

BOOK HARVEST SUMMER

2024 Final Report

3,500+ Attendees filled the concourse of the Durham Bulls Athletic Park!

9,001 Children's Books

were chosen by kids to take home and keep forever!

42 Community Partners

offered entertainment, resources, and fun!

64 Volunteers

donated their time, talent, and energy!









Book Harvest's annual Summer Block Party filled the concourse of the Durham Bulls Athletic Park on Saturday, July 13, 2024 from 1 to 4 p.m. The free, outdoor event was a joyful celebration of books, summer, and community! The afternoon was action-packed, featuring fun-filled family activities and entertainment, and an abundance of free, culturally inclusive children's books for every child – from infants to high schoolers – to take home and keep forever!

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The following community partners helped make the 2024 Book Harvest Summer Block Party a success:

Alliance Health/Durham Network of Care

Artspace

Bike Durham

Breastfeed Durham

Child Care Referral Central at CCSA

Child Care Services Association

CWS Durham

Digital Durham

Duke Pediatric Primary Care

Durham Children's Initiative

Durham County Child Care Subsidy

Durham Fire Dept.

Durham PreK

Durham's Partnership for Children

DPS Foundation

Families and Communities Rising Head Start

& Early Head Start

Gift of Knowledge Academy

GoDurham

Happy Dan the Magic Man

H.E.A.R.T.S.

Healthy Blue, NC. (Blue Cross & Blue Shield)

Kramden Institute

Macaroni KID Durham - Chapel Hill

Morehead Planetarium and Science Center

Museum of Life & Science

Note in the Pocket

North Carolina Medicaid Enrollment Broker

Nurturing Durham (CCFH READY Project)

PBS NC

Piada Italian Street Food

Poetry Fox

Rainbow Collective for Change

Safe Sleep Task Force

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The Village Durham

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United Way of the Greater Triangle

Weaver Street Market

Welcome Baby Resource Center

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You Can Vote

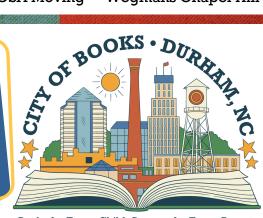
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Book Harvest is thankful for generous support from:

Durham's Campaign for Grade Level Reading • City of Durham • TROSA Moving • Wegmans Chapel Hill

I had an amazing experience
volunteering...there were SO many
families at this event! I couldn't give out
prizes fast enough. It was a true
testament to Book Harvest's reach and
the need for these types of events and
services in our community.
-Catherine, Volunteer

Thanks for throwing the event my boys are 1 & 2 years old and love reading!!!! -



Books for Every Child. Support for Every Parent. Literacy for Every Community.

ABOUT BOOK HARVEST

Book Harvest is internationally recognized for its work to transform children's literacy. Since 2011, Book Harvest has provided over two million books to families in North Carolina, ensuring that parents have the tools and power to ignite and strengthen their children's literacy. With programs that are grounded in evidence, Book Harvest believes that literacy starts at birth, in the home, powered by parents, and nourished with books.

