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June Highlights for the PNLS Community Welcome to the June edition! This month, as we wrap up the school year and look forward to summer, we're excited to support our community with engaging programs and resources.

- National Indigenous History Month: Check your school or public library for book displays, special programs and resources recognizing this important month.
- TD Summer Reading Club: Dive into the TD recommended reading list and fun activities.
- StoryWalk™ Kits: Experience "The Darkest Dark" by Chris Hadfield in an interactive outdoor setting.
- Program Materials: Use our black lights, button makers, and STEM kits to create a fun and educational summer.
- Innovative Tools: Explore new educational tools like AI lesson planning and interactive comic strip creation.
- Bookmarks: Don't forget to check out our printable summer bookmarks to keep your place in all those great reads!

Let's make this month leading up to summer unforgettable!



National Indigenous History Month collection of

#NIHM2024

Scan or click for our outstanding Indigenous literature.



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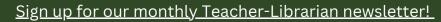
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to PressReader? With PressReader, you can read thousands of newspapers and magazines from around the world. Access it from the e-Resources tab on the PNLS website and log in using your library card, or use the app and log in with your library card via Libraries & Groups and find Saskatchewan Public Libraries, Ministry of Education.

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International Archives Day	Sage Hill Youth Writers' Workshops applications due today!	11	12 NLSD113 Last Day of School Bear Creek/ La Loche	13	Last day to enter the Northern Librarians bulletin board contest!	15
FATHER'S DAY	17	18 ADEA Last Day For Students	19	20	NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY & Summer solstice	22
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PNLS SPOTLIGHT SUMMER PROGRAM MATERIALS



GET READY FOR A STELLAR SUMMER AT YOUR LIBRARY!



Summer is just around the corner! We're excited to help you create engaging and enriching summer reading programs and events. Whether you're a seasoned library staff member, new to our community, a teacher, a summer student running a reading program for the first time, or a parent or caregiver looking for summer reading ideas for your children, PNLS offers a wide range of resources to make the most of the summer months.





TD Summer Reading Club: Copies of the TD SRC books will be available for patrons and libraries to borrow. Visit the <u>TD Summer Reading Club</u> website to learn how kids can participate, check out the resources on the <u>Staff Site</u>, and visit <u>pahkisimon.ca</u> to borrow books and summer tour updates.



StoryWalk™ Kits: We are pleased to announce that all northern public libraries have been sent a StoryWalk™ kit featuring "The Darkest Dark" by Chris Hadfield.

Book Tasting Kits: Transform your library or reading program space into a book tasting restaurant with our ready to go book tasting kits. Choose from three themes:









ALL AGES

- 1. Welcome to Starbooks Café
- 2. Book Tasting For Primary Grades
- 3. All Ages Book Tasting





Discover the <u>Northern Active Living</u> <u>Library</u> (NALL)! Elevate your summer reading programs with our fun sports and fittness gear. Visit our tent at the La Ronge Family and Children's Festival on July 1st in Patterson Park and try out the equipment!



Button Makers and Crafting Supplies: Get creative with our button makers. Affordable crafting fun awaits:

21/4 Inch Button Maker Supplies to make 100 pin-back buttons cost just \$30.





13/4 Inch Button Maker Supplies to make 100 pinback buttons cost just \$13



Black Lights:

Host a glow-in-thedark party or event with our black lights: Glow Paint Party





STEM Activities with OZOBots and Cubelets: Spark curiosity and innovation with our robotic kits. perfect for any STEM event:

OZOBots





Cubelets: Mini Makers Pack





Cubelets: <u>Intrepid</u> **Inventors Pack**





Cubelets: Creative **Constructors Pack**





TumbleBookLibrary Summer Reading Challenge: Engage with digital reading in a fun way! Access it easily with your PNLS library card and join in the fun: TumbleBooks Library













Summer Reading at PNLS: Keep up with summer reading by visiting our website at Pahkisimon Nuye?áh Library System. Browse our catalog, place holds on items, or borrow eBooks and audiobooks and access our extensive e-resources. Dive into summer reading and explore a world of information

and stories!

Get Your Library Card Here









Libby and OverDrive Resources:

In recognition of National Audio Book Month, dive into a world of stories with the Libby app! Borrow and download audio books using your library card and enjoy captivating tales this June and all summer long. Happy listening!







Stay Updated: Don't forget to check the July and August editions of the PNLS Teacher-Librarian Monthly newsletter for summer reading suggestions, programming ideas, and resources.

Whatever your summer plans, remember that the PNLS team is just a call or email away to assist you. Let's make this summer unforgettable for our communities!

Warm regards,

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Innovative Tools For Education

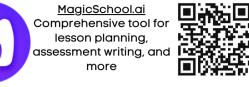
Discover cutting-edge tools and technologies that are reshaping education. Each has been showcased at the IT SUMMIT 2024, hosted by the STF on April 29-30th in Saskatoon. pahksimon.ca

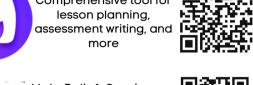


BeFunky.com Online photo collage maker











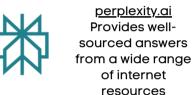
















Curipod.com Interactive lesson planning tool





speechify.com AI voice generator enables users to listen to their reading materials





Diffit.me AI tool designed to provide differentiated instruction



Suno.com AI tool for music creation without prior experience





HelloHistory.ai **Enables conversations** with historical figures via AI



WorksheetWorks.com Interactive and customizable worksheet generator





Inkwire.co AI-powered tool for quick learning experience design





writereader.com **Boost literacy by** creating personalized books



Take advantage of the summer break to explore new educational tools and prepare to inspire your students with fresh, innovative content in the upcoming school year!



Poe.com A versatile AI platform that Poe enables users to interact with a variety of AI chatbots





moreusefulthings. com/prompts A resource for generating creative and effective prompts.



