

Librarian's Shelf
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Tails & Tales @ Columbus Public Library

This summer, our teen summer reading program is all about animals. All of the teen programs will be in person this summer, so make sure to check out our Facebook, Instagram, or Beanstack page for when these events are happening. There are a few events that will require preregistration. These events are the Henry Doorly Zoo Trip and a Murder Mystery Night. Make sure to give Jessica a call at 402-562-4203 to sign up for these events. I look forward to seeing all of you at some of the amazing programs that we are having this year!

Now to talk a little bit about how the actual reading part of the program works. Beanstack is something new that the library is providing to our patrons for the next few years. We have all of our program information within the Columbus Public Library Beanstack website. Signing up for a Beanstack account is as easy as signing up for any social media site. Follow this website to our Beanstack site: <https://columbusne.beanstack.org/reader365> and begin your own journey filled with fantasy, adventure, and fun! Within the site itself, readers can log their books or minutes read, log which activities they have completed, and earn badges, tickets, and prizes along the way. For the teen summer reading program, here are the prizes that you can enter for:

Amazon Echo Show 8

Fitbit Versa 2

Anime Mystery Bag

Runza Gift Card

LEGO Star Wars Kit

Game Bag

My Book Bag

Barnes & Noble Gift Card

Starbucks Gift Card

Movie Theater Passes

Columbus area teens are encouraged to participate in the Columbus Public Library's teen summer reading program that runs until July 30. Young adults entering 7th through 12th grades are invited to sign up for a Beanstack account by following the link on the Columbus Public Library's Facebook page or on the website.

Questions? Call Jessica at 402-562-4203 or email Jessica.Wilkinson@columbusne.us for more information.