

Springville Library
2023 Summer Reading Event
"Find Your Voice"
Wednesday, June 21st from 2:00-3:00 pm

Theme: "Find Your Voice"

Focus: Using your voice to help your group

Using your thinking and creativity to use materials in a new way

Audience: 4-8 year olds

Goal: Kids work together to solve a challenge

Venue: Library children's space

Materials: Variety of Cars (Amy)
Bo the Bear Builds a Race Car (Amy)
Additional reading books (Linda)
Blu Track: Challenge: **3 15 Ft Classic or 18 FT PS**
3 anchor bars
3 4x4 boxes for the stationary boxes
Items to add- see below

Painters tape and suction cups to hold the track to book shelf or bar height tables OR 3 velcro straps, tape or books to hold anchor bars

Recycled or recyclable materials as support (Linda and Amy):

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| -Lay's Stacks container | -Gallon jug |
| -Square ice cream bucket | -Tissue box |
| -Boxes | -Other |

Plan: 1:20 Prep and set up

2:00 Storytime start time

Kids gather in children's space

Linda to Introduce Amy- connection to Blu Track

Amy to Read: Bo, the Bear, Builds A Race Car

Investigate the car- own or what they choose from what's available

In the story you heard that Bo used items that he found in the garage to build his car.

What items do you recycle at home? Have anything that you were done with and then given to someone else so they could use it?

Linda: "Use Your Voice" connection - Use your voice with your group to share your ideas and work together.

Introduce the two track challenges (3- 15 ft tracks- one stationary box, add items to move)

Using recyclable materials, what exciting race can you make?

(Add materials at 5-8 minute intervals- expand on their ideas)

*As you are playing, think about the cars- what makes different cars respond differently to track designs?

15 minute warning

Penny : Discussion/reflection: When did you use your voice? When did you listen to someone else's voice? What made you smile the biggest?

Clean up together

Show that have check-out Blu Track

Preview upcoming library events

3:00 Ending time

Notes: 2023 "Find Your Voice" Our voices have power. We use our voices to share stories, express ourselves, and spark change. Our voices include not only the sounds we make, but the words we write, the art we create, the movements we perform, and the actions we take each day to impact our world.