

The Gilsum Library invites children to visit the library for FUN, FREE ACTIVITIES and READING CHALLENGES this summer!

Registration for the 2018 Libraries Rock Summer Reading Challenge officially begins on Wednesday, JUNE 27 and will end on Wednesday, AUGUST 8.

Children are to read 10 hours during this period. Upon reaching the 10-hour goal, children become **ROCK STARS** and their name will be displayed on a "GOLD ALBUM" at the library!

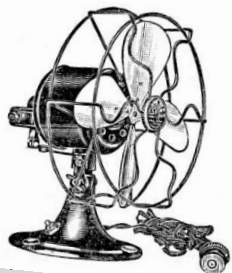


**Libraries Rock!**  
**2018 Summer Reading**  
**Program**

PRIZES will be given for reading certain categories of books and completing reading challenges!

In addition, children can play bingo to win extra prizes!

The Summer Reading Challenge seeks to instill a lifelong love of reading and to involve children in rewarding and stimulating activities at the library. Studies have shown that the effects of summer reading programs improve reading comprehension skills!



## News from the Gilsum Historical Society:

The Gilsum Historical Society is an active group of residents who are interested in preserving the rich history of Gilsum. The society owns three properties, The Old Town Hall on Main St, The Blacksmith Shop on Church St (open summer hours or shown by appointment), and the Isham lot conveniently located way out in the woods close to Pickering Hill. All three locations are loaded with historical artifacts offering an impressive perspective of Gilsum History and its residents.

### Upcoming events:

**Rock Swap Bake sale** on the school grounds both Saturday and Sunday. If you enjoy baking and would like to donate goodies, or of course have a sweet tooth and would like to indulge in a variety of confections, look for our tent half way down the field.

**Old cemetery tour** Date TBD

**Gilsum Community Dinner** August 25th, 5PM

### Old Town Hall Museum summer hours:

**June 23:** 10-12 AM & 5-7 PM \*\* **July 14, 28, & August 11, 25:** 10-12 AM

We always welcome new members and the first year is FREE. Join us for a monthly meeting, third Tuesday of the month. Please contact David Dauphin 352 9653 or gilsumhs@gmail.com for more information.