

# August 2025

All library events are free to attend and open to the public.  
\*Sponsored by Friends of Sherwood Public Library.  
Learn more about supporting our library at [sherwoodoregon.gov/library/support](https://sherwoodoregon.gov/library/support).

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27 Adult Summer Reading Continues Youth Summer Reading Continues	28	29	30	31	1	2 Repair Fair 1:00-4:00 PM
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 Read to the Dogs 11:00 AM
10	11	12	13 Adult Book Discussion* 6:00 PM	14	15	16 Smash Bros Tourney 2:00-4:00 PM
17 Writing Workshop 2:00-4:00 PM	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Adult Summer Reading Ends Youth Summer Reading Ends	1	2				



**Legend**

Adults

Teens

Kids

Everyone

**Reading suggestions**  
Scan this QR code for booklists for all age groups books that are perfect for road trips!

## STORYTIME

Interactive reading, rhymes, music and movement for developing early literacy skills and kindergarten readiness

**STORYTIME BREAK : AUGUST 27 – SEPTEMBER 4**  
• All Ages Storytime: Wednesdays @ 9:30 & 10:15 AM

### NEW LIBRARY HOURS:

- Monday - Wednesday 10 AM - 7 PM
- Thursday & Friday 11 AM - 6 PM
- Saturday 10 AM - 6 PM
- Sunday 1 - 5 PM



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# NEWSLETTER

## August 2025



### New Newsletter Rollout

Welcome to the first issue of our updated monthly newsletter! It's the same great content in a slightly different format. Information about library events and service are on the inside pages, and the back page has a calendar of events with info about storytimes and monthly booklists. Events on the inside pages and back calendar are color-coded by age group.

### Sherwood School District Backpack Donations

The Sherwood SHARE Center is holding another backpack donation drive in preparation for the new school year. You can bring backpacks into the library to donate through Friday, August 22.



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### Library Foundation News

The Sherwood Library Foundation [SHELF] has recently been awarded two grants to help reach its first project goal of a modular meeting room, and has applied for more grants as well. To learn more about the foundation, including information about donations, check them out at: [sherwoodlibraryfoundation.com](https://sherwoodlibraryfoundation.com)



**Adrienne Doman Calkins**  
LIBRARY MANAGER

## For Adults

### Adult Summer Reading THROUGH AUGUST 31

Pick up a free book at the library (while supplies last), read any book or audiobook you'd like, submit book reviews online or at the library (through August 31). Each book review enters you into weekly and grand prize drawings!



### Repair Fair

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2,  
1:00 – 4:00 PM

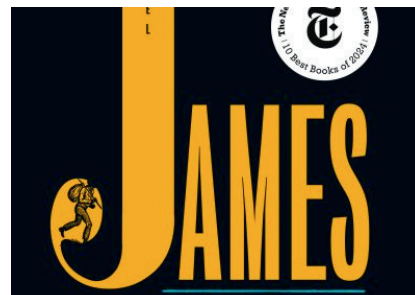
Repair Fairs are events where volunteers with “fixing” skills help others fix broken items. Sign up online to see if volunteers can help fix your item, or volunteer to fix items for others. Registration required.



### Adult Book Discussion

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13,  
6:00 – 7:00 PM

Read. Be inspired. Discuss. We are discussing James by Percival Everett -- a retelling of The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn from Jim's point of view. The first ten to register receive a free copy of the book.



## For Youth & Family

### Youth Summer Reading THROUGH AUGUST 31

Youth readers, ages 0 - 18, can pick out a free book. No registration required. Choose your reading goal and pick up a prize book when you reach it, from July 12 to August 31, and enter our grand prize drawing.



### Read to the Dogs

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9,  
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Brush up on reading skills in a fun and nonjudgmental environment while reading with a trained therapy dog for 20 minutes. Get a frequent reader card to earn a new book after five visits and a Friends of the Library coupon to spend after you read to the dog. Registration required.



### Find Wallace!

The WCCLS mascot, Wallace the book bug, is back! He's hiding somewhere around the library. Come find him and claim a prize!



## For Tweens & Teens

### Writing Workshop

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17,  
2:00 – 4:00 PM

Author Marie Buckley leads a warm-up exercise and thematic writing session. No experience necessary. Bring writing tools and expect positive feedback.



### Smash Bros Tourney

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16,  
2:00 – 4:00 PM

Bowser, Luigi, Link, oh my! Who will battle? Who will win? Only you can determine that if you join us for the Smash Bros Tourney! Registration required. Ages 10 and up.



## For Everyone

### Mini Castle Making Contest Winners

We had an amazing turnout for the Miniature Castle Contest this year: 39 castles! Congratulations to all the contest winners: Lorenzo F., Leo G., Mia S., Jessica M., Lauren and Tomi A., Felix R., Teddy S., and Jojo M.!

### Sign up for our E-Newsletter!

Each month we email a digital newsletter to you, with all the latest library info and booklists for all ages.

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