# Newsletter July 2023



## Closed Tuesday, July 4, 2023 for Independence Day!



Library Hours: Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; 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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## FIND YOUR VOICE

TWO WEEKS LEFT OF THE SUMMER READING PROGRAM

JUNE 5 - JULY 14, 2023

All points earned need to be turned in and 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**



## **Youth Classes**









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## **Baby - Preschool Events**





## **Adult Classes**



<u>Find more information and event registration through our Summer Reading webpage HERE!</u>

## Other Education & Literacy Opportunities Youth 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. Increased vocabulary significantly correlates to academic success! For more information, call the library or email pvangelder@orangecitylibrary.org.

### **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!

Monday, July 10 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!

#### SHELF DISCOVERY BOOK CLUB

Copies of the current book, <u>Crow Lake</u> by Mary Lawson, are available at the front desk.

Saturday, July 15 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. Held at Sioux Center Public Library.

#### SIOUX STITCHERS

Each month, there will be a presenter and a new skill will be taught. No experience is necessary.

Tuesday, July 18 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Held at Sioux Center Public Library.









## 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Graduation Ceremony

If your child has completed this fun, self-paced program, join us for the graduation ceremony. Please RSVP by Friday, August 18 for the graduation ceremony on Tuesday, August 29 at 6:30pm. To reserve your spot, call the library at 712-707-4302 or email Phyllis at pvangelder@orangecitylibrary.org.

Research has shown that reading to children from birth significantly correlates to academic success later in life. The 1,000 Books Before

Kindergarten program aims to assist parents in the goal of reading to their children on a

regular basis.



For every 100 books read, your child can come to the library for a sticker on their reading log. Once the 1,000 book goal is met, your child can join us for a graduation ceremony complete with stories, activities, a craft, and diploma!

If you are interested in signing your child up for the 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program, please inquire at the library.

## Apply to Join the Library Board!

The Library Board is looking for new members. Fill out a brief application <u>HERE</u>.

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Dear Readers,

The Summer Reading Program encourages life-long learning. Record your reading minutes and attendance at events for the chance to win prizes. All reading until July 15 at 2 p.m. counts! Register using the READsquared app or pick up a paper log at the library.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our programs this year. We hope that Orange City Public Library was able to help you Find Your Voice.

Peace be with you,

Lisa Johnson, MLIS



### **NEW BOOKS AT THE ORANGE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Something for everyone, come check us out.







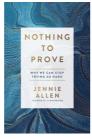


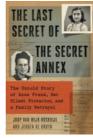


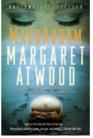
















### **AUGUST PREVIEW**



