

Memory Café- Wed. Feb. 8th at 10 am

Memory Cafés welcome those experiencing early-stage Dementia, mild memory loss or cognitive impairment and family and friends of those affected. It is a wonderful opportunity for lively discussions, information gathering, refreshments, camaraderie, and lots of creative fun! We have a Dementia Specialist professional on hand to answer questions and an enormous wealth of experience among participants to be shared. We would be delighted if you would join us! Call Ariel at 920-683-4180 for information. We will be reminiscing about our stories we love.



Book Corner News

Romance is in the air at the Book Corner. Take advantage of the BOGO Sale on ALL Romance books during the month of February. That's right, buy one Romance book and get another for FREE!! Stop by and pick up some bargains!

Looking for a new book to love? Come to the Book Corner and check out our Blind Date with a Book basket. Selected books are available at reduced prices!

The Book Corner is located at 401 Third Street and is open every Friday and Saturday from 11am to 3pm. All proceeds go directly to the Algoma Public Library.

Story Hour

Fridays at 10 am This story time is specialized for children 3 years old to 5 years old, but everyone is always welcome. Using a wide range of picture books, songs, poetry, fingerplays, iPad apps and crafts, we will make learning fun!



Still Alice Book Club

In collaboration with ADRC of the Lakeshore, we are having our 1st Book Club for caregivers. We are reading "Still Alice" by Lisa Genova during the months of February and March 2023, meeting to discuss the book on Wednesday April 12th from 2:30pm - 3:30pm at the Algoma Public Library. Books will be available for pickup on February 1st at the library. Please call the ADRC at 1-877-416-7083 to register.

Staff Picks



Braelyn- All My Rage by Sabaa Tahir

Cathy - Magic Hour by Kristin Hannah



Diana- Slug in Love by Rachel Bright

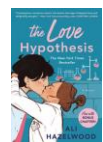


Katie - Real Men Knit by Kwana Jackson

Books & Brews

Thurs. Feb. 9th at 5:30 pm at Ruse (322 Steele St). There is no theme. Need a suggestion? We can help! Please email us for Zoom an invitation to discuss your book(s) if you can't join in person.

Bookworms Book Club



Join us on **Tues. Feb. 21st at 1pm** We are discussing **The Love Hypothesis** by Ali Hazelwood. Books can be put on hold on infoup or by stopping in the library to place a hold with one of our friendly librarians. This book is only available in regular print.

Page-Turners Book Club

Thurs. Feb. 23rd at 4 pm Are you interested in reading Young Adult or New Adult titles? Try out "Page-turners Book Club" with Braelyn and discuss the latest reads from the Young Adult or New Adult genre. The book for this session is: "**Whispering Dark**" by Kelly Andrew. This book club is geared for 14 plus.



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Algoma Public Library February 2023

Baby Story Time

Tuesdays at 10 am This special story time is specialized for babies and toddlers: birth through 2 years old, but older siblings are always welcome. Baby story time is a chance to share books and songs with your little ones. Babies coo, they cuddle, and they enjoy books. Babies love to observe and learn a great deal about language before they ever say a word. That's why it is so important to read to your young children.



Now Hiring: Children's Librarian

Due to a retirement, we are looking for an innovated, self-motivated, techy-savvy librarian to work with Children. This is a full-time position with benefits. This candidate must have:

- a bachelor's degree and be able to obtain a Grade II Library Certification
- strong communication and organizational skills
- comfortable with and ability to use technology.
- effective customer service skills
- some children's services or related work a plus.

To apply, please send /email a resume, cover letter, 3 current (non-family) references by **Tuesday, February 7th** to: Cathy Kolbeck, Director
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Algoma, WI 54201
(920)487-2295
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February Events @ Your Library

Our events can be found on our Facebook page.

Frosty Adventure Challenge (Teen/Adult)



February 1st-March 31st Stop by to pick up a bookmark with activities to complete. Upon completion you will be entered to win a prize! Activities include reading, activities, Book Bingo, completion of a kit and attending a program of your choice.



Lunch & A Movie

Mon. Feb. 6th at 12 pm **Mrs. Harris Goes to Paris** (2022) Mrs. Harris, an English domestic servant who falls in love with a couture Dior dress, decides she must buy one of her own. After she raises the funds to buy the dress, Mrs. Harris sets off on a journey to Paris that will change the course of her life. Paul Gallico's classic 1958 novel inspires the narrative. Rated PG running time 92 minutes. Starring Lesley Manville, Jason Isaacs, Isabelle Huppert, Anna Chancellor, Rose Williams.

Send a Card to a Friend:

Tues. Feb. 7th at 3 pm Patrons of all ages are welcome to stop by the library to assemble a card for a friend. Supplies provided by the Algoma Public Library.



Conversation Hearts STEM Grab & Go Kit:



Wed. Feb. 8th Kids will have fun in anticipation of Valentine's Day with Conversation STEM activities in this kit. Available while supplies last.

Lego Club

Thurs. Feb. 9th at 3 pm Come join us as we build fun Lego creations. We will meet every second Thursday of the month.

After School Movie

Fri. Feb. 10th 3 pm Movies selected will be rated PG-13 or younger. Join us for: **Perks of Being a Wallflower** rated PG-13.



Love Me Do Mocktails

Mon. Feb. 13th A kit designed for adults, inspired by Love and partners and all are non-alcoholic drinks! Kit includes 2-3 recipes and some ingredients. Participant is responsible for purchasing the rest of the ingredients.

Valentine's Day in a Bag



Mon. Feb. 13th It's the day before Valentine's Day, but you don't have to make all the plans on your own. Stop by the library to pick up our Valentine's Day in a Bag kit. Inside each kit will be various challenges, activities, and supplies to help make this special day memorable. **Supplies are limited.** Kits are geared towards teen and adult couples. Kits will be given out on a first come, first served.

Hearing Screening

Thurs. Feb. 16th from 10 am to 4 pm Hearing

Screening for adults provided by HearingLife out of Sturgeon Bay. This is FREE and walk-in's welcome. An audiologist will be on hand.



Bug Tussel Internet Safety

Mon. Feb. 20th at 11 am Learn how to stay safe and keep your information secure while using the internet. Improve your internet safety with this course provided by Bug Tussel University. You'll learn about password management, how to increase your safety while browsing the internet, how to keep your privacy secure on social media, and more. We'll also explain cookies, spam, phishing, and antivirus protection. See our complete schedule of classes at bugtusselwireless.com/bug-tussel-university-3/ and get in touch (or get help signing up for a class) by calling (920) 940-0158 or emailing bugtusseluniversity@bugtusselwireless.com.

Penguin Crafts & Games Grab & Go Kit



Tues. Feb. 21st Make some penguins with this fun grab and go kit for kids. Available while supplies last.



Soup Day- Makeup Day!

Thurs. Feb. 23rd 10 am to 2 pm

January was National Soup Month! To celebrate, Librarian Katie made some soup for you to sample and enjoy. Stop by the Library to get a cup of soup on us! Soup will be available in the back room until it is gone.



After School Movie

Fri. Feb. 24th 3 pm Movies selected will be rated PG-13 or younger. Join us for: **Letters to Juliet** rated PG.

Pokémon Day

Mon. Feb. 27th from 3-4 pm

It's a day to celebrate Pokémon! Pokémon has been around since 1996 and it isn't going anywhere anytime soon. Stop by the library to take part in fun Pokémon games and activities, try your luck at trivia, and maybe win a Pokémon themed prize! Patrons that play the newest games (Scarlet and/or Violet) or the Pokémon Go app are encouraged to bring their games. The Algoma Public Library is not responsible for the individual games and game systems of patrons within the library.



Adult Creative Writing

Tues. Feb. 28th at 3 pm We meet on the 4th Tues. of every month from 3-5 PM, join Braelyn for Adult Creative Writing. We will have writing prompts and activities for those looking for inspiration. The first hour will be used for brainstorming and writing, the time left will be for sharing our pieces (for those that would like to). All materials will be provided by the library (paper, pens, pencils). Sharing of new or old pieces is encouraged, but not required.