

2020 Fall Youth Services Workshop

Gone Virtual!

Session 4: All Things Volunteers, and More Animals!





Volunteers in a Pandemic

- What roles can volunteers play during the pandemic?
- How can you stay connected with remote volunteers—and keep them connected with one another?
- How can you orient new remote volunteers?



Volunteers in a Pandemic

- Virtual Reading & Writing Buddies
- Virtual Tech Buddies
- Virtual conversation buddies
- Create tutorials
- Create PSA-type videos for your library/reading/community
- Write book reviews/trailers
- Teen Advisory Boards



Volunteers in a Pandemic

- Teens submit their own volunteer projects
- Create or test virtual programs
- Curate online book lists
- Assist with teen social media
- Community environmental project

Library Trivia Time!

How many public library buildings (main libraries + branches) are there in Colorado?

- a. 121
- b. 201
- c. 261
- d. 301

Library Trivia Time!

How many public library buildings (main libraries + branches) are there in Colorado?

c. 261

...+3 military libraries!

6 times



as many public, school, and academic libraries
in Colorado as Starbucks coffee shops

2021 Summer Program for Young Children

Sample Goals:

Sample Outputs:

- Create at least _ copies of _ take and makes
- Provide at least _ virtual storytimes
- Have at an average of at least _ attendance at outdoor storytimes

Sample Outcomes:

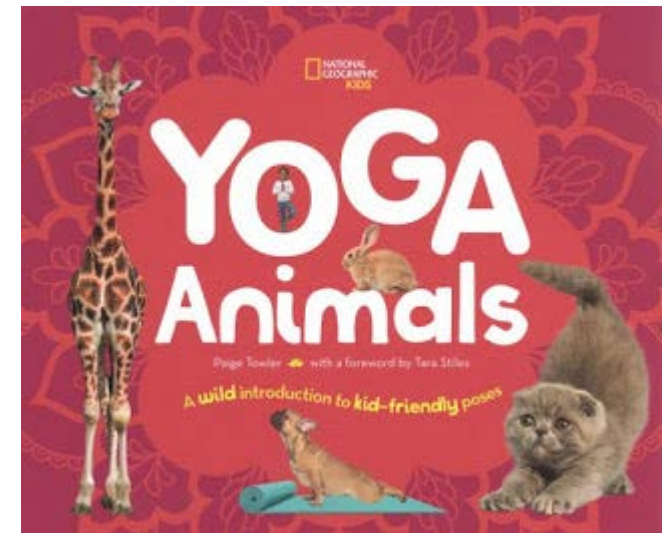
- At least _% of parents read with their babies more
- At least _% of non-library using parents report increased access to kids' books



2021 Summer Program for Young Children

Program ideas:

- Take and make crafts, with STEM
- Virtual storytimes
- Animal-themed early literacy tips for parents
- Book lists
- Animal sounds (in different languages)
- 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten
- Animal shapes yoga



2021 Summer Program for Children

Sample Goals:

Sample Outputs:

- Distribute at least _ take and makes to partner sites
- Register at least _ elementary-aged kids
- Serve at least _ non-library users at outreach events

Sample Outcomes:

- At least _% of kids report enjoying reading more
- At least _% of parents report their children's reading fluency increased



2021 Summer Program for Children

Program ideas:

- Create a creature based on habitats
- Ongoing reading program for early readers
- Use Scratch to code animal-themed animation
- Wildlife scavenger hunt/Bingo
- MadLibs
- Shelter pet portraits
- Butterfly or ladybug release
- Yoga with animals



Pekin (IL) Public Library

Wildlife Bingo



See if you can get a bingo with the wildlife near you!

A bird	An insect	A nest	Scat	A feather
Animal tracks	A rabbit	A bird in a body of water	A fish	A squirrel
Food left by an animal	Bark with scratch marks	FREE SPACE	Bones	A hole in a tree
A fox	A spider	A chewed stem or twig	A frog or toad	An animal native to Colorado
An animal living in its home	An animal eating	An animal in a tree	An animal flying	An animal running

Louisville Public Library

Library Trivia Time!

The public library at the highest elevation in North America is in Colorado.

- a. True
- b. False

Library Trivia Time!

The public library at the highest elevation in North America is in Colorado.

a. True

The Lake County Public Library in Leadville is the highest public library in North America at over 10,000 feet in altitude.



2021 Summer Program for Teens

Sample Goals:

Sample Outputs:

- Provide at least _ virtual teen programs
- Provide at least _ teen-led programs
- Provide at least _ teen unplugged, remote programs

Sample Outcomes:

- At least _% of teens increased their level of environmental activism
- At least _% of teens report reading more often

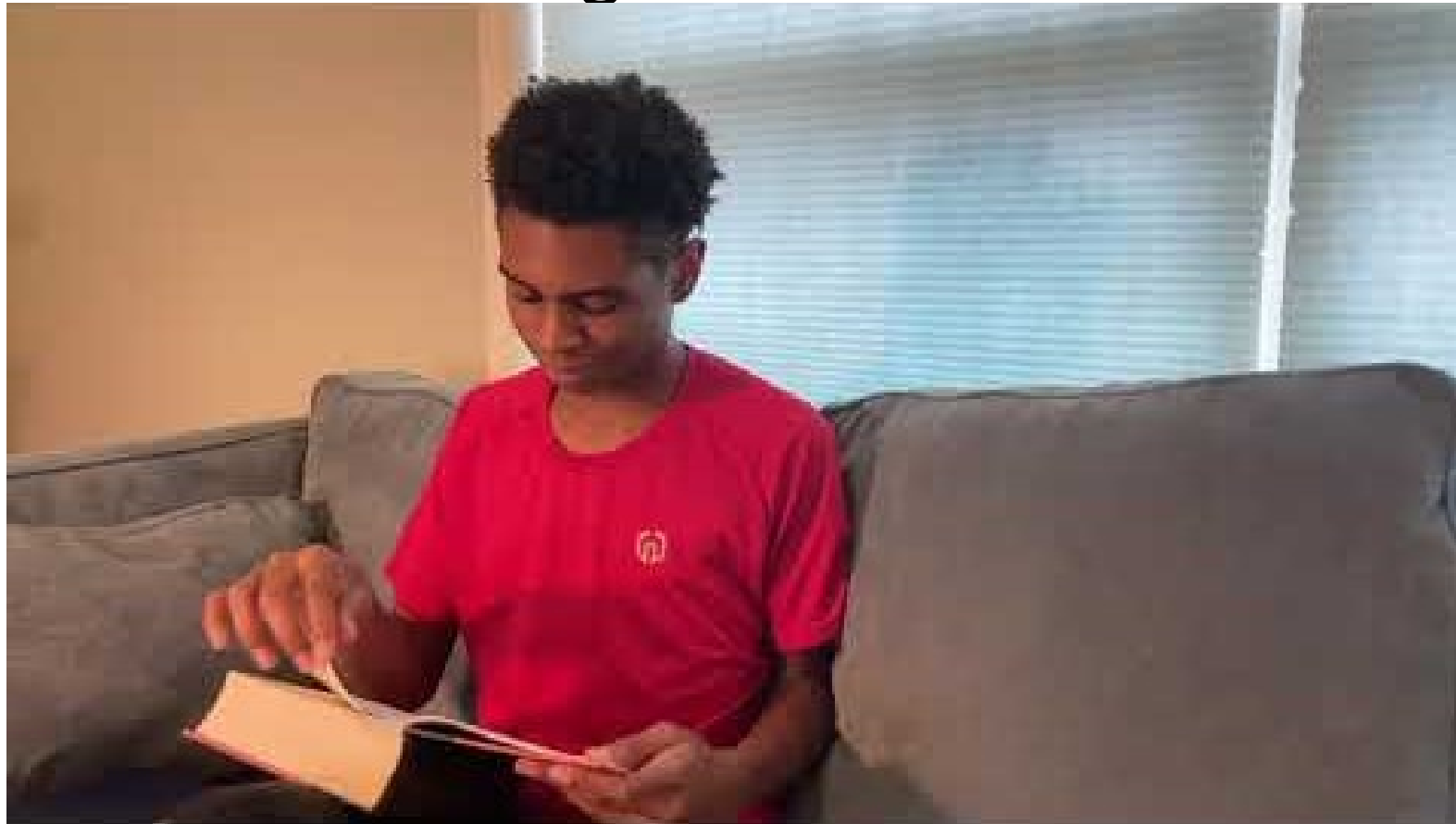


2021 Summer Program for Teens

- Build a Storywalk or Little Free Library
- Build a bird feeder, bird bath, butterfly puddler, or insect hotel
- Citizen science and environmental improvement projects
- Animal cosplay
- Teens create virtual book talks, recommendations, trailers, book lists
- Discussions on environmental issues & activism
- Animal trivia
- CSLP Teen Video Challenge

At home challenges

2021 Teen Video Challenge!



Find the 2020 winners here: <https://www.csipreads.org/2020-teen-video-challenge-winners-and-honorable-mentions/>

2021 Summer Program for Adults

Sample Goals:

Sample Outputs:

- Establish at least _ new ongoing partnerships
- Provide at least _ programs for isolated seniors

Sample Outcomes:

- At least _% of participants increased their knowledge of Leave No Trace principles
- At least _% of participants increased their connections with the community



2021 Summer Program for Adults

- Eating/cooking/baking vegan
- Keeping backyard animals
- Wildlife photography, sketching, sculpture—lessons, contests
- Wildlife safety/Leave No Trace principles
- Coloring
- Vermiculture
- Animal therapy
- Goat yoga



Thank you!

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