

PRAIRIE READER

Ruth Culver Community Library News



ADULT CRAFT EVENT: WINE BOTTLE DECORATION

Monday, November 13, 6:00pm



Don't miss the library's fall craft event for adults! Supplies will be provided to create a decorated grapevine wine bottle. Open to ages 18+. Space is limited; registration is required and can be done online at <https://ruthculver.librarycalendar.com> or by calling the library at 608-643-8318.

Thank you to the Friends of the Ruth Culver Community Library for sponsoring this event.

EARLY RELEASE: DISGUISE A TURKEY!

Wednesday, November 15, 2:30pm

Help a turkey hide from Thanksgiving dinner by giving it a disguise! The library will provide a paper turkey and various supplies to help you disguise it. After we get the disguises made, kids and grownups at the program can vote for their favorites. For grades K-5. Ages 6 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

BRISTLEBOTS AND LEGO MACHINES

Wednesday, November 1, 4:00pm

Join us for a tinkering hour at the library! We are pulling out a number of our Lego machine building kits to try out, and we'll have supplies and instructions on hand for kids to build their own vibrating bristlebot. Registration recommended but not required. For grades K-5. Ages 6 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

DROP-IN MINDFULNESS

Join certified Mindfulness Meditation Teacher Diane Matzke for drop-in mindfulness sessions Monday, November 13, Monday, November 27, and Monday, December 11 at 9:15am. Mindfulness has many benefits which can be summarized into three main categories: focused attention, emotional regulation and self-awareness. December 11 will be the last session at the library.

The Library will be **CLOSED**
Thursday November 23 &
Friday November 24 for Thanksgiving



NOVEMBER TEEN EVENTS

Will it Waffle?

Tuesday, November 14, 6:45pm

Will it waffle? Find out at the library! We'll try different foods in waffle makers and see what happens! Contact Meagan with allergy concerns.

Paint Pour Ornaments

Tuesday, November 28, 6:45pm

Create your own paint pour ornaments at the library. All supplies will be provided. Wear old clothes!

Teen events are especially for grades 6-12. No registration required unless you'd like an email reminder.

November Teen Take & Make bags will be available (while supplies last) beginning Tuesday, November 14. This month get the supplies to make chocolate acorns, eraser bowling and personalized pens.



Save the date for Holly Jolly Grinchmas: Saturday, December 2! FREE Adult Take & Make pictured above.

HOLLY JOLLY GRINCHMAS

The library is participating in the Sauk Prairie Chamber of Commerce's Holly Jolly Grinchmas **Saturday, December 2**. Be sure to stop in the library during open hours (9:00am-4:00pm) for a FREE Grinch-themed treat, FREE Grinch-themed Take & Make ornaments for children and adults, and a drop-in Grinch coloring station! Treats and Take & Makes are available while supplies last.

YOUR INPUT NEEDED!

Help shape your local library's vision as we plan for the future! Sauk Prairie libraries are working together to create a new strategic plan and we'd love your feedback! Please complete the following strategic planning survey by November 27th:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SAUKPRAIRIECOMMUNITYSURVEY>. When you complete the survey, there is a spot to share your email address or phone number to be entered in a drawing to win a \$100 Chamber Gift Certificate! This information is for drawing purposes only.

POKÉMON CLUB

Wednesday, November 29, 4:00pm

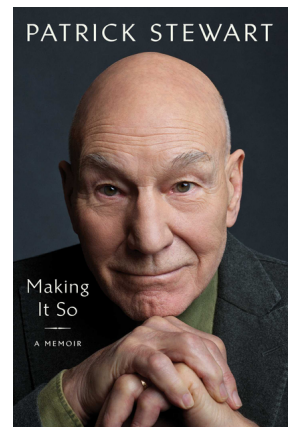
Bring your Pokémon cards and/or your game devices to the library and meet with other Pokémon enthusiasts to battle, trade, and play. For Pokémon Go players, we will have a lure on one of our local Pokéstops.

JUNE'S BOOK REVIEW

Making It So: A Memoir by Patrick Stewart

Star Trek star Stewart is 83 years old now. Famous for TV and film, he was born into poverty in Yorkshire, England. His family lived in a two room house with an outhouse and no hot water. When his father came back from WWII he became an alcoholic and beat Stewart's mother Gladys. When Patrick was a boy he was able to act in school plays. From there he went on to youth theater near his home. He acted eventually in the prestigious Royal Shakespeare Company.

Patrick Stewart has many amusing stories to tell. Interestingly he had barely heard of Star Trek before he got the role of Jean-Luc Picard. Fans of the series will enjoy this book of a man from a poor background who found world renown fame. (Written by a Star Trek fan!)



BOUNCING BABIES

A storytime geared for ages 0-2 focusing on songs, fingerplays, and short books to grow minds and motor skills, Bouncing Babies is held **Fridays at 8:30am**, before the library opens.

No Bouncing Babies November 24

STORYTIMES

Join Ms. Bethany on **Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:00am** for movement, music, and stories in the library community room. Recommended for children ages 2+ but all are welcome.

Special Pajama Storytime

Tuesday, November 7, 10:00am

It's pajama day at the library! Kids and their grown-ups are invited to wear their pjs for storytime today. Stuffed animal friends are welcome to join us too!

No Storytimes Thursday, November 9, Tuesday, November 21 or Thursday, November 23.

OPEN PLAY

We had a lot of fun at our Move and Groove fall sessions! We'll be taking a break in November and December, but join us for **Open Play Friday, November 10 at 10:00am**. Stay tuned for other opportunities in December and the start of the winter Move and Groove in January!



The Mystery Book Club will meet **Thursday, November 9 at 6:45pm**. This month we will discuss mysteries by Jessica Fellowes.

LIBRARY HOURS

Mon-Thur: 9am - 8pm
Fri: 9am - 6pm
Sat: 9am - 4pm

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