Reading Takes You . . . Everywhere!

Children have been traveling “around the world” this summer as part of the “Reading Takes You Everywhere” summer reading program. Special events have included visits from the Women and Drones program, Challenger Learning Center, Forest Park Nature Center, and Miller Park Zoo.

Adults and teens have been celebrating Woodford County’s veterans and Illinois’ Bicentennial. Veterans Mike Sager and Jim Hinrichsen shared their experiences and Civil War reenactor Ron Kirchgessner gave a fascinating presentation on Civil War medicine.

In addition, donations for the Illinois Veterans’ Home in Quincy have been steadily coming in. We are accepting donations of a variety of personal care items (pick up a donation list at the adult circulation desk) as well as financial donations for the veterans and their spouses at the Quincy home. Donations accepted through July 20. You can also stop by the library anytime and write a brief thank you card for a veteran.

Summer Reading Party!
Thursday, July 19
6:30—8 pm
Eureka Lake Pavilion

*Inflatable Gyms
*Music
*Dog Tag Bookmark Craft
*Root Beer Floats

Event will be canceled if heavy rain/storms.
Summer Reading Continues Through July 13

There are just a few weeks left for summer reading! Children should continue to turn in their reading card each week and pick up special prizes. Adults and teens—get your reading card stamped each week and turn it in by July 19 for a chance to win one of three Kindle HD 8 Fires.

Also—there has been a weekly puzzle sheet to complete and turn in to be entered in a weekly drawing for a $5 Eureka Business Association gift check prize. Complete all six weekly puzzles by July 19 and be entered into a drawing for a special 2018 Challenge Coin. Did you miss a puzzle? Ask for a copy of any previous puzzles you missed at the adult circulation desk.

Don’t forget to enter our Summer Reading Photo Contest! Open to all ages. Have someone take a picture of you reading in a favorite spot—either at home or on vacation. Photos are due by July 23. EBA gift check prize for winners of each age category! Submit photos to adult circulation desk.

Welcome, Sam!

The library has a new employee—Sam Metcalfe. Sam was born in England and moved to the United States in 2010. He is a 2018 graduate of Eureka High School and will be attending Illinois Central College in the fall. He will be working in the Children’s Library.

July Program Highlights

*Thursday, July 5 at 6:30 pm—Veterans Pete Hanner and Michael Haerr at the Select Care’s Gathering Place, 700 N. Main.

*Thursday, July 12 at 6:30 pm—Pastor Tom Zobrist & Chicago Cubs World Series Win

*Monday, July 16 at 6:30 pm—Nature Photographer Dave Weth

*Thursday, July 19, 6:30—8 pm—Summer Reading Party at Eureka Lake pavilion

*Thursday, July 26 at 5:30 pm—Art at the Bodega: Eureka Edition—Wildflower Painting Class

*Monday, July 30 at 6:30 pm—Author Ken Zurski & Peoria Stories

Library’s Genealogy & Local History Resources Expanding

The library is excited to announce two new additions to our genealogy and local history resources. First, with Lee Enterprises, the Woodford County Journal, and Newspapers.com, the library and the Journal’s newspaper collection (1896—2016) has been digitized. It can be accessed for free from the libraries’ public computers. In addition, the library is now a FamilySearch Affiliate Library. From the libraries’ public computers, researchers will be able to access 400 million images not available to the public outside of a FamilySearch family history center. Look for more details in the coming month at the library and on the library’s website.
# Celebrate Summer With New Adult Books & Movies!

## Fiction
- F Agresti – Campaign Widows
- F Andrews – The Traveler’s Summit
- F Bell – Overkill
- F Benjamin – The Immortalists
- F Brooks – The Fall of Shannara
- F Brunstetter – The Hawaiian Discovery
- F Cameron – Buried Secrets
- F Carey – Starless
- F Cleveland – Need to Know
- F Clinton – The President is Missing
- F Cohen – The Glitch
- F Connolly – The Woman in the Woods
- F Dallas – The Patchwork Bride
- F Hauck – The Love Letter
- F Hilderbrand – The Perfect Couple
- F Kidd – Mr. Flood’s Last Resort
- F Kingsbury – To the Moon and Back
- F Lackey – The Hills Have Spies
- F McCauley – My Ex-Life
- F Mott – The Crossing
- F Neale – Land Mammals and Sea Creatures
- F Oates – Night-Gaunts
- F Patterson – Murder in Paradise
- F Pearl – The Dante Chamber
- F Preston – The Pharaoh Key
- F Reid – Arms of Mercy
- F Riley – The Pearl Sister
- F Riley – The Shadow Sister
- F Riley – The Storm Sister
- F Robards – The Moscow Deception
- F Simsion – Two Steps Forward
- F Tapper – The Hellfire Club
- F Witemeyer – More Than Meets the Eye
- F Woods – Turbulence

## Nonfiction
- 158 KOG – Happier Now
- 248.8 MER – And Still She Laughs
- 306.3 HUR – Barracoon
- 306.874 CHA – Pops, Fatherhood in Pieces
- 309.0973 FAL – Our Towns
- 306.85 BAI – My Brother Moochie
- 306.106 GRE – SMM
- 383 DEF – West Like Lightning
- 394.26 BAL – Christmas in Illinois
- 615.9 HAN – What the Eyes Don’t See
- 620 WIN – The Perfectionists
- 658.1 GIN – Rebel Talent
- 658.15 RIC – Political Risk
- 796.357 HOC – The Big 50: the Men and Moments that made the St. Louis Cardinals
- 951 PLA – Imperial Twilight
- 974.8 ROK – Ruthless Tide
- 973.7 ABR – Lincoln’s Last Trial

## DVD
- DVD 3710 A – Annabelle Hooper & the Ghosts of Nantucket
- DVD 3719 B – Black Panther
- DVD 3720 B – Batman Ninja
- DVD 3724 S – Sampson
- DVD 3725 L – Little Women
- DVD 3727—3729 C – Call the Midwife: Seasons 5—7
- DVD 3732 A – The Addams Family, Vol. 3
- DVD 3838 F – Family: Seasons 1 & 2
- DVD 3739 H – The Hardy Boys Nancy Drew Mysteries: Season 1
- DVD 3740 H – The Hurricane Heist
- DVD 3741—3744 B – The Brokenwood Mysteries: 1—4
- DVD 3745 W – Wedding Bells
- DVD 3747 I – I Can Only Imagine
- DVD 3748—3749 M – The Missing: Seasons 1 & 2
- DVD 3750 W – A Wrinkle in Time

## Blu-Ray
- B-R 463 H – The Hurricane Heist
- B-R 464 I – I Can Only Imagine
- B-R 465 W – A Wrinkle in Time

For a complete listing of all new books & movies, visit www.eurekapl.org
Children’s Summer Reading Schedule for July

Reading Takes You Everywhere!

**July 2-6**
Crafters can pick up “Sand Paper Art” from Africa as the Travel the World Craft for the week. Crafts will be available all week to pick up and take home to make. All Week: readers can turn in book logs for prizes and check out books from special displays.

**July 3:** There will be no GO! Program on July 3 due to the July 4th holiday.

**July 4:** The library will be closed for the July 4th holiday.

**July 5:** On the Road Story Time will host library volunteers Nora Robinson and Lydia Williamson as guest readers. After stories beginning at 10 am, young readers ages 3 through kindergarten who are signed up for Thursday Story Times can pick up a Shape Train to take home to make.

**July 9—13**
The final Travel the World Craft will be a “Totem Pole” from British Columbia. Readers can pick up a kit all week to take home to make.
All week, readers can turn in book logs for prizes and check out more books.

**July 10:** Readers of all ages and families can watch a performance by the students of Nitsch Theater Arts at GO! beginning at 10 am at Davenport School.

**July 11:** Janelle Dies returns as a guest reader for On the Road Story Time at 10 am for young readers ages 3 through kindergarten who registered for Wednesday Story Times. Craft to take home to make will be a Moving Sailboat.

**July 11:** Movies Around the World will feature “The Water Horse” from 1 to 2:55 pm. Movie-goers can bring a snack, drink and something to sit on if they like. This movie is for school-age children only.

**July 12:** Library staff member Taylor Krile will be back for On the Road Story Time at 10 am. Readers ages 3 through kindergarten who registered for Thursday Story Times will enjoy stories and then take home a Moving Sailboat to make.

**July 27:**
Last day to turn in book logs and pick up summer reading prizes!
News from the Children’s Library

JOIN US FOR SHARK WEEK!
July 23–27

Monday, July 23
Paper Shark craft at the library – during library hours.

Tuesday, July 24
BABY SHARK FAMILY STORY TIME
10 am
Children ages 3-5 and families
Stories, songs, craft, take-homes

Wednesday, July 25
MOVIE – SHARK TALE
1 TO 2:30 PM
Bring a snack and something to sit on if you want.
For children ages 3 and up. Children ages 3 – K must be accompanied by an adult.

Thursday, July 26
Shark Puppet craft at the library – during library hours.
Pick up a shark memory game.

Friday, July 27
Big-Mouth Shark craft at the library – during library hours.
Pick up “How to Draw a Shark”.

New Books Take You Everywhere!

Picture Books:
ABC Insects
ABC Universe, American Museum of Natural History
Little Bunny Foo Foo: the Real Story, Cori Doerrfeld
There’s a Monster In Your Book, Tom Fletcher
The Runaway Egg, Katy Hudson
This Beautiful Day, Richard Jackson
But the Bear Came Back, Tammi Sauer

Fiction:
The Basketball Blowout, David A. Kelly (MVP)
Just Dance, Patricia MacLachlan
Everblaze, Sharon Messenger (Keeper of the Lost Cities)
The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (Classic Starts)

Biographies:
Who Was Alexander the Great?, Kathryn and Robin Waterfield
Who Was Lewis Carroll?, Pam Pollack
Who Was Booker T. Washington, James Buckley, Jr.

Non-Fiction:
Alpha Bravo Charlie: The Military Alphabet, Chris L. Demarest
Hidden Wildlife: How Animals Hide in Plain Sight, Jim Arnosky
Top Volleyball Tips, Heather E. Schwartz
Where is Machu Picchu?, Megan Stine
**Adult & Teen July Programs**

**Monday, July 2, 2—3:30 pm, Art Workshop** Youth 5th grade and up are invited to join University of Illinois Extension 4-H Youth Development Educator Alcha Corban for a fun, interactive class. Participants will use their imagination and create beautiful works of art. **This class is FULL.**

**Monday, July 2, 4:30—6 pm, Master Gardener Plant Clinic** Bring your gardening questions, landscape problems, and unidentified plant and insect samples to the Eureka Public Library and get free information and advice from University of Illinois Extension Woodford County Master Gardeners.

**Tuesdays, July 3, 17, and 31, 5:30—8 pm, Sit and Stitch** Join fellow knitters, crocheters, needleworkers, and crafters for this informal gathering. We enjoy each other’s company as we work on our own projects and help each other with pattern ideas and projects gone awry! The group will gather starting at 5:30 pm at the library on the first, third, and fifth Tuesdays each month. Feel free to stop by anytime.

**Thursday, July 5, 6:30 pm, at Select Care’s Gathering Place, Veterans’ Night: Vietnam Vet Pete Hanner and Afghanistan Vet Michael Haerr.** As part of the library’s celebration of Woodford County’s veterans and Illinois’ Bicentennial, two local veterans will be sharing their experiences. Lt. Col. Hanner served in the Navy from 1959—1962 and the Marine Corps from 1968—1984. He participated in the Cuban Missile Crisis, Vietnam, and the recovery of the Friendship 7 space capsule. Col. Haerr, a 33-year veteran of the Army and Illinois Army National Guard, served two tours in Afghanistan. This program is co-sponsored by Eureka American Legion Post 466. The program will be held at Select Care’s Gathering Place, 700 N. Main. Call the library to register.

**Monday, July 9, 10 am, 3 M Mystery Book Club** Join the 3 M Mystery Book Club to help solve crimes of mystery, mayhem, and murder! The 3 M Mystery Book Club meets the second Monday of each month to discuss their favorite authors, what they are currently reading, and different themes and authors within the mystery and suspense genres. For the July meeting, participants will be discussing thriller author Lee Child.

**Monday, July 9, 2—3:30 pm, Maker Space** Youth 5th grade and up are invited to join University of Illinois Extension 4-H Youth Development Educator Alcha Corban for a fun, interactive class. Participants will complete STEM challenges, design their own computer game, and more. **This class is FULL.**

**Monday, July 9, 6:30 pm, Make & Take Cards Night** Join instructor Debi Smith for a fun night of paper crafting at the library. You will make two to three different types of cards and take your creations home at the end of the evening. Class fee is $2. Register by calling the library by July 6.

**Tuesday, July 10, 5:30—8 pm, Wool Ewe Join Us Rug Hookers** Do you enjoy rug hooking or other fiber arts? Join the Wool Ewe Join Us Rug Hookers group at the library for some quality craft time the second Tuesday of each month. Open to the public, you can drop in anytime and work on your own project in the company of fellow fiber enthusiasts. For more information, call Linda deFreese at 309-830-2626.

**Thursday, July 12, 6:30 pm, Pastor Tom Zobrist: Look What God Can Do** Pastor Tom Zobrist of Eureka will be at the library for an encore discussion of his recent book, *The Zobrist Family: Look What God Can Do*. The book chronicles Zobrist’s journey of faith from his childhood in Morton to the seventh game of the 2016 World Series when his son Ben made history as the MVP of the World Champion Chicago Cubs. This is a free program. Books will be available for sale and signing. Space is limited; call by July 11 to register.
Eureka Public Library District

**Adult & Teen July Programs (continued)**

**Monday, July 16, 6:30 pm, The Birds and the Bees (and Sometimes Trees).** Spend a relaxing and humorous evening enjoying Central Illinois birds and wildlife through the images of area photographer, Dave Weth. Weth has won numerous nature photography contests as well as having his work published in *Birds and Blooms, Birdwatching, National Wildlife,* and *Bluebird Journal.* Free program; register by July 13.

**Thursday, July 19, 3—5 pm, Scarves, Scarves, Scarves** Scarves are loved for their versatility and looks. They can dress up an outfit, help coordinate pieces, provide warmth, and are so easy to pack. During this meeting Carol Lugibuhl and Judy Knepp will teach everyone lots of fun ways to tie scarves. The class is free and open to the public. For more information, call Robin Staudenmeier of the Woodford County Sewing Guild at (309) 370-2696.

**Thursday, July 19, 6:30—8 pm, Summer Reading Family Block Party at Eureka Lake pavilion** Join library staff, friends, and summer readers for a fun evening. There will be inflatable gyms for children, music for adults and teens, and root beer floats for everyone. A local musical group will play and sing for our entertainment. Adult and teen summer reading awards will be announced. In case of heavy rain, the evening will be canceled.

**Thursday, July 19, 6:30 pm, at Hardee’s, Writer’s Circle** Have you thought about becoming an author, would like to write down your family’s stories, or simply love to express yourself through writing? Join this informal writer’s group to share your ideas and writings. Members offer positive support, feedback when requested, and incentive to keep writing. This group meets on the third Thursday evening each month. The July meeting will take place at Hardee’s, 507 W. Center.

**Friday, July 20, 9:30 am, Rules of the Road** The Illinois Secretary of State’s Office will be presenting this free review of the Rules of the Road course for anyone preparing to apply for or renew their license. Call the library for more information and to register by July 19.

**Thursday, July 26, 10 am, Book Chat** Love to read? Stop by the library to share your love for reading with like-minded others. Library staff will share what’s new on the shelves and what’s being published the next month. Participants will share what they’ve been reading recently and help advise the library on new selections based on a review of the latest LibraryReads list. Join this informal, fun group of book lovers and help select new releases.

**Thursday, July 26, 5:30 pm, Art @ The Bodega: Eureka Edition** Art @ The Bodega will be hosting a painting class at the library! One of their amazing artists will take participants step-by-step through the details of creating a wildflower painting. Participants will be happy and surprised by their untapped talents and leave with a masterpiece in their hands. Class fee is $30; all supplies provided. Space is limited; call the library to register by July 23.

**Monday, July 30, 6:30 pm, Author Ken Zurski: Stories of Peoria** Through photos, descriptions and excerpts from his book, "Peoria Stories: Tales from the Illinois Heartland," Zurski profiles many famous and influential figures and their ties to Peoria and Central Illinois. Zurski will also introduce his current project and forthcoming book "Unremembered," a collection of people and events that were "famous once, now mostly forgotten." This is a free program. Books will be available for sale and signing. Space is limited; call the library by July 27 to register.