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### **Library Summer Reading Program**

Copperas Cove, Texas – The Copperas Cove Public Library, located at 501 S. Main Street, will host a Summer Reading Program from June 15<sup>th</sup> through July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021. Registration is currently open, and continues online through July 15<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget to join us for the official Kick-Off on June 15<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm in the meeting room. All registration and programs are FREE to the public. The annual program is sponsored by the Friends of the Copperas Cove Library.

Children ages 1–10 may complete Reading Time Logs at three levels to receive rewards of coupons and toys. Reading Logs are available at the circulation desk. There will be a weekly Toddler Time for children ages 1–3 and a weekly Story Time for children ages 3–5. These programs are in a Story Time format with stories, songs, and crafts. Community organizations will present interactive and educational programs for children ages 5–11. The weekly Teen Club programs are designed specifically for young teens ages 11–15. Teens may enter weekly drawings for gift cards or coupons to local businesses. The library will present professional musicians, animal shows and entertainers for all ages on Thursday afternoons in the library meeting room from June 13<sup>th</sup> through July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Seating is limited. Tickets for the Thursday programs will become available online after 9am, the day before the event.

As part of the Summer Reading Program theme for this year, “Tails & Tales”, the Copperas Cove Library is accepting donations of dog and cat food and animal toys through the month of June for the Copperas Cove Animal Shelter.

During the Summer Reading Program, the Library will also be offering evening sessions of Hero Camp on Tuesdays for ages 7–11, and Wednesdays for ages 12–17, from 6pm to 730pm.

Children under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Volunteers are also needed to assist with the programs so contact the Library if you wish to assist. Registration links for the Summer Reading Program, Thursday afternoon shows, and the Kick-Off can all be found on the City's website at: <https://www.copperascovetx.gov/library/>

For more information regarding these events please contact the Library at (254) 547-3826.

(Flyers and Calendar Attached)

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Copperas Cove Public Library  
501 S. Main St. (254)547-  
3821  
Library.copperascovetx.gov

## Copperas Cove Public Library Summer Reading Program 2021

Readers of all ages will explore the animal kingdom this summer as the Copperas Cove Public Library presents “Tails and Tales” during their in-house Summer Reading Program. The summer reading program will run **June 15-July 22, 2021**, with story times, music, crafts, Teen program, and prizes. All programs are **FREE** and open to the public. Online registration begins May 18, 2021 at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summer-reading-registration-tickets-154007940897>

Summer Reading is sponsored by:

Friends of the Copperas Cove Public  
Library  
Texas Commission on the Arts  
Texas State Library and Archives



### Hero Camp

During Summer Reading, we will also offer evening sessions of Hero Camp from 6-7:30 on Tuesdays for kids ages 7-11 and Wednesdays for kids ages 12-17. Hero Camp will include sword fighting, storytelling, and making hero gear like armour and shields. Enrollment will be limited. Online registration starts May 18, 2021 at

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/hero-camp-2021-tickets-154263766077>


# Copperas Cove Public Library Summer Reading

## Tails and Tales • June 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
All Programs are FREE!			<b>Online Summer Reading Registration begins May 18 and continues through July 15.</b> <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summer-reading-registration-tickets-154007940897">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summer-reading-registration-tickets-154007940897</a>			
<b>Tickets for the Thursday Program are available online at 9 am <i>THE DAY BEFORE</i> the day of the event.</b>				10	11	12
13	14	15 <b>Story Time</b> 10 am <b>SR Kick-off With Medieval Combat Demonstration</b> 2pm <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 7-11	16 <b>Teen Group</b> 2-3:30 <b>Heros on the Water</b> Come and learn about fishing <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 12-17	17 <b>Story Time</b> 10 am <b>Wild Things Zoofari</b> <b>2 pm &amp; 4pm</b> Educational live animal show.	18	19
20	21	22 <b>Story Time</b> 10 am Ages 5-11 <b>2pm</b> <b>Lessons from a Rattlesnake</b> with Ranger Debbie Hicks <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 7-11	23 <b>Teen Group</b> 2-3:30 pm <b>TPW Ranger Debbie Hicks</b> <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 12-17	24 <b>Story Time</b> 10 am <b>Lucas Miller the Singing Zoologist</b> 2pm & 4pm Music & fun animal songs.	25	26
27	28	29 <b>Story Time</b> 10 am Ages 5-11 <b>2 pm</b> <b>Coryell Co 4-H Ambassadors</b> Learn about 4-H programs. <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 7-11	30 <b>Teen Group</b> 2-3:30 pm <b>Local Author Regina Castillo</b> Learn about being a writer <b>Hero Camp</b> 6 pm Ages 12-17.			

# Copperas Cove Public Library Summer Reading

## Tails and Tales • July 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Story Time 10 am	2	3
4	5	6 Story Time 10 am Ages 5-11 2pm Animal Control Learn About Pet Care Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 7-11	7 Teen Group 2-3:30 pm Kevin Marsh Tinker CAD and 3-D Printing Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 12-17	8 Story Time 10 am Austin Reptile Show 2pm & 4pm Snakes and other reptiles!	9	10
11	12	13 Story Time 10 am Ages 5-11 2 pm Olaf the Longhorn Calf Learn about cattle and ranching. Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 7-11	14 Teen Group 2-3:30 pm Drawing Manga With Professional Artist Mr. Pitts Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 12-17	15 Story Time 10 am Sue Young Singer & Storyteller 2pm & 4pm Music and Stories	16	17
18	19	20 Story Time 10 am Ages 5-11 2 pm TX Master Naturalist Lynn Williams TX Birds Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 7-11	21 Teen Group 2-3:30 pm Jeopardy Hero Camp 6 pm Ages 12-17	22 Story Time 10 am Daniel Benes Science Show 2pm & 4pm Fun Science!	<b>July 23 is the last day to turn in your Reading Log and redeem your rewards.</b>	
25	26	27	<b>Summer Reading Programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Copperas Cove Public Library, Texas Commission on the Arts, Texas State Library and Archives Commission and area businesses.</b>			

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Hours:  
Monday-Thursday 9am-7pm  
Friday-Saturday 10am-2pm  
Closed Sundays



Copperas Cove Public Library Summer Reading  
Program

Animal Shelter Feed and Needs Drive

When: June 1-30, 2021

What: Food and Toys for the Copperas Cove Animal  
Shelter

Donations Needed: Soft Dog Treats, Small Bags of  
Dog/Cat Food, Powder Puppy/Kitten Formula, Chew  
Toys, Cat Collars, Puppy Pads, Small Litter Pans, Small  
Bags of Kitty Litter

Drop Off: Copperas Cove Public Library

501S. Main St., Copperas Cove, TX 76522

POC: Karen Eacrett (254)547-3826



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Public Library