



# NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2023

## *Halloween Events*

**We have a variety of Halloween events happening this month!**

October 13<sup>th</sup> – Halloween Movie Night

October 20<sup>th</sup> – Pumpkin Painting and  
Costume Contest

October 21<sup>st</sup> – Kiwanis Halloween Closet

October 26<sup>th</sup> – Halloween Reptiles

October 28<sup>th</sup> – Halloween Party

October 31<sup>st</sup> – Spooktacular Bingo  
Visit our booth at Halloween Town



***See the following pages for more details about each of these events!***



# OCTOBER PROGRAMS

*October's Story Walk book is Leaf Man, brought to you by the Adair County Public Library and Thousand Hills State Park.*

**Monday October 2** - Ukulele 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm

**Tuesday, October 3** - Bingo 10 am – 11 am

**Friday, October 6** - Stargazers at Thousand Hills 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

**Saturday, October 7** - Book Sale 10 am – 3 pm

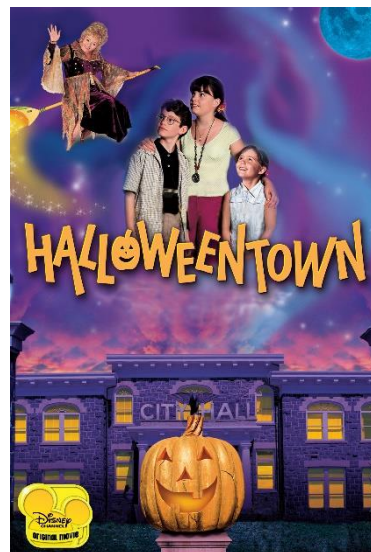
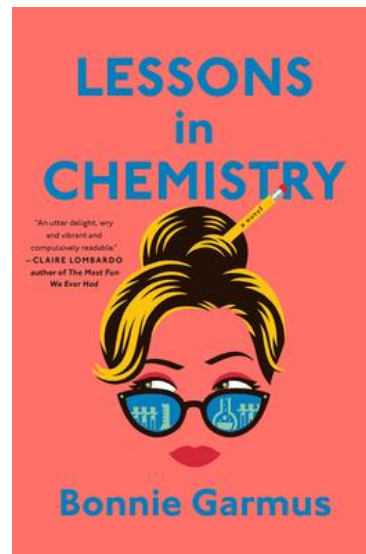
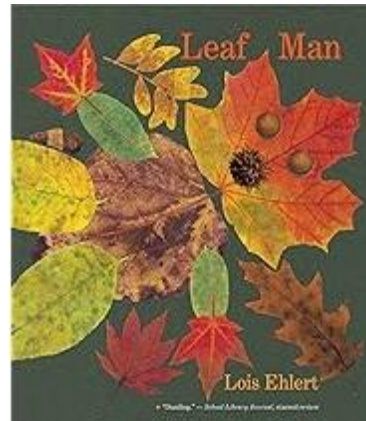
**Tuesday, October 10** - Bingo 10 am – 11 am

**Friends of the Library Book Discussion Group - 5:30 -7:00 pm.** This month we will be discussing *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus

**Wednesday, October 11** – Hear us on KIRX Area Scene at 9:00 am

**Friday, October 13 – Storytime and Craft at 10 am:** This special storytime will have Parents as Teachers coming to create a Sensory Storytime with us! We will have all sorts of different sensory items for your child to play with and try many new experiences. We will have things exclusively for babies and toddlers and for our littles! We also will have a representative from WIC to talk to parents who are interested in the program.

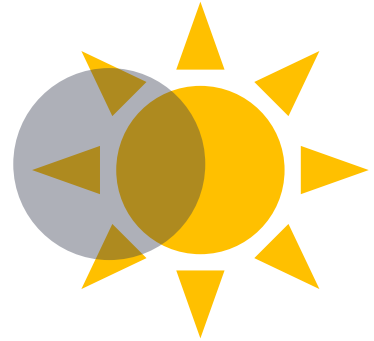
**Halloween Movie Night - 6:30pm-** Come join us for a special showing of Disney's Halloween Town! We will have snacks and lots of fun as we play a cozy Halloween movie for the community's enjoyment! All are welcome and even wear a costume if you feel like it!



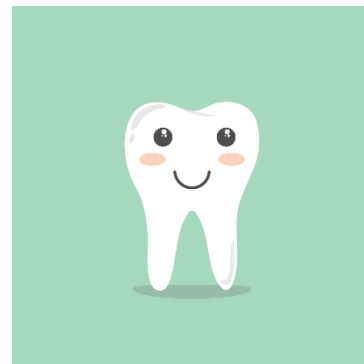
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## **Saturday, October 14 – Star Gazers Partial Solar Eclipse – 10 am – 2**

**pm:** On October 14<sup>th</sup> we will be having an “annular eclipse”, all of northeast Missouri will be able to see a partial solar eclipse. About 60% of the Sun will be eclipsed. Anyone wanting to see the eclipse will need special eclipse glasses as looking directly into the sun is very harmful during an eclipse. The library will have telescopes out and eclipse glasses out ready for your viewing safety (while supplies last.) Stop by and check it out!



**Dental Health Awareness 10:30 am – 12 pm:** Come join us at the library for Dental Health Awareness! All ages can learn about how important it is to take care of your teeth. Activities will be provided for the littles! We will have many students from ATSU here to answer questions for people no matter what stage of Dental Health you're in!



**Monday, October 16 - Ukulele 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm**

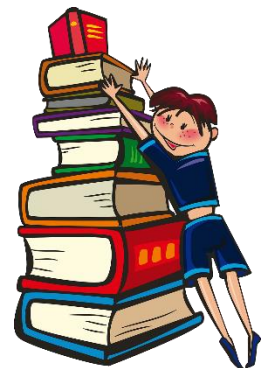
**Tuesday, October 17 - Bingo 10 am – 11 am**

**Wednesday, October 18 - Lego Day 3 pm – 5 pm:** Make sure to come to our monthly lego day! Lego day takes place every 3rd Wednesday of each month. Come see what you can build and let your imagination run wild. There will be tons of Legos for the older kids and Duplo Blocks for the young ones! Lego Day will take place from 3pm to 5pm.



**Board of Directors - 3:30 pm**

**Friday, October 20 - Storytime and craft at 10 am:** Come join us for our Friday storytimes with Miss Breann. At 10am come to the children's section to hear a fun story and complete a craft with friends.





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**Pumpkin Painting and Halloween Costume Contest 4 pm – 5 pm-** Just bring yourself! We are having a pumpkin painting event along with a costume contest! Compete in the costume contest and while you're at it, grab a pumpkin and turn it into anything your heart desires! We will provide the pumpkins and the paint! You bring yourselves and the costumes! (Covers will be available to protect costumes)

**Saturday, October 21 -**

**Kiwanis Halloween Closet 10 am – 1 pm:**

The Kirksville Kiwanis Club will have costumes for kids in need who wouldn't otherwise have a costume. Hosted in the Special Collections room of the library they are distributed on the honor system. This will be first come, first serve. No paperwork or income verification needed.

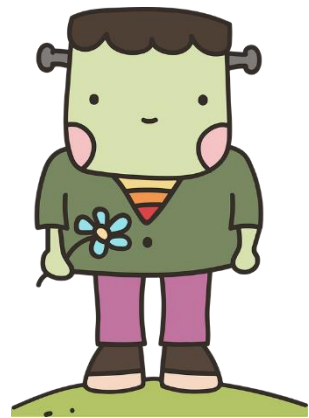
**Fall Tree Painting 10:30 am - 12:30 pm:** Join us for a Fall Tree painting class. Everything needed to create your masterpiece will be supplied at no cost including the teacher!! This class has limited spots, so please come by or call 660-665-6038 to secure your spot. This class is for adults and kids 12 and up!

Bingo 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

**Tuesday, October 24 –** Bingo 10 am – 11 am

**Teen Tuesday 4pm-6pm:** Join us for Teen Tuesday D&D night!

**Wednesday, October 25 - Craftastic with Sandie and Bre 4 pm – 5 pm:** Join us for Craftastic with Sandie and Bre. We will be presenting a fun craft that can be done by the whole family! All ages are welcome!



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## **Thursday, October 26 - Halloween Reptiles Featuring PetSmart!**

**4 pm – 5 pm:** Join us for this special partnership between the library and PetSmart! Our friends at Petsmart are bringing all of their scaly little buddies with them dressed up in their best costumes! They are also bringing care guides to teach you how to care for some of your favorite animals. So make sure you come and see all of our scaly little friends and check out PetSmart!

**Friday, October 27 - Storytime and craft at 10 am:** Come join us for our Friday storytimes with Miss Breann. At 10am come to the children's section to hear a fun story and complete a craft with friends.

**Saturday, October 28 – Reptiles 1:30 pm:** Join students from Truman Herpetarium and many of their reptile friends at the library for a fun, family friendly, educational experience!

**Halloween Party 10:30 am - 12:30 pm:** Happy Halloween! Come join us for our kid friendly Halloween Party! We will have snacks, games, prizes, and more when you come celebrate Halloween with us! Bring your costumes because we sure will!

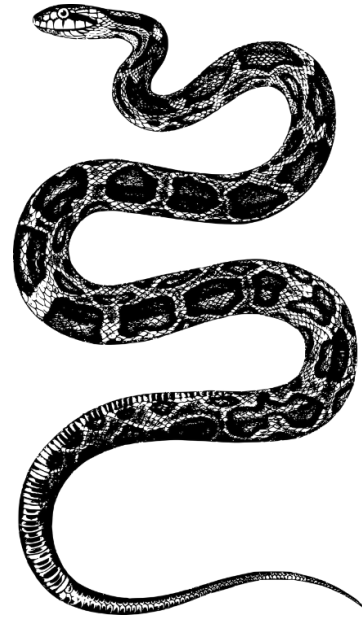
**Star Gazers 6 pm – 8 pm** at 1000 Hills

**Monday, October 30 - Ukulele 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm**

**Tuesday, October 31 – Bingo 10 am – 11 am:** Join us for a Spooktacular Bingo! Fun, Prizes and Halloween Treats! Come in costume if you like!

**Halloween Town - 5:30pm-8pm–** Adair County Public Library is coming to Halloween Town! Come see your friendly librarians down by the Kirksville School Walking Trail where many local businesses are coming together to give kids the most fun and safe holiday we can!

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# CALENDAR - *October 2023*

sun	mon	tues	wed	thurs	fri	sat
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Ukulele @ 4:30-5:45 pm	<b>3</b> BINGO @ 10-11 am	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Stargazers at Thousand Hills @ 7-9 pm	<b>7</b> BOOK SALE @ 10 am – 3 pm
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> BINGO @ 10-11 am Book Discussion @ 5:30 pm	<b>11</b> Area Scene on KIRX @ 9 am	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Storytime & Craft @ 10 am Halloween Movie Night @ 6:30 pm	<b>14</b> Stargazers Partial Solar Eclipse @ 10 am – 2pm Dental Health Awareness @ 10:30 am – 12 pm
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