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RAWLINS MUNICIPAL LIBRARY



July 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	June 30	July 1	2	3	4	5
	1p Summer Camp: PreK Session 2	Super Senior Day 9a Boys & Girls Club Outreach 9:30a Cozy Book Club 1p Summer Camp: PreK Session 2 6:30p Rawlins Book Club	1p Summer Camp: PreK Session 2	1p Summer Camp: PreK Session 2	LIBRARY CLOSED-Independence Day	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	9:30a Outreach Summer Reading at YMCA 1p Summer Camp: K-1st Session 2	1p Summer Camp: K-1st Session 2 6:30p Rawlins Book Club	1p Summer Camp: K-1st Session 2	10:30a Outreach Summer Reading: St. Joe's Summer Camp 1p Summer Camp: K-1st Session 2		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	1p Summer Camp: 2nd-3rd Session 2	1p Summer Camp: 2nd-3rd Session 2 6:30p Rawlins Book Club	1p Summer Camp: 2nd-3rd Session 2	6:30p Writers Club : Session 6		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
12:30p For the Thrill of It Book Club	1p Summer Camp: 4th-5th Session 2 2p Stanley Co. GOLD Outreach program	1p Summer Camp: 4th-5th Session 2 6:30p Rawlins Book Club	1p Summer Camp: 4th-5th Session 2 6p Oahe Zap Baseball Storytime	10:30a Outreach Summer Reading: St. Joe's Summer Camp 1p Summer Camp: 4th-5th Session 2		
27	28	29	30	31		
	1p Summer Camp: Tween Teen	1p Summer Camp: Tween Teen	1p Summer Camp: Tween Teen	1p Summer Camp: Tween Teen		

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Visit us at 1000 E. Church St. in Pierre. Phone 605-773-7421

Visit us online at: rawlinslibrary.org * Like us on Facebook * Follow us on Instagram

Rawlins Library's Programs & Events July 2025

➔ **DATE** ➔ **TIME AND DESCRIPTION**

EVERY TUES. 6:30 pm - Rawlins Book Club

TUES., JULY 1 Super Senior Day
Free printing (up to 10 pages), free faxing (up to 5 pages)
and refreshments for all seniors.

TUES., JULY 1 9:30 am - Cozy Book Club

TUES., JULY 1 9am - B&G Club Outreach Summer Reading
Outreach Summer Reading program held at the Boys and Girls Club.
Program includes two sessions: Session 1- 9:00am-9:45am and Session 2-
9:45am-10:30am.

FRI., JULY 4 Library **Closed** for Independence Day

THUR., JULY 10 6:30 pm - What is Happening at the SD CHC?
David Grabitske, the SD Cultural Heritage Center Director, will give updates
about the SD CHC.

THUR., JULY 17 6:30 pm - Writers Club Session 6
Welcome to any interested patrons.

SUN., JULY 20 12:30 pm - For the Thrill of It
Pick up a copy of *Little Pretty Things* by Lori Rader-Day at the front desk.
Must sign up for book club to pick up a copy.

WED., JULY 23 6 pm - Oahe Zap Baseball Storytime
Baseball players will read books out loud. Come join us for some storytime fun!



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RAWLINS LIBRARY PRESENTS



**OAHE ZAP
BOOKS & BASEBALL**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23

****DATE CHANGE ** 6-7 PM**

Bring the kids for a special evening
of stories and fun!

⚡ Oahe Zap baseball players Ⓞ
will be at Rawlins Library
to read to children.

🍦 After storytime, enjoy free
frozen treats for all attendees!

REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED.

☎ Call 605-773-7421 or visit rawlinslibrary.org 🔗



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Rawlins Municipal Library's 2025 SUMMER CAMP

2025 Summer Camp for Children Pre-Kindergarten to Fifth Grade

Rawlins Municipal Library will be hosting an eight-week summer reading program during the months of June and July. Rather than attending one specific day each week, participants will enjoy their very own 4-day session, Monday through Thursday (except for holidays).

2025 Tween & Teen Summer Camp

Rather than attending one specific day each week, tweens and teens will enjoy their very own 4-day session, Monday through Thursday. That's four days in a row creating art with friends.

How do I register for Rawlins Library's 2025 Summer Camps?

We've streamlined registration by partnering with the City of Pierre Summer Recreation Program. Families can browse the options and register for Rawlins Library's 2025 Summer Camp for Children Pre-Kindergarten to Fifth Grade and the Tween & Teen Summer Camp using the City of Pierre Summer Recreation on-line registration. As always, our indoor summer reading programs are free of charge and it's easy to register!



SESSION 1: JUNE 2-JUNE 26, 2025

Grades: Pre-Kindergarten to Fifth Grade

PRE-KINDERGARTEN: June 2, 2025 to June 5, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Infants, toddlers, preschoolers, pre-K, and their caregivers are invited to Rawlins Library's Pre-K Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp begins with storytime and wraps up with time for fun crafts.

KINDERGARTEN & FIRST GRADE: June 9, 2025 to June 12, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Kindergarteners and first graders will enjoy their very own 4-day session of Rawlins Municipal Library's Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp includes stories, fast facts, and plenty of time for crafts. Participants will enjoy making different crafts every day.

SECOND & THIRD GRADE: June 16, June 17, and June 18, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Rawlins Library is closed Thursday, June 19 in observance of the Juneteenth holiday.
Second graders and third graders will enjoy their very own session of Summer Camp. Rawlins Municipal Library's Summer Camp will include stories, fast facts, and plenty of time for crafts. Participants will have a good time making a different craft every day.

FOURTH & FIFTH GRADE: June 23, 2025 to June 26, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Fourth graders and fifth graders will enjoy their very own 4-day session of Rawlins Library's Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp includes fast facts, new book displays, and plenty of time for art and craft projects.

SESSION 2: JUNE 30-JULY 24, 2025

Grades: Pre-Kindergarten to Fifth Grade

PRE-KINDERGARTEN: June 30, 2025 to July 3, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Infants, toddlers, preschoolers, pre-K, and their caregivers are invited to Rawlins Library's Pre-K Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp begins with storytime and wraps up with time for fun crafts.

KINDERGARTEN & FIRST GRADE: July 7, 2025 to July 10, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Kindergarteners and first graders will enjoy their very own 4-day session of Rawlins Municipal Library's Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp includes stories, fast facts, and plenty of time for crafts. Participants will have a good time making a different craft every day.

SECOND & THIRD GRADE: July 14, 2025 to July 17, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Second graders and third graders will enjoy their very own 4-day session of Rawlins Municipal Library's Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp includes stories, fast facts, and plenty of time for crafts. Participants will have a good time making a different craft every day.

FOURTH & FIFTH GRADE: July 21, 2025 to July 24, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Fourth graders and fifth graders will enjoy their very own 4-day session of Rawlins Municipal Library's Summer Camp. The Monday-Thursday Summer Camp includes fast facts, new book displays, and plenty of time for art and craft projects. Participants will have a good time making a different craft every day.

TWEEN AND TEEN SUMMER CAMP JULY 28-JULY 31, 2025

Grades: Sixth Grade and Up

TWEEN AND TEEN SUMMER CAMP:

July 28, 2025 to July 31, 2025 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm
The Monday-Thursday Tween and Teen Summer Camp includes plenty of time for art projects and browsing the new selection of tween and teen book displays. Participants will enjoy doing different projects every day such as melty bead frame perfect for a school picture, painting with Sharpies, mixed media collage, and more.

Register for any of Rawlins Library's 2025 Summer Camps at:

<https://www.cityofpierre.org/190/Recreation>



VISIT RAWLINSLIBRARY.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION

Scan the QR code for details on
Rawlins Library's Summer Programs!



Rawlins Municipal Library's 2025 SUMMER READING LOG

Each circle below equals one book. Color or mark off the circles for each book your child has read or each book read to the child.

Name: _____ Age: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Return Your Reading Logs for a Free Book and Pizza!*

Earn a free book and coupon for a free Personal Pan Pizza from Pizza Hut of Pierre, SD, simply by returning your reading logs any time during the library's open hours on the following dates:

JUNE 2025: Thursday, June 26, Friday, June 27, Saturday, June 28, and Sunday, June 29.

AUGUST 2025: Thursday, July 31, Friday, August 1, Saturday, August 2, and Sunday, August 3.

*Free books and Personal Pan Pizza coupons available while supplies last. Limit of 2 free books and 2 Pizza Hut coupons per child.

Grand Prize Drawing on August 4, 2025!

Each child, who returns a reading log, will be entered into a grand prize drawing held on August 4, 2025.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50

Thank you to Pizza Hut of Pierre and Subway on West Sioux Avenue for helping sponsor Rawlins Library's 2025 Summer Reading Program.

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NEW HOURS! MONDAY-THURSDAY 9:00AM-8:00PM, FRIDAY 9:00AM-5:00PM, SATURDAY 9:00AM-1:00PM, SUNDAY 12:00PM-4:00PM



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BOOK GENRE BINGO

Read any five in a row (across, down, or diagonal).



Name: _____

Biography	Translated from a foreign language	Novel in verse	Thriller	Historical fiction
Classic	True crime	Steampunk	A book in a series	Magic realism
Science fiction	Horror	YOUR CHOICE	Dystopian	Sports fiction
Graphic novel	Fantasy	Autobiography	Suspense	Nonfiction
 Mystery	Romance	Detective	Adventure	 Made into a movie



Kids Events August 2025

Toddler Time

Monday and Wednesday mornings in August

10:00am to 11:00am in the SD Room

Mondays: August 4, August 11, August 18, and August 25.

Wednesdays: August 6, August 13, August 20, and August 27

Infants, toddlers, preschoolers, pre-K, and their caregivers are invited to "Toddler Time" at Rawlins Library. The fun begins with storytelling and sing-alongs complete with egg shakers. Following stories and songs, participants will enjoy free play with Duplo blocks, wood puzzles, learning games, and more. This event will be held in the SD Room on Monday and Wednesday mornings, during the month of August, from 10:00am to 11:00am. Registration requested.

Games of Strategy for Kids

Wednesday afternoons in August

3:30pm to 4:30pm in the SD Room

Rawlins Library is hosting "Games of Strategy for Kids" featuring chess, checkers, and Battleship. Puzzles will also be available. Bring a friend! This is a great opportunity to test your skill and see if you're a games of strategy champion. See you on the following Wednesday afternoons: August 6, August 13, August 20, and August 27. Registration requested.

Teen Program: Diamond Art Locker Magnets

Thursday, August 14, 2025

1:00pm to 2:00pm in the SD Room

Start the new school year with fun, custom diamond art locker magnets! Bring your friends and make matching magnets or create your own individual design. Teens can select from a variety of magnet styles. All project supplies will be provided. Registration requested.





RAWLINS MUNICIPAL LIBRARY PRESENTS

SUMMER CARNIVAL

AUGUST 5, 2025

5:30 - 7:30 PM

FOOD - GAMES - PRIZES GALORE
PIZZA HUT PIZZA BY THE SLICE FOR
\$1 A SLICE!



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Do you have a library card?

- Yes No

Please state your zip code.

Age

- 17 or younger 40-49 70+
 18-29 50-59 Prefer not to answer
 30-39 60-69

In the last 12 months, how often did you visit Rawlins Municipal Library?

- Weekly or more Once or twice
 Monthly Almost never
 Every few months

If you used Rawlins Municipal Library in the past 12 months, what did you or your family do?

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Borrow books or other materials (DVDs, audiobooks, magazines, puzzles, games) | <input type="checkbox"/> Use the copier or printer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Download eBooks, eMagazines, and/or audiobooks from the Libby app | <input type="checkbox"/> Find a place to work, study or read |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Borrow a SD State Park Pass | <input type="checkbox"/> Read the newspapers and magazines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attend a library program | <input type="checkbox"/> Ask for research or homework help |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use a meeting room | <input type="checkbox"/> Use online databases and resources |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use a public computer or the Wi-Fi | <input type="checkbox"/> Use Creativebug |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Other uses of Rawlins Municipal Library by you/your family

PLEASE SPECIFY

If you do not use Rawlins Municipal Library regularly, why not?

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't need to use it | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't have a library card |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buy my own books/magazines/DVDs | <input type="checkbox"/> Am too busy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> It is too hard to find what I'm looking for | <input type="checkbox"/> Library hours aren't convenient |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't have any transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> Library staff is unwelcoming |

Other reasons you do not use Rawlins Municipal Library regularly

PLEASE SPECIFY

How would you rate the library's...

Customer Service

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Online services (databases, Libby app)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Downloadable collection (eBooks, eMagazines, audiobooks)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Programs (classes, speakers, author talks, storytimes)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Building and grounds

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Interlibrary Loan Service (ability to get books from other libraries)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Computers, printers, WiFi service

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Meeting Room (South Dakota Room)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

Rawlins Library web presence (website, social media, online catalog)

- Excellent Good Fair Poor

If you rated one of the above statements as "Fair" or "Poor", could you please explain your answer?

What do you think are the library's greatest strengths?

Strategic Planning

The Rawlins Municipal Library has put together a Strategic Planning Committee to prioritize what the library should focus on in the next five years in addition to our core services. Please rank the following priorities in order of importance: 1 is top priority, 7 is the lowest priority.

Create a school and library partnership

Create opportunities for people to become involved in the community and with the library

Focus on adult continuing education

Creating a safe place for everyone

Support students of all ages (i.e. afterschool programs and summer reading)

Promote historical aspects of the town and the community

Continue access to technology, internet, public computers, etc.

Are there other priorities the library should focus on other than those listed above?

Is there anything else you would like to share with us?

How do you usually find out about library services and events?

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rawlins Municipal Library website (rawlinslibrary.org) | <input type="checkbox"/> Library signs (inside and outside) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook @RawlinsMunicipalLibrary | <input type="checkbox"/> Word of mouth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instagram @rawlinslibrary | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Newspaper |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct email | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Radio |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | |

Any other ways you learn about library events? (please specify)

Thank you for participating in our survey.