

Batavia Public Library Youth Services Presents:

Fireside Family Fun

Winter Library Club 2023
Jan. 14- Feb. 28

Winter Library Club combines reading and participation in Library activities. The goal is to encourage family sharing of stories and a variety of activities to help fill those long, cold winter days. Families who participate in Winter Library Club must be Batavia Public Library cardholders or have children attending a Batavia school.



Here's How It Works:

- ♥ Each child in your family who is participating in Winter Library Club should add their activities to their individual **Beanstack** profile or complete their own **log sheet**.
- ♥ **Choose activities** from those listed on the back of this sheet. For more options, check Beanstack. Once your child has completed an activity, write down the information requested.
- ♥ **Rewards**
Complete 10 activities to earn a book to keep and a Reward Bag with themed items and coupons. (All Ages)
Complete 20 activities to earn another book. (Ages 3+)
- ♥ **Prize Basket Drawings**
Children (age 3+) earn virtual tickets for the prize basket drawings after completing 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, and 35 activities on Beanstack.
Prize Basket Options: Funway Bowling Package, \$20 Funway Play Card, and More!

Babies (ages 0-2) earn a virtual ticket for the "Get Cozy with your Baby" Basket after completing 10 activities on Beanstack.

Call (630)879-1393 ext. 500, or stop by the Youth Services Desk, for instructions on how to redeem your log sheet for Winter Library Club rewards and drawing entries. All Winter Library Club activities must be completed and entered on Beanstack, or the paper copy turned in to the Youth Services Desk, by 9 pm, February 28.

First Name: _____

Last name: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____

Age: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Winter Library Club Activities

For children age 3—14



For additional activities, use the QR code to access Winter Library Club on Beanstack!
Write information requested after each description. Use an extra sheet of paper if necessary.

Read fiction books for one hour. Read for one hour straight or split up your reading time.
What book did you read?



Read a winter-themed non fiction book. Nonfiction books are based on facts. Use nonfiction books to learn about weather, sports, habitats, and more! *What subject did you read about?*

Listen to an audiobook in any format you choose: Playaway, CD, Tumblebook, Wonderbook, or digital download. *What audiobook did you listen to?*

Discuss the different places you've read a book. *Where is your favorite cozy spot to read?*

Build a pillow or blanket fort, and read a story with a family member. *What story did you read?*



Create your family's Cozy Quilt Square for our collective quilt in the Youth Services Department. Pick up a quilt square at the Youth Services Desk.

Bored? Play a board game with your family. *What game did you play?*

Shine a flashlight or lamp at the wall. Practice dramatic play by using your hand to make shadow puppets. *What animals or objects did you make?*

Watch a family movie. Check out a DVD or try Kanopy Kids for a fun, free digital experience.
What movie did you watch?



Read a Library magazine. *What magazine did you read?*

Check out a cookbook from the Library. Try a new recipe with your family. *What recipe did you make?*

The Library offers activity kits for a variety of ages. Come to the Youth Services Department and explore our selection of kits on our Activity Table. *What kit were you interested in checking out?*

Participate in a Library program. *What program did you participate in?*



Participate in this month's "Discover and Uncover" activity. *What was the subject you learned about?*

Find a suggested book list in the Youth Services Department and check out a book. *What did you check out?*

Stop by the Science and Art Fair on Saturday, January 28 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
The open-house format will feature a variety of presenters with stations suitable for children preschool-aged and older.

Do an outdoor winter activity (sledding, ice skating, hockey, skiing, or anything that is outdoors!) *What activity did you enjoy?*



Go on a nature walk. Pay attention to your senses. *What is something you either saw, heard, felt, or smelled?*

Set up a winter family photo shoot outside! Email us your favorite photo at youthservices@bataviapubliclibrary.org or bring in a copy! We will display in the Youth Services Department.

Gear up for this winter gear relay race! Set a timer, and see which family member can put on all of their winter gear the quickest! *What was your best time?*