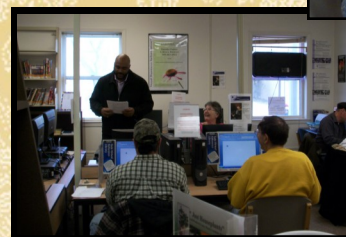


Keep Reading with us in 2012!

Thank you! From all of us at EPLD, we want to say a big *THANKS!* for the outstanding support we received in 2011. Whether it was the books, CDs, and movies you borrowed, the programs or computer classes you attended, the items you donated, or the time you spent helping here at EPLD...we want you to know we appreciate it!



One of our *fun* 2011 memories... young readers enjoying the annual Friends of the Library Book Sale!

2011 brought us: Tween and adult scrap-booking workshops, Andrea Waller was our young adult summer reading Nook winner, and computer classes with Chris Johnson from Workforce Network.

2012...

We were thrilled when the Illinois Library Association announced the theme for summer reading 2012, "Reading is So Delicious"! Immediately we knew it was going to be a great year for readers young and old, and we decided it would be a total waste to wait for summer to get started! So beginning in January, we're taking "Reading is So Delicious!" and making it our adult reading theme for the entire year! We've got a year of great activities in store for you, from programs and prizes to great books and more.

We are looking forward to sharing an awesome, (*no, delicious!*) year with all of you!

Eureka Public Library

202 S Main, Eureka IL 61530
Telephone 309.467.2922

Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9 am - 8 pm
Wednesday & Friday 9 am - 6 pm
Saturday 9 am - 2 pm
www.eurekapl.org

"When I am in a strange city or town with some time to spare, I head for the library. It's a place where I know I'll find peace, refuge, friendly faces, and of course, wonderful books. The time I am there is always well spent."

Warren Berger
Author

New Fiction and Nonfiction Titles!


Faith's Reward, Tammy Barley
Spells and Stitches, Barbara Bretton
Scattered Petals, Amanda Cabot
Tomorrow's Garden, Amanda Cabot
A Time to Heal, Barbara Cameron
A Time to Love, Barbara Cameron
Locked On, Tom Clancy
Red Mist, Patricia Cornwell
The Silent Order, Melanie Dobson
The Search, Suzanne Woods Fisher
A Place Called Home, Jo Goodman
Raider's Heart, Marcia Gruver
Rugged & Relentless, Kelly Eileen Hake
An Ocean Away, Lisa Harris
Sarah's Garden, Kelly Long
The Forgotten Affairs of Youth,
Alexander McCall Smith
Becoming Lucy, Martha Rogers
Morning for Dove, Martha Rogers

Nonfiction

The 36 Hour Day, Nancy L Mace & Peter V Rabins
*Lest We Forget: Masterpieces of Patriotic Jewelry and
Military Decorations*, Judith Price
Closely Knit, Hannah Fettig
Quick Crochet Huge Hooks, Sally Harding
The World Of Downton Abbey, Jessica Fellowes
One On One, John Feinstein

New DVDs

Faith Like Potatoes
Grown Ups
The Help (also in Blu-ray)
Mr. Popper's Penguins (also in Blu-ray)
On Strike for Christmas
Passion Fish
The Shunning
The Smurfs (also in Blu-ray)
Super 8 (also in Blu-ray)
To Sir, With Love
The Ugly Truth
Water for Elephants


New in 2012!

Stacks & Snacks Book Discussion Group

First & third

Thursday mornings,
9:30 –10:30 am

Come prepared to:

- Hear about new titles
- Share you favorites
- Be challenged to read something new!

Mysteries, Westerns, Biographies

Mysteries

Threadbare, Monica Ferris
Blood of the Prodigal, P.L. Gaus
Blindside, Ed Gorman
Death Come to Pemberley, P.D. James
Books Can Be Deceiving, Jenn McKinlay

Westerns

Assault of the Mountain Man, William W. Johnstone
Slocum and the Fool's Brand, Jake Logan
Range War, Jon Sharpe

Biographies

Gabby, Gabrielle Giffords & Mark Kelly
Steve Jobs, Walter Isaacson
Hedy's Folly, Richard Rhodes

News from the Children's Library!

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

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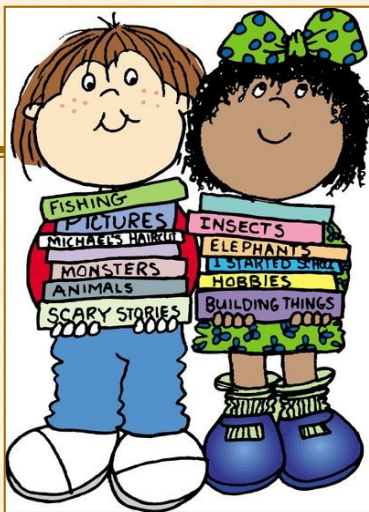
Mondays – 6:30 PM

Tuesdays – 9:30 AM & 12:30 PM

6 weekly story times that begin the week of February 6th

Each session lasts approximately 45 minutes.

REGISTRATION
BEGINS JANUARY 3rd



BOOK CATS

FOR KIDS GRADES K-2

STORIES, CRAFT, SNACKS, FUN!

SECOND THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH

3:30 – 4:15

Beginning January 12th
Sign up now in the Children's Library

Warm Up with New Children's Books!!

Picture Books

The Sniffles for Bear, Bonny Becker

A Pig Parade is a Terrible Idea, Michael Ian Black

Mouse & Lion, Rand Burkett

Let's Count Goats, Mem Fox

Cows to the Rescue, John Himmelman

At a Construction Site, Don Kilby

Fiction

Goal Line, Tiki and Ronde Barber

The School Mouse, Dick King-Smith

The Underdogs, Mike Lupica

Non-Fiction

The World Almanac for Kids 2012

Coal, Robert Green

Ring-Tailed Lemurs, Joelle Riley

Germs Make Me Sick!, Melvin Berger



January Library programs...Registration is now open for all January classes!

Monday, January 2nd, *Library Closed.*

Tuesday, January 3rd, *Library open, 9 am - 8 pm. No Sit and Stitch.*

Thursday, January 5th, 9:30 - 10:30 am -*Stacks & Snacks.* A new book discussion group! We will meet twice a month on Thursday mornings, to discuss new books and old favorites.

Monday, January 9th, 3:30 - 5 pm -*Tween Scrapbooking.* We have a free workshop for middle school scrapbookers meeting here the 2nd and 4th Mondays each month. You must sign up in advance. Topic: Book Reports!

Monday, January 9th, 6:30 - 8 pm -*Gold, Silver and Coin Purchasing by Wendy* from Creative Collections by Wendy, 3211 N Prospect, Peoria. Wendy has been here several times and she is always happy to provide you with information about your collectable coins, as well as purchase coins, 10, 14 & 18 kt gold and silver.

Monday, January 9th, 6:30 pm -*Soldier Cards evening.* We make cards that are made available to those serving in the military. Cost \$5. Please sign up in advance! Topic: Simple Cards - The Basics

Tuesday, January 10th, 6:30 pm -*Paper Piecing: Bird House Block*

This workshop is taught by Karen Fyke. The only skills necessary are the ability to thread a needle, knot the thread, and sew running stitches following the straight lines of the pattern. Cost \$10, must pay and sign up in advance as we will limit the class to 12. Please bring a pair of shears and thimble (if you use one). If you like, you can also bring a needle and white thread, other materials will be supplied. The members of the class will construct a 5"x5" paper-pieced block, the design of which is a bird house. The goal is to learn the methods used in paper piecing. All sewing will be done by needle and thread, and the ability to sew tiny stitches is NOT required.

Thursday, January 12th, 6:30 pm - 8 pm -*Tech Night Returns! (6:30 pm) Amazon Fire, What's the Scoop?* and at 7 pm, *iPad Instructions.* You are welcome to attend either session, or plan to be here for both to expand your knowledge on what is happening in the tech world! Free, pre-registration is being accepted but not mandatory.

Saturday, January 14th, 21st, & February 4th, 9 am - 10:30 am -*Learn to Use Your New Digital Camera* Did you receive a new camera for Christmas and now need to learn all the bells and whistles? Jeff McSweeney returns to EPLD with instructions on understanding how to use your camera, picture editing and presentation options such as how to set up a book or create a video from your pictures. Total cost for the 3 sessions is \$25. You do need to know how to connect your camera to a computer and label and download pictures into files. If you have a laptop you can bring, all the better! Class limited to 10, so you will have time to ask questions and work with settings specific to your camera. Pre-payment and registration required.

Monday, January 16th, *Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Library Closed.*

Tuesday, January 17th, 6:30 pm -*Sit and Stitch.* Bring a handwork project and enjoy the camaraderie of the group meeting here at EPLD! Free, open to any age.

Thursday, January 19th, 9:30—10:30 am—*Stacks & Snacks*

Thursdays, January 19th, 26th and February 2nd, 6:30 pm -*Learn to Knit.* Mary McSweeney will be starting another group of knitters! You'll learn to knit and purl, cast on, increase and decrease, and read a pattern. Cost of the 3 evenings is \$30. You will need to pre-pay and register in advance. Supplies needed are size 8 knitting needles and worsted weight yarn.

Monday, January 23rd, 3:30-5 pm -*Tween Scrapbooking* Topic is Journaling Boxes! Free, but must register!

Monday, January 23rd, 6:30 pm -*Scrapbooking Tools & Techniques* We will be learning to use the Cricut. EPLD owns a Cricut that can be "rented" for use here in the Library. You must take this class before renting the Cricut. Cost \$5, all projects you will work on are yours to take home. Please pay and register in advance.

Tuesday, January, 24th, *Appointments beginning at 6:30 pm. Discover What Stressors are Making You Sick and Tired! (Dr Quiram)* Make your free appointment now to be screened by Dr Quiram using the FDA-cleared computerized Immune System Inspection (\$150 value). The 15 minute screening identifies substances such as foods, molds and pollens that stress your body. You will discover which stressors are creating trouble for you and receive a print-out of the complete report. You must call the Library (467-2922) and make an appointment to be screened!

Monday, January 30th, 6:30 pm - "*Controlling Your Weight During the Winter Months*"

Do you find it difficult to exercise and eat right during the winter, when comfort foods and a lack of good weather hinder your efforts to control your weight? Jenna Smith, University of Illinois Extension Nutrition and Wellness Educator brings this timely lesson on things we can do to make sure those winter pounds don't creep up on us! She will also share some fun and healthy low-calorie winter snacks. Cost per person for this workshop is only \$2, please register and pay in advance at the Library.