

Summer Olympics Reading Challenge



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public library





Challenge Rules

- In order for a book to qualify for an event it must be at least 200 pages (excluding the Artistic Gymnastics/Graphic Novel event).
- Only books read from July 1st 2021 to August 31st 2021 qualify for this challenge.
- Books can overlap categories. For example, if you read a 450-page Historical Fiction book it can qualify for the Weightlifting, Fencing, and Pentathlon events simultaneously.
- Once you have completed all the challenges you wish to, you can come into the library to enter for the bronze, silver, and gold medal prize draws.
- To qualify for a draw you must finish the required number of events for that medal placement (see below for medal requirements).
- Participants must be 20 years and older.
- All Gold Medal Finalists will receive a small prize from the library upon completion of all events and be entered into all three draws.

Medal Requirements

Bronze

Complete 4 Events

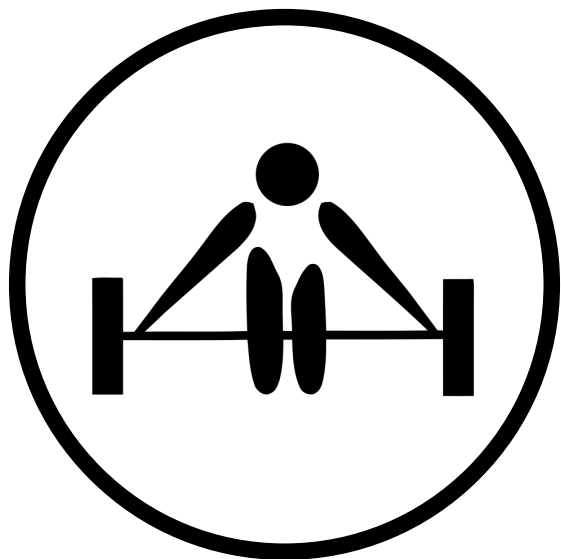
Silver

Complete 7 Events

Gold

Complete All Events

Weightlifting



Read a Book of 450 Pages or More

Book:

Author:

Pages:

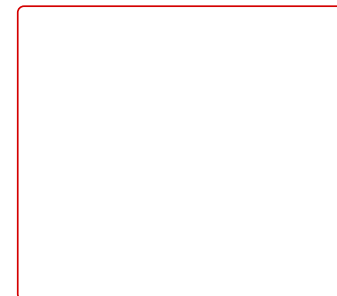
Rate this Book out of Five Maple Leaves



Optional: Any comments about the book?

Olympic Fact: The unlit Olympic torch has been taken to space several times.

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100m Dash



Read a Book of Short Stories

Book:

Author:

Pages:

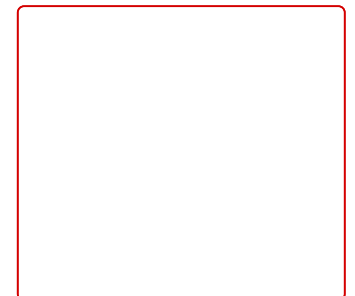
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Olympic Fact: The official languages of the games are English and French, complemented by the official language of the host country.

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Swimming



Read a Book Set in Summer

Book:

Author:

Pages:

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Olympic Fact: Women have been allowed to compete in the Olympics since 1900.

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Sailing



Read a Book Featuring Water

Book:

Author:

Pages:

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Olympic Fact: The Olympic Games have been hosted by 23 different countries.

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Golf



Read a Book with a Green Cover

Book:

Author:

Pages:

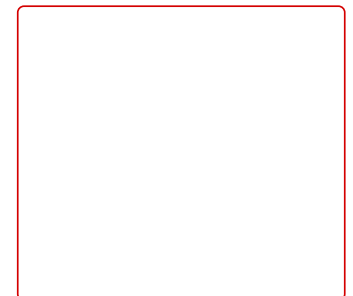
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Olympic Fact: The six colors – blue, yellow, black, green, red, and the white background – were chosen because every nation's flag contains at least one of them.

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Fencing



Read a Historical Fiction Book

Book:

Author:

Pages:

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Olympic Fact: The youngest Olympian in the modern era is Greek gymnast Dimitrios Loundras, who competed in the 1896 Athens Olympics at the age of 10.

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Archery



Read a Romance Book

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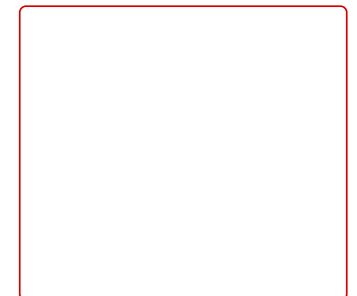
Olympic Fact: The 2016 Games in Rio marked the first time the Olympics were held in South America.

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Pages:

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Artistic Gymnastics



Read a Graphic Novel

Book:

Author:

Pages:

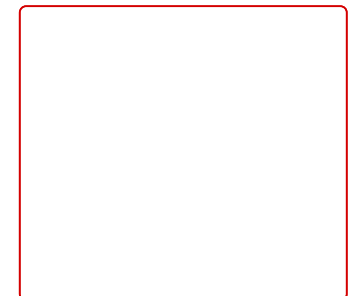
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Olympic Fact: The 2012 London Games were the first Olympics in which all participating countries sent female athletes.

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Track and Field Baton Relay



Read a Book Recommended by a
Friend or Librarian

Book:

Author:

Pages:

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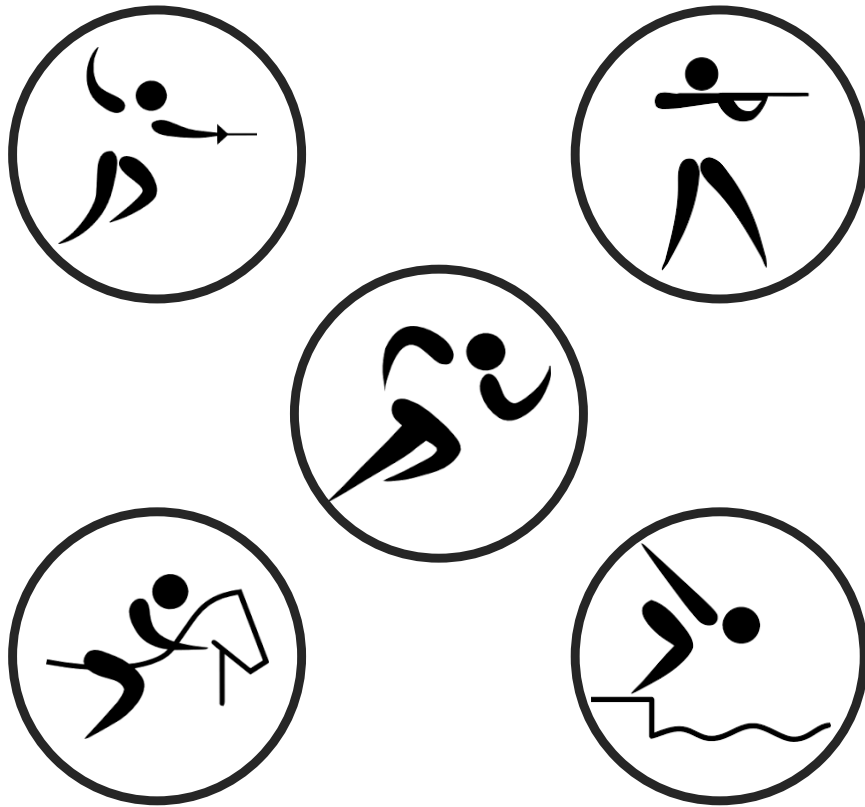
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Olympic Fact: In ancient Greece, athletes didn't worry about sponsorship, protection, or fashion – they competed naked.

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Pentathlon



Read 5 Books of Different Genres

Book 1:

Author:

Pages:

Genre:

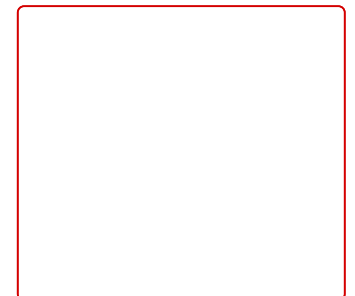
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Olympic Fact: The Olympics taking place in Tokyo in 2021 will still be referred to as the 2020 Olympic Games.

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Book 2:

Author:

Pages:

Genre:

Book 3:

Author:

Pages:

Genre:

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Book 4

Author:

Pages:

Genre:

Book 5

Author:

Pages:

Genre:

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