

Book Club Thursday, January 8th. Join our "Page Turners" Book Club from 4:00-4:30 pm! We choose books from the Transitional Chapter Book aisle in the library (the green dot books), which are generally rated at a 2nd grade reading level. For January's meeting we'll be discussing *Disaster Squad: Wildfire Rescue* by Rehka S. Rajan. No registration required.

WAGS Animal Hospital Storytime Thursday, January 23rd. Sarah Senato, a veterinarian from WAGS Animal Hospital in Plainville, will be visiting for a special storytime about pets! She's even bringing along her golden retriever! Learn how to take extra special care of your furry friends, and come prepared with questions. Each attendee will get to leave with a stuffed animal gift from WAGS. This event runs from 4:00-4:30 pm for ages 2-7. Please register at www.plainvillepubliclibrary.org > Events Calendar.

Read to a Dog Wednesday, January 29th, 4:30-5pm. Pre-readers and experienced readers alike are invited to join Lori and her dog Mocha for our "Read to a Dog" program! Reading to a furry friend not only helps kids practice their literacy skills, but it builds reading confidence and reduces stress. No registration required.

Crafternoon: Paper Squishies Thursday, January 30th, 3:30-5:30pm. Drop by the Children's Department and make a cute kawaii paper squishy! We'll be using pre-printed templates, markers, polyester stuffing, and packing tape (or you can create your own design, free-hand!). This program is best suited for ages 6-13. No registration required.

Happy Holidays!