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Grab & Go Activities Continue

RML continues to offer Grab & Go Activities for kids and teens.

Grab & Go activities are available on a first-come, first-serve basis until gone. New activities are available monthly on the second Wednesday. ♦



MONDAY, AUGUST 9 @ 5PM

RANDY RIBAY

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 @ 7PM

NICKOLAS BUTLER

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21 @ 4PM

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Author Virtual Visit

Randy Ribay, author of the 2021 Teen All Iowa Reads title *Patron saints of nothing*, will appear in a free virtual visit webinar open to the public on **Monday, August 9* at 5pm in the Robey Memorial Library Community Room.**

The webinar is hosted by Iowa Center for the Book and will last about an hour, and the author will discuss the book and answer questions from attendees submitted in the chat window during the webinar.

Want to read the book before the webinar? Ask library staff if the book is available in

the library to check. The title is also available in ebook and audiobook format on BRIDGES.

All Iowa Reads fosters a sense of unity through reading. Iowans are encouraged to come together in their communities to read and talk about a single book title in the same year.

Find out more or register for your own viewing of the webinar at www.IowaCenterfortheBook.org/AIR. ♦

*This is a date change from last month's newsletter.

Thursday Night Book Club

All are welcome! Are you interested in discussing the books you read with other readers? Interested in meeting new people? Are you looking for a new author or genre to read but not quite ready to jump all in? Are you at a loss for what to read next? Join us for Thursday Night Book Club the third Thursday monthly at 6pm.

Book Club meets in-person—to join in virtually contact RML.

2021 Discussion Topics:

- August 19: Set in another country
- September 16: Lady Clementine by Marie Benedict
- October 21: Western
- November 18: Bestseller
- December 16: Short story or Novella



SKILLBUILDING FOR TEENS

PIE MAKING THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 6PM

Workshop for teens 7-12th grade!
Registration required--limit 15 participants.

Level Up Programming for Teens!

RML is offering a new program series for teens. Level Up provides skillbuilding programs for teens in 7th through 12th grade.

The first program in the series is Pie Making on Thursday, August 5 at 6pm.

Teens will learn:

- Tools and ingredients
- Basic crust recipes
- Rolling out a pie crust
- Suggested pie fillings
- Tips and more!

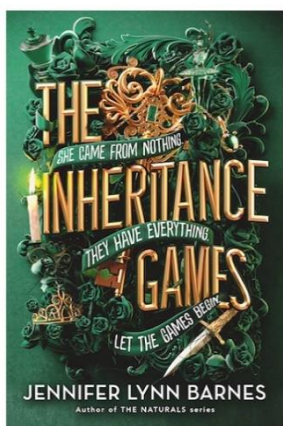
Teens participating will take home a pie crust to fill!

Registration is required for this class and is limited to 15

participants.

Please contact Robey Memorial Library at (563) 568-4424 or <https://www.waukon.lib.ia.us/services/teens/lu> to register. ♦

Next scheduled program: Teens & Taxes on September 23rd!



Teen Summer Book Club

RML invites teens in grades 7 to 12 to Summer Book Club in August.

August's book club will meet on Wednesdays, August 4 and

18 from 10:30-11:30am and discuss *The inheritance games* by Jennifer Lynn Barnes. Contact staff to checkout the book today! ♦

Summer Explorers

Children and families are encouraged to participate in RML's program series, Summer Explorers, ending August 11 at 10:30-11:30 am.

Come prepared for messy fun! *

- Paper Mache* Part 2 of 2 with RML Staff
Finish your paper mache creation with paint.

For more information contact RML. ♦



PINTEREST PROJECTS

FEB | APR | JUN | AUG | OCT | DEC

Second Thursday, 5:30pm
bi-monthly

Pinterest Projects: Book Page Wreath

Pinterest Projects Class resumes on Thursday, August 12 at 5:30pm in the Community Room of RML featuring the project Book Pages Wreath. Transform rolled book pages into a decorative wreath for your home. No pre-registration necessary.

PP is a bi-monthly class featuring a project found on Pinterest and materials will be provided by the library. Pinterest is a visual bookmarking tool that helps you discover and save creative ideas. Contact the library for more information.



Have you tried..?

Services you may not know about!

Community Puzzle

Are you a jigsaw puzzler but don't have room to keep a puzzle going? Are you looking for a relaxing way to spend a few hours?

Stop in and work on our Community Puzzle!



Live & Learn Home Pressure Canning & Dehydrating Class

Allamakee Master Gardeners teach helpful tips and techniques of food preservation.

Thursday, August 26 at 5:30pm



Live & Learn: Home Pressure Canning & Dehydrating

As part of Live & Learn: enriching lives through monthly learning series, RML is offering a Home Pressure Canning and Dehydrating Class on Thursday, August 26 at 5:30 pm in the lower level Community Room.

Attend this FREE presented by Allamakee County Master Gardeners to learn the helpful tips and techniques of food preservation.

Instruction will include using a pressure cooker; using a dehydrator; and answering your food preservation questions.

Registration for this program is encouraged but not required. Contact the Front Desk or reserve your spot online at (563) 568-4424 or www.waukon.lib.ia.us!

Upcoming in the Live & Learn series:

- September 30th, 5:30pm: RML Staff present *Getting Started in Bullet Journaling*
- October 28th, 5:30pm: Sheila Craig presents *Remembering the Apron*
- December 30th, 5:30pm: Documentary

Upcoming Events:

- September Grab & Go
- Thursday Night Book Club
- Virtual Author Visit: Nickolas Butler
- Table Game Day
- Teen Advisory Board begins!
- Live & Learn: Getting Started with Bullet Journaling

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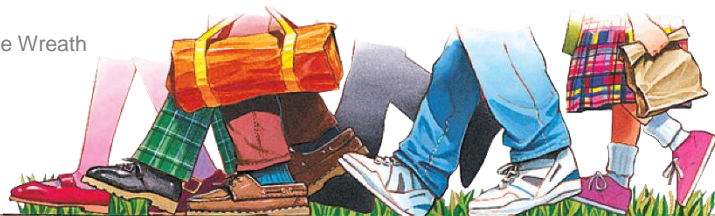
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August Events

- **August 1-31**
Main Street Story Walk: *There are no bears in this bakery* by Julia Sarcone-Roach (begin at Blake Electric)
- **Monday, August 2**
Chess Club, 3-6pm
- **Tuesday, August 3**
Story Time, 10:30am
Stay & Play, 11am
- **Wednesday, August 4**
Teen Book Club-*The inheritance games* (Introduction & Chapters 1-46), 10:30am
- **Thursday, August 5**
Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
Level Up: Pie Making (Registration required), 6pm
- **Monday, August 9**
Chess Club, 3-6pm
- **Tuesday, August 10**
Story Time with Ross: *The Moon*, 10:30am
Library Board Meeting (link available upon request), 4:30pm
- **Wednesday, August 11**
Grab & Go activities available for kids and for teens.
Summer Explorers: RML Staff with Paper Mache Part 2, 10:30am
- **Thursday, August 12**
Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
Pinterest Projects, 5:30pm: Book Page Wreath
- **Monday, August 16**
Chess Club, 3-6pm
- **Tuesday, August 17**
Story Time, 10:30am
- **Wednesday, August 18**
Teen Book Club: *The inheritance games* (Chapters 47-Epilogue), 10:30am
- **Thursday, August 19**
Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
Foundation Book Sale, 2-6pm
Thursday Night Book Club discussing a book set in another country, 6pm
- **Monday, August 23**
Chess Club, 3-6pm
- **Tuesday, August 24**
Story Time, 10:30pm
Afternoon with Ross: *Turtles*, 3:30pm
- **Thursday, August 26**
Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
Live & Learn: Home Pressure Canning & Dehydrating, 5:30pm
- **Monday, August 30**
Chess Club, 3-6pm
- **Tuesday, August 31**
Story Time, 10:30am



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