



## CITY OF STAYTON

### M E M O R A N D U M

**TO:** Mayor Porter and the Stayton City Council

**FROM:** Janna Moser - Library Director

**DATE:** September 19, 2022

**SUBJECT:** August Library report

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In August, Jennifer and Kim presented a special Storytime at Sublime Organics farm in Sublimity. Children and families got to hear about the farm, visit the animals and get a free book to keep. Staff took the Library to the Stayton Farmer's Market and gave out free children's books. Storytime popped up in Community Center Park and finished up for the season in Pioneer Park. We also hosted Cloverdale Elementary's Summer School for a Library Field Trip.

Summer Reading wrapped up with 186 people of all ages coming to tie-dye their Summer Reading shirts. Children earned their Summer Reading shirt by completing a 30-day Reading Challenge; teens and adults earned theirs by completing a bingo. Afterwards, Coventry & Kaluza performed. The children's game concluded with the SRP Card Tournament. Children used the deck of adventure cards they built by reading throughout the summer to play a special, survivor-style card game. This summer, 728 people of all ages participated in Summer Reading. Thank you to the Stayton Friends of the Library, the Stayton Public Library Foundation, and the Ready to Read grant facilitated through the State Library of Oregon for helping make this year's Summer Reading Program a success!

#### Upcoming events:

- Family Storytime: September 20 at 11:00am
- Baby and Toddler Time: September 21 at 11:00am
- Kids Monthly Maker Lab (drop-in) September 21-23: 3:30pm-4:30pm
- Teen Makerspace – 3Doodler: September 22 at 4:00pm
- Family Fit & Fun: September 23 at 11:00am
- Family Storytime: September 27 at 11:00am
- Baby and Toddler Time: September 28 at 11:00am
- Kids Rant or Rave Review Kit pick up: September 28

- Adults: Book Discussion – “The Four Winds”: September 28 at 4:00pm
- Family STEAM Night: September 29 at 5:30pm
- Family Fit & Fun: September 30 at 11:00am

