

Adair County Public Library

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Newsletter

March 2022

Year in Review

2021

Top Ten Checked Out Titles

13,903 Item holds placed

40,580 Visits to our website

1,168 Volunteer Hours

TOP NEWS

- New security system
- New self checkout kiosk
- Book drop at the YMCA
- Permanent curbside spots
- New furniture

5,301 computer sessions

1,005 New Cardholders

94,015 Items Checked Out

260 Programs Offered

21,290 Program Attendance

Youth & Teens



Anime Your Way in April

Have you ever wanted to learn to draw characters anime style? Professional artist Carlos Nieto III will join us in the library on Wednesday, April 20th from 4:00-5:30pm. Carlos will teach up to 50 participants how to draw an anime face. Anyone interested in attending must contact Mr L. at the library to reserve a seat. All ages welcome.

Beanstack Challenges for Ages 0-18

We have Beanstack challenges for all ages of youth available online. Get a free Beanstack account or pick up a paper copy of one of our challenges to participate.

March Craft Bags for Kids

Saturday, March 12th the library will have craft kits for kids. This month's crafts are a leprechaun puppets and toadstools. Stop by and grab some for the kids!

March Dial-A-Story

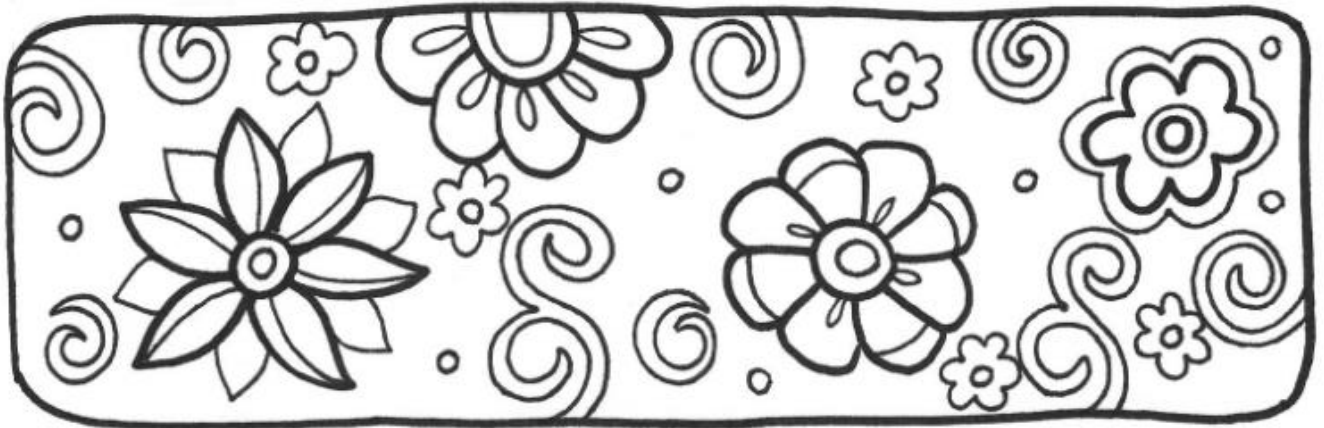
Don't forget to check out a new selection of tales on Dial-A-Story. Call 660-234-9599 to enjoy new stories with the little ones.

A Surprise on the Way

For the past few months, we have been working on something with our friends at Thousand Hills State Park. The time to reveal our plans is drawing close. Stay tuned for details!

YMCA Children's Grocery Packages

The library provides grocery packages for ages 3-18 in cooperation with the Adair County YMCA. These packages are free and only require signing the name and age of the child that the pack is for. Packages are available first come, first served from 10:30-11:30 am every Saturday in the front lobby.



Book Discussion Group

On Tuesday, March 8th the Friends of the Library Book Discussion Group will be meeting to discuss books that members have been reading. The group will meet in the special collections room at 5:30 pm with an option to join in by Zoom.

Spice of the Month

This month's spice is Basil! Stop by the circulation desk to pick up a sample along with facts and a recipe.

Job Opening

The Adair County Public Library is hiring an additional Children's Librarian / Programming Librarian. Detailed job description can be picked up at circulation desk. Drop off your resume and cover letter at the desk or email to jlivingston@adairco.org. \$14-18 per hour starting pay. Deadline to submit resume is March 10, 2022.

Affordable Connectivity

The Affordable Connectivity Program is a Federal Communications Commission program that helps connect families and households struggling to afford internet service. This new benefit provides a discount of up to \$30 per month toward broadband service for eligible households. Eligible households can also receive a one-time discount of up to \$100 to purchase a laptop, desktop computer or tablet. Visit www.fcc.gov/ACP or call 877-384-2575.

Calendar

Tues, Mar 1 – Truman Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Fri, Mar 4 – Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Sat, Mar 5 – YMCA Kids Grocery Packs @ 10:30-11:30am

Tues, Mar 8 – Truman Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Tues, Mar 8 – Book Discussion Group @ 5:30 pm

Wed, Mar 9 – Area Scene on KIRX @ 9:00 am

Fri, Mar 11 – Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Sat, Mar 12 – YMCA Kids Grocery Packs @ 10:30-11:30am

Sat, Mar 12 – Craft Bags for Kids

Tues, Mar 15 – Truman Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Wed, Mar 16 – Board of Directors @ 5:00 pm

Fri, Mar 18 – Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Sat, Mar 19 – YMCA Kids Grocery Packs @ 10:30-11:30am

Tues, Mar 22 – Truman Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Fri, Mar 25 – Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

Sat, Mar 26 – YMCA Kids Grocery Packs @ 10:30-11:30am

Tues, Mar 29 – Truman Online Storytime on FB @ 10am

