HDL Happenings



News flash:

- Planning is underway for our Summer Secret Project! Come in and talk to us to get involved.
- Have you always wanted an Ereader but not sure if you like Nooks or Kindles? Come check out ours at the library for free!

Did you know:

- We have DVDs! And rent them out for \$1/week?
- ♦ We have free ebooks?
- And e-audio books?
- We always take book and program requests!
- We have a Friends of the Library Group that helps us?
- We offer free computer assistance?
- We have groups and clubs that meet here and you can join them any time?
- We want you to come in and check us out!

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Summer Reading is HERE!



2014 Summer Reading Theme: Fizz Boom Read

I know you've been waiting all year long to see what prizes you can win, what we are up to and what program you can look forward to! Well, wait on longer (but sign up fast!). On the back you will see all our programs and now for some highlights!

Since our theme this year is "Fizz, Boom, Read", we have worked in some exciting science programs. During our Geodes class you will watch as your geode is opened for the first time and take it home with you! And don't miss our Dying with KoolAid class later in June, bleached t-shirts used to be a terrible concept but not with our program!

In July we will be turning milk into cheese, wool into balls, and cement into attractive stones for your summer fun! No need to wonder what to do this summer, we have you covered with our 'Are we there yet?' kits, makers kits, and programs. So, even if you aren't a reader, come in and be creative... and did we mention that our last week is

ZOMBIE SURVIVAL WEEK

Always a good thing to learn, how to survive the zombie apocalypse, right? Well, we thought so and so did our volunteers! Monday July 21st through Saturday July 26th we have a hoard of zombie activities for you from volunteers from the police, DNR, other libraries and right here in the village all helping out to get you in shape (mind and body) to survive! Learn to identify different types of zombies, make your own sock zombie, what weapons should you have, how to survive out in the woods, and a basic zombie workout (followed by pizza and ice cream). Door prizes at each program so come and bring a friend!

Don't miss out on what's happening in Dorr

I know lots of you like to sign up for reading programs at several libraries and guess what, we want you to! Read more, have a better chance to win cool stuff and take part in our fantastic programs!

And starting this year, Dorr's program will also be open to adults so the whole family can read together.

Now onto the highlights in programs (I don't want to give it all away): June 19th: 6pm Lotion Making

June 26th: 6:30pm Foraging class with a West Michigan Author

July 24th: Science Night!

Aug 2nd: 1st Annual Dorr Mini-Comicon Summer Reading Finale!

Upcoming Events!

<u>June:</u>

5th 5pm Beekeeping

12th - 14th Closed for renovations and Summer prep - watch for pictures of the new areas!

16th Summer Reading kickoff

18th 6pm Learning about Geodes (take one)

21st 11am 3rd Annual Pet Show in the Park

23rd Guessing Jar #1 - Win prizes!

25th 11am & 6pm Butter Making

26th 6:30pm in DORR - Foraging Class

28th 11am Bleached T-shirts (bring a shirt)

30th 11am & 6pm KoolAid Dyed Roving

July:

2nd 6pm Cheese Making - Mozzarella

4th 10am-4pm Open as a Cooling Center

4th 10am-3pm 2nd Annual Craft Fair and Silent Auction in Library & Village Hall

5th Closed

7th Guessing Jar #2

For complete listing of events please check our website or Facebook since classes/events are subject to change!

9th 6pm Felting with your roving (or ours)

12th 11am Homemade bath fizzies

14th 6pm Mosaic Stepping Stones

18th 3pm Seed Bombs

21st Zombie Survival Week Begins!

21st 6pm Zombie Survival—weapons

22nd 10:30am DIY Sock Zombie

22nd Noon Zombie Identification

22nd 1 pm Zombie 1st Aid Class

23rd 6pm Basic Zombie Survival

24th Take a picture of your survival kit

26th 10am Zombie Workout

26th 1pm Pizza Party and Prizes

August:

2nd 9am-3pm DORR Mini-Comicon

12th 7pm Library Board Meeting

20th 7pm Book Club Meeting

Stay tuned to our Facebook and Pinterest for additional upcoming events.



Definition of Makerspace: A Hackerspace (also referred to as a hacklab, makerspace, or hackspace) is a community-operated workspace where people with common interests, often in computers, machining, technology, digital arts or electronic arts, or electronic art can meet, socialize and collaborate.

MakerSpace & Teen Make Camp

For the past couple years we have been leaders in library innovations... well, maybe not the flashy ones that lake lots of money but the fun ones that we can fund with grants and donations. And we are going to keep going. Our newest endeavor is a joint one with the Dorr library and possibly other groups to provide Makersboxes. Everything you need for a Makerspace project (maybe a sewing machine, maybe a circuit, maybe fly tying kit or jewelry making kit, or even basic robotics or wood carving - the 3-D printer was a bit expensive!) that you can check out or use at the library.

We want to encourage your creativity and that's what the Maker movement is all about! We have teamed up with Make Magazine again to provide access to the Teen Make Camp and will have our kits available at one library or the other starting July 1st (possibly earlier if we can get the cataloging figured out!). Just like books, you can check them out for 3 weeks.

Watch our Facebook to see what is new!

Did you know we are always interested in what you want to learn? Let us know! We want to schedule classes and buy materials that you want to use.