

Pam Johnson

# Algoma Public Library Welcomes new staff Member!

Hello! My name is Pam Johnson. I am the new Young Adult Librarian. I am originally from Madison, but have lived in Milwaukee for the past 15 years. I received my Masters in Library Science from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and I am very excited for this opportunity to work for the Algoma Public Library. I am looking forward to starting different programs, book clubs and projects for youth between the ages of 12 & 18. If you have any suggestions for programs please come and introduce yourselves and give me your ideas.

#### **Immunizations**

**July 15<sup>th</sup> 3-6 pm.** Please call and make an appointment with the Kewaunee Public Health Nurse at (920) 388-7160.

### **Summer Reading Program Events**

Don't forget you can still participate in one of our summer reading programs! Grades K-5<sup>th</sup> read 20 hours to win a prize; Grades 6-8<sup>th</sup> read 24 hours and get a book/CD/ DVD of your choice; Family read an hour per raffle entry! Adults Read 2 for 1 free book at the annual sale.

E-Reader Help Session: July 7<sup>th</sup> 1pm Ponies: July 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am The ponies are visiting the library! Tie Dying t-shirts: July 9<sup>th</sup> 1-4 pm. Participants must sign up in advanced. Paint a Door Stop: July 16<sup>th</sup> 1-4 pm.

Storyteller: July 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am
Storyteller Kathy Prestidge is coming to Algoma Public Library to tell how "Every Hero Has A Story". Kathy will perform folk tales featuring fairy tale heroes and kid-down-the-block heroes, daring quests and tricky tasks, clever solutions and wise resolutions. This is a free program that is 45 minutes long.

#### **Contact Us**

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#### **Story Hour**

Begins at **10am every Friday** in the Library starting July 10<sup>th</sup>. Come join us as we sing songs, perform fingerplays, read stories and craft together! **New in July! Themed story times** 

July 10<sup>th</sup>: Camp out at the Library July 17<sup>th</sup>: County Fair Extraordinaire July 24<sup>th</sup>: Shrek Story Hour July 31<sup>st</sup>: Germ Busters!

#### **Book Clubs!**

**Book Worms** meets on **July 21**st at 1 pm and **5 pm**.

This month we are reading *Code Name Verity* by Elizabeth Wein. Part of the Young Pilot series, "Verity" is arrested by the Gestapo as a spy and is given a choice – reveal her mission or face execution. Will she tell the truth? Will she survive the war? Will she make it home? Please join us in reading *Code Name Verity*, copies can be picked up at our Circulation desk. Feel free to join us for one of our discussion times.

#### **E-Reader Help Session**

**Wednesday, July 7**th at 1 pm. Sign up in advanced for an appointment to get help on your e-device. Appointments are 20 minutes each.



#### **Baby Storytime**

Held on **Tuesdays at 10 am** for babies and toddlers birth through 2 years old. Baby storytime is a chance to share books and songs with your little ones. Babies coo, they cuddle, and enjoy books. Babies love to observe and learn a great deal about language before they say a word. That's why it is so important to read to your young children.

Themed Baby Storytimes
July 7<sup>th</sup>: Beach Babies
July 14<sup>th</sup>: Piggy Party
July 21<sup>st</sup>: Things That Go
July 28<sup>th</sup>: If I Ran the Zoo

#### **Necessary Conversations**

Neighbor to Neighbor from Door County has been working on a special project called *Still Alice Project*. The goal of this project is to make the community aware in an effort to become more dementia-friendly with support through resources and a supportive discussion. Neighbor to Neighbors will be coming on **Tuesday**, **July 14th** at **5:30 pm** they will host a discussion on Necessary Conversations presentation. On **Monday**, **July 27**th at **1 pm** to show *Still Alice* followed by a discussion on Alzheimer's disease.



# Reading Education Assistance Dog

Come read with Trooper, a Reading Education Assistance Dog. He will be visiting the library on **Wednesday**, **July 8**<sup>TH</sup> **at 4:3-5:30 pm.** R.E.A.D uses registered therapy animals that have been trained and tested for health, safety, appropriate skills and temperament. The animals are ideal reading companions because they listen attentively, do not judge, laugh or criticize. Parents and children are encouraged to meet Trooper and read to him.

#### **Internet Hour**

Internet hour is held on the **second Tuesday** of each month from **11 am- 12 pm** for those with questions about email, browsing the internet and more.

# **1000 Books before Kindergarten**

Don't forget to sign your child up. Sign up at the circulation desk. Summertime is a great time to read with your little ones to help prepare them for Kindergarten in September!