Logging Your Reading on the Beanstack Website

Log your reading at **northbrookpl.beanstack.org**. If you didn't choose your own when you registered, your default username is your first and last name with no spaces and the default password is **beanstack**.

Log your reading

- Click the orange **Log Reading & Activities** button on the upper left
- If your account has multiple readers, select who is logging
- Select **Log Books**
- The calendar defaults to today
- Enter the title of the book you read and click **Log Reading**
- You can log multiple books at once, without titles, by entering the total number
- If you select **Yes** to include a review, a new screen will open

Tip: Maintaining a daily streak is optional; read at your own pace!

If you have any questions about logging call us at 847-272-2830

Complete an activity

- Click the orange **Log Reading & Activities** button on the upper left
- Select **Complete An Activity**
- Click the check box next to the activity you completed
- You only need to complete 1 activity to enter the bonus drawing

Where to find ...

A list of the books you've logged

- On the top menu bar click **Reading Log** then **All Reading Logged**

Reviews written by you and others

- On the top menu bar click **Reviews**
- Your reviews are displayed under your name
- Other reviews are under **Peer Written Reviews** on the submenu

Book lists for Summer Reading

- On the top menu bar click **Recommendations**
- Then click **Book Lists** on the submenu
- Select a list to view the books

A list of prizes you've earned

- Click on the **Summer Reading Challenge** banner on the main page
- On the next screen, click **Rewards** on the menu under the banner

Your account information

- In the upper right corner, find your name and a gear icon
- Click on your name to edit your preferences or to switch to another account
- Click the gear icon to edit information such as your password

Logging Your Reading on the Beanstack App

Get the Beanstack app from the App Store or Google Play on your phone or tablet. If you didn't choose your own when you registered, your default username is your first and last name with no spaces and the default password is **beanstack**.
On the app, choose **Northbrook Public Library** under **At my library, school, or bookstore**.

Log your reading
- Click on the **plus sign +** at the bottom of the screen
- Under *What Do You Want to Log*, click **Reading**
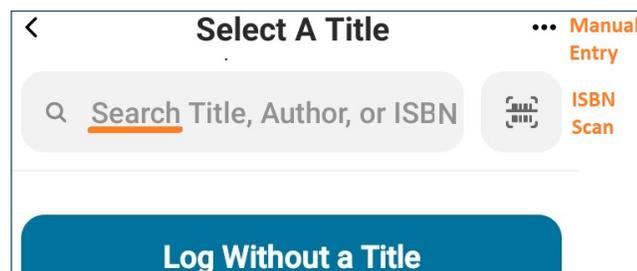- If your account has multiple readers, select who is logging and click **Choose Readers**

There are several options to log books
- Click **Log Without a Title**, enter number of books and click **DONE**
- Click the **3 dots …** in the upper right corner then click **Manually Enter Title Info** then type the title and click **DONE**
- Click the icon to the right of the search box to scan an ISBN barcode on the back of the book, click **SAVE** and then click **Quick Complete**
- Use the search box to find your book, select from the results and click **SAVE** then select **Quick Complete**

Tip: If you don't find your book in the search results, try combining the author and title

Add a review
- After you log a book, click the **plus sign +** and choose **Review**
- Select the book from **Recently Logged Titles** then click **Write Review**
- Type your review and then click **Post**

Tip: If you choose Review before logging the book on the app, it won't count for the challenge

Complete an activity
- Click the **plus sign +** and choose **Activity** then select **Bonus Activity**
- Click the check box next to the activity you completed
- You only need to complete 1 activity to enter the bonus drawing

Where to find …

A list of the books you've logged
- Click the **Log** icon at the bottom of the screen

Reviews written by you and others
- Click the **Discover** icon at the bottom of the screen then **Reviews** on the top menu bar

Book lists for Summer Reading
- Click the **Discover** icon at the bottom of the screen then **Book Lists** on the top menu bar

A list of prizes you've earned
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Your account information
- Click the gear icon in the upper right corner of your screen to edit information like your password
- Click your initials on the upper right to switch to another account