

## Book Corner News

It's October and that brings Fall and Halloween! The Book Corner has a huge supply of wonderful children's Halloween books... so very cute and all priced to sell!

The Book Corner has an abundant supply of cookbooks. Get a jump start on Thanksgiving dinner and all your holiday cooking. Buy ONE cookbook and get the SECOND one for FREE!!

The Book Corner is located at 401 Third Street, Algoma. Store hours are Fridays & Saturdays, 11:00am – 3:00pm. All proceeds benefit the Algoma Public Library.

## Memory Café- Wed. Oct. 13<sup>TH</sup> 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's a great 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'd be delighted if you would join us! Call Ariel at 920-683-4180 for information.

## National Coffee Day!

**Fri. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>** Stop in the library to grab a cup of coffee as you browse for your next read(s) or even a movie! We will have a jar out for you to guess how many coffee beans are in there. Can you guess how many are in the jar? The winner will win their very own Algoma Public Library mug!

## Yarn Exchange

Do you have yarn that you'd like to give to or share with other crafty crafters? Would you be inspired if you had a new "stash" to get creative with? **Bring in your excess yarn to exchange for other yarn starting Mon., Nov. 1st to Sat., Nov. 13th** This is a FREE event and open to the public. **Event begins at 11:00 AM. and concludes at 4:00 PM on Thurs. Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>.** Join us and get crafty! Contact Katie for more information (920) 487-2295.



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## Staff Picks

**Braelyn- The Witch Doesn't Burn In this One** by Amanda Lovelace

**Cathy - The Warsaw Orphan** by Kelly Rimmer



**Diana- Pumpkin Jack** by Will Hubbell  
**Katie - Circe** by Madeline Miller

## Virtual Books & Brews

**Thurs Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> 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).



## Bookworms Book Club

**Tues. Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm.** Join us as we discuss **The Guest List** by Lucy Foley. Books can be put on hold on Infosoup or by stopping in the library to place a hold with one of our friendly librarians. This book has large print, regular print and eBook editions available.



## Interactive Movie Kits

Interested in watching a movie at home in a fun and new way? We have the following movies available as interactive kits: **Babe, Jurassic Park and 101 Dalmatians (animated version)** each kit is for 4 people.

## Library Opening Late

**Thurs. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>** we will be opening late at 2 pm for a staff in-service.

## ALGOMA PUBLIC LIBRARY

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## Algoma Public Library

October 2021

## Library Hours!

**Monday thru Thurs 10am to 7pm & Friday 10 to 6 pm & Saturday 10-3 pm**  
**\*\* Curbside hours 10am-4pm M-F.**

\*Children under the age of 9 must be accompanied by a responsible caregiver of 12 or older at ALL times.

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

## Fine Free: Children and Teen Print Materials since June 1<sup>st</sup>!



The Kewaunee and Algoma Public Libraries are happy to announce that effective June 1, 2021; overdue fines will not accrue on children and teen print materials – no matter what the age of the person checking out the materials. \*Some restrictions apply- please see full press release (on our [website](#) under our policies tab) for further details.\* We are excited to be following the footsteps of many libraries around the country and removing this potential barrier to library services. To learn more about it you can check out the [Kewaunee Public Library](#) or [Algoma Public Library](#) websites.

## Science in a Bag Kit

**Thurs. Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>** Stop by to pick up a free Science in a Bag STEM Kit courtesy of the Wisconsin Science Festival. Activities are appropriate for ages K-12 and feature science and research happening in the state of Wisconsin. In addition, visit the Science in a Bag portal for further instructions and bonus activities related to the Science in a Bag kits! Before beginning Science in a Bag activities, please get permission from a responsible adult. While Supplies Last.

## October Events @ Your Library

Our LIVE events can be found on our Facebook page.

### Casper Interactive Movie

**Mon. Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm.** Who is the friendliest ghost around? Casper is! And we get to experience watching him on the on the big screen in a fun interactive way! So don't be scared, grab a friend and head on over to the library and watch with us!

### Puzzle of the Month

**Tues. Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>** Kids- Try your luck at puzzles. This month's theme: Word Searches.

### Maker Wednesday

**Wed. Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm** Join us for an afternoon of creative, hands-on fun in our pop-up makerspace! We'll feature art, tinkering, and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) activities. Join us on the first Wednesday of the month for a different activity! this program is aimed at patrons ages 9 and up.

### When the Night Rained Fire

**Fri. Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm** It's been a 150 years since the Peshtigo Fire devastated the northeastern part of Wisconsin burning 1.2 million acres. Countless counties including Kewaunee and Door were also affected. Join us as author and local historian, Virginia Feld Johnson, discusses her latest book, "When the Night Rained Fire". It was believed Kewaunee County would never rise from the ashes. But, as it was, many came to feel Kewaunee County's greatest tragedy was a blessing in disguise. When the fields were cleared, the ashes became fertilizer, and new homes were built better than the old. Good qualities of fellow citizens came forward, and life changed.

### Fall Puppet Grab & Go Kit

**Tues. Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>** Kids- Take one of these kits to make some fun fall themed puppets. Available while supplies last.

**\*\* All in person events may be cancelled or rescheduled due to current health concerns.**

### Adult Creative Writing

**Tues. Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm.** Join Braelyn every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month. There will be writing prompts and activities for inspiration. The first hour will be for brainstorming and writing, any time left will be for sharing our pieces (optional). All materials will be provided by the Library (paper, pens, pencils).



### Unplugged Coding Kits (Family)

**Wed. Oct 13<sup>th</sup>** The great thing about Coding is that it doesn't have to be online or electronic! This kit will give you and your family some activities that will work on logic, critical thinking, problem-solving, patience, fine motor skills and creativity. Kit includes 3 activities and instructions. Some additional supplies are needed. **Limit 1 kit per family.** \*This particular kit is beginner to intermediate level.\*

### Fall Mocktails Kit (Adults)

**Mon. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>** A kit designed for Adults to help give you ideas for fall inspired non-alcoholic drinks! Kit includes 2-3 recipes and some ingredients. Participant is responsible for purchasing the rest of the ingredients.

### Algoma House Histories



**Wed. Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> at 1pm** Ever wonder about the history of your home? The Algoma Public Library has historical information about residences in the city of Algoma and Town of Ahnapee by surname and street name. Come learn about this valuable asset originally compiled by Wes Cox and Harold Nell.

### Virtual Teen Advisory Group

**Wed. Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm.** Teens, we need your help. We will be holding Virtual Teen Advisory Group meetings through Google Meet where local teens can come and brainstorm with our Young Adult Librarian for programs, clubs, and services they would love to see available in our community. Any teens that sign up, attend, and contribute to the discussion and brainstorming will be able to claim ONE HOUR of volunteer time. **Sign Up is REQUIRED.**



### What a Scare! (Teen Kit)

**Thurs. Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>** Teens, are you ready for Halloween? If you are looking for spooky reading recommendations, movies to watch, and crafts to do with friends, stop by the library starting to pick up our "What a Scare" kit. Kits are limited and available on a first come, first served basis.

### Pumpkin Carving/ Painting

**Fri. Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>** We will be painting/ carving pumpkins at the library again this year. **\*New this year: register for a time slot 11am, 12 pm and 2 pm. All participants MUST register, no exceptions, while supplies last.** Each time slot will have a limited number of pumpkins to help with social distancing. Call to reserve your spot.



### Fall Leaf Book Page Banner Kit

**Mon. Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>** Stop by the library to pick up a kit to make a Fall Leaf Book Page Banner for your house. Kit includes string and book pages. All you need is to collect leaves to add to your banner! While supplies last.

### Mystery Halloween Grab & Go Kits



**Tues. Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>** Pick up a mystery grab & go kit to create crazy, spooky Halloween creatures. Available

Tuesday, October 26th while supplies last.

### Library AFTER DARK!

**Wed. Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm** Teens, looking for something to do at the Library after close? To celebrate Halloween, teens are invited to sign up for our AFTER CLOSE event. Join us for a scary story paired with hair-raising activities! Participants that need to leave before the end of the program will not be allowed back in. **Sign up required.**

### Scary Stories with Braelyn! (Pre-recorded)

**Sun. Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> evening.** To help you enjoy your Halloween, watch for our video (sure to give you a scream). Stories will be geared towards mature children and teens. Beware of the scare