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From My Side of the Desk

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Cool weather and changing leaves are here!

The library will be **CLOSED** on Monday, October 8 for Native American Day. We will reopen with regular hours on Tuesday, October 9.

We had another very successful escape room program in September. All groups were able to find Aunt Frieda's millions in the 20 minutes! We are planning a Christmas-themed escape room in December, so stay tuned for details.

Our monthly Game Night continues to be very popular too! We had 27 people play a variety of board games at our September gathering. Teens and adults can join the fun on Friday, October 12 from 6:30-9:30 pm. Bring your own game to get a group going, or play one of ours!

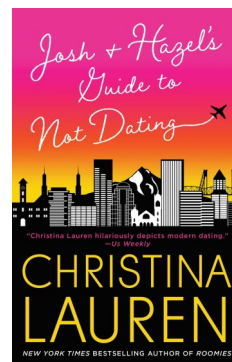
IT'S BOOK SALE TIME!

The Friends of the Library's fall book sale is Wednesday, October 17 through Sunday, October 21. Wednesday is the Friends-only presale from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm. Friends memberships will be available at the sale that night, so it's easy to become a member of the Friends of the Library! Simply fill out the form and pay the annual

membership fee: \$10/year for individuals and \$25 for families. As always there will be a great selection of books. We have a storeroom full of sale items. Money raised by the Friends, through membership fees and book sales, directly supports the library through program funding, increased purchase power for collections, such as Playaways and e-books and the ability to update furniture, such as the new reading rugs and seating in the children's area. We appreciate all your contributions!

Ashia's Book Recommendation: *Josh and Hazel's Guide to Not Dating*, by Christina Lauren. Hazel is chaos in human form. Josh is very controlled and normal. Hazel and Josh do not want to date each other. They are obviously completely wrong for each other. They are only friends, friends who are going to help each other find the perfect person. Josh and Hazel set each other up on increasingly horrible double dates, but they're just friends right?

This book is available in book and audiobook format at the Library.



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Friends of the Library Book Sale

The Fall Friends of the Library Book Sale will be held **October 17-21**, with the Friends of the Library member preview on Wednesday, October 17. Not a Friend of the Library but want early access to the sale? Sign up at the Circulation Desk ahead of time, or sign up at the door for the sale. Individual memberships are \$10 per year. Public access to the sale will begin Thursday, October 18. **Please note: We are not accepting donations for the upcoming book sale at this time due to space limitations. We will begin accepting donations again on Monday, November 5.**

Save those Hy-Vee receipts!

The Friends of the Brookings Public Library are collecting Hy-Vee receipts for the Hy-Vee receipt program! For every \$150,000 in receipts we collect, Hy-Vee will donate \$1,000 to be used for library programming and collections.

Thank you to everyone who has brought in receipts so far! We recently turned in \$150,000 in receipts and received our first check from Hy-Vee! This money is being used to purchase a new book display for featured adult books, to be located near the carpeted display wall. Keep an eye out for our new display in the coming weeks!

Receipts can be dropped off at the Library Circulation Desk.



Receiving our check! BPL Director Ashia Gustafson and Friends of the Library President Mary Caspers-Graper (far left and inside left) receive the check from Hy-Vee staff.

Adult Craft Night

Adult craft night is free and open to any adults who wish to participate. It is held on the following nights at **6:30 pm** in the Cooper Room, unless otherwise noted.



Tuesday, October 23 *Paperback Pumpkins*

These easy pumpkins will add interest and color to your home and table. Join us in making them for the fall season. **Please note:** If you signed up for the Paperback Pumpkin class in September, please let others have the chance to make this craft and do not sign up again.



Thursday, October 25 *Felt Flowers*

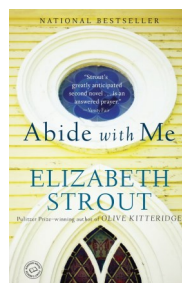
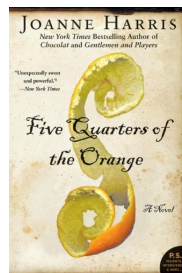
Start your holiday crafting early by learning to make these felt flowers!

All craft nights require registration to ensure enough materials are available.
Call the library at 692-9407 or stop in to sign up.

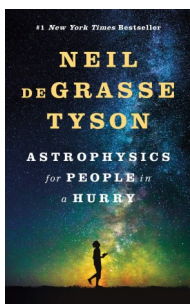
Library Book Club - Meets the second Tuesday of the month and is open to anyone interested in attending.

Tues., October 9 at 6:30 pm *Five Quarters of the Orange*
by Joanne Harris

When Framboise Simon returns to a small village on the banks of the Loire, the locals do not recognize her as the daughter of the infamous woman they hold responsible for a tragedy during the German occupation years ago. But the past and present are inextricably entwined, particularly in a scrapbook of recipes and memories that Framboise has inherited from her mother.



Next month we will be reading *Abide with Me* by Elizabeth Strout. In the late 1950s, a minister struggles to regain his calling, his family, and his happiness in the wake of profound loss. At the same time, the community he has served so charismatically must come to terms with its own strengths and failings when a dark secret is revealed.

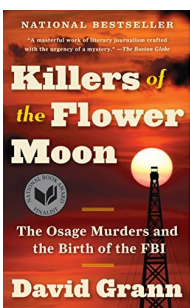


Non-Fiction Book Club - Meets the fourth Monday of the month and welcomes everyone who is interested in attending.

Mon., October 22 at 7 pm *Astrophysics for People in a Hurry*
by Neil deGrasse Tyson

What is the nature of space and time? How do we fit within the universe? How does the universe fit within us? There's no better guide through these mind-expanding questions than acclaimed astrophysicist and best-selling

author Neil deGrasse Tyson. Tyson brings the universe down to Earth succinctly and clearly.



Next month we will be reading *Killers of the Flower Moon; The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI* by David Grann. In *Killers of the Flower Moon*, David Grann revisits a shocking series of crimes in which dozens of people were murdered in cold blood. Based on years of research and startling new evidence, the book is a masterpiece of narrative nonfiction, as each step in the investigation reveals a series of sinister secrets and reversals. But more than that, it is a searing indictment of the callousness and prejudice toward American Indians that allowed the murderers to operate with impunity for so long.

Booked for Murder - Mystery Book Club discusses an author's body of work rather than a specific title. They meet at noon on the first Monday of the month.



October 1 - Peter Lovesey
November 5 - Steven Havill
December 3 - 2019 Planning

**ADULT
BOOK
CLUBS**

**Library book
discussion
groups are
open to
anyone who
wants to
attend.**



Hocus Pocus Showing

Join us for a showing of Disney's *Hocus Pocus* on Monday, October 29 at 6:30 pm in Cooper Room A.

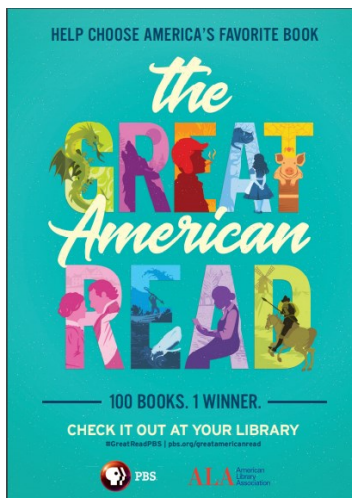
A curious youngster moves to Salem, where he struggles to fit in before awakening a trio of diabolical witches that were executed in the 17th century.

Rated PG 95 minutes

We'll provide the popcorn!

Friends of the Library Annual Meeting

The Friends of the Library Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 25 at 7:00 p.m. in Cooper Room A. Friends of the Library members and those interested in joining are welcome to attend!



The Great American Read Programming Book vs Movie Club

Read the book, watch the movie, then discuss!

The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde

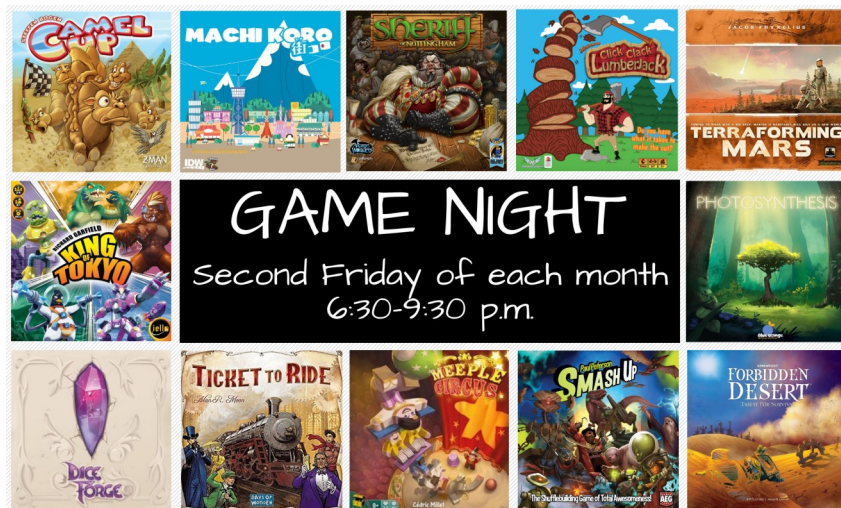
Wednesday, October 3 6:30 pm Movie Screening

Thursday, October 4 7:00 pm Movie & Book Discussion

Programming for *The Great American Read* is offered as part of a grant from the American Library Association and PBS.

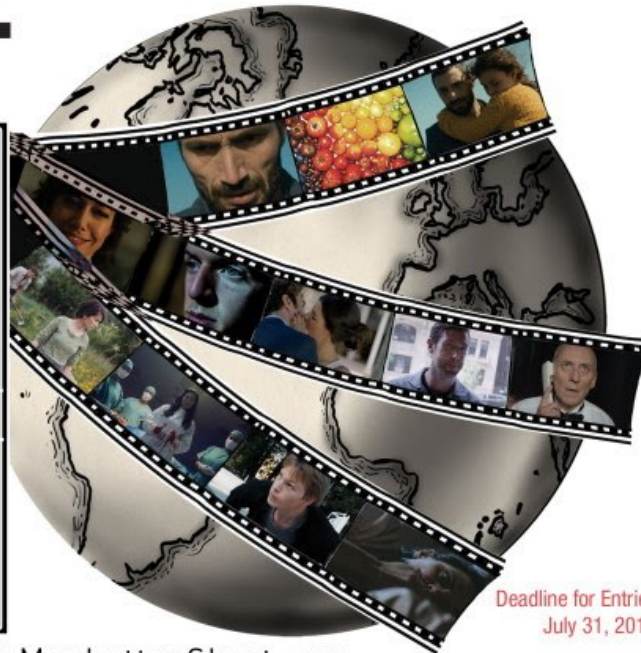
Remember to vote for your favorite book by going to:

www.pbs.org/the-great-american-read



Game Night: Friday, October 12 - 6:30 - 9:30 pm

Ticket to Ride, Codenames, Smash Up, Catan – we've got a variety of games available for play! Join us for game night on Friday, October 12 from 6:30-9:30 pm in the Cooper room! We'll have games available to choose from, or feel free to bring your own to play with a group. Check out our event on Facebook to RSVP and let us know you're coming!



Deadline for Entries
July 31, 2018

www.ManhattanShort.com

The World's First Global Film Festival

Join us September 27 to October 7, 2018 when over 100,000 film lovers unite in over 300 cinemas across 6 continents to view and vote on the finalist films in the 21st Annual MANHATTAN SHORT Film Festival.

All films selected as a finalist in MANHATTAN SHORT 2018 will be eligible to enter the Oscars in 2019.

The films will be shown at the library on **Tuesday, October 2 and Thursday, October 4 at 6:30 pm.**

WHAT IS MANHATTAN SHORT?

MANHATTAN SHORT is not a touring festival; rather, it is a celebration that occurs simultaneously across the globe, bringing great films to great venues and allowing the audiences to select their favorites.

If the film festival experience truly is about getting great works in front of as many eyes as possible, MANHATTAN SHORT offers the ultimate platform -- one that sees its films screened in cinemas in all fifty states of the United States and beyond.

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Disabilities Act, please contact Shari Thornes, City ADA Coordinator, at 692-6281 at least 3 working days prior to any meeting held at the Library.

Teen

PIZZA & PAGES

A book discussion group for teens. Participants will be provided with a copy of the book to read before the discussion. **For teens in grades 6th-12th.**

Registration is limited.

ANIME CLUB - WATCH. TALK. CREATE. WIN.

WATCH anime. TALK about manga and anime with friends. CREATE new art, manga, and cosplay. WIN great prizes!

For teens in grades 7th - 12th.

Wednesdays at 3:00 pm

PUPPETRY CLUB - Do you like to perform? If so join the Puppetry Club and perform the monthly show! **For teens in 6th - 12th grade.**

Practice Tuesday, October 9 at 6:00 pm

Perform Thursday, October 11 at 6:00 pm (show at 7:00 pm)

Practice Tuesday, November 6 at 6:00 pm

Perform Thursday, November 8 at 6:00 pm (show at 7:00 pm)

SD Teen Choice List 2018-19

High School

Aftermath by Clara Kensie

Eliza and Her Monsters by Francesca Zappia

Goodbye Days by Jeff Zentner

Orange by Ichigo Takano

This Is Our Story by Ashley Elston

A Hope More Powerful Than the Sea

by Melissa Fleming

One of Us Is Lying by Karen M. McManus

The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas

Scythe by Neal Shusterman

When Dimple Met Rishi by Sandhya Menon

Dallas by Sam Moussavi

Caraval by Stephanie Garber

Middle School

Refugee by Alan Gratz

Restart by Gordon Korman

Scar Island by Dan Gemeinhart

Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus

by Dusti Bowling

Warcross by Marie Lu

All's Faire in Middle School

by Victoria Jamieson

Hunted by Meagan Spooner

Lone Stars by Mike Lupica

Mars One by Jonathan Maberry

Speed of Life by Carol Weston

Slider by Pete Hautman

Amina's Voice by Hena Khan



Kids' Corner

Baby Bounce Storytime

Songs, fingerplays and books for infants and toddlers up to 24 months. This program is held on **Mondays at 10 am. Registration is required.**

Storytime

It will feature books, songs, crafts paired with apps, video clips and more.

Storytime will be held on **Mondays at 11 am.**

Mommy & Me (and Daddy, too) Music Makers

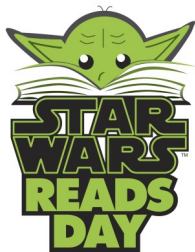
Come dance and sing at this rhythm and movement based program featuring a book, a variety of musical genres, instruments, and more. Geared for children 5 and under. 8-Week sessions offered **Mondays at 6:15 pm** and **Tuesdays at 10 & 11 am. Registration is required.**

Family Science Night

This monthly event features a variety of hands-on activities for families to explore together. They are held the **last Tuesday of each month from 6:30 - 8:30 pm** in the Children's Activity Room. October's Family Science Night will be held on **October 30.**

Monthly Puppet Shows

Monthly puppet shows are held at the library on a **Thursday night each month @ 7 pm.** Upcoming puppet show dates include **October 11, November 8, & December 6.**



7th Annual Star Wars Reads Day

We'll be hosting Star Wars Reads Day on Saturday, October 20 from 1-3 pm. Star Wars Reads Day is a nation-wide celebration of all things from the galaxy far, far away, as well as the joy of reading! We'll have food, activities, photo opportunities, special guests, and, of course, books available. Costumes are welcome and encouraged!



Tail Waggin' Tutors

Registration is now open for our Tail Waggin' Tutors program! Limited spaces are available on Wednesday afternoons from 2:40 - 3:40 for children to read to our tutor, Champ. This is a great way for kids to build confidence in reading by sharing a book with Champ. Call the Library at 692-9407 or stop in to register your child for this great program!



1000 Books Before Kindergarten

This free nationwide program challenges families and caregivers to share 1,000 books with their children before entering kindergarten. Ask at the Circulation Desk for your first 100 book tracking sheet.

October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 10 am Baby Bounce 11 am Storytime Noon Booked for Murder 6:15 pm Music Makers 7 pm Sewing Pt. 1 RR	2 10 am Music Makers 11 am Music Makers 6:30 pm Manhattan Short	3 3 pm Anime Club 6:30 pm GAR Movie	4 6:30 pm Manhattan Short 7 pm GAR Book Discussion	5	6
7	8 Library Closed	9 10 am Music Makers 11 am Music Makers 6 Puppet Practice 6:30 pm Book Club 7 pm Sewing Pt 2 RR	10 3 pm Anime Club	11 5:30 pm Board Meeting 7 pm Puppet Show	12 6:30 pm Game Night	13
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21 Last day of book sale	22 10 am Baby Bounce 11 am Storytime 6:15 pm Music Makers 7 pm Non Fiction Book Club	23 10 am Music Makers 11 am Music Makers 6:30 pm Craft Night - RR	24 3 pm Anime Club	25 6:30 pm Craft Night - RR	26	27
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** Board Meetings are open to the public.

Programming
Key

In Red - Kids
In Green - Teens
In Black - Adult
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Registration
GAR - Great
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