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FONDULAC DISTRICT LIBRARY ANNOUNCES 2021 SUMMER READING PROGRAM AND NEW HOURS

EAST PEORIA, IL, MAY 27, 2021: Fondulac District Library will kick off its summer reading program, "Reading Colors Your World," on Tuesday, June 1, and expand its hours and services.

This summer, readers of all ages are encouraged to explore humanity, nature, culture, and science. Be creative, try new things, explore art, and find beauty in diversity. Expand your world this summer and READ! Kids, teens, and adults can earn badges for reading FDL materials or attending library programs – and earn prizes!

Whether it's reading a graphic novel, listening to an audiobook, or reading an article, it counts! Borrow books, audiobooks, and magazines from Fondulac District Library or download or stream eBooks and audiobooks from fondulaclibrary.org. Summer programs include outdoor Family Movie Nights, weekly online story times, and programs for exploring baking, creativity, and more! Participants can track reading progress online at fondulaclibrary.beanstack.org or on-the-go with the Beanstack app. Paper reading logs are also available at the library or can be printed from fondulaclibrary.org.

Also starting June 1, the library's new hours will be 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fridays, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. Study rooms, additional seating, public bathrooms, newspapers, and the ongoing book sale will return, as well. Face masks remain required for all patrons ages two and older and library staff members.

Follow FDL at *fondulaclibrary.org* and Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube for more activities and updates throughout the summer!

About Fondulac District Library

Fondulac District Library provides current, accurate, high demand, and high interest materials primarily to Fondulac District residents by acquiring, organizing and disseminating books, non-print materials, and services that help educate, enrich, entertain, and inform. Fondulac District Library is committed to the support of a culture of lifelong learning in this community.

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