



# City Library

## Summer newsletter



### THE CHALLENGE

The Reading Challenge encourages children from the age of 4 up to 13 to read a minimum of 10 books, incorporating at least 5 library visits throughout the Summer Holidays.

We invite children to visit their local library from July 1st, where they will receive a “Summer Reading Buzz” registration card.

They can read whatever they like – fact or fiction, joke books or picture books, as long as they are borrowed from the Library! They can also read e-books which may be downloaded from our website [www.kilkennylibrary.ie](http://www.kilkennylibrary.ie)



### SUMMER READING

Kilkenny County Library Service will run the Annual Summer Reading Challenge for children again this year. The theme for 2015 is “The Summer Reading Buzz” and it runs from July 1<sup>st</sup> to August 22<sup>nd</sup> in all libraries across the county.

### THE REWARD

By joining the Summer Reading Buzz children will improve their reading levels in an enjoyable way and pick up stickers and prizes along the way! On completion a Certificate will be awarded and an invitation will be issued to children for a free show in The Watergate Theatre on October 10<sup>th</sup> during the National Children’s Book Festival.



To get children started on their summer reading we have a book voucher for €20 up for grabs. To enter children complete the quiz below and return to the library by Saturday July 18<sup>th</sup>. Entry forms are also available in the library. Good luck!



## Children's book quiz

1. Who is Tom's best friend in Liz Pichon's books about Tom Gates?
2. Who did Horrid Henry go on a sleepover with in Horrid Henry's Sleepover?
3. What is the name of Albert's horse in the book War Horse?
4. Who illustrated The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson?
5. What is the name of Dirty Bertie's dog in the books written by Alan MacDonald?
6. Name two books written by Oliver Jeffers?
7. Who created Tracy Beaker?
8. What is the name of Harry Potter's pet owl?
9. What is the title of the Library's Summer Reading Challenge this year?

Name:

Address:

Phone number:

### Opening Times

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 10am-1pm, 2-8pm

Wednesday: 10am-1pm, 2-8pm

Thursday: 10am-1pm, 2-5pm

Friday: 10am-1pm, 2-5pm

Saturday: 10am-1.30pm

### Contact us:

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