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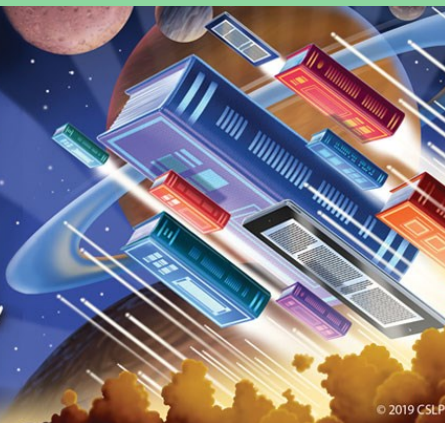


BCL KINDNESS PANTRY

is located beside the book drop near the parking lot and is in need of food donations. Upon observation, it is noted that folks who are using this pantry need ready-to-eat meals. Cans with pop top openings are preferred. Please help us to help the less fortunate. You may also donate children's diapers and other household items.

Take what you need!
Leave what you can!

A UNIVERSE of Stories



A Universe of Stories is the theme for the 2019 Summer Reading Program. Registration begins Tuesday, May 28 and ends Saturday, June 8, 2019. Stop by the Children's Department to register children and stop by the front desk to register adults.

The SRP this year promises to be "out of this world fun!"

The adults will have Reading Bingo again. There will be a weekly drawing for adult participants with gifts provided by the community. The adult SRP packet has instructions and the Bingo card. Pick up the packet upon registration. The grand prize this year is provided by the Dolly Parton Stampede in Branson, MO.

Attend THIS program and have a Magical Afternoon!

Never in the history of the Boone County Library has there ever been an event quite like the one scheduled in the upstairs meeting room for May 14, 2019 beginning at 4:00 p.m. The Teen/YA event is "HARRY POTTER PARTY!" Activities include: House Sorting Station, Horcrux Hunt, Herbology Table, DIY Edible Potions, DIY Wands, *Would You Rather* Harry Potter Edition, snacks, etc. There will be a drawing for the first five Harry Potter books at the end of the program! Wearing costumes is encouraged, but not required. Please sign up in the Children's Department or on their Facebook page.

Harry Potter Party

Children's Department

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Teen/Young Adult events begin at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesdays for 12-18 year olds.

5-7-19 Paper Flowers and Pop-Up Cards

5-14-19 Harry Potter Party. There will be many different activities at this party, from Edible Portions to House Sorting Games. Come in costume if you want to. We will be giving away the first five books from the Harry Potter Series. Sign up in the Children's Department or on their Facebook page.

5-21-19 American Red Cross Presentation with Patsy Dean

May 28-June 8th: Summer Reading Program Registration. Stop by the Children's Department to register for the Summer Reading Program.

After School events begin at 4:00 p.m. on Thursdays for children 6-12 years old.

5-2-19 What a Disaster! We will be learning about infamous disasters like the Titanic and Pompeii. We will be learning about these through books, videos and even experiments.

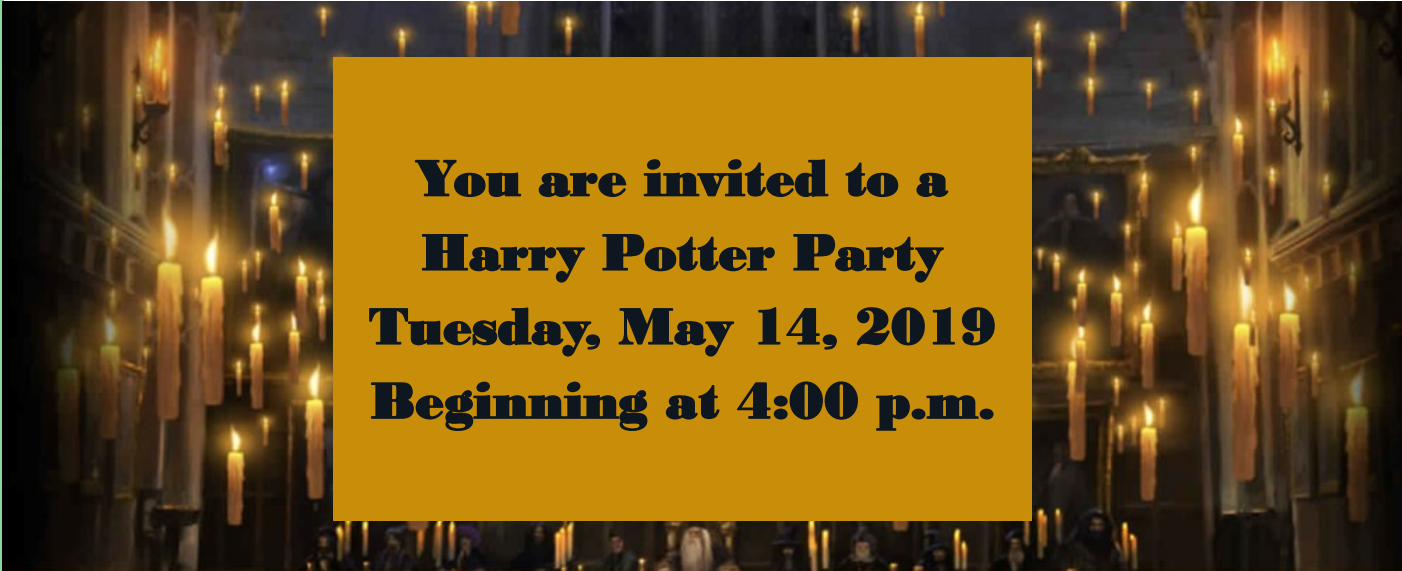
5-9-19 Mother's Day Craft: Tea Cup Card

5-16-19 Farmer and Mrs. Brown Petting Zoo. We will have farm animals outside the library that the children can touch and look at.

5-23-19 Astronomy and Stars with Mark Welch. We are excited to have Mark Welch coming to speak to us about stars and their life cycle. This is a prequel to the Summer Reading Program. There will be hands on activities as well as a virtual night sky!

Story Time is on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. for children 3-5.

Toddler time is on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. for children birth to 3 years old.



**You are invited to a
Harry Potter Party
Tuesday, May 14, 2019
Beginning at 4:00 p.m.**



Harry Potter Party



Adult Programs

May 2019 Adult Programs begin at 5:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted

- 5-2-19 Evening Book Club *"The Forgetting Time"* by Sharon Guskin
- 5-7-19 Whole food/ Plant based cooking class with MaryAnn Kaffenberger
- 5-9-19 (upstairs) Boone County Genealogical society
- 5-9-19 (downstairs) Mother's Day Paper Bouquet Make & Take with Eliza Wainscott
- 5-14-19 (downstairs) Make and Take Bath Bombs with Nicole Rushing
- 5-15-19 12:00 p.m. Noon Book Club *"Light on Snow"* by Anita Shreve
- 5-16-19 African Violet Workshop by Master Gardner, Olena Cooper
- 5-21-19 Third Tuesday Trivia: Elvis Presley
- 5-23-19 Essential Oils Make & Take with Melissa McDonald
- 5-28-19 Buffalo National River Partners: Aquatic Heritage/Stream Communities of the Ozark Highlands
- 5-30-19 Painting with Jean: Flip Flop Fun!



People from the Past

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Ruth Arizona Allen Born: 2 May 1874 Bergman, Boone County, AR

Death: January 1971 Harrison, Boone County, Arkansas

Parents: Dallas and Elvira (Rose) Lovett

Spouse: Lewis Franklyn Allen married: 16 November 1890

Children: Floyd, Roy, Aaron, Arch, _____, and Edna

Religion: First Christian Church baptized in Crooked Creek at age 14.

Allen was Boone County's first Gold Star Mother of World War 1. Her son Roy died in the Battle of Argonne in October of 1918. American Gold Star Mothers is an organization of American mothers who lost their sons or daughters while performing military duties during war time.

Allen was a petite woman who in 1954 at age 80 mowed her lawn, did all her and son Floyd's cooking, cleaning and laundry. She gave praise to the Lord and Dr. Ross Fowler for her good health. She out lived her husband and five of their six children.



Mrs. Tina Farmer, Boone County Library Genealogist, has office hours Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. 870-741-5913 Boone County Genealogical Society Meetings are held the 2nd Thursday of each month at the library at 5:30 pm. Community members are welcome.

Children's Book Sale

Saturday, May 18, 2019

9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



Friends of the Library

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