

# Galway Informer

Library Services

Quarterly Program Brochure

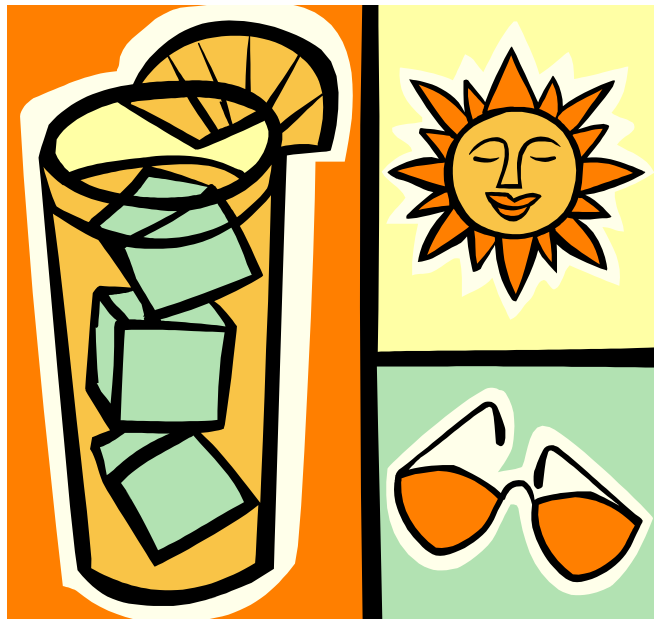
Summer

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June

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## Galway Public Library

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### Summer Library Hours:

Monday-Tuesday	10am – 6pm
Wednesday – Thursday	2pm – 8pm
Friday	10am – 6pm
Saturday	10am-3pm
Sunday	Closed

The Library will be CLOSED;  
July 4th

- ◇ Registration is requested but not required for all programs unless otherwise noted. By registering you give us a better idea of the supplies needed for the program. You can now register through our website by visiting [www.galwaypubliclibrary.org/forms/program-registration](http://www.galwaypubliclibrary.org/forms/program-registration). You may also register at the Circulation Desk in person, by phone at 518-882-6385, or by email at [mtuttle@sals.edu](mailto:mtuttle@sals.edu).
- ◇ Subscribe to our e-newsletter updates through our website. The weekly email highlights the upcoming programs and services of the coming week.
- ◇ Weather Delays: If you are unsure of the weather and suspect a possible closing or delay please call ahead or check our website. In addition when Galway Public School district cancels classes we will cancel our programs.
- ◇ You can receive notification of your reserved items, due dates and library card expiration by e-mail. Contact the Circulation Desk for details.
- ◇ Tweens & Teens can attend any of the **Children's programs. However, Teen & Tween** specific programs are restricted to Grades 6 –12.
- ◇ E-Readers – We still loan out Nooks and Kindles to our patrons; visit our circulation desk for details!
- ◇ DVDs – We have an extensive collection of DVDs and work hard to get the newest releases. The loan period has been extended to 7 days!



## Library Specialties



### Movies in the Park

The Friends of the Galway Public Library have agreed to sponsor an expanded Movies in the Park program. Join us for TWO days of movie goodness.

Our themes are Family Movie Nights on Fridays at dusk, Date night once a month on Saturday and Teen nights Saturdays at dusk.

The following titles have been scheduled:



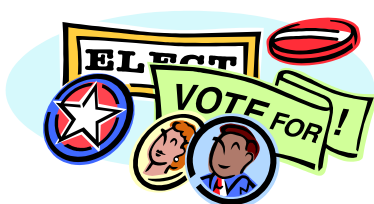
- 6/6 **Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone**
  - 6/13 Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets
  - 6/20 Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban
  - 6/27 Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire
  - 7/4 Fourth of July! No Movie
  - 7/11 Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix
  - 7/18 Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince
  - 7/25 Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 1
  - 8/1 Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 2
  - 8/8 Rain Date / Frozen
  - 8/15 Rain Date / The Lego Movie
  - 8/22 Rain Date / Mr. Peabody & Sherman
  - 8/29 Rain Date / Movie
  - 6/7 Date Night Movie - Knight & Day
  - 6/14 Teen Night - Twilight
  - 6/21 Teen Night - The Twilight Saga: New Moon
  - 6/28 Teen Night - The Twilight Saga: Eclipse
  - 7/5 Teen Night - The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1
  - 7/12 Teen Night - The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 2
  - 7/19 Date Night Movie - The Princess Bride
  - 7/26 Rain Date / Movie
  - 8/2 Rain Date / Movie
  - 8/9 Teen Night - Divergent
  - 8/16 Rain Date / Movie
  - 8/23 Date Night Movie - Captain America: The Winter Soldier
  - 8/30 Rain Date / Movie
- \*\*\*Subject to Change\*\*\*



### Public Hearing on the Budget and Election

Join us to learn details about the budget and election of Trustees.

June 3 at 7:00pm



### Board of Trustees meetings

All meetings are open to the public!

June 5 at 6:00pm

July 3 at 6:00pm

August 7 at 6:00pm

### Library Election

Budget vote and election of three members to the Board of Trustees. Election to take place at the library.

June 10 from 1:00pm - 8:00 pm

### Friends of the Library meeting

June 12 at 7:00pm

At the Cock n Bull Restaurant - All are welcome

July 15 at 7:00pm (Galway Town Hall)

August 19 at 7:00pm (Galway Town Hall)

### Library Friday (the 13<sup>th</sup>)

Dispel some of that superstitious bad luck and participate in Library Friday! Stop in and see what Friday the 13th crafts you can do!

June 13 during open hours

### Friends of the Library fundraiser

Wine Tasting at the Cock n Bull Restaurant

Support your library by supporting the Friends of the Galway Public Library

June 17 at 7:00pm

### Finance Committee meetings

June 18 at 6:00pm

July 16 at 6:00pm

August 20 at 6:00pm

### Board workshop meetings

June 18 at 7:00pm

July 16 at 7:00pm

August 20 at 7:00

### P.J. Read in Day

Come dressed in your pajamas and join us for a read in! Cozy up throughout the library with a good book and escape the world for a few hours!

June 19 at 3:00pm



### Meet with the Architects

At Galway Town Hall - View new building designs based on input from earlier public meetings!

June 21 from 2:00 - 4:00pm

June 25 from 7:00 - 9:00pm



## Library Specialties



When Readers Meet

June 23 at 7:00pm

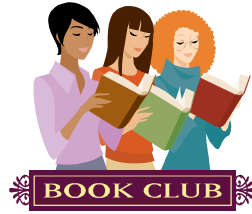
*News from Heaven*, stories by Jennifer Haigh.

July 28 at 7:00pm

*TransAtlantic: a novel* by Colum McCann.

August 25 at 7:00pm

*Signature of All Things* by Elizabeth Gilbert



Writers' Group

All writers, both new and experienced, are welcome to attend. Network with other writers and share your work.

June 24 at 7:00pm

July 22 at 7:00pm

August 26 at 7:00pm



Invention Convention

Join us for this program and be a part of the solution! Present ideas to a list of problems, create your own invention, and receive a certificate of participation, as well as a prize for the winners!

July 17 at 5:00pm

Teatime with Birds

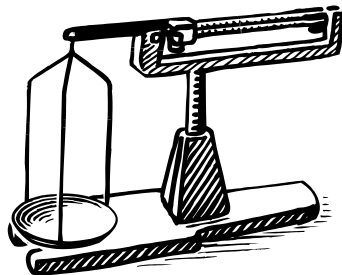
Join us for this exciting program where you can repurpose a teacup and saucer into a semi-permanent bird feeder. This program will use heavy adhesive to affix the teacup, saucer, spoon and coupling together, to go on a pipe that will go into the ground! Registration required for supplies.

July 29 at 3:00pm

Tang Museum - Balance This!

Have fun figuring out how to make a sculpture that's free-standing and self-supporting, using the principles of balance and center of gravity. Make your colorful, whimsical sculpture with craft sticks, wax sticks, wire, etc. Free and open to children entering first grade and up. Limit of 25 participants; please register by calling 882-6385.

July 30 at 2:00pm



Create Game Piece Jewelry

Do you have games that are missing pieces? Bring them in and join us and create your own game piece jewelry! Scrabble pieces, upwords pieces, domino pieces, anything you might want to make into jewelry is welcome!

August 21 at 5:00pm



## Children's



Preschool Storytime

Caregivers with children ages 3-6 will join Shelley for 30 minutes of literacy-building fun, complete with a craft!

Weekly Tuesdays at 10:00am



Drawing for Kids

Join Lenny and learn how to draw whatever you desire!

Weekly Wednesdays at 4:00pm

Folklore & Fairytales

Join our local librarian for this 4-week program and build literacy skills as she delves into the world of folklore and fairytales. Discover what lessons can be learned; become involved in the story.

Mondays, June 2, 9, 16 and 23 at 12:30pm



Make A Telephone

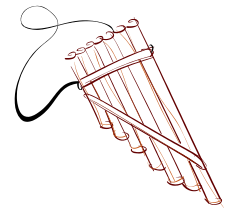
Join us for some wacky telephone fun; create the earliest most basic form of the telephone! String telephones! Play a whisper game in the library using the string/cup phones!

June 30 at 12:00pm

Pan Pipe Straws

Make a musical instrument! Learn a little music history and create your own Pan Pipes!

July 1 at 1:00pm



Moving Pictures

Trick your eye and create a moving picture!

July 2 at 3:00pm

Super Simple Spectrometer

Come see the colors of a rainbow! We will be using a cereal box, old CD and a few other materials to make our own spectrometer!

July 2 at 6:00pm



## Children's



### Measure a Rainbow

Can you measure a rainbow? In this creative program we take the temperature of light! Using thermometers and a few basic supplies we will experiment and compare results just like scientist do!

July 3 at 3:00pm

### Make a Thaumatrope

Create and use a simple toy and explore how our eyes and brains work together to help us see!

July 7 at 1:00pm

### Plastic Pan Pipes

Get dancing with this innovative creation.

July 8 at 1:00pm

### Mysterious Mirror Images

Learn more about sight and make your own kaleidoscope in this fun science program!

July 9 at 6:00pm

### Water Vibrations

Make a water xylophone!

July 10 at 3:00pm

### Magnetism Takes a Break

Create your own magnetic magic and learn how to turn a magnet off and on!

July 10 at 6:00pm

### Magnetic Connection

Join us for a crafty experiment and find out what's attracted to magnets.

July 14 at 1:00pm

### Music & Movement Play

Create a "movement play" based on a book or theme! Sessions are 45 minutes to an hour, including dance/movement instruction and the opportunity for you to create moves and dialogue for your own play.

July 14 at 1:00pm

August 11 at 1:00pm

### Balancing Act

Join us for this crafty gravity defying act! We will use toothpicks, straws and clay to challenge gravities pull.

July 15 at 1:00pm



## Children's



### Rolling Marbles

We will use paint, a marble and a paper plate to demonstrate when movement begins and where it ends with this exciting and artistic program.

July 15 at 3:00pm

### Planes and Gravity

This informative and fun program covers some of the most popular inventors in aviation history! Demonstrate flight with a creation of your own!

July 17 at 3:00pm



### Tornado in a Bottle

Put one of nature's most powerful creations in a bottle! Harness the power of the tornado in this program designed to build your science skills and understanding.

July 21 at 1:00pm

### Harry Potter Plants

Join us for a trivia game about some of the plants from the Harry Potter books. Learn how to grow your own Harry Potter plants and get into Earth Science!

July 21 at 3:00pm

### Insects: What Bites, What Stings?

Join Amy for this informative and fun program and learn how to tell which insects bite or sting. Gain information that can make you feel more comfortable with our insect friends. Participants will create their own insect journal to use with the Insect Scavenger Hunt on Thursday! Registration required.

July 22 at 3:00pm

### The Earth's Crust

Ever wanted to know more about Earth? Join Sandy for this informative earth science program. Create your own earth's crust and watch how the earth moves!

July 23 at 5:00pm

### Volcano Madness

Join us and erupt your own Volcano! Learn about the different types of volcanoes in this informative and fun earth science class!

July 23 at 6:30pm





## Children's



### Insect Scavenger Hunt

Join Amy and put the knowledge from Tuesday to the test! Fill your journal with insects during our insect scavenger hunt.

July 24 at 3:00pm

### Make Your Own Nature Book

Join us for earth science week and learn more about Nature Journals, then create your own! These journals can contain leaves, feathers, seeds or anything else that you can dry and glue in a book! \*\*\*At the end of the summer there will be a prize for the book with the most items!

July 28 at 1:00pm

### Pinecone Birdfeeder

Do you love birds? Join us and create a birdfeeder from pinecones!

July 28 at 3:00pm

### Create Your Own Pinwheel

Join us for this informative and fun program and learn more about the element of air, then create your own pinwheel! Registration required.

July 29 at 1:00pm

### Carnivorous Plants

Join us and learn about the fascinating world of carnivorous plants! Watch a video and then craft your own carnivorous plant!

July 30 at 6:00pm

### Fascinating Flora

Do you know how plants are used? Join us for a short game and determine which plants heal, which are poisonous and which you can wear, in this educational and fun earth science program!

July 31 at 3:00pm

### Milk & Color Explosion

This fascinating science experiment will have you watching your milk explode with color! Includes a Food Science Match Game.

August 4 at 1:00pm

### Disco Dancing Spaghetti

**Watch your pasta jump and jive! Includes Einstein's Megatronic Cosmic Café Menu**

August 5 at 1:00pm



## Children's



### Alka-Seltzer Rocket

Create your own flying experiments using just a few materials! Who will go the farthest!?

August 5 at 3:00pm

### Water Crystal Colors

Join us for this crafty colorful experiment and get absorbed in absorption!

August 6 at 6:00pm

### Shrink & Grow Gummy

A crafty, magical experiment of growing and shrinking, watch your gummy grow and shrink!

August 7 at 3:00pm

### Out of Sight Secret Message

Do you want to create your own secret message system? Come build your science skills and learn a little more about chemistry!

August 11 at 1:00pm

### Create Your Green Slimer

A crafty experiment to challenge your mind. Is it liquid or solid? Join us and build your science knowledge while having fun!

August 12 at 1:00pm

### Swimming Noodles

Sink or swim? Let's see what these noodles will do in different liquids!

August 12 at 3:00pm

### Turn up the Temp

A steel wool and vinegar project that will have you thinking about chemistry!

August 13 at 6:00pm

### Lemonade Fizzy Drink

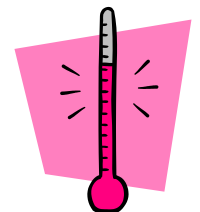
Is it lemonade, lemon soda, or something else entirely!? Join us and find out what this chemistry experiment will produce!

August 14 at 3:00pm

### Tin Can Organizer

Re-purpose your cans and create a colorful space for your crayons and other items

August 18 at 1:00pm





## Children's



### Pencil Art

Sometimes you just want to keep pencils and turn them into art. Join us for this Up-cycle project that will give you the opportunity to save those pencils for something other than writing!

August 19 at 1:00pm

### Funky Yarn Scarf

Yarn leftovers made into something useful and nice. Bring your own yarn left overs or use ours!

August 20 at 5:00pm

### Envelope Organizer

Join us for this crafty organizing solution.

August 25 at 1:00pm

### Duct tape Pencil Case

Create your own colorful pencil case using Duct tape!

August 25 at 3:00pm

### Coiled Basket

Clothesline and fabric make a great basket project!

August 26 at 1:00pm

### Painted Paper Bowl

**Have bowls you don't like? Bring them in and make them into a painted paper bowl!**

August 27 at 6:00pm

### Button Bouquet

Re-use buttons and make a crafty gift or decoration for yourself!

August 28 at 3:00pm



## Tween & Teen Programs



### Perennial Planting Day - Teens

Join us and plant your own perennial plant at the library. These perennials can be moved to the new library when we get there!

July 25 at 3:00pm

### Volunteer/Voluntween Meeting

This gathering is for teens who want to help the library and share their good ideas. We will discuss potential projects and concerns.

June 26 at 4:00pm

July 31 at 4:00pm

August 28 at 4:00pm



## Tween & Teen Programs



### Star Wars Day for Teens

Come join the library as we celebrate Star Wars!! A movie will begin at 2pm, a costume contest will begin at 4pm and Star Wars Origami will finish out the day!



July 11

### Musical Rainsticks - Teens

Join us and make musical Rainsticks! Learn the history behind the Rainsticks as well as common uses!

July 18 at 3:00pm

### Teen - Do Something

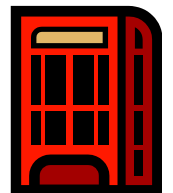
Join us while we visit one of the largest organizations in the United States and find a cause! Teens can search out their own cause and commit to a Do Something project that is best for them. To win a prize all who attend will post the results of their Do Something project on our Tumblr page!

July 31 at 5:00pm

### Teen Tardis Building

Are you a fan of Doctor Who? Join us while we watch an episode of Doctor Who and create your very own mini Tardis!

August 1 at 3:00pm



### Make your own MSP Lava Lamp

Who wouldn't want to make their own temporary lava lamp!?! Join us and learn how to make your own Temporary Lava Lamp from basic supplies!

August 14 at 5:00pm

### Pop Rocks Science

Pop Rocks, Balloons and Soda, what more could you ask for? What will happen when we combine them together?

August 8 at 3:00pm

### Forensics Crime Scene Study

Join us for a special quest speaker and learn about Forensics Crime Scenes!

August 15 at 3:00pm





## Tween & Teen Programs



### T-shirt Shopping Bag

Up-cycle one of your T-Shirts into a shopping bag! Bring your own T-Shirt or use one of ours and have your own custom recycled shopping bag!

August 21 at 3:00pm

### Firefighting

Join us for a special guest and learn about fires, fire prevention and the life of a firefighter!

August 22 at 3:00pm

### Ductigami

Origami Duct Tape Style.

Come join us for the fun art of folding. The science is in the shapes and the folds; geometry can be fun!

August 28 at 5:00pm

### SciFi Trivia

Do you know your Science Fiction? Come join us for Sci Fi Trivia!

August 29 at 3:00pm



## Computer Literacy



### Facebook Security

Want to learn how to secure your Facebook page, create lists of people and post only to those you trust? This class is for you!

June 4 at 6:00pm

### Intro to Computers

Join us for this introductory course designed to give you a basic understand of the mouse, keyboard, and computer terminology!

June 11 at 6:00pm

### Getting into Windows 8

Join us for an overview and demonstration of the Windows 8.1 operating system. Learn how to find files and folders as well as computer devices and more!

June 25 at 6:00pm

### Intro to Facebook

Thinking about creating a Facebook? This introductory class will show you how to create a Facebook account and how to set up a basic profile. E-mail address is required.

June 26 at 6:00pm



## Art & Writing



### Writing and Selling Animated TV

Most scripts for animated TV Shows are written on a freelance basis, by people like you and me. Stop in for this informative class that will get you on the road to success!

June 12 at 6:00pm

### Jackson Pollock Art

Come learn more about Jackson Pollock art and then create your own Jackson Pollock inspired abstract art work! Registration Requested

June 19 at 4:00pm

### Magazine Cartooning for Adults

Have you ever wanted to know more about cartooning? Better yet, would you like the chance to send your cartooning in to a magazine? Come to this informative class and learn the steps you will need to take to create and submit your cartooning to a magazine.

June 19 at 6:00pm

### Playful Clay

Join us for this 6-week program and create 4 clay projects! Age Range 8-80. First week: slab-formed project "You Are My Sunshine" Registration Required. Adults - \$25 materials fee for the series.

Wednesdays July 9 - August 13th at 6:00pm

### Kandinsky Art

Come learn more about the abstract artist Kandinsky, then create your own abstract Kandinsky inspired art piece!

July 24 at 4:00pm

### Pitching Stories to Hollywood Producers

Join us for this informative program designed to teach you everything you need to know about pitching your story and getting it to the producers who might pay you for it!

July 24 at 6:00pm

### Mondrian Art

Join us and learn about expressionist artist Mondrian and then create your own expressionist, Mondrian inspired artwork!

August 7 at 4:00pm