



April 15, 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Rotary Club of Hamilton is proud to offer children in Kindergarten to Grade 5, The Rotary Summer Literacy Program.. This **free** program will run for two weeks from Monday July 14th to 25th, 2025 at Pauline Johnson School from 9:00 am to 1:45 pm. Free transportation will be provided for students from Cathy Wever School. Bus pick up will take place daily between 8:30 am and 8:35 am and drop off between 2:00 pm and 2:10 pm at Cathy Wever School.

Program participants will join our staff from 9:00 am to 1:45 pm Monday through Friday. The Rotary Summer Literacy Program focuses on literacy, engaging participants with modeled, shared, guided, and independent reading and writing activities. **Our program helps to maintain your child's literacy skills.** Over the course of a day, your child will also experience various day camp activities through our program options (listed below). Rotary Summer Literacy's main goal is to ensure educational activities and experiences are fun for everyone!

**Rotary Summer Literacy 2025 will offer the following Program Options:**

Sports and Games

Get active this summer: Floorball, basketball, and soccer are standard! We take these classic activities and add a mix of classic camp games.

Music

Learn to be a real-life guitar hero, vocal legend or instrumental phenomena. Participants will enjoy a fun-filled session of exploring, creating, and performing music!

Dance

Is hip-hop your thing? Ever wondered about ballet? Boogie down and get your groove on with our dynamic dance ensemble!

**All primary/junior students in Hamilton currently in Grades K – 5 are invited!**

**DAILY SCHEDULE**

8:45 am to 9:00 am - Arrival  
9:00 am - Cooperative Games  
9:10 am - Community Sing-A-Long  
9:15 am - Read-Aloud  
9:30 am - Community Sharing  
9:40 am - Wake Up Workout  
9:50 am - Reflect Relate Retell Activity  
10:20 am - Community Celebration  
10:30 am - Recess  
10:45 am - Independent Reading  
11:10 am - Writing Challenge  
11:45 am - Lunch  
12:10 pm - Choose Your Own Adventure Recess Activities  
12:30 pm - Action Sing Along  
12:40 pm - Program Options  
1:25 pm - Community Challenge  
1:35 pm - Closing Read Aloud  
1:45 pm - Dismissal

**To register - Click the link: <https://forms.gle/Cri1fRQFG6mNqUqx6>**

The City of Hamilton, Hamilton Public Library, and the Rotary Club of Hamilton sponsor the Rotary Summer Literacy Program. Parents are responsible for providing a snack and transportation for their child(ren).

If you are interested and wish for your child to attend, please complete the online registration form. If you are unable to fill out the online form, please email [rotarysummerlit@gmail.com](mailto:rotarysummerlit@gmail.com) for a PDF copy of the form. Spaces are limited. **Registration is due June 1, 2025.** Please rank which session(s) you would like your child to attend.

Should you have any questions please contact the Program Director Mr. Robert Blunsdon at **905-906-2195** or [rotarysummerlit@gmail.com](mailto:rotarysummerlit@gmail.com).

Sincerely,  
The Rotary Club of Hamilton