AUGUST 20 - 24: UNICORNS. MAGICAL CREATURES & **ENCHANTED PONIES**

AM: Razzle Dazzle Unicorns & Magical Creatures Art Camp

Inspired by the enchanting artwork found in books, the children will use their imagination to create their own magical creatures using a variety of techniques and media. Art Supply Fee: \$5/day.

Ages: 5+ Instructor: Linda Dugan

PM: Imagine 2018 Author - Enchanted Pony Academy: How does an idea become a book? Read and write with Lisa Ann Scott, local author of Scholastic's Enchanted Pony Academy series. Write your own story, make two crafts each day and celebrate the end of camp with a Magic Pony Party!

Ages 5+ Instructor - Lisa Scott

AUGUST 27 - 31: PUPPY POWER!

AM: Biscuit & Paw Patrol - The popular, funny and heartwarming stories of Biscuit and the strong, brave puppies of Paw Patrol will also be included in this fun, busy week dedicated to our furry friends. Enjoy these endearing books and meet author Alyssa Satin Capucilli at the 2018 WNY Children's Book Expo this November.

Instructor: Colleen Adams Ages 5+

ABC, 123, COLOR ME MONKEY Pre-K Enrichment

8-weeks (7/9-8/27), Mondays 10-11 am

Price: \$65/child, \$12/jump-in

Children will work on fundamental learning skills through storyreadings. The alphabet, counting, and basic literacy skills are reinforced each week. Ages 3+ Instructor: Annie Bodensteiner



Wednesdays 9:00 - 9:30 am, July 11 - August 15

Join us for a FREE story-reading and craft each week. Best suited for ages 31/2+.

3-DAY BACKYARD NATURE PLAY by David Bauer

June 26, 27, 28 from 10 - 11:30 AM, Ages 4+

Price: \$60/session or \$25/day; This 3-part nature play series will include:



HIDEOUT FOR TROLLS: Create your own troll hideout! Gather all the miniature "nature loose parts" you can find to create a mini home and village for the local trolls! Recommended to work in teams or pairs.

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WATER WONDERS: Learn about the water cycle! Draw a nature image with water and foam brush on a hot day. What happens? If it's early in the morning, go for a walk with your bare feet and learn about the dew.

DISCOVER OUR LIVING SOIL: Build your own compost bin! Learn how to make them, why they are important and where soil comes from! Get your hands dirty and feel the wiggle of the worms in live compost.





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9:30 am - 12:00 pm and 12:30 - 3:00 pm* June 18 - August 31, 2018 Full Day camps start June 24

FEES: One Day: \$30/child or Full Week: \$129/child

(some camps have additional fees - see descriptions for more info)

ALL camps feature Interactive Story-readings, Read-Alouds and/ or Literacy Circles, Critical Thinking and Logic, ELA, Math and Art Activities, as well as Imaginative Play and Games

To register or find more information about SUMMER CAMPS please visit www.MonkeysRead.com.

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JUNE 18 - 22: PRINCESS POWER

AM: Princess Manners Academy: What makes a princess polite? Join us for princess stories, table etiquette and manners, curtsies and other princess activities along with a special tea party and quest appearance! Ages: 31/2+ Instructor: Kim Krug

JUNE 25 - 29: MAGIC MERMAIDS & WIZARDS

AM: Mermaid Tales: Swim with MerGirls Shelly, Kiki, Pearl and Echo as they explore their underwater world. Learn what it's like to live under the sea through creative stories and fun activities about mermaid friendships and adventures.

Instructor: Colleen Adams Ages 5+

PM: Hogwarts Academy: Calling all young witches and wizards! Hogwarts Academy is a fun week of magical activities and crafts sure to excite any Harry Potter fan.

Instructor: Julie Bastedo Ages 6+

JULY 9 - 13: EXPLORE NATURE, GARDENING & MINDFULNESS

AM: Nature Play, Mindfulness & Organic Gardening Camp Discover the joy in doing creative nature play; share mindful moments using your senses; and learn how to work in soil as an organic gardener! Children need to be prepared to share time outdoors at the MSMD Bookstore.

Ages: 4+ Instructors: Patty Hull & Dave Bauer

PM: Imagine 2018 Author/Book Study - Children will explore nature, the outdoors, and using their imagination featuring book titles by Imagine 2018 Expo authors, Jennifer Ward &Sarah Thomson. Art, science and writing projects will focus on topics found throughout their books.

Ages: 5+ Instructor: Kari Webster

JULY 16 - 21: FAIRIES, FANTASY & FICTION

AM: Imagine 2018 Author Study: The Wish Fairy by Lisa Scott How do you become an author? Find out from Scholastic's Wish Fairy author Lisa Ann Scott! Create your own story, make two crafts each day, then attend the magical Fairy Ball at the end of camp! Ages 5+ Instructor - Lisa Scott

PM: Fairy Art Camp

Did you know that there are different kinds of fairies? Campers will discover a new type of fairy every day through engaging story-time and a fun art project. Join us for a week of everything fairy!

Instructor: Kelly Harvey Ages 5+

JULY 23 - 27: ART & MAKERS LAB

AM: Dr. Seuss Art Camp - Enter the magical and inventive world of Dr. Seuss. Campers will take inspiration from his classic storybooks for a week of art-making and imagination.

Ages: 31/2+ Instructor: Brittany Rauscher



PM: Makers Lab Camp

It's a camp where art and science meet! From slime to DNA sculptures, to bridges and drawing machines, this camp is perfect for the tinkers and creatives.

Ages 5+ Instructor: Brittany Rauscher

JULY 30 - AUGUST 3: ANIMAL ART & FRIENDSHIP FUN

AM: Art Safari: Using beautifully illustrated books as our quide, the children will travel the world to discover fascinating animals to create as they explore a variety of techniques and media. Art Supply Fee: \$5/day. Instructor: Linda Dugan Ages 5+

PM: Elephant & Piqqie: Elephant and Piqqie know all about BIGGIE how to be good friends. As we meet new friends at camp, we'll read stories and practice telling our own. We'll do art projects and activities that help us remember that manners, sharing and kindness help make good friends, and what make life more fun! Ages 4+ Instructor: Annie Bodensteiner

AUGUST 6 - 10: INVENTERS, ARCHITECTS & CHANGE-MAKERS

AM: Inventors & Architects - Like buildings? Like Inventing? This camp has both! Campers will learn famous inventors, identify famous buildings and of course design and make their own. Ages 5+ Instructor: Brittany Rauscher

PM: Be A Change-Maker: What does it mean to be a "changemaker?" Campers will learn about some of the visionaries, humanitarians, and innovators who have inspired and facilitated positive change in our world. They will not only learn from these historic figures by also engage in daily projects that promote peace, justice, and positive change.

Instructor: Kelly Harvey Ages 5+

AUGUST 13 - 17: PRINCESS MAGIC!

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AM: Princess in Black - Mysterious Playdate

(release date 5/8/18) Join us for a week of fun as we read the latest story of the Princess in Black. We'll learn all about how everything can be a little better with the help of a friend as we read, write and play. We'll make a picture story of our favorite playdate, play games and do outdoor activities that require teamwork!

Ages: 5+ Instructor: Annie Bodensteiner

PM: Magic Tree House (release date 8/7/18)

Pack your bags for mystery-solving adventures through time and space with Jack and Annie! Campers will embark on one magical mission a day and engage in book discussions, art projects, and fun STEMfocused activities.

Ages 5+ Instructor: Kelly Harvey











