

# Adair County Public Library

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# Newsletter

September 2022

## 1000 Books Before Kindergarten

Have you enrolled your kids in 1000 Books Before Kindergarten? Adair County Public Library are proud hosts of this amazing program. This program is a wonderful tool to encourage reading and celebrate all the milestones that come with childhood, especially those early reading moments. Sign up is incredibly easy and free. All you do is talk to our Children's Librarian, Breann, and sign up with a few short questions. Each 100 books, your child gets a reading certificate and a sticker as well as their name up on a board that showcases their progress. Once they complete the program they will go on our wall of fame for reading 1000 books! At times we will even hold special events that are only available to kids enrolled in this program.



This isn't a program you want to miss. It is always available and the entire process happens at your pace. Does your kid love a particular book and have you read it hundreds of times over? Awesome! You can count all of those times you read that book towards your goal! This program is easy, fun, and definitely rewarding! Come in and see our Children's Librarian to sign up today.

## ***Book Club is Back!***

Join us for our 2022-2023 Friends of the Library Book Discussion group! Meetings will be held in the Special Collections Room at 5:30 pm. Please talk to the front desk staff if you would like to purchase these books through the library. Cost for an entire set of the books is \$72.00.

**September 13, 2022 –**

*The Plot* by Jean Hanff Korelitz

**October 11, 2022 –**

*The Book of Lost Friends* by Lisa Wingate

**November 8, 2022 –**

*About Grace* by Anthony Doerr

**January 10, 2023 –**

*Our First Civil War* by H.W. Brands

**February 14, 2023 –**

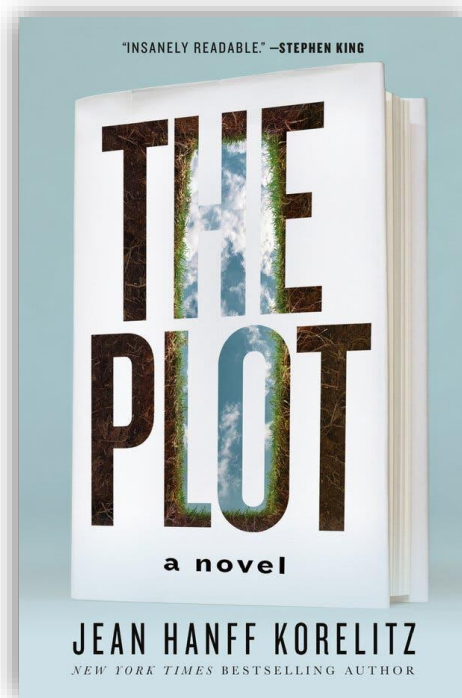
*Has It Come to This?* By Kimberly Tilley

**March 14, 2023 –**

*Booth* by Karen Joy Fowler

**April 11, 2023 –**

*Tied Up in Knotts: My Dad and Me* by Karen Knotts



*Thank You  
Volunteers!*

*We appreciate these supporters for  
their hard work in the month of August:*

Sueanna H.  
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Linda L.  
Anam A.  
Jamie E.

## Accessory Swap

We all love accessories, right? Join in on the fun at our second Accessory Swap! We will be holding an accessory swap on Saturday, September 17th, between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

We will start accepting items now through Saturday, September 10th at the Adair County Public Library, during business hours. Items that can be dropped off are purses and accessories such as scarves or jewelry. Please bring items that are gently used and that you would want to bring home yourself.

Everyone is welcome to come in and browse even if they did not donate items. There is a limit of 10 items per person. Items not picked up during Accessory Swap will be donated to a local thrift store by the Adair County Public Library.

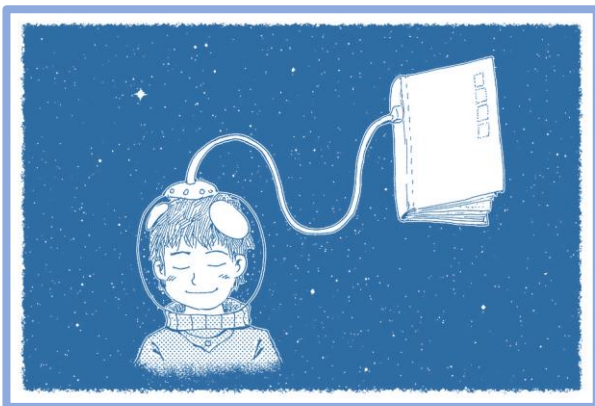


## D&D 101: How to Build a Character

Know someone that has wanted to get into D&D, but doesn't know where to start? Join Mr L on Saturday, September 10th from 11am-1pm to learn the basics of character creation. By the end of the session, those who attend will have a character created and ready to play! Bring these characters back in October to learn how combat works!

“Stories are light.  
Light is precious in  
world so dark.”

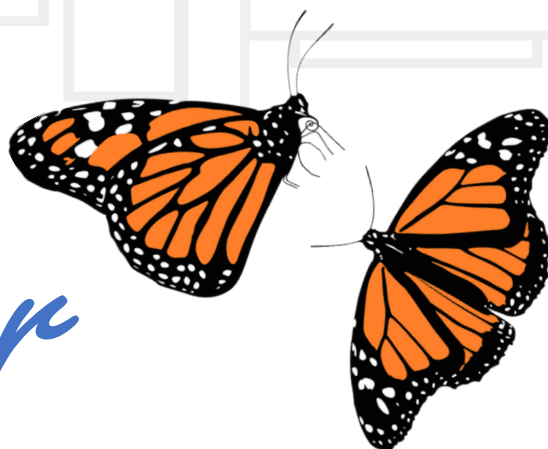
— *Kate DiCamillo*



## A Night of Stargazing

Telescopes will be out for a night of stargazing on Saturday, September 3rd. Night viewing will take place out at the Point Pavilion at Thousand Hills State Park from 7:30-9:30pm. Stop by and enjoy the night sky with us!

# Kids Corner



## Storytime Returns

Preschool storytime returns September 2nd! Little ones and their families are invited to join Miss Breann at 10am each Friday. Breann will share 2-3 picture books and a craft each week.

## Kids in the Kitchen

Starting Tuesday, September 6th, Miss Breann will be teaming up with the MU Extension Office to offer a Kids in the Kitchen program for 4th & 5th graders. At 4pm every Tuesday and Thursday in September, participants will learn kitchen skills and create a snack. Reservations required and the program is currently filled. Contact Miss Breann to sign up.

## Butterflies!

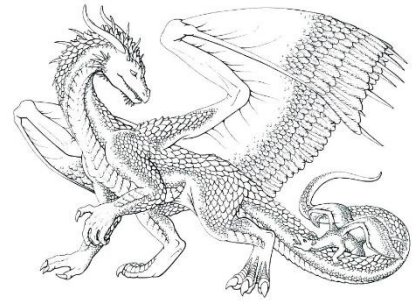
Join us Wednesday, September 7th at 4pm. Holly Whitacre from the Department of Conservation will be here to share about the life cycle of butterflies.

## *Legos at the Library*

Let your inner architect loose and join us for a Lego day. Wednesday, September 21st from 3-5pm we will have the Legos and Duplos out for kids of all ages to build and show off their creations. For those who wish to build on a theme, this month we challenge the kids to build a Lego vehicle of some kind.



# Teen Times



## Monthly Magic the Gathering Night

Magic the Gathering is a deck-based card game. Players build decks and then play against others. We have a casual night of games for experienced players and teach new players how to play. Magic night is the first Friday of each month. Join us Friday, September 2nd from 6-10pm.

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## Teen Craft Event

Ages 12-18 are invited to join us for a Craft Event only for teens. Wednesday, September 14th from 4-6pm, we will be painting and decoration picture/note holders.

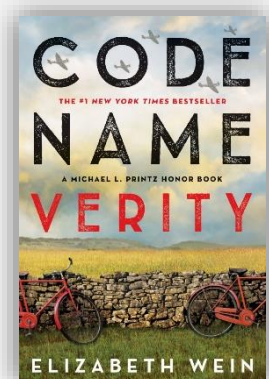
## Teen Game Night

Teenagers are invited to join us for a game night. Bring your favorite card and board games or join in one of the games here. We hope to see you Wednesday, September 28th from 4-6pm.

## Teen Book Club

This month our Teen Book Club will meet to discuss Code Name Verity by Elizabeth Wein. Book Club will discuss the first half of the book on Saturday, September 10th from 2-3pm. Discussion over the second half of the book will take place September 24th from 2-3pm.

Know a teen that might like to join book club? Sign up has already started for our next book. Teens that are interested can contact Mr L. to get a copy of Anatomy by Dana Schwartz for our November session.





# Calendar

## **Fri, Sept 2 –**

Preschool Storytime @ 10:00 am

BINGO @ 10:00 am

Magic the Gathering @ 6:00 – 10:00 pm

## **Sat, Sept 3 –**

BOOK SALE @ 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Stargazing at Thousand Hills @ 7:30 – 9:30 pm

## **Tues, Sept 6 –**

All Together Craft & Storytime @ 1-2:30 pm

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Crafty Creators @ 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

## **Wed, Sept 7 –**

Butterfly Life Cycle Program @ 4:00 pm

## **Thurs, Sept 8 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

## **Fri, Sept 9 –**

Preschool Storytime @ 10:00 am

BINGO @ 10:00 am

## **Sat, Sept 10 –**

D&D 101- Character Creation @ 11am-1pm

Yoga at the Library @ 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Teen Book Club @ 2-3 pm

## **Tues, Sept 13 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Crafty Creators @ 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Book Discussion Group @ 5:30 – 7:00 pm

## **Wed, Sept 14 –**

Area Scene on KIRX @ 9:00 am

Teens Only Craft Event @ 4:00 – 6:00 pm

## **Thurs, Sept 15 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

## **Fri, Sept 16 –**

Preschool Storytime @ 10:00 am

BINGO @ 10:00 am

## **Sat, Sept 17 –**

Accessory Swap @ 10:30 am- 3:30 pm

## **Tues, Sept 20 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Crafty Creators @ 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

## **Wed, Sept 21 –**

Legos at the Library @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm

Board of Directors @ 5:00 pm

## **Thurs, Sept 22 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

## **Fri, Sept 23 –**

Preschool Storytime @ 10:00 am

BINGO @ 10:00 am

## **Sat, Sept 24 –**

Turkey Program @ 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Teen Book Club @ 2:00- 3:00 pm

## **Tues, Sept 27 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Crafty Creators @ 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

## **Wed, Sept 28 –**

Teen Game Night @ 4:00 – 6:00 pm

## **Thurs, Sept 29 –**

Kids in the Kitchen @ 4:00 – 5:00 pm

## **Fri, Sept 30 –**

Preschool Storytime @ 10:00 am

BINGO @ 10:00 am

