

RAY BRADBURY ACTIVITIES AND RESOURCES

To celebrate his 100th birthday
on Aug. 22, 2020 (or any time)

1. Download the Friends of the Venice Library educational packet from our website at (<https://friendsofvenicelibrary.weebly.com/bradbury-8222020.html>) to learn about Ray and how to do Reader's Theatre (RT). In addition, we have limited copies of a RT script for his short story "All Summer in a Day" which you may request if you are a teacher.
2. Use our RT script to perform "All Summer in a Day" or adapt your own script from a Bradbury work and perform it virtually on-line.
3. Do additional research on Bradbury and design your own project from what you learn. There are many resources in hard copy or on-line. To get started, try these options:
 - <https://raybradbury.com>
 - YouTube (link on the FoVL webpage) "Ray Bradbury--The Story of a Writer" by D.L. Wolper
 - Eller, Jonathan R. *Becoming Ray Bradbury*. University of Illinois Press, 2011.
4. Create a ZINE to in honor of all the short stories Bradbury wrote for magazines over the years. There are many on-line examples of ZINEs such as:
<https://www.readbrightly.com/how-to-make-zine/>
<https://www.scholastic.com/teachers/blog-posts/john-depasquale/zine-making-101/>
https://www.scholastic.com/content/dam/teachers/blogs/john-depasquale/migrated-files/8_page_mini_zine_template.pdf
5. Share what you have learned or written with others, particularly younger students.