

Orange City Public Library
Newsletter
May 2023



**Register for our
Summer Reading
Program and Events!**

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

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

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Education & Literacy

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Adult

1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

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

OUT AND ABOUT PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

This special story time will take place at Literary Dairy. Join us for stories, songs, wiggles, and an ice cream coupon! More information [HERE](#).

Wednesday, May 10 at 3:30 p.m. - Ages 3-6

Family

DOG THERAPY WITH LIBBY KARSEN

Monday, May 8 from 4:00-5:00 p.m.

ADULT READING CLUB

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

SIOUX STITCHERS

The Sioux Stitchers meets on a monthly basis. Learn a new skill each month!

Tuesday, May 16 from 1:00-3:30 p.m. Held at Sioux Center Public Library.

Tulip Festival at the Library

ART SHOWS

The library will host both the MOC-FV and OCCS art shows for Tulip Festival this year. They will be up from May 15-20.

STORY TIME WITH CLIFFORD

Will Clifford fit in the library? We hope so! Clifford will be visiting Orange City for Tulip Festival!

Friday, May 19 from 9:30-10:30 a.m.

LOOK FOR CLIFFORD IN THE FRIDAY EVENING PARADE!

STORYWALK

We will have a Dutch Storywalk outside along the sidewalk for you to read!



National Library Week





FIND YOUR VOICE

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

JUNE 5 - JULY 14, 2023

The Orange City Public Library's Summer Reading Program is an annual event that encourages reading for all ages as well as participation in events that encourage life-long learning, curiosity, and creativity.

REGISTRATION

Record your reading minutes and attendance at events starting June 5 for the chance to win prizes. Sign up for the Summer Reading Program by registering on the READsquared app, [READsquared website](#), or you can stop in the library to pick up a paper log.



All points earned should be redeemed for prizes and grand prize entries by 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 15.

Find more information and event registration through our Summer Reading webpage [HERE!](#)

FAMILY EVENTS

MONDAY, JUNE 5 6:30 PM

- Dominerds Domino Master Show and Cold Treats (Northwestern College's Proscenium Theatre followed by treats)

TUESDAY, JUNE 13 6:30 PM

- Jason Kollum Juggling and Variety Show (City Hall) See a Juggler! Be a Juggler!

TUESDAY, JUNE 20 10:30 AM

- Lisa Laird and Stanley Story Time Program (Orange City Public Library)



TUESDAY, JUNE 27 10:30 AM

- Science Show by Grout Museum (City Hall)
Mind shattering experiments with liquid nitrogen and more!

THURSDAY, JULY 6 6:00 - 8:00 PM

- Free Pool Swimming with Library Card (Orange City Pool)

TUESDAY, JULY 11 10:30 AM

- Sioux County Conservationist (City Hall)



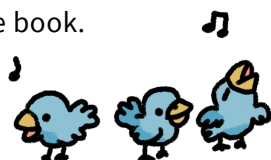
BABIES - PRESCHOOL

THURSDAYS, JUNE 8 - JULY 13 9:30 AM

- Movin' & Groovin' Sensory Story Time
Can You Say Moo Moo Too?

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 7 - JULY 12 9:30 AM

- Preschool Story Time - Bridge to Reading Stories - Your voice matters! Vote for your favorite book.



K-GRADE 2/GRADE 3-4

TUESDAY, JUNE 6 2:00 - 3:00 PM

- Orchestra Instrument Exploration (Gr. 2 - 3)

THURSDAYS, JUNE 8, 22 & JULY 6 2:00 PM

Register for each date you wish to attend.

- *Lego Club (Gr. K - 2)

THURSDAYS, JUNE 15, 29 & JULY 13 2:00 PM

Register for each date you wish to attend.

- *Lego Club (Gr. 3 - 4)

FRIDAYS, JUNE 9, 23, 30 & JULY 14 10:00 AM

Please register for just one date per child.

- *Stuffed Giraffes (K - 2) - \$5

FRIDAYS, JUNE 16 & JULY 7 10:00 AM

Register for each date you wish to attend.

- *Maker Space (Gr. 3 - 4)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28 4:00 PM

- *Rubik's Cubes (Gr. 3 - 4)



*Events Requiring registration. Register for grade just completed

GRADES 5-12

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 4:00 PM

- *Maker Space

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14 4:00 PM

- *World Traveler Escape Room

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21 4:00 PM

- *Cupcake Decorating - \$5

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5 4:00 PM

- *Black Out Poetry & Shakes - \$5

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12 4:00 PM

- *Maker Space

Gr. 5 - 12, volunteer with us to earn extra grand prize entries. Register for training on June 1, 4 pm or June 8, 11 am.



ADULTS

(Register to reserve your spot.)

TUESDAY, JUNE 6 5:30 PM

- *Chocolat Film Screening & Discussion while enjoying Charcuterie (with Mark Volkers) - \$5

TUESDAY, JUNE 13 6:00 PM

- *Pickleball (with Sue at Vet's Park)

TUESDAY, JUNE 20 6:00 PM

- *Cupcake Decorating (with Elizabeth) - \$5

TUESDAY, JUNE 27 6:00 PM

- Mix & Match Game Night- games, coloring and create your own snack mix at the Library with family and friends.

TUESDAY, JULY 11 6:00 PM

- *Paper Marbling - \$5

Get 2 FREE Young Adult Audiobooks every week from April 27-August 2!



Go to audiobooksync.com and click "Sign Up" at the top Put in your email and follow the instructions to download the Sora app and connect to the SYNC library. You'll be ready to listen in minutes!

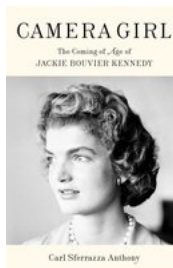
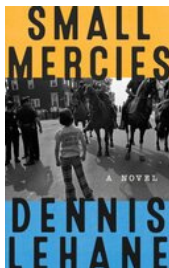
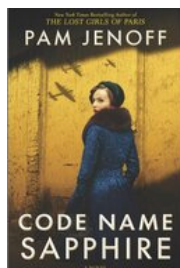
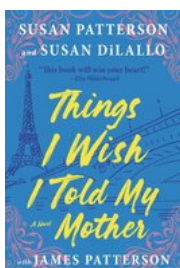
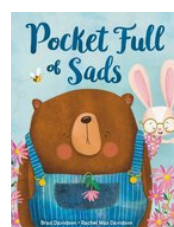
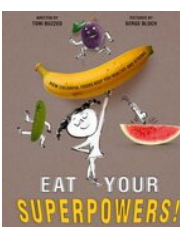
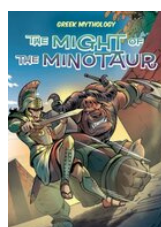
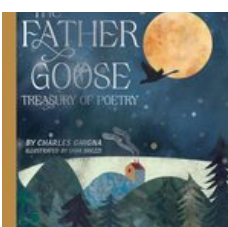
Dear Readers,

Thank you to everyone who connected with us during National Library Week! We had so much fun seeing everyone that came in for the activities and treats. The time is fast approaching for the Summer Reading Program to begin. This annual event encourages reading, lifelong learning, curiosity and creativity for individuals of all ages. *Find Your Voice* is this year's theme. Registration for events is open and available on the library website! Sign up on the READsquared app to log reading minutes and attendance at events; paper logs will be available at the library starting June 5. We are looking forward to meeting you on the path to summer reading.

Lisa Johnson, MLIS

NEW BOOKS AT THE ORANGE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Something
for everyone,
come check
us out.



JUNE PREVIEW

Log your reading minutes this summer with [READsquared](#) or a paper log.

You could win one of our Grand Prizes!

