

Literary Grounds

FALL BOOK SALE

October 9-12, Auditorium

Friday, October 9: 5:30pm-8:30pm

Admission \$2 (Free admission and early entry starting at 5:00pm for current donors to the APLFF at the \$20 level and above.)

Saturday, October 10: 9am-6pm

FREE Admission

Sunday, October 11: 1-5pm

FREE Admission

Everything ½ price! (Auditorium Only)

Monday, October 12: 9am-5pm

Admission \$1

Everything FREE! (Auditorium Only)

Sponsored by the Ames Public Library Friends Foundation.

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Protecting Our Children Who Use Social Media

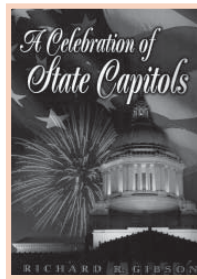
Tuesday, October 6 at 7pm, Auditorium

Join us for a panel discussion on safety for children who use social media. Panelists include Kris Corbin, Collins Maxwell School District Technology Coordinator; Nick Schieffer, Ames High and Middle School Resource Office (Ames Police Department); and Anasia Sturdivant, ACCESS.

This series is funded by Rotary of Ames. Supported by the American Association of University Women, League of Women Voters of Ames & Story County, First United Methodist Church, Methodist Church Women, Network Against Human Trafficking, Northminster Presbyterian Church, Youth & Shelter Services, and Ames Public Library (APL).

The State Capitols

Wed., Oct. 7 at 7pm, Rotary Room



All ages are invited to a special presentation by author Richard Gibson about the 50 state capitols. Learn about their histories and development, see photos, and hear fascinating stories of the state houses. Gibson's book, *A Celebration of State Capitols*, will be available for purchase and signing.

Reel Connections: Delicious Peace Grows in a Ugandan Coffee Bean

Tuesday, Oct. 13 at 7pm, Auditorium

Join us for a free showing of the documentary *Delicious Peace Grows in a Ugandan Coffee Bean*. In a nation once plagued by Idi Amin's reign of terror and intolerance, Christian, Jewish, and Muslim Ugandan coffee farmers have come together to challenge historical prejudice and economic hurdles by forming the "Delicious Peace Coffee Cooperative."
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Inspired Performances: Elizabeth Zimmerman and Britches & Hose

Thursday, Oct. 22
7pm, Auditorium

Each month, join us for an evening of inspired music. Local musicians will perform

and share the musicians that inspired them. This month, Inspired Performances will feature Elizabeth Zimmerman, who fell in love with the Beatles at the age of 9, and Britches & Hose Ukulele Club, a seven-piece all-ukulele ensemble that has drawn inspiration from STYXX.

The Big Bluestem Audubon Society Presents Cuba

Thursday, Oct. 15 at 7pm, PEO Room

Ames Public Library and the Big Bluestem Audubon Society are teaming up to bring you a series of fascinating presentations. This month, Denny and Cecille Thompson will provide a glimpse into the biological, architectural, and cultural aspects of Cuba.

Sponsored by Big Bluestem Audubon Society and APL.

Ames City Council Candidate Forum

Thurs., Oct. 29 at 6:30pm, Auditorium

Hear the City Council candidates at this forum sponsored by the Ames Progressive Alliance. There will be time for questions.

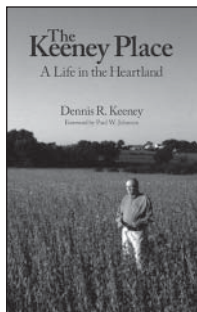
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Author Events

Dennis Keeney

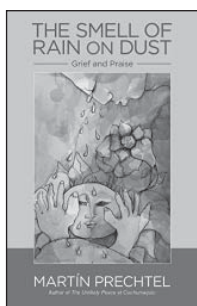
Thursday, Oct. 8 at 7pm, Rotary Room

Join us for an evening with Dennis Keeney, an ISU alum and the first director of the Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture. Keeney's memoir *The Keeney Place: A Life in the Heartland* takes the reader through his personal and professional journey of understanding the true meaning of agricultural change.



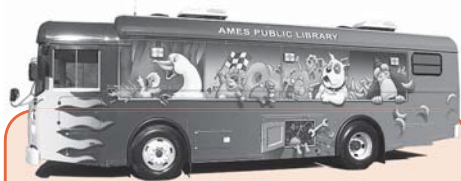
Martín Prechtel

Tuesday, Oct. 27 at 7pm, Auditorium



Join us for an evening with Martín Prechtel, author of *The Smell of Rain on Dust*. A leading thinker, writer, and teacher in the search for the Indigenous Soul in all people, Martín Prechtel is a dedicated

student of eloquence, history, language, and an ongoing fresh approach. Books will be available for purchase and signing.



Bookmobile Schedule

MONDAY

Trinity Christian Reformed Church, 5-8pm
(3626 Ontario)

TUESDAY

St. Cecilia School, 2:00-4:00pm
(Hoover & 30th Street)

Old Orchard Laundromat, 5:00-6:15pm
(Mulberry Drive)

Mitchell School, 6:45-8:00pm
(3521 Jewel Drive)

WEDNESDAY

Edwards School, 1:45-3:30pm
(820 Miller Avenue)

Fareway on Stange, 5:00-8:00pm
(Stange & Bloomington)

Technology Training

Computer Basics

Thursdays at 10am, PEO Room

Drop into any of our computer classes! Computers are provided for all classes. You can guarantee your spot in a specific class by preregistering at the Library's Adult Services Desk or by calling (515) 239-5646 ext. 4.

October 1: Intro. to Computers

October 8: Intro. to Web Browsers

October 15: Intro. to Computer Files

October 22: Intro. to E-mail

October 29: Drop-in Review

iPhone and iPad Training

Mondays, Oct. 12, 19, and 26
7pm, PEO Room

Come to the Library for hands-on training to unlock the power of your iPhone or iPad. Bring your own iPad or iPhone. Some iPads will be available for use during the workshop.



Movies to Scream For

Jurassic World

Sat., Oct. 31 at
1:30pm, Auditorium
(2015; 124 minutes;
MPAA Rating
PG-13)

The Rocky Horror Picture Show

Sat., Oct. 31 at
6:30pm, Auditorium
(1975, 100 minutes;
MPAA Rating R)



Book Discussions

Mystery Lovers Book Club

Wednesday, October 7 at 12pm, The Studio

Mystery lovers are invited to the Mystery Lovers Book Club on the first Wednesday of each month to talk about books by a selected author. This month, we'll discuss books by **Spencer Quinn**.

(Next month's author will be Greg Iles.)

Great Books

Sunday, October 18 at 2pm, Rotary Room

The Great Books group discusses literary classics using the anthology *Great Conversations* 6, from the Great Books Foundation. This month's selection is "**My Confession**" by Mary McCarthy. To sign up for this series, visit the Library's Adult Services Desk or call (515) 239-5646 ext. 4.

Books at Noon

Wednesday, October 28 at 12pm, The Studio

Drop in to share what you've read recently—fiction or nonfiction—and hear about what everyone else is reading. Be prepared to give a brief description and your opinion about one or two books you've listened to or read.



Events for Teens

Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Thurs., Oct. 1, 5:30pm, PEO Room
Sat., Oct. 31, 12-1pm, Auditorium

Help plan exciting library events for teens, share what you're reading, and make new friends. There's free pizza, too!

Teen Strategy Game Association

Sat., Oct. 3, 1-4pm, PEO Room

Teens in grades 6 through 12 are invited to a new club for board gamers. This month's featured game will be *Settlers of Catan*, but there will be lots of other games available. Be sure to bring some snacks for yourself!



Teen Roleplaying Game Association

Sat., Oct. 10, 1-5pm, PEO Room

Teens in grades 6 through 12 are invited to the Teen Roleplaying Game Association, a group dedicated to a wide exploration of games, including *Dungeons and Dragons*, *Star Wars: Age of Rebellion*, *Pathfinder*, and *Magic: The Gathering*.

Teen Writers' Workshop

Sun., Oct. 11, 2-4pm, Rotary Room

6th-12th graders are invited to join author David Zimmerman for writing exercises to finesse your creative writing skills.

This month will kick off our Play With Words collaboration with Ames Children's Theater and the Iowa State Center, which will be themed "Fractured Fairy Tales."

Homeschool Series

Social Studies for Homeschool

Wednesday, October 7
10am-12pm, Rotary Room

Cooperatively Homeschooling in Ames is teaming up with the Ames Public Library to present a social studies themed event the first Wednesday of each month. This family event is geared towards elementary through middle school aged children, but all ages are welcome. Parents are encouraged to stay with their children throughout the event.

This month's topic will be **Columbus & Introduction to Geography**. (For future topics and more information, visit www.amespubliclibrary.org.)

Storytimes

Baby Time

Tuesdays at 1:30pm
Wednesdays at 11:05am
Thursdays at 6pm
Storytime Room

Bring your prewalker for books, songs, baby sign language, and more.

Toddler Time

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays
at 10am
Tuesdays at 1pm
Storytime Room

Join Dewey Bear and library staff for 20-25 minutes of music, books, and interactive early literacy activities for toddlers and preschool-aged children accompanied by an adult.

Family Storytime

Wednesdays and Fridays
10:30am, Storytime Room

Families with children of all ages are invited to this interactive program to build listening, language, and literacy skills through music, movement, and more.

Saturday Specials

Saturdays at 10:30am, Storytime Room

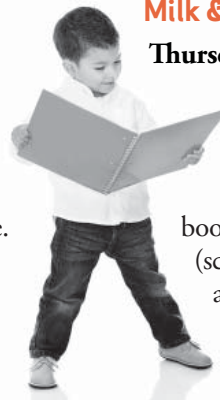
Join us for special storytimes to boost different early literacy skills and have fun!

Oct. 3: Play with Me
Oct. 10: Read with Me
Oct. 17: Sing and Dance with Me
Oct. 24: Talk and Write with Me

Milk & Book-ies

Thursdays at 6:30pm
Storytime Room

Stop in for 30+ minutes of fun that includes milk and cookies. We'll have music, books, rhythm instruments, STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) activities, and more, all to enhance your child's literacy skills.



La Hora del Cuento (Spanish Storytime)

Fridays at 4pm
Storytime Room

Hablantes nativos de español compartirán cuentos y actividades en español.

Native Spanish speakers will share stories and activities in Spanish.

Chinese Storytime

Saturday, October 17
10am, Storytime Room

Come to the Library for a free storytime presented in Chinese!

And More

Coding for Kids

Monday, October 12 and Wednesday, October 21, 6:30-7:30pm, Storytime Room

Learn computer programming skills by designing video games in this free Coding for Kids course. This event is perfect for 2nd-8th graders.

Sponsored by Sylvan Learning and Ames Public Library (APL).

The Mothering Circle

Thurs., Oct. 1 & 15 at 10am, Teen Space

New mothers and your babies, birth to age 1, come share the story of your parenting journey and receive support, guidance, and inspiration.

State Capitols

Wed., Oct. 7 at 7pm, Rotary Room
See front page.

Movie: Embracing Dyslexia

Mon., Oct. 19 at 6:30pm, Auditorium

Join us for a free showing of *Embracing Dyslexia* followed by a panel discussion.
Sponsored by Decoding Dyslexia Iowa and APL.



Trick-or-Treat at the Library

Friday, October 30

Put on your favorite costume and stop by the Library for a treat!



Ames Public Library Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm

Friday & Saturday: 9am - 6pm

Sunday: 1pm - 5pm



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<p>4</p>	<p>5 Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Conversations in English 11am, Auditorium</p>	<p>6 Toddler Time 1pm, Storytime Room</p> <p>Baby Time 1:30pm Storytime Room</p> <p>Protecting Our Children Who Use Social Media 7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p>7 Social Studies for Homeschool 10am-12pm Rotary Room</p> <p>Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Family Storytime 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>Baby Time 11:05am Storytime Room</p> <p>Mystery Lovers Book Club 12pm, The Studio</p> <p>State Capitols 7pm, Rotary Room</p>	<p>8 Computer Basics 10am, PEO Room</p> <p>Ames Public Library Friends Foundation 4pm, Danfoss Room</p> <p>Baby Time</p> <p>Milk and Book-ies See Above</p> <p>Author Event: Dennis Keeney 7pm, Rotary Room</p>	<p>9 Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Family Storytime 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>La Hora del Cuento (Spanish Storytime) 4pm, Storytime Room</p> <p>FALL BOOK SALE 5:30-8:30pm Auditorium</p>	<p>10 FALL BOOK SALE 9am-6pm, Auditorium</p> <p>Saturday Special 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>Crochet & Knitting Group 11am, The Studio</p> <p>Teen Roleplaying Game Association 1-5pm, PEO Room</p>
<p>11 FALL BOOK SALE 1-5pm, Auditorium</p> <p>Teen Writers' Workshop 2-4pm, Rotary Room</p>	<p>12 FALL BOOK SALE 9am-5pm, Auditorium</p> <p>Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Conversations in English 11am, PEO Room</p> <p>Coding for Kids 6:30pm Storytime Room</p> <p>iPhone and iPad Training 7pm, PEO Room</p>	<p>13 Toddler Time 1pm, Storytime Room</p> <p>Baby Time 1:30pm Storytime Room</p> <p>Reel Connections: Delicious Peace Grows in a Ugandan Coffee Bean 7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p>14 Toddler Time</p> <p>Family Storytime</p> <p>Baby Time See Above</p>	<p>15 Computer Basics 10am, PEO Room</p> <p>The Mothering Circle 10am, Teen Space</p> <p>Baby Time</p> <p>Milk and Book-ies See Above</p> <p>Big Bluestem Audubon Society Presents Cuba 7pm, PEO Room</p> <p>Board of Trustees 7pm, Board Room</p>	<p>16 Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Family Storytime 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>La Hora del Cuento (Spanish Storytime) 4pm, Storytime Room</p>	<p>17 Chinese Storytime 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Saturday Special 10:30am Storytime Room</p>
<p>18 Great Books 2pm, Rotary Room</p>	<p>19 Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Conversations in English 11am, Auditorium</p> <p>Movie: Embracing Dyslexia 6:30pm, Auditorium</p> <p>iPhone and iPad Training 7pm, PEO Room</p>	<p>20 Toddler Time 1pm, Storytime Room</p> <p>Baby Time 1:30pm Storytime Room</p> <p>Reel Connections: Voices 7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p>21 Genealogy Plus 10am, Auditorium</p> <p>Toddler Time</p> <p>Family Storytime</p> <p>Baby Time See Above</p> <p>Inkspots 1:30pm, The Studio</p> <p>Coding for Kids 6:30pm Storytime Room</p>	<p>22 Computer Basics 10am, PEO Room</p> <p>Baby Time</p> <p>Milk and Book-ies See Above</p> <p>Inspired Performances: Elizabeth Zimmerman and Britches & Hose 7pm, Auditorium</p>	<p>23 Toddler Time 10am, Storytime Room</p> <p>Family Storytime 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>La Hora del Cuento (Spanish Storytime) 4pm, Storytime Room</p>	<p>24 Saturday Special 10:30am Storytime Room</p> <p>Crochet & Knitting Group 11am, The Studio</p>
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