

Summer Reading Carries On!



June 16^{th} – June 21^{th}

Summer Reading carries on with a folded book vase craft, a visit from Barnyard Discoveries, and Disney Night with the Boone Municipal Band. Check out below to see the other fun things we will be doing this week.

All Ages

Monday, June 16th

Learn the Ukulele 2 pm – 3 pm

Want to learn to play the ukulele? Meet us in the Children's Department's Fireplace Area for a free lesson from Lott Music of Ames. Sheet music will be provided. We also have a limited number of ukuleles that can be used or you can bring your own instrument.

Tuesday, June 17th

<u>Bingo! 1 pm – 2 pm</u>

Come play Bingo with us! We will meet in the Second Floor Meeting Room for an hour of fun and prizes!

<u>Behind the Garden Gate: The Untold Life of Frances Hodgson Burnett Presentation and Garden</u> <u>Tea Party 6 pm – 7 pm</u>

Join us in Children's Department Storytime Room for a live Zoom presentation from Keri Wilt, the great-great-granddaughter of Frances Hodgson Burnett (author of *The Secret Garden* and *A Little Princess*). Keri will be sharing personal anecdotes, family stories, and historical insights to help us learn more about Frances Hodgson Burnett's life. Following this conversation, there will be a garden party in the Library's Garden Square. Refreshments will be provided by the Friends of the Ericson Public Library.

Wednesday, June 18th

Municipal Band Concert 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Gather all your MuniciPals and join us at the Municipal Band Concert in the Herman Park Pavilion. This week's musical theme is Disney, which will feature Disney music as well as a Disney related Storytime. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

Friday, June 20th

The Dukes of Haggard 7 pm -8:30 pm

Join Carey Crowson on keyboards and Howie Nord on guitar for a rockin' concert in the Herman Park Pavilion. Snacks will be available for a free will offering from the Friends of the Ericson Public Library. All proceeds benefit the library.

Adults

Monday, June 16th

Folded Book Vase with Patriotic Pinwheel Craft 5:45 pm - 8 pm

Join us in the Second Floor Meeting Room to learn how to fold a book into a vase. Once we are done making the vase, we will also be making a patriotic pinwheel with cloth and canning rings. Participants may make either the book vase, the patriotic pinwheel, or both! Spots are limited so please register on our Events page (https://www.boone.lib.ia.us/events).

<u>Mindful Monday 7 pm – 8 pm</u>

Meet in the Children's Department Storytime Room for Mindful Monday. June's theme focuses on mental and physical health. As a part of this theme, we will be focusing on Kathy Smith's *The Art of Living* podcast. Refreshments will be available while supplies last. You can also join this program via Zoom by registering on our Events page (https://www.boone.lib.ia.us/events).

Tuesday, June 17th

Adult Book Discussion 7 pm - 8 pm

The Adult Book Discussion group is reading and discussing *The In-Between: Unforgettable Encounters During Life's Final Moments* by Hadley Vlahos this month. Join us either in person in the Second Floor Meeting Room or via Zoom. If you are planning to join us via Zoom, please register on our Events page (https://www.boone.lib.ia.us/events).

Wednesday, June 18th

<u>Yoga via Zoom 10 am – 10:30 am</u>

Join us on Zoom for yoga by registering on our website's Events page (https://www.boone.lib.ia.us/events). This week's theme is Yoga for Golfers.

Stitch Night 6 pm – 8 pm

Calling all Fiber Crafters to the Fireplace Area (in the Children's Department) for crafting, conversation, and camaraderie. Bring your current project, show off something you have finished, or both. All skill levels and fiber craft types are welcome!

Friday, June 20th

<u>Yoga via Zoom 10 am – 10:30 am</u>

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Five Wishes 2 pm -3 pm

Join Nan Sloan in the Second Floor Meeting Room as she talks about the Five Wishes forms and the directives you wish to have taken at the end of your life. Copies of the Five Wishes forms will be available while supplies last.

Saturday, June 21st

Writer's Workshop 9:30 am - 1 pm

Join your fellow writers in the Second Floor Meeting Room for some camaraderie and proofreading/editing help. Feel free to send up to four pages of your writing to: <u>ericson@boone.lib.ia.us</u> for printing before the meeting. If you have not been a part of this group before, please register on our Events page (https://www.boone.lib.ia.us/events).

Teens

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Kids Author Zoom 1 pm – 2 pm

Have you read or are you planning to read *Jawbreaker*, this year's Kids All Iowa Reads book selection? Come chat with Christina Wyman (author of *Jawbreaker*) and Janeé Jackson-Doering (the State Library of Iowa Youth Services consultant) via Zoom in the Children's Department Storytime Room. Daniel Umemezie (the Iowa Student Poet Ambassador) will also be joining this Zoom conversation. If you have any questions you like to ask any of three presenters, please email them to Ronda (<u>rkelley@boone.lib.ia.us</u>). Refreshments will be provided while supplies last. While everyone is welcome to join in on this conversation, it is aimed at people aged 6 to 11.

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Chess and Board Games Hangout 2 pm - 3 pm

Come to the Children's Department Storytime Room to play chess and board games. Snacks will be available while supplies last.

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Children

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<u>Storytime 10 am - 10:30 am</u>

Meet us by the fireplace in the Children's Department for Storytime. This week's theme features the beach. While the stories and other activities are open to children of all ages, this program is geared towards 0- to 5-year-olds.

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Summer Science with Mr. Z 3 pm - 3:45 pm

Join us in Children's Department Activity Room for some summertime science with Mr. Z. We will be conducting a variety of experiments including making elephant toothpaste. While this science fun is open to children of all ages, this program is geared towards 7- to 10-year-olds.

Friday, June 20th

Music and Movement 10 am -10:30 am

Come on down to the Children's Department Fireplace Area to move and groove with Mr. Z. While this dance party is open to children of all ages, this program is geared towards 0- to 5-year-olds.

Saturday, June 21st

Barnyard Discoveries Storytime 10 am - 11 am

This week Barnyard Discoveries will be visiting. Join us in exploring this mobile farm, which will be set up in the parking lot across from the library. Meet some farm animals and even get a free book (while supplies last). While everyone is welcome to join us, this program is geared towards 0- to 5-year-olds.