

# What's in Bloom at the Library

Our new **Centennial Garden** is in full bloom—designed with pollinators in mind and planted with native species like Blue Mistflower, Goldenrod, and Chocolate White Snakeroot. It's a beautiful way to celebrate 100 years of community and sustainability. Read more about the garden, the plants we chose, and how it's growing into something special.



## Civic Zone: Celebrate Juneteenth at the Library!

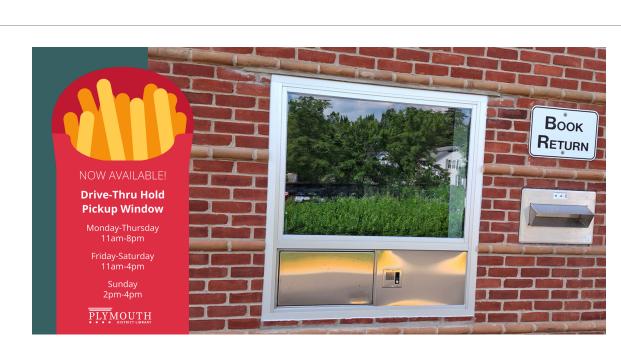
Juneteenth marks the emancipation of enslaved people in the U.S., honoring the day in 1865 when freedom was finally announced in Texas. Visit our Civic Zone display to find out more about the history of Juneteenth.

You can also join us <u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 19 from 10am–2pm for Freedom & Family: A Juneteenth</u> <u>Celebration</u>—a day of community activities for all ages. Explore speeches, crafts, and reading resources that highlight the holiday's legacy and continued importance.



## **The Dollars Behind Your Library**

This summer, you'll see the beginning of exciting changes at the library—more welcoming spaces, better accessibility, and thoughtful updates designed with you in mind. In our latest blog post, we're sharing how these upgrades—and all of our services—are supported through careful budgeting, community investment, and a strong commitment to fiscal responsibility. Learn more about how we fund the library you love, and the steps we take to ensure every dollar is used with purpose.



# **PDL Drive-Thru Window Opens**

Beginning June 23, our drive-thru will be open—making it easier than ever to pick up your holds! Just select PDL DRIVE-THRU as your pickup location when placing your holds.

**Drive-Thru Hours:** Monday-Thursday: 11 am - 8 pm Friday-Saturday: 11 am - 4 pm Sunday: 2 pm – 4 pm



# Love solving tech puzzles and helping others feel confident using technology? We're currently accepting applications for Technology Assistant positions at the library! These team members

support our Tech Help Desk, assist with meeting room setups, and help keep our devices running smoothly behind the scenes. If you're tech-savvy, patient, and eager to make a difference, we'd love to hear from you. **Our Community** 

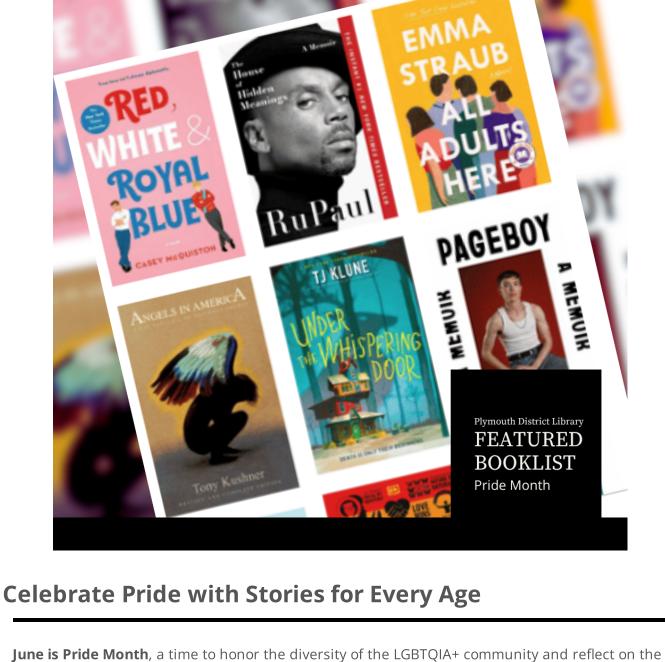


**Meeting Room Closures - September:** Local groups who make use of the library's meeting rooms should be advised that meeting rooms will be unavailable from September 1-21 due to library renovation and closure.

American with Disabilities Act exhibit: During July, PDL is proud to welcome an interactive display in celebration of the 35th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The exhibit features powerful photos, educational materials, and digital media honoring the ADA and the activists who made it possible. Join us in uplifting access, advocacy, and the ongoing fight for disability rights. Presented by the Michigan Statewide Independent Living

Council (MSILC). Also mark your calendars for our <u>Disability Services Resource Fair</u> on July 17 from 7-8:30pm. **United Way School Supply Collection:** Plymouth Community United Way is collecting new notebooks, pencils, backpacks, and other school supplies to support students of all ages in the Plymouth-Canton school area. Donations can be made in the library lobby July 7 - August 8.

\*Image above - staff and patrons participating in program - summer 2024



importance of inclusion, empathy, and understanding. Our librarians have curated a variety of reading lists for all ages that highlight stories of identity, acceptance, and love in its many forms. Whether you're looking to see yourself reflected, learn more about others, or simply enjoy a good story, there's something here for everyone. • Nonfiction for Kids and Families

• Books for Adult Readers • Fiction for Adults

news and events sent directly to you.

- Graphic Novels



signed up, it is not too late. Stop by one of our desk on main level or lower level (youth department) and sign up today. This program is for all and all ages. <u>Click to learn more about our summer program.</u>

We hope that you are enjoying our Summer Reading Program. The events, the programs, the books and rewards. If you have not

**Sign Up Today** Thanks for being a part of and supporting Plymouth District Library. Looking for a

variety of events or activities to enjoy? <u>Visit our online calendar for upcoming events</u>. For your next good read, visit our *Read/Watch/Listen* page. *Click here for more library*