



## for kids age 0 to 11

Are you going BUGGY this summer trying to find something to do? Then buz-z-z-z-z on over to your local library and join either the children's summer reading program, Catch the Reading Bug. There are prizes to win, entertaining programs to enjoy, and books, books, books, to listen to, or read!

When a child ages 0-11 finishes three hours of reading or listening to books, he/she receives a free book and a chance to win the weekly prize of puppets with books. Additional hours earn bug bucks, which can be traded at the library's Flea Market for toys, games, and books.

"Bugapalooza" is a series of special free performances for families, including "Bonnie Goes Buggy," with award-winning folksinger Bonnie Phipps; "Little Bug's Big World," a puppet show performed by Dragon Theater Puppets," and "Go Wild," a Slightly Illusional program that combines magic, puppets, literature, and comedy to teach about the science in your own backyard. Check with your local branch for dates, times and locations.

There are also weekly creative programs for ages 6-11. "The Buzz Patrol" features stories, games, crafts, and other activities for the older child. Days of the week and times are:

Bend Public Library, Thursdays @ 2pm

La Pine Public Library, Wednesdays @ 10:30am

Redmond Public Library, Tuesdays @ 2pm

Sisters Public Library, Tuesdays @ 10:30am

Sunriver Area Public Library, Wednesdays @ 2pm

"Busy Bees" story times continue all summer long as well, for children ages 0-5. Contact your local branch for the schedule.

Why did the caterpillar go to the library? She wanted to be a bookworm! This summer is your chance to become a bookworm too, by joining the summer reading program—Catch the Reading Bug!



## for teens age 12 to 17

*Metamorphosis* is the theme of this year's Teen Summer Reading Program (TSRP)! You could transform your old bike or skateboard (Dec Out My Deck), turn stuff from a tool box into amazing jewelry (Hardware Jewelry), and trash into works of art (Operation: Art Attack). And when you read for three hours, you get a free book. Plus, each branch is giving away cool grand prizes.

So check out the teen programs at your library branch and celebrate this year's summer reading theme: *Metamorphosis!*