



**Camp Read A Lot!  
GB & West Students  
and Families**

**Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>  
6:00—7:30 p.m.**

**At Gilson Brown  
Fun for all!**

**Open Library Time  
Library is open before  
school from 7:15 to 8:00  
Monday – Thursday  
Sometimes Friday  
Grades 2 thru 5  
After May 1<sup>st</sup>, morning  
library will end.**

# LIBRARY CORNER

Students who make these minimum points at the end of the school year are treated to a reading reward day. The following grades need these minimum points.....

**2nd graders---25 points**

**3<sup>rd</sup> graders---30 points**

**4<sup>th</sup> graders---35 points**

**5<sup>th</sup> graders---45 points**

**READING WALL of FAME ---Gym Lobby**

**ANY 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADERS REACHING 100 POINTS OR MORE**

**ANY 4<sup>TH</sup> AND 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADER REACHING 150 POINTS OR MORE**

**Medals given to the top three AR readers in each classroom, each grade level, & school.**

**Cut off for AR points is May 1, 2017**

**Dates To Remember:**

**AR Reading days/ play days**

**Thursday, May 18 Grades 2 -3**

**Friday, May 19 Grades 4 – 5**

**There will be fun activities for students who made their AR goals.**

**Students will be indoors ½ day and outdoors ½ day. We will be sending home notes after Easter asking for volunteers.**

**Please mark your calendars!**

Parents: Please sign, cut this strip off & return with your child \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Be thinking about your summer strategy for your child.**

**It's never too early to begin formulating a reading goal for your child.**

**Don't short change your child by thinking NO schoolwork throughout the entire summer is a good thing!**

**The summer slide is a real thing! Have your child read a little MOST DAYS! It's a great time to enjoy magazines, cartoons, and joke books!**

**Set reasonable goals, celebrate progress!**

**There's enough hours in the day for playing, swimming, family, sports, vacationing and reading.**



**“The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.” -Dr. Seuss**

Remember you do not have to have a library card to read at the library. Sometimes it's easier to just get away from your home and enjoy the library and all it has to offer. Spend time once a week to look and read the books at the library. Younger kids can explore the many picture books, older students can explore the non-fiction books.

**You or your child still need convincing:**

LeBron James said the day the school year was over his mom drove him to Borders to choose books for his summer reading. He had NO choice. At first he'd pick the smallest ones but not as time went on.

**““READING, UNLIKE ATHLETICS, LAST FOREVER, SO ITS BENEFITS CONTINUE TO SERVE ME IN MY GAME OF LIFE, LONG AFTER THE BALLS STOP BOUNCING.”**

Lebron James