



WIN \$1,000 FOR YOUR SCHOOL LIBRARY!

Plough Through the Pages to Win BIG!

The **Norfolk County Agricultural Society** and **Norfolk County Public Library** are thrilled to bring you another year of **Bushels of Books Read Your Way to the Fair!**

Every page you read helps your school to the top, and the one with the most books logged wins funds to buy brand-new books for their school library! Essentially, you read bushels of books to win money to buy bushels of books!

Encourage your classmates and teachers, register on Beanstack, grab something to read, and start logging!



**Challenge Starts:
September 9**

**Challenge Ends:
October 30**



The Prizes

All schools in Norfolk County can participate, including those within Grand Erie District School Board, Brant Haldimand Norfolk Catholic School Board, MonAvenir Catholic School Board, Private Schools, and Homeschooling families*!

- ✦ **1st Place: \$1,000**
- ✦ **2nd Place: \$500**
- ✦ **3rd Place: \$500**

* Please note that Homeschooling families will be competing together as one "school" with winning proceeds going to the Homeschooling Association.

The Sponsors:



How To Participate



- Create an account on Beanstack using an email address. You can do this on
 - the computer using the Beanstack website: norfolklibrary.beanstack.org
 - the a mobile device by downloading the **Beanstack Tracker App** (search for Norfolk County Public Library)
- **For Students:** your parent can create a free Beanstack account and add you (and any siblings) as an individual reader. This means, you log your reading at home and not at school.
- **For Teachers:** you can create an account and add each of your students as a reader. This means that each student's reading must be logged individually.
 - This is a great opportunity to show students how to find their account and log their own reading, if age appropriate.
 - Please ensure students are not reporting reading at school and at home!
- Read, log, repeat!

IMPORTANT: If a child already has a reader profile from a previous Norfolk County Public Library challenge, it is important that their parent update their information to show their current grade, school, and "teacher" (aka schoolboard). This can be done **on the website** by selecting the reader in the top right and clicking "edit" beside their name, then "Basic Information." **On the app**, tap the ⚙ cogwheel on the top right, then tap "Readers" and select the reader to edit.

How To Log Books

On the Beanstack Tracker App

- Tap the PLUS sign
- Tap Reading
- Select reader and tap "choose readers"
- Search for title OR tap the three dots ... and select "Manually Enter Title Info"
- Type in information
- Tap "Log Reading"
- Toggle ON "Did you finish the book" if asked
- Tap DONE

On the Website, norfolklibrary.beanstack.org

- Click "Log Reading" on the top left



- Select the reader from the menu
- Click on "Log Books"
- Select a day
- Enter Title
- Enter Author
- Click "Log Reading"
- To exit, click the in the top right corner

Remember the Rules!

1. Only students in grades JK to 8 can participate.
2. Only students who are home schooled or enrolled in an elementary school in Norfolk County can participate.
3. Each student must be registered through Beanstack to log and track their reading.
4. Only books read by the students during independent reading at school and/or at home count toward the challenge.
5. A book qualifies as one that is appropriate for the student's reading level. This includes newspapers and magazines.
6. Batch logging is **not** available. If a teacher reads a book to 20 students, they **cannot** log it as 20 books read.

Remember, the goal isn't for an individual reader to "complete" the reading challenge. The goal is for each student to read as much as possible during the challenge so their school has read the most books all together!
This is how you win as a team!