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## **Saving Energy**

**Wednesday, November 1**  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Steve Wilson, "The Energy Guy," will share tips on saving energy this winter.

## **An Afternoon With the Author**

**Sunday, November 5**  
2pm, Community Room

Local author Dorothy Fyfe will read from her book, *Voyage to Love*. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

## **An Evening With the Author**

**Monday, November 6**  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Ames native Lenwood Monte will discuss his book, *Pecatonica Odyssey*. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

## **72-Hour Emergency Supply Kit Workshop**

**Tuesday, November 14**  
7pm, Founders Suite

Take the first step towards preparedness by assembling a 72-hour supply kit. Cost will be approximately \$10 per one-person kit. To register, call (515) 239-5640 or e-mail [lcarey@amespubliclibrary.org](mailto:lcarey@amespubliclibrary.org).

## **Ames Energy With Don Kom**

**Wednesday, November 15**  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Don Kom will discuss the Demand Side Management evaluation, which gives options that Ames could implement.

## LEARN MORE BEFORE

### **Moscow State Symphony Preview**

**Thursday, November 9, 7pm, Community Room**

The Ames International Orchestra Festival Association and Iowa State Center invite you to hear Dr. Jeffrey Prater, ISU professor of music, discuss the Moscow State Symphony.

## APL UNPLUGGED

### **Onion Creek Cloggers**

**Sunday, November 12, 2pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Come to the Library for an afternoon of clogging! The Onion Creek Cloggers perform traditional Appalachian-style clogging, dancing to the old-time fiddle music of the Onion Creek Band.



### **Flutes and More**

**Sunday, November 26, 2pm, Atrium**

Enjoy an afternoon of live holiday music performed by Flutes and More, a flute choir made up of ISU students, alumni, professors, and community members. Free refreshments will be provided.

## COMPUTER CLASSES

The following classes are held in the Library's Computer Lab. Registration is required. Please register at the Information Desk or call (515) 239-5656.

**Using *NoveList*:** Learn tips for using this database of over 120,000 fiction books.

**Wednesday, November 8 at 10am**

### **Mouse Basics**

**Thursday, November 16 at 10am or**

**Thursday, November 30 at 10am**

### **Introduction to Google**

**Thursday, November 16 at 2pm**

### **Windows Basics**

**Monday, November 20 at 2pm;**

**Tuesday, November 28 at 2pm; or**

**Wednesday, November 29 at 10am**

## REEL CONNECTIONS

### **Other Voices / Other Views**

Sponsored by Alliance for Global Justice, Ames High Progressive Club, and Ames Public Library

### ***Harvest of Shame***

**Wednesday, November 8, 7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Originally aired on CBS Reports in 1960, this controversial Edward R. Murrow documentary exposed the plight of farm laborers in rural Florida.

### **Global Cinema**

Sponsored by Iowa Resources for International Services (IRIS) and Ames Public Library

### ***Babette's Feast***

**Tuesday, November 14, 7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

This drama is about a French chef who is washed ashore in Denmark and taken in by two unmarried Lutheran sisters. Danish with English subtitles. (1989, 103 minutes)

### **Confronting the New World Order**

Sponsored by the local branch of the John Birch Society and Ames Public Library

### ***America's Godly Heritage***

**Monday, November 20, 7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

This film discusses the role of religion in the lives of America's founding fathers and in modern American culture. (1992, 59 minutes followed by discussion)



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## Bountiful Books

### Fall Reading Program

October 1 - December 1



Get your reading folder at the Youth Services Desk or Bookmobile!

## Family Night @ the Library

### Día de los Muertos

Thursday, November 2

6:30pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

### Taekwondo

Thursday, November 9

6:30pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

### Movie Night @ the Library: *Cars*

Thursday, November 16

6:30pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

### There's "Snow" Better Place Than the Library!

Thursday, November 30

6:30pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

## Project ChildSafe

Tuesday, November 21

6:30pm, Mitchell School

Come to the Bookmobile stop and learn about staying safe with Project ChildSafe and Ames Police Officer Mark Watson!

## THE BOOKMOBILE



Your Neighborhood Branch

## Bookmobile Schedule

### MONDAY

Edwards School, 1:30 - 4:00pm

Sawyer School, 4:30 - 8:30pm

### TUESDAY

Mitchell School, 6:00 - 8:00pm

### WEDNESDAY

Old Orchard Laundromat, 5:30 - 8:00pm

### THURSDAY

Gilbert Elementary School, 3:30 - 7:30pm

### FRIDAY

St. Cecilia School, 1:30 - 4:00pm

University Village Laundromat, 4:30 - 8:30pm

## Derek Anderson at the Library

Saturday, November 11, 2pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Join us as children's book author and illustrator Derek Anderson tells us all about his newest friends from his two new books: *Blue Burt and Wiggles* and *How the Easter Bunny Saved Christmas*. There will be arts and crafts, door prizes, book signing, and more! Books will be offered for purchase by The Little Bookroom.



## Regular Storytimes

### Baby Talk

Tuesdays & Wednesdays

11am, Davidson Storytelling Room

Activities for pre-walkers (newborn to around a year old) and an adult

### Toddler Time

Mondays: 10am

Tuesdays: 10am, 10:30am, or 1:30pm

Wednesdays: 10:30am

Thursdays: 6pm

Davidson Storytelling Room

Fridays: 9:30am, FTB Auditorium

Activities for 0- to 3-year-olds and an adult



### Preschool Storytime

Mondays: 10:45am

Tuesdays: 4pm

Wednesdays: 10am or 2:45pm

Davidson Storytelling Room

Fridays: 10 or 10:45am, FTB Auditorium

and 4pm, Davidson Storytelling Room

Storytimes for children ages 3-6

### Family Storytime

Saturdays: 11am, Story Room

All ages are invited to a morning of stories, music, sign language, and more!

### Family Storytime Mornings

Thursdays, November 2, 16, 30

10am, Davidson Storytelling Room

All ages are invited to a morning of stories, music, sign language, and more!

### Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPs)

Thursday, November 9

10am, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Join us for 45 minutes of stories, music, games, and crafts for all ages.

### Parent-Child Craft Storytime

Tuesday, November 28

10am, 1:30pm, or 4pm, FTB Auditorium

Parents and children ages 3-6 are invited to a storytime and craft activity on the theme of "Family Time." Parents may browse the Library before returning to help with the craft.

## Wild on Wednesdays!

### Art Around the World

Wednesday, November 1

2:45-3:45pm, FTB Auditorium

First, second, and third graders are invited to enjoy a snack, listen to stories, and create art with an African savannah theme. Pre-register at the Youth Services Desk or by calling (515) 239-5644.

### Books & More

Wednesday, November 1

2:45-3:45pm, Community Room

Fourth and fifth graders, join the book club that's just for you! Bring your favorite book to share with the group, enjoy a snack, and participate in fun activities. Pre-register at the Youth Services Desk or by calling (515) 239-5644.

### Library Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, November 29, 2:45-3:45pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

First, second, and third graders, come explore the Library with a scavenger hunt. Homeschoolers are welcome, too!

### Chattin' With Cathy

Wednesday, November 8

2:45-3:45pm, FTB Auditorium

First, second, and third graders, come chat about books, enjoy snacks, and participate in fun activities. Bring your favorite book to share with the group! Pre-register at the Youth Services Desk or by calling (515) 239-5644.

### Walk, Rock, & Read

Wednesday, November 22

2:45-3:45pm, FTB Auditorium

First, second, and third graders are invited to get healthy, get moving, and get reading at the Library! We'll have a nutritious snack, do some fun exercises, and learn how to make healthy choices.



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## READING—FUN FOR ALL!

**Saturday, November 4**

**9:30am-3:30pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Join us for a hands-on workshop on how to plan and implement storytimes for children. To pre-register, call Jerri at (515) 239-5644 or e-mail [jheid@amespubliclibrary.org](mailto:jheid@amespubliclibrary.org).

## TEEN OPEN MIC NIGHT

**Friday, November 10**

**7-9pm, FTB Auditorium**

Hey teens, come to the Library for a café-style open mic night. This free event is sponsored by the APL Teen Advisory Group.



## BOOK GROUPS

**YAK About Books**

**Sunday, November 12**

**5pm, Café Diem, 229 Main Street**

Hey teens, come chat about books!



**Books @ Noon**

**Wednesday, November 15**

**12pm, Founders Suite**

**Great Books**

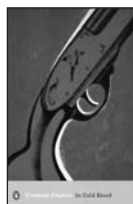
**Sunday, November 19, 2pm, Community Room**

Please pre-register by calling (515) 239-5633 or e-mailing [dhayslett@amespubliclibrary.org](mailto:dhayslett@amespubliclibrary.org). Sponsored by the Friends of Ames Public Library.

**Let's Talk About It**

**Tuesday, November 21, 7pm, Board Room**

This month's selection is *In Cold Blood: A True Account of a Multiple Murder and Its Consequences* by Truman Capote. Please pre-register by calling (515) 239-5633 or e-mailing [dhayslett@amespubliclibrary.org](mailto:dhayslett@amespubliclibrary.org). Sponsored by the Friends of Ames Public Library.



**Chick Lit**

**Monday, November 27**

**7pm, Founders Suite**

This month's chick lit selection is *Cause Celeb* by Helen Fielding.



## GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY

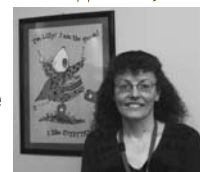
In memory of Geraldine Bowen from:

- Jerold and Valrae Bowen
- Patricia Hopkins
- Thomas and Beverly Anderson

## APL LIBRARIAN WINS AWARD

APL Youth Services

Specialist Jerri Heid received the Quality Time Award from the Children and Young People's Forum of the Iowa Library Association at the fall conference in October.



The Quality Time Award is given to a person who has made an outstanding contribution to library service to young people on a regional, state-wide, or national level. Congratulations, Jerri!

## DEAR FRIENDS

Not just fall, but also winter seems to be in the air. As I write this we are having our first real cold snap. Fall programs and the fall reading program are well underway and the Friends' book sale coordinators (Nancy Schroeder and Joan Van Norman) are busy preparing for the book sale. I'll report on the book sale in our next issue.

The Friends' Board met on October 2. They approved a request from former Friends' Board member Susan Jasper, who has been working with our Youth Services Specialist, Jerri Heid, to bring in a performer for a community drumming circle. Fonsiba Koster will present the program on West African drums next January. It should be a fun event with lots of audience participation. The Board also approved a request from Jerri to develop a new youth Spanish-language collection. The collection will range from board books all the way through young adult materials.

The Friends' Board adopted a revised version of their bylaws. The document is vastly improved and does a good job describing what the organization does and how it operates.

Thanks go to the Friends for the new tables and chairs that arrived late September. APL staff and meeting room users love how light, yet sturdy, the auditorium tables are. The chairs for the lab look great and are very functional. Friends also paid for the new chairs in Literary Grounds to replace the ones that weren't holding up to public use. Stop in and check them out! Once again staff and customers are extremely grateful for the support our Library receives from the Friends.

Please send in your Friends' membership renewal if you received a recent reminder letter. You need to send it in by the end of December in order to continue to receive the newsletter mailing each month. Thanks to everyone for their support.



See you at the Library!  
Dawn Hayslett, Editor



Ames Monday-Thursday 9 am - 9 pm  
 Public Friday 9 am - 6 pm  
 Library Saturday 9 am - 6 pm  
 Hours Sunday 1 pm - 5 pm



# NOVEMBER 2006

Celebrate  
**Children's Book Week**  
 November 13-19

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <p><b>Book Groups at the Library</b></p> <p><b>Let's Talk About It</b>            Read and discuss a work chosen from the semester's theme, learn more about the author.</p> <p><b>YAK About Books</b>            Hey teens, come hang out at Café Diem and chat about books with other middle and high schoolers.</p> <p><b>Great Books</b>            Discuss the classics with materials from the Great Books Foundation.</p> <p><b>Books @ Noon</b>            Share what you've read recently and hear about what everyone else is reading.</p> <p><b>Chick Lit</b>            Come talk about a selected work of contemporary women's fiction.</p>			<p><b>1</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            10am or 2:45pm            Story Room</p> <p><b>Toddler Time</b>            10:30am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Baby Talk</b>            11am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Art Around the World</b>            2:45pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Books &amp; More</b>            2:45pm, Community Room</p> <p><b>Saving Energy</b>            7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>2</b>  <b>Family Storytime</b>            10am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Toddler Time</b>            6pm, Story Room</p> <p><b>Family Night @ the Library</b>            6:30pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>3</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>            9:30am, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Preschool Storytime</b>            10 or 10:45am,            Auditorium or            4pm, Story Room</p>	<p><b>4</b>            Library Open            9am-6pm</p> <p><b>Reading-Fun For All!</b>            9:30am-3:30pm            Auditorium</p> <p><b>Family Storytime</b>            11am, Story Room</p>
<p><b>5</b>            Library Open            1-5pm</p> <p><b>An Afternoon With the Author</b>  <i>Dorothy Fyfe</i>            2pm, Community Room</p>	<p><b>6</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>            10am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Preschool Storytime</b>            10:45am, Story Room</p> <p><b>An Evening With the Author</b>  <i>Lenwood Monte</i>            7pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Friends Board Meeting</b>            7pm, Board Room</p>	<p><b>7</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>            10, 10:30am, or            1:30pm, Story Room</p> <p><b>Baby Talk</b>            11am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Preschool Storytime</b>            4pm, Story Room</p>	<p><b>8</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Baby Talk</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Using NovelList</b>            10am, Computer Lab</p> <p><b>Chattin' With Cathy</b>            2:45pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Reel Connections</b>            Other Voices/Views            7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>9</b>  <b>Family Storytime &amp; Craft (MOPs)</b>            10am, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Toddler Time</b>            6pm, Story Room</p> <p><b>Family Night @ the Library</b>            6:30pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Learn More Before</b>  <i>Moscow State Symphony Preview</i>            7pm, Community Room</p>	<p><b>10</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Teen Open Mic Night</b>            7-9pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>11</b>            Library Open            9am-6pm</p> <p><b>Family Storytime</b>            11am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Derek Anderson</b>            2pm, Auditorium</p> 
<p><b>12</b>            Library Open            1-5pm</p> <p><b>APL Unplugged</b>  <i>Onion Creek Cloggers</i>            2pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>YAK About Books</b>            5pm, Café Diem</p>	<p><b>13</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p>	<p><b>14</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Baby Talk</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Reel Connections</b>            Global Cinema            7pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>72-Hour Emergency Supply Kit Workshop</b>            7pm, Founders Suite</p>	<p><b>15</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Baby Talk</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Books @ Noon</b>            Founders Suite</p> <p><b>Inkspots</b>, 1:30pm            Community Room</p> <p><b>Ames Energy With Don Kom</b>            7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>16</b>  <b>Family Storytime</b>            10am, Story Room</p> <p><b>Mouse Basics</b>            10am, Computer Lab</p> <p><b>Intro to Google</b>            2pm, Computer Lab</p> <p><b>Toddler Time</b>            6pm, Story Room</p> <p><b>Family Movie Night @ the Library</b>            6:30pm, Auditorium</p> <p><b>Board of Trustees</b>            7pm, Board Room</p>	<p><b>17</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p>	<p><b>18</b>            Library Open            9am-6pm</p> <p><b>Family Storytime</b>            11am, Story Room</p> <p><b>TAG</b>, 11am-1pm            Community Room</p>
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<p><b>19</b>            Library Open            1-5pm</p> <p><b>Great Books</b>, 2pm            Community Room</p>	<p><b>20</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Windows Basics</b>            2pm, Computer Lab</p> <p><b>Reel Connections</b>            Confronting the New World Order            7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>21</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Baby Talk</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Project ChildSafe</b>            6:30pm, Mitchell School</p> <p><b>Let's Talk About It</b>            7pm, Board Room</p>	<p><b>22</b>  <b>Preschool Storytime</b>  <b>Toddler Time</b>  <b>Baby Talk</b>            See Above</p> <p><b>Walk, Rock, &amp; Read</b>            2:45pm, Auditorium</p>	<p><b>23</b>            Library and Bookmobile  <b>CLOSED</b></p>  <p><i>Happy Thanksgiving!</i></p>	<p><b>24</b>            Library and Bookmobile  <b>CLOSED</b></p>	<p><b>25</b>            Library Open            9am-6pm</p> <p><b>Family Storytime</b>            11am, Story Room</p>
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