

## August at the Raymond Village Library

### At-a-Glance Calendar Items

Wednesday, August 2nd: Summer Reading Celebration

Wednesdays, August 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th: Teen Group

Monday, August 28th: Book Group at 7:00pm

Ongoing for August: Monarch Rearing & Release Program

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### Special Events in August at the Raymond Village Library



#### Summer Reading Celebration

**Wednesday, August 2nd, 10:30-11:30am**

Closing celebration for our summer reading program!

The Raymond Fire Department is bringing their fire engine over to our parking lot!!!!

If there is space available we may be able to see the water hose IN ACTION!so make sure to stop by early!

There will be SNACKS and PRIZES for everyone! And all of the reading program participants will get a chance to choose a special prize donated by our community's businesses! All of this to CELEBRATE READING!!!



#### Evening Star Party at Hacker's Hill

**Saturday, August 12th, 9:00-11:45pm**

Loon Echo and Southworth Planetarium, along with Casco and Raymond Libraries, invite you to a relaxing evening under the summer sky, and if conditions allow, shooting stars!

The Perseids Meteor Shower is always a favorite due to the warm summer temperatures. At its peak, this shower seems to originate from the constellation Perseus, giving rise to the name

Perseids. In between shooting stars, gaze through telescopes, high powered binoculars and get familiar with "apps" for smart phones and tablets which make learning about the night sky even more fun!

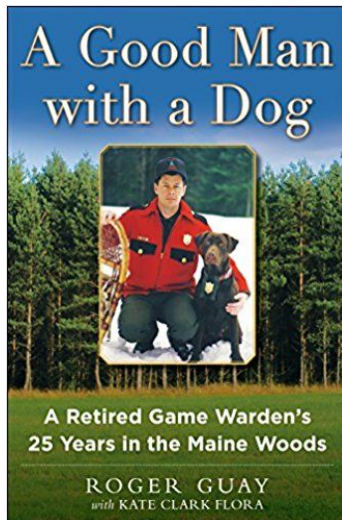
Make sure to bring a comfortable chair, bug spray, drinks and snacks. Meet at the summit at 9:00 PM (Come earlier if you want to view the sunset). Please park in the "Event Parking" area to the right of the summit. Approximately 3 hours.



**Teen Group**  
**Wednesdays at 3:00pm**

Teen group meets every Wednesday for crafts and advisory meeting. Snacks will be provided!

Contact Ms. Karen at the library for more information about our new teen group.



**Book Club**  
**Monday, August 28th at 7:00pm**

Please join us to discuss this month's book club selection "A Good Man with a Dog: A Game Warden's 25 Years in the Maine Woods" by Roger Guay.

"Guay takes readers into the patient, watchful world of a warden catching poachers and protecting pristine wilderness, and the sometimes CSI-like reconstruction of deer- and moose-poaching scenes. Guay searches for lost hunters and hikers, estimating that over the years, he has pulled more than two hundred bodies out of Maine's north woods. His frequent companion is a little brown lab named Reba, who can find discarded weapons, ejected shells, hidden fish, and missing people." (Amazon)



**Butterfly Garden & Monarch Rearing & Release Program Sponsored by the Ezra Keats Foundation!**  
**Now through the the September Butterfly Release**

**The caterpillars are here!**

Don't forget to stop by the library and pick up your butterfly tracking journal from Ms. Karen in the Children's Department.



