

Virtual Books & Brews

Thurs. Jan. 14th at 5:30 pm There is no theme. Need a suggestion? We can help! We will be discussing via email / Zoom. Please email us for an invitation to discuss your book(s).

Write It Wednesdays

Are you finding you need extra writing inspiration? Sign up for our Write-It Wednesday to receive virtual prompts right to your email to get your creative juices flowing. Call or email us to get creative together!



Coffee & Conversation

Thurs @ 9 am Join Braelyn every Thurs for a live-stream on Facebook covering a variety of topics and library updates during these interesting times.

Storytimes

Mondays- Storytime at 11 am and Fridays – Story Hour at 10 am both on Facebook Live. No Story Hour January 1st.

Internet Café

Call to schedule an appointment. Internet Cafe is for anyone needing individual guidance or may have questions about the internet, computer usage, personal devices (cell phones and kindles/iPad). You can also email your questions to alg@algomapubliclibrary.org.



- **Tangrams-** Feb, 1st
- **Family Winter Reading Challenge on Beanstack** Feb. 1st- 28th
- **Valentine Friendship Necklace Kit-** Feb 8th
- **Date Night with a Book or Movie –** Feb 11th
- **Macramé Wall Hanging –** Feb. 17th supplies are limited.

Staff Picks



Braelyn- Eragon by Christopher Paolini



Cathy – The Book of Two Ways by Jodi Picoult

Diana- Snowmen at Night by Caralyn Buehner

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Book Corner News

The Book Corner has books to help you with your New Year's Resolutions. Diet, exercise, cookbooks for healthy eating, self-help, and more. Whatever your goal may be for the New Year, we've got the book! Better yet, all are marked down to ONE-HALF Price!!

The Popular Authors Sale is back! All books by selected authors are HALF PRICE. James Patterson will be the first featured writer. Check with the Book Corner to see the other selected authors.

All are priced to sell! The Book Corner is located at 401 Third Street, Algoma. The bookstore is open every Saturday from 11:00am – 3:00pm. All proceeds benefit the Algoma Public Library

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Algoma Public Library



January 2021

Library Open with limited Hours!

Monday and Friday 10am to 5 pm & Tuesday and Thursday 10 to 6pm & Wednesday 10-7 pm

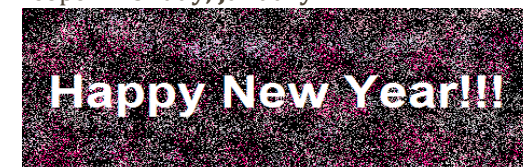
**** Opening by appointment Mon-Fri 10-4 pm January 4th.** Restrictions apply. Please call to schedule a time to visit, use a computer or browse.

- Pickups must be scheduled during open hours. Please call us or email to schedule.
- Masks are **REQUIRED** for all library users.
- Hand sanitizer is **REQUIRED** upon building entry.
- Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult at ALL times.
- Computers are available by appointment.
- All returns must be returned to dropbox. **Except for hotspots- must be returned inside or to a staff member.**

• For more information please see our [website](#).

Library Closure

The library will be closed on we are closed for New Year's Day, **Friday, January 1st** we will reopen **Monday, January 4th**.



Virtual January Events @ Your Library

Our LIVE events can be found on our Facebook page.

New Year's Resolutions (Live Stream)

Sat. Jan. 2nd at 5:30 pm Have you thought about your New Year's Resolutions yet? Join Katie as she talks about some different ideas on Facebook Live.

Community Art Project

Mon. Jan. 4th We want to create a Community Art Project and need your help! **Registration is required.** Stop in to pick up a puzzle piece to make into your own piece of art. Paint (for an example in acrylic or oil), collage, use mixed media, 2D, 3D, or whatever you'd like on your piece. When we have them all collected, we will mount them and display our Community Art in the library for all to see. **Pieces due back by Feb. 1st.**



Clay 2021 Keychain Kit

Tues. Jan. 5th Come to the library to pick up a kit to make a Keychain celebrating the new year! Kits are available on a first-come-first-serve basis. This kit will contain oven-bake clay and is not recommended for young children to do alone.



Maker Wednesday Kits -1st Wednesday

Wed. Jan. 6th Stop in to pick up one of our Maker Wednesday Kits. This kit will feature **Craft Stick Airplane Craft Kit** activity. Each month we'll feature art, tinkering, and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) activities. These kits will be aimed at patrons ages 9 and up. While supplies last.

Macramé Earring Grab & Go Kit

Wed. Jan. 6th Adult Program- We are bringing back a popular trend from the 1970s! Stop by the library to pick up a kit to make your own kit to make a pair of macramé earrings! Colors may vary. Each kit includes: instructions, earring hooks and yarn.

Be a Magician Grab & Go Kit

Thurs. Jan. 7th Learn how to do some magic tricks. This grab & go kit has materials and instructions to help kids do some fun magic tricks. Available while supplies last.



Create Your Own Snakes & Ladders Grab & Go Kit

Mon. Jan 11th Kids and families - Pick up this grab & go kit with materials to create your own "Snakes and Ladders" game. Then enjoy your game! Available while supplies last.

Family Explorations: Activities & Crafts

Tues. Jan. 12th & 26th at 4 pm Are you looking for something to do after school? These are family friendly activities and crafts. All crafts are generally with supplies commonly found at home. There are a few crafts that may have an additional cost associated to it. Our crafts are **Marbled Paper and Cartoon Drawing** on Facebook Live.

Leave 2020 Behind! (Burning Negativity)Live Stream

Wed. Jan. 13th at 4:15 pm There are many cultures that use fire as a way to cleanse or purify. One of those is the members of the Cherokee nation and their Fire Ceremony (gata gauwatlunehi). Join us as we identify some of the negative feelings we are carrying from 2020, put those feelings down onto paper, and burn them away to start 2021 unburdened by 2020.

Stress Less Grab & Go Kit

Thurs. Jan. 14th Feeling down after the holidays? Is stress affecting you and your family? This kit is for you.



Cooking with Katie

Sat. Jan. 16th at 11 am. Join Katie virtually in her kitchen and learn a new recipe! Each month Katie will make some sort of snack or meal and share her recipe. This month is on Belgian Waffles!

I Spy Grab & Go Kit (family friendly)

Mon. Jan. 18th Do you love looking through the I Spy books? Do you ever wonder how to create and break secret messages? Now is your chance! In this kit you get to test your super spy eyes on your own spy bottle (some assembly required) and create your own secret messages and break a coded message from the library too!



Among Us Night

Tues. Jan. 19th at 8 pm

Among Us is a popular app that's free to download or \$5.00 on Steam. Sign up for Among Us Night to get invited to a private Zoom call where players can talk to each other while trying to figure out who is the Imposter! This program is geared towards Teens as the game has very mild violence.

Silhouette Magazine Grab & Go Kit

Wed. Jan. 20th It's time to get creative! Ever wonder what to do with those magazines after you have read them? Why not reuse them and give them another purpose in Silhouette Art! Kit includes: magazine, (2) white cardstock and instructions.

Mosaics Grab & Go Kit

Mon. Jan. 25th Kids - Make mosaic masterpieces with this fun grab and go kit. Available while supplies last.



Library Opening Late

The library will be opening late on **Thursday, January 28th at 2pm** for staff training.