

Programs & Descriptions May 2026 - Children (0-7 years)

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Storytimes, other programs, and full calendars will return next month!

Your Youth Services Team is taking a May programming break to visit schools and get everything prepped for summer!

Lunch & a Movie | 12pm on Tuesday 5/26 (*Ice Age*), Wednesday 5/27 (*Ice Age: The Meltdown*), & Thursday 5/28 (*Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs*) – Pick up a free sack lunch and watch a movie with us! Program provided in partnership with First United Methodist Church & sponsored by Toad Suck Daze - Conway and fun for all ages.

Reading Buddies | Friday 5/1 from 4pm-6pm ****last one until fall**** – Looking for a low-stress, non-judgemental place for your elementary reader to practice their reading skills? Our collegiate volunteers, *aka: reading buddies*, can read to you or you can read to them or you can take turns reading. You can bring your own books to read or pick ones out with your buddy.

Reading Dragons: Hibernation Celebration | Friday 5/1 from 4pm-5:30pm (Grades K-12th) – Stop by as we celebrate Reading Dragons before they go into hibernation at this end of the school year party! Don't worry—we'll see the dragons again soon. In the meantime, something new & mysterious is stomping in starting in June...

Beanstack Reading Challenges:

1000 Books Before Kindergarten – It doesn't matter if your child is three, or just three months - there's no better time to start than now! The goal is to work reading aloud into your regular routine, and let the magic of stories do the rest. Start today at fcl.beanstack.com or with the free *Beanstack* app! Logging is as easy as scanning the ISBN on a book. When you start you get a free enrollment bag in addition to a reward each time you read a hundred books!

Announcements:

Friends of the Library (FOL) Spring Book Sale (4/25-5/9) – Continue growing your personal library collection with our FOL Spring Book Sale! Be sure to swing by the library before the final day on Saturday, May 9th.

Sebastian Bear Joins the Orchestra | Saturday 5/16 at 10:30am (**All Ages with focus on ages 5-8 for show**) – Join us and the Conway Symphony Guild for a concert at the Windgate Center in UCA! Be sure to stay after the concert to participate in fun & engaging crafts, books, and an instrument petting zoo!

Unearth A Story Summer Kick Off!

Saturday, May 30th, 10am-2pm

During this free, fun for all ages, event experience a *roaring* good time by kicking off our 2026 summer reading programming with Mid-America Science Museum and more! We'll even be revealing our one-of-a-kind reading challenge like we've never had before. Don't miss the fun as we come together for an event sure to make many memories!

