

# Somersham Community Library (FOSL) Newsletter

## Dates for your diary

9 July	Sunday social drop-in 11.00 am—1.00 pm
15 July	Summer Reading Challenge begins
23 July	Sunday social drop-in 11.00 am—1.00 pm
26 July	FOSL AGM 7.30 pm
13 Aug	Sunday social drop-in
27 Aug	Sunday social drop-in 11.00 am—1.00 pm
Aug to Sept Summer Reading Challenge	

## Special points of interest:

- > Successful events — Easter, FOSL Fete, Carnival
- > Get ready for Summer Reading Challenge
- > Junior Library Project update
- > Sunday social drop-in

Registration  
starts 15 July

**SUMMER  
READING  
CHALLENGE**

THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

**ANIMAL AGENTS**

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2017

We have been opening every 2nd and 4th **Sunday** since September 2016.

We have a variety of customers. Some come in for a chat, some browse, borrow or buy books. Some volunteers come and do the tasks unfinished during opening. Fresh coffee and tea is certainly an attraction.

A team of volunteers led by Denise Calvert run this Sunday service. All indicate a successful trial.

## What is the Summer Reading Challenge?

The Summer Reading Challenge takes place every year during the summer holidays for children and young people. Sign up at Somersham library, then read six library books of your choice to complete the Challenge. There are exclusive rewards to collect along the way, and it's FREE to take part!

Medals will be presented to those who have completed the Challenge.



## Junior Library Enhancement Project

The Junior Library and the Young Adult section have now got additional shelving which we are using for book display. The children books for sale have are now in the Junior Library, rather than in the entrance hall so that parents/guardians can browse with the children.

Coming up:

- ♦ Display to go with the Reading Challenge
- ♦ New subject dividers for the book shelves

Small but still valuable income from

**easyfundraising**  
.org.uk

We are a registered good cause with easyfundraising. We currently have 16 supporters and could do with more. So far supporters have raised **£250** for Somersham Library by just doing their online shopping via [easyfundraising.org.uk](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) Signing up is easy. Just go to the website and register to create an account. If you are a supporter already, don't forget to log-in before you shop.

## FOSL Fete



## Carnival



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