SUMNER NEWSLETTER PUBLIC LIBRARY JANUARY 2026

Teen Night

Tuesday, January 6 | 5:30-6:45PM

Adventure awaits!

Teens are invited to join us for a night of epic quests, creative storytelling, and dice-rolling fun.

Whether you're a seasoned adventurer or brand-new to the game, there's a seat at the table for you.



Snowflake Mason Jar Tuesday, January 20 | 5:30PM

Get crafty this winter at the library! Join us to create beautiful snowflake-themed mason jars-perfect as holiday décor, a cozy centerpiece, or a handmade gift. We'll provide all the supplies; you bring the creativity! Come craft, chat, and leave with something magical.



Kids' Movie

Monday, January 5 | 1:00 PM

Join us at the library for a FREE showing of a fun kids' movie (PG) the whole family will love! Title will be announced at a later date.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5 Kids' Movie: 1:00PM	Teen Night: 5:30PM	StoryTime: 10:00AM Kids' Book Club: 4:00AM	Evening Book Club: 6-7PM	9	10
11	12	13	StoryTime: 10:00AM	15 Library Board Meeting: 8:00AM In the Stacks Book Talk Group: 9-10AM	Coffee Book Talk Group: 9-10AM	17
18	19	Craft Night: 5:30PM	StoryTime: 10:00AM	22	23	24
25	26	27	StoryTime: 10:00AM	29	30	31

Wondrous Words:

Cozen: (v.) to trick or

deceive

Whist: (v.)(rare) to hush or silence; to still; to become

silent

Monthly Quote:
At every moment of our lives, we all have one foot in a fairy tale and the other in the abyss.

Paulo Coelho

<u>Library Hours</u>

Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday:
9:00AM- 7:00PM
Wednesday & Friday:
9:00AM- 5:00PM
Saturday:
9:00AM- 12:00PM