Charles City Library Newsletter



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Summer Reading Edition!

The summer theme for libraries across the state is **Reading Colors Your World**. Join us in June and throughout the summer for many fun events!

For Kids and Families

Carnival Kick-Off: June 2 at 5 pm

On June 2 from 5 to 7, CCPL will host an outdoor carnival! Families are free to come to play games, register for summer children's events, and learn more about the summer reading program.

3rd Grade+ Splatter Paint: June 8 at 9 am

Art will be created outside on canvases and available to take home. Call to register!

Teen Splatter Paint and Tie Dye:



June 8 at 6 pm

In addition to splatter paint, those 5th grade and up will also be able to tie dye! All creations will be made outdoors; call to register!

K-3rd Grade Art Explosion w/ ISU Extension: June 9-11 at 9 am

Students in elementary are encouraged to sign up for our three-day camp! Come to try out different styles of art.

Pop-Up Stories: June 9 at 4 pm /

June 22 at 10:30 am

Keep an eye out for clues on our Facebook page to determine where Miss Stacey will host storytime in Charles City! No registration necessary.

3rd Grade+ Rock Painting: June 15 at 9 am

Make little knickknacks for your garden! Call to sign up.

Teen Space Makeover: June 28-30 at 1 pm (at the Charles City Arts Center)

Help decorate our new teen space by making art in conjunction with local artist Karl Haglund. Call to sign up!

Homemade Ice Cream: June 30 at 1 pm

Join us in the library parking lot to make homemade ice cream! We'll be there from 1 to 3; no sign-up required.

Read & Feed: Every Thursday at 11:30 am

Bring your lunch and join us by the river for stories with Miss Stacey all summer! No registration necessary.

For Adults



Moonlight: June 8 at 7 pm

To celebrate Pride Month and the addition of a projector and speaker system in the Zastrow Room, we will host a showing of the Oscar-winning film *Moonlight*. The movie is approximately 2 hours long and rated R; discretion is advised for younger attendees. Contact us to register!

Adult Coloring Crafternoons:

June 16 at 6 pm

CCPL will be offering adult coloring in the Zastrow Room for those who wish to create and socialize together. Tools for coloring will be supplied, but attendees are welcome to bring other crafts if they wish. The event will last approximately two hours, and no registration is required.

Free Yoga Session: June 24 at 6 pm

June 21 is International Day of Yoga, and to celebrate we're offering a free yoga session in our Zastrow Room with local instructor Steve Buchanan. All persons, regardless of skill level, can contact the library to sign up!

Smorgasbord Book Club:

June 29 at 5:30 pm

This book club has no required reading—simply come to the Zastrow Room and talk with the group about what books you've picked up lately. The meeting will last approximately one hour; no sign-up required.

Whenever, Wherever YA Want Online Book



Club: The Knife of Never Letting Go

June's YA book is *The Knife of Never Letting Go* by Patrick Ness. Readers who participate and answer questions will receive a free ice cream cone—come to the library to pick it up today!

Other Services

Take Home Crafts for Kids

Rainbow mobile kits will be in our lobby the week of June 21, and comb paint kits will be put out starting June 28.