

Local Author Books Now Available

We are now selling several books by Virginia Feld Johnson. **Here Comes the Mail, Yours Truly from Kewaunee County and Commercial Development in Algoma, WI Vol. 2.** We have limited quantities of each book currently.



TikTok Tuesdays!

Patrons, have you found yourself sucked into the TikTok culture during this Pandemic? If you are on TikTok or would like to try it, check out our TikTok account (@alpubliclib) every Tuesday for a new Book Challenge, fun video to duet or react to, or other awesome interactive library content.

Virtual Books & Brews

Thurs. Sept 10th at 5:30 pm There is no theme. Need a suggestion? We can help! We will be discussing via email and / or Zoom please email us for an invitation to discuss your book.

Write It Wednesdays

Have you loved writing but find yourself lacking inspiration? Sign up for our Write-It Wednesday to receive virtual prompts right to your email to get your creative juices flowing. All you need to sign up is your name and email, and you can sign up on either our website or by calling the library to get your name and email address on the list. Let's be creative together!

Algoma Scavenger Hunt

Those of us at the library LOVE a good scavenger hunt. We challenge YOU to explore Algoma! **On the morning of September 25th,** we will release a survey on our website with very specific questions about locations around our lovely town of Algoma. The challenge is that you need to go to those locations to find the answers. Participants that complete the survey before midnight on the 25th will be able to pick up a participation prize on the following Monday. (An alternative digital option will be ready in case of bad weather.) Happy Hunting!



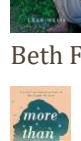
Staff Picks

Braelyn- Midnight Sun by Stephanie Meyer



Meyer

Cathy – If the Creek Don't Rise by Leah Weiss



Diana- Stick and Stone by

Beth Ferry



Katie – More than Words by



Jill Santopolo

Book Corner News –Now Open

Saturdays only starting August 1st, 11am-3pm.

-Accepting donations **ONLY** on Saturdays between 11am – 3 pm.

Please Note:

- Face Masks are **REQUIRED** for all, including children.
- Hand Sanitizer usage is **REQUIRED**.
- Please Practice 6' Social Distancing (note tape marks on floor).
- Five Customers are allowed inside at one time. We ask that you please wait patiently outside, if needed
- Curbside pickup available! Call or text 920-495-8440 or email hass.sue@gmail.com to put in your item requests. There is also a paper form by the front door you can fill out too. Items can only be picked up on Saturday and will need to be paid for day of pickup.



Storytimes Are Back!

Mondays- Storytime at 11 am and Fridays – Story Hour at 10 am both on Facebook Live.

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Algoma Public Library



September 2020

Library Open with limited Hours!

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

- 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.
- Our dropbox is open! All returns can be returned to dropbox.
- For more information please see our [website](#).

Internet Café

Call to schedule an appointment. Internet Cafe is open to 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 Katie will be available to assist you remotely. Video chat is available upon request.

Virtual September Events @ Your Library

Our LIVE events can be found on our Facebook page.

Teen Journal Kits (Grab & Go Kit)

Tues. Sept. 1st We had journal kits for teens during our Summer Reading Program, but, we still had supplies so, we're doing it again. Teens can stop by the library to pick-up Journal Kits and they will remain out until supplies last.



Maker Wednesday Kits -1st Wednesday

Wed. Sept. 3rd Stop in to pick up one of our Maker Wednesday Kits. This kit will feature Back to school Stem Challenge activities. Each month we'll feature art, tinkering, and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) activities. New activity kit available each month! These kits will be aimed at patrons ages 9 and up. While supplies last.



Coffee & Conversation

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

Teen Dot Sharpie Mug Kit (Grab & Go Kit)

Tues. Sept. 8th Teens can stop by the library to pick up their very own Dot Sharpie Mug Kits! Kits will include one plain ceramic mug, 2 or 3 sharpies of different colors, and the instructions on how to bake the mug after decorating to make the design permanent. Kits will only be available while supplies last and are for our Teen patrons.

Family Explorations: Activities & Crafts

Tues. Sept. 8th & 22nd 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 first crafts are **Toilet Paper Villages** and **Beaded Pin Crafts** on Facebook Live.

Adult Mini Flower Pots (Grab & Go Kits)

Wed. Sept. 9th Plant some wildflowers for your home that you can enjoy for the fall. While supplies last.

Teen Jackbox Night

Wed. Sept. 9th & 23rd at 6 pm Teens, join Braelyn every second and fourth Wednesday at 6:00 PM for Teen Only Jackbox Night, where we play Jackbox Party Games from the convenience of our homes via Google Hangouts. Teens can join the game to play along or join the audience.

Hieroglyphics Grab & Go Kits

Fri. Sept. 11th Make your own hieroglyphics grab & go kit. Available while supplies last.

Adult Jackbox Night

Sat. Sept. 12th at 8 pm. Adults! Trying to find something you can do for fun with other adults once a month on a Saturday night without having to leave your house? Join Braelyn on Google Hangouts on the 2nd Saturday of the month for 18+ Jackbox Night! The parental controls are off and our adult patrons can join the game or the audience to take part in a virtual game night!

Pirate Paper Bag Grab & Go Kit

Mon. Sept. 14th Saturday is International Talk Like a Pirate Day! Starting today, stop in to pick up supplies to make your own Pirate Paper Bag Craft. While supplies last.

Download Incomplete Escape Room

Tues. Sept 15th So much of our daily lives has been pushed to digital formats; working from home, learning from home, Storytime online, live-streams, Zoom meetings, emails, and texts. We are surrounded by screens so much that, time and again, we need to get away... But, what happens when our screens won't let us? Try our digital escape room "Download Complete" to see if you can solve the puzzles, find all the clues, and get out before you are one with the computer... FOREVER. For high school and older or for families. Event and link coming soon!

Wind Chime Grab & Go Kits

Wed. Sept. 16th Kids, come pick up a kit to create a Wind Chime. Available while supplies last.

Retro Aerobics

Sat. Sept 19th at 9 am. Join Katie and sweat to some old workout videos with Richard Simmons! Workout at your own risk, it can be fun and sweaty. If you are not sure if you should be doing physical activity please talk to your doctor beforehand (or feel free to watch for fun).



Cooking with Katie



Sat. Sept 19th at 11 am. Join Katie virtually in her kitchen and learn a new recipe! Each month Katie will make some snack or meal and share her recipe. This month is a family favorite! The event will be done on Facebook Live.

(18+) Open Mic

Mon. Sept. 21st at 8 pm Have you been working on some poetry, a creative essay, or other written works that you would like to present to others? Join Braelyn via Zoom every third Monday of the month for (18+) Open Mic; a night where creative adults can share their works with their peers from the comfort of their own homes. Participants must sign up to be included. Participation is not required, but kindness, respect, and support IS REQUIRED. Hecklers will not be tolerated.



Hedgehog Book Art (Grab & Go Kit)

Wed. Sept. 23rd Have you admired the Library's hedgehog? Now is your chance to make your very own at home. Kit includes a book, instructions and supplies. While supplies last.

Balloon Rockets (Grab & Go Kit)

Thurs. Sept. 24th Fun STEAM project. Build a balloon rocket with this kit. Available while supplies last.