Orange City Public Library Newsletter

October 2021





Library Hours: Monday & Thursday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm; Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Saturday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

No-contact pickup is available upon request. Please contact the library for more details.

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Education & Literacy

Fall 2021 Programs "Exploring the World Together"

Youth

1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

Enroll your child in this ongoing fun, self-paced literacy program aimed at increasing word count in young children. Increased vocabulary significantly correlates to academic success! For more information, call the library or email pvangelder@orangecitylibrary.org.

Graduation rescheduled for November 11 at 6:30 pm.

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Give your child great exposure to literacy and introduce them to classroom structure through stories, games, rhymes, songs, and crafts.



Registration suggested.*

Tuesdays at 9:30 am (9/14-11/16) - Ages 3-6

PRESCHOOL PAJAMA STORY TIME ON ZOOM

This interactive Zoom Story Time is delivered directly to your home. Join Phyllis for fun bedtime stories and interactive rhymes and songs. Registration required to receive the Zoom link.*

Mondays at 6:30-7:00pm (9/13-11/15) - Ages 3-6

SONG & RHYME TIME

Join us for 10 weeks of songs, rhymes, and stories preceded and followed by sensory-rich free play

time. Registration suggested.*

Thursdays at 9:30 am (9/16-11/18) - Ages 6 months-3 years



EARLY OUT FRIDAYS

Friday Fun Chess - K-5th Grade at 1:30-3pm (10/8, 10/22, 10/29, 11/12). Limited to 12 students. Registration required for each week.*

LEGO Fun - K-2nd Grade at 1:30-3pm (10/1, 10/15, 11/5, 11/19). Limited to 10 students. Registration required for each week.*

<u>Drama Camp</u> - 3rd-5th at 1:30-3pm (10/1, 10/15, 11/5, 11/19). Limited to 12 students. Registration required for each week.*

TWEEN ZONE

Unique themes for each week: 10/12 & 10/26

Pickle Ball, 11/9 Chess.
Limited to 12 students.
Registration required for each week.*

2nd/4th Tuesdays at 3:45-4:45pm - 6th-8th Grade

POS No.

CRAZY 8S MATH CLUB -K-2 - FILLED

"...build, run and jump, make music, make a MESS! ... it is a totally new kind of math club!" Registration required.* Limited to 12 students/club.

Wednesdays at 3:45-4:45 (9/15-11/3) for K-2nd Grade OR Thursdays at 3:45-4:45 (9/16-11/4) for 3-5th Grade

ART CLASSES - FILLED

Taught by professional artist Judy Thompson.

There is a \$15 fee for this 6 week class.

Registration required.*

Mondays at 4-5pm for 2nd-4th Graders OR 5-6pm for 5th-8th Graders (9/13-10/18)

^{*}Register for events and classes at orangecityiowa.com/residents/library



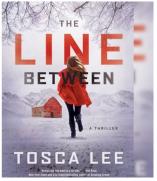
Adult

PAINTING WITH REIN VANDER HILL - FILLED

Discover some new ways to make a painting with a local artist. You can come away with some great new techniques that enhance your personal style. Registration required.*

Thursday, October 21 at 6:00pm





ONE BOOK, ONE SIOUX COUNTY ORANGE CITY BOOK DISCUSSION

Join the Orange City Public Library's book discussion focused on <u>The Line Between</u> by Tosca Lee, the 2021 One Book, One Sioux County selection. Registration required.*

Thursday, October 28 at 7:00pm

ONE BOOK, ONE SIOUX COUNTY AUTHOR TALK

One Book, One Sioux County will host an evening with author Tosca Lee. Register at onebookonesiouxcounty.org.

Thursday, November 4 at 7:00pm at the Dordt Ag Stewardship Center in Sioux Center

ADULT READING CLUB

Ongoing - Log your personal reading on our READsquared app or pick up a paper log at the library--each book counts as an entry into a monthly drawing for Chamber Bucks!

COOKIE DECORATING WITH KARI BROADWAY

Thursday, November 11 (Space available) & November 18 (Filled) at 6:00 pm. Registration Required.*

Family

DOG THERAPY WITH LIBBY KARSSEN

Looking to feel more comfortable around dogs? Need a little extra love? Or do you just love dogs? Join us at our next dog therapy session! Registration suggested.*

Mondays 4:00-5:00pm (10/18, 11/15, 12/13)

PAWS FOR FRIENDSHIP WITH LISA & STANLEY

Call or stop in at the library to reserve a 15-minute time slot to spend time reading to Stanley the dog.

Tuesdays from 3:30-4:45pm (10/5, 11/2, 12/7)

Hispanic Heritage Month



Come break open piñatas and eat delicious Mexican and Guatemalan food at our Fiesta! TONIGHT, October 1, at 6:00 pm in City Hall! Registration not required.

During the remainder of Hispanic Heritage Month (September 15 - October 15), we will also have weekly bilingual scavenger hunts for kids and displays in the library.



The library will continue its Halloween tradition by hosting a Book Giveaway on Friday, October 29 from 9:00am - 5:00pm.

All ages may come and claim this sweet treat!

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Library Tips and Tricks:

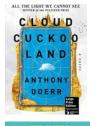


If you're looking for a book that our library does not have, we may be able to borrow it from another library for you! This Interlibrary Loan Lending (ILL), which is available for Orange City and rural Sioux County residents, now delivers to us by courier twice a week. Books shared within lowa are free to our patrons, books from other states will be require a \$3 postage fee.

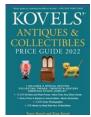
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NEW BOOKS AT THE ORANGE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Something for everyone, come check us out.











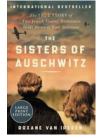


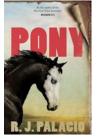
















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Dear Readers,

What exactly is intellectual freedom in the library? After all, it is the foundation of library services. This week we celebrate intellectual freedom by recognizing and affirming our freedom to read.

The concepts underlying intellectual freedom include advocating for the right to find, evaluate and use information; developing collections that are varied in both content and format; addressing the information needs of individuals within a community; providing access to materials and resources; and safeguarding the privacy and confidentiality of library records as well as copyrights.

This tenet of library service is not arbitrary. It is founded in one of our most basic rights as United States citizens, the First Amendment. Exercise your right to read today by visiting us here at the library.

Peace be with you,

Lisa Johnson, MLIS

