lib.in.us) or call 574-893-3200



## Soap Pump Painting (Indoor Activity) Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in our Young Adult Room

All Ages Welcome!

Sign up in the YA room. All supplies are provided that's why we ask you to sign up.

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## Reversed Tie Dye (Outdoor activity)

Thursday, June 23rd at 2:00pm

All ages are welcomed!!

Place: Mentzer Memorial Park (Corner of Oak and Washington St.) Mentone

Bring your t-shirt or sweatshirt and we will provide all other supplies

For questions email Natalie Salazar at [nsalazar@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:nsalazar@bell.lib.in.us) or call 574-893-3200



## Messy Twister (Outdoor activity) Wear clothes you don't mind getting stained up!

Tuesday, June 28th at 2:00 p.m.

All ages are welcome!

Place: Mentzer Memorial Park (Corner of Oak and Washington St.) Mentone

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