

Conversations in English

Mondays, 1-2pm, Ames Public Library

Non-native English speakers are invited to practice talking in English in a comfortable, relaxed setting with library staff and volunteers.

Sponsored by YWCA Ames-ISU and Ames Public Library.

Tech Talk

Tuesdays, 2-3:30pm, Ames Public Library

Are you new to downloading e-books and audio books? Come to our Tech Talks and learn how to check out free e-books and audio books from Ames Public Library for your e-reader, tablet, or smart phone.

- July 2: E-books for iPad
- July 9: E-books for Kindle
- July 16: E-books for any device
- July 23: NO TECH TALK
- July 30: Zinio

An Afternoon with the Author: Fern Kupfer

**Tuesday, July 9, 1pm
Heartland Senior Center**

Join us for a visit from writer Fern Kupfer. She'll be talking about her latest book, *Leaving Long Island*. Books will be available for purchase and signing.



A Journey in Transportation

**Tuesday, July 9, 7pm
Main Gallery of the Octagon**

In celebration of the Iowa Department of Transportation Centennial, join Iowa DOT Librarian Leighton Christiansen for an evening of discussion and trivia about Iowa's transportation history.

Sponsored by Ames Public Library, the Octagon, and Iowa DOT



Bandshell Park, 6th St. and Duff Ave.

End the week and begin the weekend with a free concert at the Bandshell.

Friday, July 5, 11:30am – 1:30pm

Dixie Slicks
jazz/dixieland

Friday, July 12, 11:30am – 1:30pm

Jen McClung
folk

Friday, July 19, 11:30am – 1:30pm

Trigger Fish
indie rock

Stranger than Fiction
rock/blues/folk/country

Friday, July 26, 11:30am – 1:30pm

Peace, Love, & Stuff
rockabilly/blues

Sunday, July 28, 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Four Mile Creek Band
bluegrass

Sponsored by Ames Parks & Recreation, Ames Public Library Friends Foundation, KASI/KCCQ, the Ames Bulletin Board

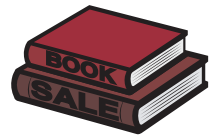
Crochet & Knitting Group

**Saturdays, July 13 & 27
9:30-11am, Ames Public Library**

From beginners to experts, from young to old, everyone is invited to crochet and knit with us. Bring your supplies/projects if you have them.

Book & Garage Sale

**Saturday, July 20
9am - 4pm
809 E. Lincoln Way**



Take home some books this summer. We'll have used books for children, teens, and adults. As an added bonus, check out our garage sale items, too!

Accepting free-will donations for all garage sale items, proceeds to benefit Project Smyles.

Books will be priced as usual, proceeds to benefit APLFF.

Sponsored by the Ames Public Library Friends Foundation, the used book sale will be held at 809 East Lincoln Way. (Look for the building behind the Cenex gas pumps.)

Introducing...



For people who love magazines, the world's largest newsstand is now available at Ames Public Library! Providing cover to cover access to over 50 magazines you'll be able to download straight to your computer or mobile device. No limits, no holds, no due dates! Go to the library website or stop by the Information Desk for more details.

See inside for book discussions, events for teens, events for families, and more!



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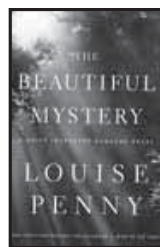
Book Discussions

Mystery Lovers Book Club

Wednesday, July 3, 12pm, Ames Public Library

Mystery lovers are invited to this book club to talk about books by a selected author. This month, we'll discuss books by **Louise Penny**.

(Next month's author will be Christopher Fowler.)



Books @ Noon

Wednesday, July 17, 12pm, Ames Public Library

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.

All Iowa Reads: *The Year We Left Home*

Tuesday, July 23, 10am, Chocolaterie Stam

Now in its eleventh year, the All Iowa Reads program fosters a sense of unity through reading. Iowans statewide are encouraged to come together in their communities to read and talk about a single book title in the same year. This year's focus is on *The Year We Left Home* by **Jean Thompson**.



The Bookmobile



Bookmobile Schedule

The Bookmobile will be closed July 1-5.

MONDAY

Sawyer School, 4:30-8:00pm

TUESDAY

St. Cecilia School, 2:00-4:00pm

Old Orchard Laundromat, 5:00-6:15pm

Mitchell School, 6:45-8:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Edwards School, 2:00-4:00pm

Fareway on Stange, 5:00-8:00pm

FRIDAY

Service will no longer be available at University Village.

Events for Teens

BENEATH THE SURFACE

**Summer Reading Program for Teens
June 1 - August 31, 2013**

Hey, Teens! Grab a summer reading program designed just for you! Read, volunteer, and attend events to earn prizes! Pick up your reading program at the Library, the Bookmobile today!

Harry Potter - Celebration of the Wedding of Bill and Fleur

Wednesday, July 10, 4pm
Bandshell Park, 6th St. and Duff Ave.

Dress up in your wedding finest and join us as we celebrate Bill and Fleur's very special day!

Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Saturdays, July 13 & 27, 11am-1pm
Ames Public Library

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

GROUNDBREAKING READS

Summer Reading Program for Adults

Adults are invited to take part in Ames Public Library's summer reading incentive program! Pick up your program at the Library or Bookmobile and get started!

Teen Roleplaying and Magic Club

Saturday, July 13, 1-5pm
Ames Public Library

Middle and high schoolers, gather 'round the table and join the Teen Roleplaying and Magic Club as we play some *Dungeons and Dragons* or *Magic: The Gathering*! All supplies are provided.

Chasing4Life

Wednesday, July 17, 4pm
Bandshell Park, 6th St. and Duff Ave.

Come meet the people who help clean up after severe weather and learn how you can be prepared for severe weather in your own area.

Hobbit Party

Wednesday, July 24, 4pm
Bandshell Park, 6th St. and Duff Ave.

Join in a treasure/scavenger hunt, while we attempt to retrieve our stolen treasure from Smaug the dragon.

The Hobbit (the movie)

Wednesday, July 31, 4pm
Ames City Auditorium, 520 6th Street

Bring your friends and family and come watch "The Hobbit" on the city's big screen!

WANTED!

Looking for young, local musicians to perform at Rock the Library Friday, August 16. Please email tanvi@amespubliclibrary.org.



Visit us online for updates on events for teens in July and beyond:
www.amespubliclibrary.org

Dig into READING!

Summer Reading Program

June 1-August 31, 2013

Youth of all ages! READ throughout the summer and earn prizes! Stop by the Library or Bookmobile, or attend our activities at the parks and elsewhere to pick up your summer reading program. There's a program for teens and adults, too!

Regular Storytimes and Activities (No regular programming July 1-5)

BabyTalk

Tuesdays: 1:30pm
Wednesdays: 11:05am
Thursdays: 6pm

Bring your pre walker for 20 minutes of books, songs, baby sign language, and more.

Toddler Time

Thursdays, 6:30pm
(Toddler activities will also be included in each Family Time @ the Park)

Join Dewey Bear and library staff for 20-25 minutes of music, books, and interactive early literacy activities for ages 3 and younger, accompanied by an adult.

Baby Talk and Thursday evening Toddler Times are held in the children's area of Ames Public Library, 620 Lincoln Way.

Bookmobile Storytimes

Mondays, July 8, 15, & 22
6:30pm, Sawyer Elementary
Wednesdays, July 10, 17, & 24
6:30pm, Fareway on Stange

Join Bookmobile staff for storytimes featuring books, music, and more, followed by a related craft activity.

Family Time @ The Park

Mondays: 2pm, Brookside Park
Tuesdays: 10am, Inis Grove Park
Thursdays: 10am, Daley Park
Fridays: 10am, Bandshell Park

The name says it all. We'll be digging up fun and learning something, too, with a treasure trove of activities for toddlers through preteens.

Family Time @ the Park Themes

July 8-12: Rock It!
July 15-19: Tops and Bottoms
July 22-26: Diggin' for Treasure

Wednesday Specials

Join us on Wednesdays for special presentations, guest performers, and just all-around fun for the entire family. Please note the date and location of each event. We can't wait to see you!

Wednesday, July 10, 2pm
Let Steve Entertain You!
Ames City Auditorium, 520 6th Street

Wednesday, July 17, 2pm
Chasing4Life
Bandshell Park, 6th St. & Duff

Wednesday, July 24
2pm & 3pm
Dan Wardell from IPTV
Bandshell Park, 6th St. & Duff



Special Events

Preschool Storytime @ the Fire Station



Monday, July 1, 10-11am,
Station #1, 13th and Burnett

Monday, July 22, 10-11am, Station #2
132 Welch Avenue

Preschoolers and their parents and siblings will once again enjoy the book *Firefighters A to Z* with Todd and Smyles. See a fireman in his gear and take a tour of the fire station.

Friday Features

Fridays, 2pm

Ames City Auditorium, 520 6th Street
or City Council Chambers, 515 Clark

Enjoy a family-friendly movie in the air-conditioned comfort of a real auditorium: cushioned seats, too! Sorry, no food or drink allowed.

July 12: *Journey to the Center of the Earth* (MPAA PG)

July 19: *The Goonies* (MPAA PG)

July 26: *Muppet Treasure Island*
(MPAA G)

Community Garden

Mondays @ the Garden

Mondays, July 8, 15, 22, & 29, 8-9am
Squaw Creek Community Garden,
Plot #1, 2 blocks south of the S. 4th St.
and S. Maple intersection

Dig into the earth this summer and help us garden! We've already planted and things are growing! Now help us maintain and enjoy our harvest throughout the summer while learning how to help things grow.

Evenings @ the Garden

Tuesday, July 16, 7pm
(same location stated above)

Hey Mom, Dad, Grandparents, too! End your day with us by bringing the family out for special gardening activities. This month's theme is **Bug Out @ the Garden.**

Cancellations/Inclement Weather

Weather related cancellations will be posted at least one hour before a program starts. However, weather conditions may change and decisions may be made at the program site. If sudden threatening weather conditions occur, please pick up your children immediately. Please call 515-239-5434 - Category 1 (Ames Parks & Rec Hotline), go to amespubliclibrary.org or call the Ames Public Library Youth Desk, 515-239-5644.

Ames Public Library Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm

Friday & Saturday: 9am - 6pm

Sunday: 1pm - 5pm



July 2013



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www.amespubliclibrary.org
(515) 239-5656

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Book & Garage Sale Saturday, July 20 9am - 4pm	1 Preschool Storytime @ the Fire Station 10am, Fire Station #1 Conversations in English 1pm, Library Bookmobile CLOSED	2 Tech Talk 2pm, Library Bookmobile CLOSED	3 Mystery Lovers Book Club 12pm, Library Bookmobile CLOSED	4 Library and Bookmobile CLOSED	5 Bookends at the Bandshell 11:30am Bandshell Park	6
	7	8 Mondays @ the Garden 8-9am, Community Garden Conversations in English 1pm, Library Family Time @ the Park 2pm, Brookside Park Bookmobile Storytime 6:30pm, Sawyer Board of Trustees 5:30pm, Library Offices	9 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Inis Grove Park Baby Talk 1:30pm, Library Afternoon with the Author 1pm, Heartland Senior Center Tech Talk 2pm, Library A Journey in Transportation 7pm, Octagon	10 Baby Talk 11:05am, Library Wednesday Special: Steve Couch 2pm, Ames City Auditorium Teen- Harry Potter 4pm, Bandshell Park Bookmobile Storytime 6:30pm, Fareway	11 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Daley Park Ames Public Library Friends Foundation 4pm, City Hall Baby Talk 6pm, Library Toddler Time 6:30pm, Library	12 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Bandshell Park Bookends at the Bandshell 11:30am Bandshell Park Friday Features: Journey to the Center of the Earth 2pm, Ames City Auditorium
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21	22 Mondays @ the Garden 8-9am, Community Garden Preschool Storytime @ the Fire Station 10am, Fire Station #2 Conversations in English 1pm, Library Family Time @ the Park 2pm, Brookside Park Bookmobile Storytime 6:30pm, Sawyer	23 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Inis Grove Park Baby Talk 1:30pm, Library All Iowa Reads 10am, Chocolaterie Stam	24 Baby Talk 11:05am, Library Wednesday Special: Dan Wardell 2pm, Bandshell Park Teen- Hobbit Party 4pm, Bandshell Park Bookmobile Storytime 6:30pm, Fareway	25 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Daley Park Baby Talk 6pm, Library Toddler Time 6:30pm, Library	26 Family Time @ the Park 10am, Bandshell Park Bookends at the Bandshell 11:30am Bandshell Park Friday Features: Muppet Treasure Island 2pm, City Council Chambers	27 Crochet/Knit Group 9:30-11am Library Teen Advisory Group (TAG) 11am-1pm, Library
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