

September • 2007

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EVENTS AT THE



AMES PUBLIC LIBRARY

## APL UNPLUGGED

### Dorian Michael

Sunday, September 16  
2pm, FTB Auditorium

Come to the Library for an afternoon of fingerstyle guitar performed by acoustic soloist Dorian Michael.



### The Rose Ensemble

Sunday, September 30  
2pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Join us for a live performance by The Rose Ensemble, a vocal ensemble that captivates audiences with performances of ancient music. This free event is co-sponsored by Ames Town & Gown.

## FALL FOR AMES

Concert Series at Ames City Auditorium

Friday September 28 at 7pm: Yawo

"Yawo" will kick off the Fall for Ames concert series Friday, September 28 with an evening of traditional rhythms and African funk. For ticket information, visit the Ames Community Center or call (515) 239-5350. This series is supported by the Ames Convention & Visitors Bureau's Ames Community Grant Program.



## THE BOOK OF LIFE IN A GENOMIC AGE

Explore life in the genomic age with a series of programs from Ames Public Library and ISU's Center for Excellence in the Arts and Humanities supported by Humanities Iowa.

### Book Discussions:

#### *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley

Wednesday, September 5  
7pm, FTB Auditorium

Moderator: Kathy Hickock,  
ISU Professor of English



#### *Frankenstein's Footsteps* by Jon Turney

Wednesday, September 19  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Moderator: Barbara Duffelmeyer,  
ISU Professor of English

### Film Showings:

#### *Cracking the Code of Life*

Monday, September 10  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

#### *Bloodlines: Technology Hits Home*

Monday, September 17  
7pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

### Presentations:

#### Center for Excellence in the Arts and Humanities: "Designing Humanity"

Thursday, September 27 at 8pm, ISU Memorial Union, Sun Room  
Presentation by Hamilton Cravens, 2007 CEAH Distinguished Scholar



## PEEL CONNECTIONS

### *Out of Balance: ExxonMobil's Impact on Climate Change*

Sponsored by Ames Citizens for Clean Energy, Ames Smart Growth Alliance, and Ames Public Library

Tuesday, Sept. 4 at 7pm, Auditorium

*Out of Balance* shows the influence that the largest company in the world has on governments, the media, and citizens, and what can be done about global warming.

### *Other Voices / Other Views*

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

#### *Jesus Camp*

Wednesday, Sept. 12 at 7pm, Auditorium

This film follows a group of children to "Kids on Fire Summer Camp" where they are taught to "take back America for Christ."

#### *Darfur Diaries*

Wednesday, Sept. 26 at 7pm, Auditorium

*Darfur Diaries* presents the Darfurians and their plight as witnessed by three traveling independent filmmakers.

### Global Cinema

Sponsored by Iowa Resource for International Service (IRIS), the Ames Chapter of the United Nations Association, and Ames Public Library

#### *Control Room*

Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 7pm, Community Room

*Control Room* explores the complex relationship between the Western and Arab worlds and how satellite television has changed the way wars are reported.

#### *911 Mysteries: Demolitions*

Tuesday, Sept. 18 at 7pm, Auditorium

This film takes a journey into the myth, the physics, and the players emerging from the dust of this calamitous day.

#### *Confronting the New World Order*

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

#### *TRIMming Big Government*

Monday, Sept. 24 at 7pm, Auditorium

This 27-minute video discusses term limits, cost versus results of partisan politics, and the role of the taxpayer.

## WHIRLING DERVISHES OF RUMI

Saturday, September 8 at 2pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium

Commemorate the 800th anniversary of the birth of Mevlana Jalaladdin Rumi with a film and presentation on the life and teachings of this 13th century scholar. This free program is sponsored by the Iowa Dialog Center and Ames Public Library.

Library sponsorship of a program does not constitute endorsement of the program's content or the views expressed by the participants. If your organization is interested in co-sponsoring a program, please contact Lynne Carey at 239-5640 or [lcarey@amespubliclibrary.org](mailto:lcarey@amespubliclibrary.org).

## Talk Like a Pirate Day

**Wednesday, September 19**  
**2:45pm, FTB Auditorium**



Celebrate Talk Like a Pirate Day with a special Super Science Day featuring pirate maps and navigation. Come dressed like a pirate if you want!

## Homeschool Open House

**Wednesday, September 26**  
**1-2pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Homeschoolers and their children are invited to attend this open house to learn about Library resources for homeschoolers.

## Fall into Reading

### Toddler Festival

**Saturday, September 29**  
**10am-12pm, Nevada Middle School**

Toddlers and their parents, caregivers, daycare providers, and educators are invited to a special event featuring early literacy information, resources, and activities for toddlers. CEUs available for child care providers. Free book for each toddler! This free event is sponsored by Story County Youth Librarians.

## THE BOOKMOBILE



Your  
Neighborhood Branch

## NEW Bookmobile Schedule

### MONDAY

Sawyer School, 4:30 - 8:30pm

### TUESDAY

St. Cecilia School, 1:30 - 4:00pm \*  
Mitchell School, 6:00 - 8:00pm

### WEDNESDAY

Edwards School, 1:30 - 4:00pm \*  
Old Orchard Laundromat, 5:30 - 8:00pm

### THURSDAY

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

### FRIDAY

University Village Laundromat, 4:00 - 8:00pm \*

(\* indicates change in schedule)

## Weekly Storytimes Resume September 10

### BabyTalk

**Tuesdays: 11am, Story Room**  
**Wednesdays: 11am, Story Room**  
**Thursdays: 2pm, Story Room**

This 15-minute program for the pre-walker (newborn to around a year old) and family members features various emergent literacy skills.

### Toddler Time

**Tuesdays: 9:30, 10am, 1:30pm Story Room**  
**Wednesdays: 9:30, 10am, Story Room**  
**Thursdays: 6:30pm, Story Room**  
**Fridays: 9:30am, FTB Auditorium**

Join Dewey Bear and Youth Services staff for 20 minutes of action rhymes, songs, and books perfect for the 3-year-old or younger child accompanied by an adult.

### Family Storytime

**Tuesdays: 10:30am, 4pm, Story Room**  
**Wednesdays: 10:30am, 2:45pm, Story Room**  
**Fridays: 10 or 10:45am, FTB Auditorium**

This 30-minute program includes stories, activities, and songs. Parents are welcome to attend with their child but are not required.

### Russian for Kids Storytime

**Saturdays: 10:15am, Story Room**

All ages are invited to a half hour of stories and music spoken completely in Russian!

## WOW! Wild on Wednesdays

In order to help us plan, please try to register for each WOW program at least one day in advance. To pre-register, visit the Youth Services Desk or call (515) 239-5644.

### Art Around the World

**Wednesday, September 5**  
**2:45-3:45pm, FTB Auditorium**



First, second, and third graders, enjoy a snack, hear stories, and create art from around the world.

### Books & More

**Wednesday, September 5**  
**2:45-3:45pm, Community Room**

Fourth and fifth graders, join the book club that's just for you!

### Walk, Rock, & Read

**Wednesday, September 26, 2:45-3:45pm, Farwell T. Brown 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 healthful choices.

### Saturday Family Storytime

**Saturdays: 11am, Story Room**

Join us on Saturdays for 30 minutes of stories, activities, and songs for all ages.

### Family Craft Storytime

**Thursdays: 10am, 1:30, or 4pm**  
**Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

This weekly, half-hour storytime is followed by a related craft activity. Families with children of any ages are welcome.

### Family Night @ the Library

**Thursdays: 7pm, FTB Auditorium**

Bring the whole family for a fun evening of stories, music, and a craft.

Sept. 6: "Let's Be Potato Heads!"

Sept. 13: "It's Puppet Time!"

Sept. 27: "Apples & Bananas"

### Family Movie Night:

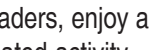
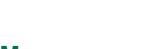
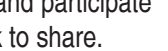
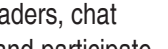
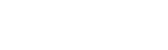
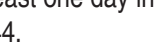
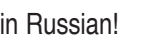
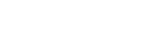
**Bridge to Terabithia**

**Thursday, September 20**  
**6:30pm, FTB Auditorium**

(95 minutes, MPAA Rating PG

for thematic elements including

bullying, some peril and mild language)



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## TALK WITH TAG

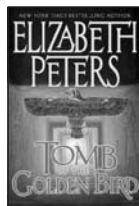
**Saturday, September 15**  
**12pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Come to the "Talk With TAG" ice cream social and learn about our Teen Advisory Group, get a tour of the APL Zone, and build your own sundae! There will be prize drawings, and "I ♥ APL" T-shirts will be available for purchase.

## BOOK GROUPS

**Mystery Lovers Book Club**  
**Wednesday, September 5**  
**12pm, Community Room**

This month, we'll discuss books by Elizabeth Peters.



**Non-Violence Book Club**  
**Thursday, September 13**  
**7pm, Community Room**

Join us in discussing writings by proponents of non-violence. For the September meeting, read anything by or about Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

**Great Books**  
**Sunday, September 16**  
**2pm, Community Room**

This month's Great Books selection is *Planning and Democracy* by Friedrich Hayek. Please register at the Information Desk or call (515) 239-5656.

**Let's Talk About It**  
**Tuesday, September 18**  
**7pm, Community Room**

This month's selection is *Rashomon Gate* by I.J. Parker. Please register at the Information Desk or call (515) 239-5656.



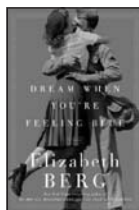
**Books @ Noon**  
**Wednesday, September 19**  
**12pm, Founders Suite**

**Biz Lit**  
**Thursday, September 20**  
**12pm, Community Room**

Join the Biz Lit group for business readers, talk about what you've been reading in books, publications, and online, and share ideas. Bring lunch if you'd like.

**Chick Lit**  
**Monday, September 24**  
**7pm, Board Room**

For this month's Chick Lit discussion, read any book by Elizabeth Berg.



## PREPAREDNESS FAIR

**Friday, Sept. 21 & Saturday, Sept. 22**  
**9am-4pm, Farwell T. Brown Auditorium**

Come to a Community Emergency Preparedness Fair celebrating National Preparedness Month. There will be information booths, presentations, children's activities, prizes, and refreshments! This free event is co-sponsored by the local congregations of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

## BANNED BOOK JEOPARDY

**Monday, September 24**  
**7pm, ISU Memorial Union, Sun Room**

Join a Banned Book Week battle between two teams of panelists as they attempt to answer questions about banned books and their authors. Panelists include *Tribune* Editor Dave Kraemer; Iowa Public Radio's Talk of Iowa producer and host Katherine Perkins; Associate Professor of English Fern Kupfer; *Tribune* Reviewer and Meredith Editor Steve Sullivan; Associate Provost and Professor of English Susan Carlson; and Professor Emeritus of English and APL Board President Dale Ross.

## COMPUTER CLASSES

**Registration is required.** Please register at the Information Desk or call (515) 239-5656. If you are unable to attend a session you are registered for, please notify the Information Desk.

**Mouse Basics**  
**Thursday, September 20, 10-11am**

Learn how to use the mouse and practice clicking for information using the Ames Public Library website.



**Windows Basics 1**  
**Monday, September 10, 2-3pm**

Learn how to navigate in the Windows environment and work with toolbars, the desktop, the start menu, and the task bar as well as website addresses and searches.

**Windows Basics 2**  
**Wednesday, September 12, 2-3pm**

This class is for people who have attended the Windows Basics 1 class and want to learn more about using the desktop.

**Using RefUSA**  
**Thursday, September 27, 3-4pm**

Learn searching strategies for RefUSA, an online phone directory available for free use through the Ames Public Library website.





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



# SEPTEMBER 2007

September is  
 Library Card  
 Sign-Up Month!

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |  |
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| <p><b>2</b><br/> <b>Summer Hours</b><br/>         Library Open 1-4</p>   | <p><b>3</b><br/> <b>Library and Bookmobile CLOSED</b></p>  | <p><b>4</b><br/> <b>Reel Connections:</b><br/> <i>Out of Balance: ExxonMobil's Impact on Climate Change</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p>  | <p><b>5</b><br/> <b>Mystery Lovers Book Club</b><br/>         12pm, Community Room<br/> <b>Art Around the World</b><br/>         2:45pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Books &amp; More</b><br/>         2:45pm, Community Room<br/> <b>Book of Life</b><br/> <i>Frankenstein</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p>  | <p><b>6</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         6:30pm, Story Room<br/> <b>Family Night @ the Library</b><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p>  | <p><b>7</b></p>   | <p><b>8</b><br/> <b>Fall Hours Begin</b><br/>         Library Open 9-6<br/> <b>Russian Storytime</b><br/>         10:15am, Story Room<br/> <b>Teen Crochet/Knit</b><br/>         11am-12:30pm<br/>         Founders Suite<br/> <b>Whirling Dervishes of Rumi</b><br/>         2pm, Auditorium</p>                             |  |
| <p><b>9</b><br/>         Library Open 1-5</p>  | <p><b>10</b><br/> <b>Windows Basics 1</b><br/>         2pm, Computer Lab<br/> <b>Book of Life</b><br/> <i>Cracking the Code of Life</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p>   | <p><b>11</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         9:30, 10am, or 1:30pm, Story Room<br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/>         10:30am or 4pm<br/>         Story Room<br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/>         11am, Story Room<br/> <b>Reel Connections:</b><br/> <i>Global Cinema</i><br/>         7pm, Community Room</p> | <p><b>12</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         9:30 or 10am<br/>         Story Room<br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/>         10:30 or 2:45pm<br/>         Story Room<br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/>         11am, Story Room<br/> <b>Windows Basics 2</b><br/>         2pm, Computer Lab<br/> <b>Chattin' With Cathy</b><br/>         2:45pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Reel Connections:</b><br/> <i>Other Voices/Views</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p> | <p><b>13</b><br/> <b>Family Craft Storytime</b><br/>         10am, 1:30, or 4pm<br/>         Auditorium<br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/>         2pm, Story Room<br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         6:30pm, Story Room<br/> <b>Family Night @ the Library</b><br/>         7pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Non-Violence Book Club</b><br/>         7pm, Community Room</p>                  | <p><b>14</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         9:30am, Auditorium<br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/>         10 or 10:45am<br/>         Auditorium</p>                           | <p><b>15</b><br/>         Library Open 9-6<br/> <b>Russian Storytime</b><br/>         10:15am, Story Room<br/> <b>Saturday Family Storytime</b><br/>         11am, Story Room<br/> <b>TAG</b>, 11am-12pm<br/>         Community Room<br/> <b>Talk With TAG</b><br/> <b>Ice Cream Social</b><br/>         12pm, Auditorium</p> |  |
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| <p><b>23</b><br/>         Library Open 1-5</p>   | <p><b>24</b><br/> <b>Chick Lit</b><br/>         7pm, Board Room<br/> <b>Reel Connections:</b><br/> <i>Confronting the New World Order</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Banned Book Jeopardy</b><br/>         7pm, Sun Room<br/>         ISU Memorial Union</p> | <p><b>25</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/>         See Above</p>  | <p><b>26</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/>         See Above<br/> <b>Homeschool Open House</b><br/>         1pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Walk, Rock, &amp; Read</b><br/>         2:45pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Reel Connections:</b><br/> <i>Other Voices/Views</i><br/>         7pm, Auditorium</p>   | <p><b>27</b><br/> <b>Family Craft Storytime</b><br/> <b>BabyTalk</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/>         See Above<br/> <b>Using RefUSA</b><br/>         3pm, Computer Lab<br/> <b>Family Night @ the Library</b><br/>         7pm, Auditorium<br/> <b>Book of Life</b><br/> <i>"Designing Humanity"</i><br/>         8pm, Memorial Union</p>                                 | <p><b>28</b><br/> <b>Toddler Time</b><br/> <b>Family Storytime</b><br/>         See Above<br/> <b>Fall for Ames: Yawo</b><br/>         7:30pm<br/>         Ames City Auditorium</p> | <p><b>29</b><br/>         Library Open 9-6<br/> <b>Fall Into Reading Toddler Festival</b><br/>         10am-12pm<br/>         Nevada Middle School<br/> <b>Russian Storytime</b><br/> <b>Saturday Family Storytime</b><br/>         See Above<br/> <b>Banned Books Week Begins</b></p>  |  |
| <p><b>30</b><br/>         Library Open 1-5<br/> <b>APL Unplugged: The Rose Ensemble</b><br/>         2pm, Auditorium</p>   |  |   |  |   |   |   |  |

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