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ADULT PROGRAMS

A BOOK IN YOUR BEACH BAG: ADULT SUMMER READING

Only at Wilson Branch through
August 25



Summer reading isn't only for kids: the more you read, the better chance you have of

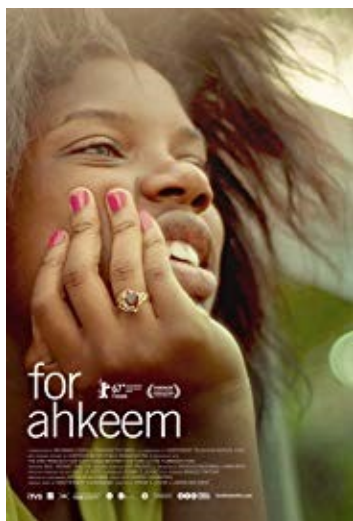
winning! How it works: stop by Wilson, pick up a form and for each book you read, you get an entry to our weekly raffles for a gift card! Don't miss out!

FILM SCREENING:

FOR AHKEEM

Saturday, August 18th 2 PM | Wilson

Presented by Project Longevity, join us for a screening of the incredible film: *For*



Ahkeem. From award-winning directors Jeremy S. Levine and Landon Van Soest, *For Ahkeem* is a coming-of-age story against the backdrop of Ferguson. After a school fight lands 17-year old Daje Shelton in a court-supervised alternative high

school, she's determined to turn things around and make a better future for herself in her rough St. Louis neighborhood.

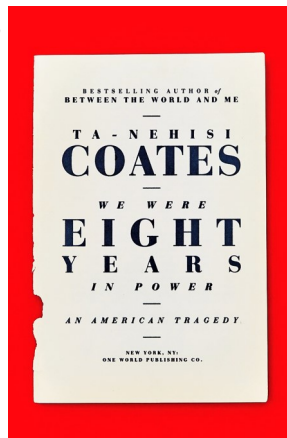
URBAN LIFE EXPERIENCE BOOK CLUB DISCUSSION:

WE WERE EIGHT YEARS IN POWER: AN AMERICAN TRAGEDY BY TA-NEHISI COATES

Saturday, August 25th 12 PM | Wilson

"The American story, which was my story, was not the tale of triumph but a majestic tragedy."

Join us for a discussion of Ta-Nehisi Coates' latest work, a "reflect[ion] on race, Barack Obama's presidency and its jarring aftermath, and his own evolution as a writer in eight stunningly incisive essays. . . . He contextualizes each piece with candid personal revelations, making the volume a melding of memoir and critique. . . . Emotionally charged, deftly crafted, and urgently relevant," (Kirkus Reviews)



ONGOING PROGRAMS

ADULT TECHNOLOGY CLASS

By Appointment | Wilson

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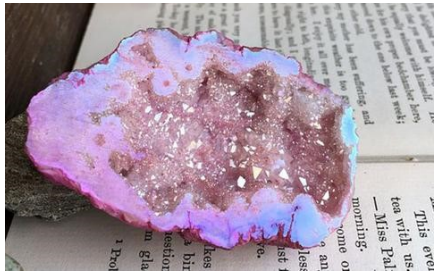
CHILD AND TEEN PROGRAMS

FEATURED EVENTS

LIBRARIES ROCK

Tuesday, August 7th 4 PM

What makes a diamond, a diamond and a regular pebble a pebble? Peabody on the Road will be here with some rockin' stuff about rocks, geodes and gems.



SUMMER LEARNING CLOSING PARTY: DJ DANCE PARTY

Tuesday, August 21st 4 PM | Wilson

Join us for our Summer Learning Closing party! We'll bring the food and the DJ and you bring your epic moves! Can't wait to see you there!



WILSON PROGRAMMING

MOVIE TIME: PETER RABBIT

Thursday, August 2, 2-4 PM

Peter Rabbit and his three sisters -- Flopsy, Mopsy and Cottontail -- enjoy spending their days in Mr. McGregor's vegetable garden. When one of McGregor's relatives suddenly moves in, he's less than thrilled to discover a family of rabbits in his new home.



MOVIE TIME: EARLY MAN

Thursday, August 16, 2-4 PM

A plucky cave man named Dug, his sidekick Hognob and the rest of their tribe face a grave threat to their simple existence. Lord Nooth plans to take over their land and transform it into a giant mine, forcing Dug and his clan to dig for precious metals. Not ready to go down without a fight, Dug and Hognob must unite their people in an epic quest to defeat a mighty enemy -- the Bronze Age. Rated PG



ONGOING PROGRAMS

CHESS CLUB

Wednesdays 4 PM | Wilson

Learn the game or show off your skills against our in-house Chess Master.



LEGO CLUB

Thursdays 4 PM | Wilson

Use your noggin and our Legos to build to your heart's content.



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