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NEW MATERIALS

EASY FICTION

- Bear Came Along by Richard T. Morris
- Dreaming in Code by Emily Arnold McCully
- Fry Bread by Kevin Noble Maillard
- Marvelous Mattie by Emily Arnold McCully
- The Pigeon Will Ride the Roller Coaster! By Mo Willems
- The Yawns are Coming by Christopher Eliopoulos



ADULT FICTION

- All Good People Here by Ashley Flowers
- The Challenge by Danielle Steel
- Desperation in Death by J. D. Robb
- Distant Thunder by Stuart Woods
- The Housekeeper by Joy Fielding
- Long Shadows by David Baldacci
- Overkill by Sandra Brown
- A Slow Fire Burning by Paula Hawkins

SUMMER

READING PROGRAM

Summer reading came back in full force this year! With pleasure we declare it was a great hit! Numbers of books read and numbers of participants were sharply increased over last year. **One thousand, four hundred forty books were read by 69 children and 7 adults.** Thanks go to parents, daycare providers and grandparents who helped children keep track of their reading logs. GREAT effort!

Interesting speakers and subjects are always part of summer reading. New York pop artist **Michael Albert** was our first presenter. He explained his art work and did hands on activities with our patrons. His book is in our library collection. Next, the ever-popular **Bill from Cedar Valley Rock and Mineral Society** brought dinosaur bones and his wealth of information. He always wows the audience with his exhibit and knowledge. **Hercules Rescue** presented a fun program telling us about their mission. They had kids and adults laughing at the videos of their rescued animals' antics. The **Beekeeper** presented a fascinating program about pollinators and brought great crafts for the kids to do. Thanks to **ALL** our presenters.

Other weekly activities like **Lego Day**, **Movie Day** and **Craft Days** rounded out the program schedule. Boy, did we have fun!! Summer reading finished with our **final party—games, treats and prize drawings.** Continuing to read during the summer is SO important, and we look forward to seeing you this fall too.

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September Notes

SIGN UP

September is National **Library Card Sign-up Month**. This is the time when libraries nationwide join together to remind parents, caregivers and students that signing up for a library card is the first step toward academic achievement and lifelong learning. Every child deserves a library card—please visit the Springville Memorial Library to learn about all the services and resources we offer.

EARLY OUT DAYS

Now that school is back in session the library will be offering some **early out activities**. Springville students are always welcome to stop by the library after school, and especially on early out Wednesdays. This month there will be planned activities on two of those days: September 14 and 28.

BANNED BOOKS WEEK

This is an annual September awareness campaign promoted by the American Library Association which celebrates the freedom to read. The United States campaign "stresses the importance of ensuring the availability of those unorthodox or unpopular viewpoints to all who wish to read them" and the requirement to keep material publicly available so that people can develop their own conclusions and opinions. This year **Banned Books Week is September 18 thru 24**.



RED CEDAR
CHAMBER
MUSIC



Miera Kim, violin
Carey Bostian, cello

Saturday, September 24, the Springville Library will host a program by **Red Cedar Chamber Music** entitled "Fresh Folk". The program will include six new settings of folk music for violin and cello from around the world. Music from Scotland, the American West, Finland, Argentina and Ukraine will be played. There is no cost to attend this concert, which will begin at 1:00 p.m. If you have not had a chance to hear these world class musicians, you are in for a wonderful afternoon. Their chamber music is intimate, bonding and conversational. Please join us.

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DIRECTOR'S CHOICE

Calm Mindfulness for Kids by Wynne Kinder, M.Ed

I want to recommend this book as school is starting. It deals with methods to stave off anxious moments for children. The book is easy to get into, and has some wonderful techniques to try at home. Each chapter has easy 1,2,3, step instructions; techniques are often accompanied by a fun craft to do. The book also has a colorful and pleasing layout. It is available for 3-week check out.

Linda Eldred, Director

Senior Meal

Twenty-four seniors attended the August 17 event, sponsored by the Springville Presbyterian Women. A taco lunch was eaten after Harry O'Deen performed with his music. Bingo was enjoyed afterward.

The September Senior Meal will be held on Wednesday, September 21. Please call Janet at the SANSI office at 319-854-6100 or the library at 319-854-6444 to reserve a place. This event starts at 11:00 a.m. Lunch and some afternoon fun are on the agenda.



COX LAKE CHARGING BENCH NOW AVAILABLE

The solar charging bench located at Cox Lake is now available for use when you need to charge your phone or other device. The bench is provided to the community by the library, and the Springville City maintenance staff worked diligently to get this installed for your use. You do need to provide your own charging cord.

BOOK GROUP

Book group meets September 7th and will be discussing the book Big Lies in a Small Town by Diane Chamberlain. Never been to book group before? Come join us at 10:00 by the fireplace in the library and see what it's like. We'd love to have you.

THURSDAY MORNINGS

Is there a preschool child in your life? We have story time at 10:30 each Thursday morning for little ones. We read a story aloud, then do a simple craft. We know lives are busy, so plan on about 30-45 minutes.