Book Corner News

The Book Corner opened its doors four years ago, in June of 2017. We've come a long way and now have a firmly established used bookstore in downtown Algoma. We thank you for your support and patronage in making this happen.

Father's Day is June 20th. Why not get Dad a book for this occasion? The Book Corner has a variety of books, and we're certain you'll find something he'll like.

Beginning Friday, June 4th, the Book Corner will open on Fridays as well as Saturdays. Hours both days are 11am - 3pm. All proceeds benefit the Algoma Public Library.

Internet Café

Call to schedule an appointment. Internet Cafe is for anyone needing individual guidance or may have questions about the internet, computer usage, personal devices (cell phones and kindles/iPad). You can also email your questions to alg@algomapubliclibrary.org.

Summer Storytimes

Storytime on Tuesdays @ 10 am on Facebook Live.





Hotspots Now Available!

Is your internet slow at home? We've got a solution for you! We have 10! Yes, 10 hotspots

available for checkout. To get one of these hotspots: you must be a current InfoSoup Library Card holder in good standing, be 18 years or older, and a permanent resident for 60 days (I.D. address must be current home address). Hotspots can be checked out for 7days at a time (sorry only 1 per family/ household). These hotspots are only available at our location, meaning they are not sent to other libraries' patrons. Call or stop by the Algoma Public Library to inquire about one today!

There are some restrictions that library staff will go over with you upon check out.



Staff Picks

Braelyn- The (other) F Word: A Celebration of the Fat & Fierce Edited

by Angie Manfredi



Cathy – What Alice Forgot by Liane Moriarty

Diana- What We'll Build by Oliver Jeffers

Katie – Shadow and Bone by Leigh Barough

Virtual Books & Brews

Thurs June 10th at 5:30 pm There is no theme. Need a suggestion? We can help! We will be discussing via email / Zoom. Please email us for an invitation to discuss your book(s).

Write It Wednesdays

Are you finding you need extra writing inspiration? Sign up for our Write-It Wednesday to receive virtual prompts right to your email to get your creative juices flowing. Call or email us to get creative together!

Tail Wagger's R Us Digital Escape Room

Thurs. June 24th The time has come to test your knowledge on all things large and small in the Animal Kingdom! Can you do it? Our creature friends throughout seem to be mixed up at the zoo. It's time to put your thinking caps on and help sort them out! This escape room is designed for all ages. The clues given throughout the escape room can be answered in the game, but additional resources outside the game can be used too.

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Updated Library Hours!

Monday thru Thurs 10am to 7pm & Friday 10 to 6pm & Saturday 10-3 pm ** Curbside hours 10am-4pm M-F. Restrictions apply. *Children under the age of 18 must

be accompanied by an adult at ALL times. For more information please see our website.



Fine Free for Children and Teen Print Materials starting June 1st!

The Kewaunee and Algoma Public Libraries are happy to announce

that effective June 1, 2021; overdue fines will not accrue on children and teen print materials – no matter what the age of the person checking out the materials. *Some restrictions apply- please see full press release (can be found <u>here</u>) for further details.* We are excited to be following the practice of many libraries around the country and removing this potential barrier to library services.

To learn more about it you can check out the <u>Kewaunee Public Library</u> or <u>Algoma Public</u> <u>Library</u> websites.

Celebrate Crescent Beach Kit

Tues. June 1st Celebrate one of Algoma's crowning jewels - Crescent Beach by grabbing a kit that focuses on the beach. Kit includes activities and a craft. While supplies last.

Virtual June Events @ Your Library

Our LIVE events can be found on our Facebook page.

Virtual Author Visit with Terri Sorg via Zoom

Thurs. June 3rd at 6:30 pm WI Author Terri Sorg will be having an open discussion on the definitions, statistics, effects on the body, and strategies for managing stress/anxiety for adults and children. She is a retired mental health nurse, a person with anxiety, and the author of the Heart Fairy Books. (heartfairy.net) She has a new book coming out called Heart Fairy and Anxiety. Join us Live on Zoom or watch for her video on our Facebook Page.

Summer Reading Program: June 7th – July 23rd

Our theme this year is "Tales and Tails" and we have a lot of Tales and Tails to choose from for you. From insects to tons of tales packed full of virtual programs and grab & go kits for all ages. Keep track of your books on the app Beanstack and have a chance to win prizes.

Butterfly Grab & Go Kit – Tues. June 8th

A family friendly kit with activities and crafts geared towards the family. While supplies last.

Breaking Butterfly News – Starting Tues. June 8th



Join us every week at 1 pm as our caterpillars' transition to butterflies! Release Breaking News to be determined!

Each weeks update will give facts and tips on how you can help our insect friends.

Bugs, Bugs, Bugs Grab & Go Kit-Wed. June 9th

Have fun with bugs. This grab & go kit includes games, crafts, and activities all related to bugs. Available while supplies last.

Dragonfly Shrink Art LIVE (TEENS)- Wed. June 9th at 5 pm

Join Braelyn on Instagram Live (or Facebook Live if there are technical difficulties) for tutorials on how to make cute dragonfly wing accessories/crafts without breaking



your budget. No real dragonfly wings will be used during this program.

Bunny Book Folding Kit- Thurs. June 10th



Pick up a kit to make a bunny out of recycled books! Kit includes book and other supplies needed. You will need glue / hot glue gun. If using a hot glue gun, adult supervision is required. While supplies last.

Cat Attack Game Kit – Mon. June 14th

An outdoor game for the family! This game involves water balloons and good old family fun. Kit includes chalk, water balloons and game instructions. While supplies last.

Pet Supply Drive – June 14th – July 2nd

We are helping our tail wagging and feathered friends at Door County Humane Society by gathering pet supplies. They are in need of unopened (sealed) bags of dog/ cat food, canned dog/ cat food, peanut butter, non-retractable leashes, dog toys, cleaning supplies (liquid hand/dish soap, hand sanitizer, disinfectant wipes), plus more! To see a complete list of items needed see their website

https://www.wihumane.org/donate/wish-list.

Virtual Pet Photo Contest- June 14th-19th

Are you proud of your pet or pets? Submit your photos of your pets with the subject "Virtual Pet Contest" to alg@algomapubliclibrary.org. You can vote for your favorite pets by liking or commenting on our Virtual Pet Contest Album on Facebook. Voting will be June 21st-26th. The top 3 winners will receive a pet related prize!

Famous Literary Pets LIVE (TEENS)

Tues. June 15th at 6 pm Join Braelyn on Instagram Live (or Facebook Live if there are technical difficulties) for a livestream celebrating some of the famous literary pets! Tune in to see if one of your literary pet favorites is included or to learn about some that you've never heard before. Feel free to comment your thoughts while she's live.

Pet Rock Tales Grab & Go Kit

Wed. June 16th This kit has what you need to create your own pet rock and tales to go with it. Stop and pick one up while supplies last.

Pet Silhouette Art Kit (TEENS)

Thurs. June 17th Teens can pick up a "Pet Silhouette Art Kit" to get crafty and make their very own silhouette art of a pet near and dear to their heart, Don't have a pet? No problem. Make one for your favorite literary or movie pet instead.

Cooking with Katie- Sat. June 19th at 11 am

Join Katie virtually in her kitchen and learn a new recipe on Facebook Live! This month is Grilled Veggie Pizza and fruit dip!

Zoo Puppets Grab & Go Kits- Mon. June 21st

This kit will have fun animal puppet crafts to put on your own show. Available while supplies last.



Zoo Stop Motion Filmmaking Kit (TEENS)

Tues. June 22nd Are you interested in the basics of Stop-motion animation, pick up this kit! Teens can grab an informative kit filled with some supplies, tips and tricks, and book suggestions if they want to learn more. While supplies last.

Cat Folding Book Kit – Wed. June 23rd

Pick up a kit to make a cat out of recycled books! This is an advanced kit. Kit includes book and other supplies needed. You will need glue / hot glue gun. If using hot glue gun adult supervision is required. While supplies last.

Animal Napkin Folding Tutorial- Facebook Live

Wed. June 23rd at 4 pm. Join Librarian Katie on Facebook Live as she teaches you how to make some animals out of napkins! Napkin folding is one way to make your dinner table more fun.



Endangered Tails LIVE Stream (TEENS)

Thurs. June 24th at 1 pm. There are a lot of Endangered Animals in the world. Join Braelyn on Instagram Live (or Facebook Live if there are technical issues) to learn about some of the endangered species while Braelyn shows you how to make a tail out of varn. Additional information will be at the end on how you can help protect endangered species.

Animal Garden Craft Pots- Mon. June 28th

Kids - Make a fun animal planter with an plant some seeds. Pick up this grab & go kit while supplies last.

DIY Fairy Crown (TEEN):Tues. June 29th 4 pm

Join Braelyn on Instagram Live (or Facebook Live if there are technical issues to learn how to make vour own Fairy Crown. Not interested in Fairy Crowns? That's okay. Use the information from this live to make a crown/bandanna of your liking and tag us in a picture of your results.

Salt Dough Leaf Bowl Kit (TEENS)

Wed. June 30th. Pick up a "Salt Dough Leaf Bowl Kit" at the Algoma Public Library. Salt dough is cheap and easy to make, but can be used to create unique decorative pieces for anvone's room/dorm. This kit is for teens and will be available on a first come, first served basis.

