

# Headlines



## Folk Tales, Myths and Urban Legends Performed

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### ***Summer Drama Series wraps up with presentation of short plays***

Students in the Rock Island Public Library's Summer Drama series will present the results of their work on Friday, July 11 in a series of short plays about Folk Tales, Myths and Urban Legends at the Rock Island Public Library, 401 19<sup>th</sup> Street.

Young actors from pre-K through sixth grades will present their works first, presenting "Rapunzel and The Demon Radish," as well as a Nigerian folk tale, "Mr Hare Takes Mr. Leopard for a Ride," from 2 to 2:30 p.m.

Their performances will be followed by the talents of young adults. The older students will present "Hold for Three," a myth about the moon, and "Breaking the Chain," a humorous tale about superstitions, from 2:45 to 3:30 p.m.

The performances are free and open to the public.

The Summer Drama Series, and a corresponding art series as well, are funded by an ongoing endowment from the Rock Island Public Library Foundation.



A young actor portrays the sun in a summer reading show from 2006.