

The Reading Corner

2015 Summer Library Program

Explore all things Hero this summer as Hortonville Public Library presents *Every Hero Has a Story*. This year we will be having drop in times where you can do projects, experiments and games along with a special Superhero Training Camp on July 2 from 10:00 am until 3:00 pm. The drop in days times are from 9:00 am until noon on June 17, June 25, July 10, July 22, and July 28. See below for all programs.



Monday mornings from June 8 through August 24 we will be showing a new or popular movie at 10:00 am. Come join us!

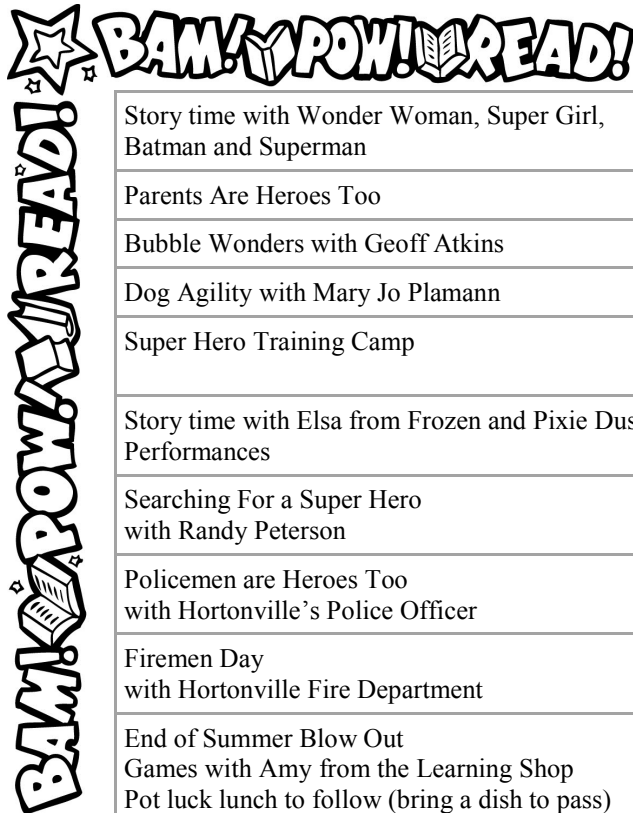
The 2015 Summer Library Program is open to children of all ages. Families are invited to join in the weekly activity sheets that correspond to the program. Registration for *Every Hero Has a Story* is still open. For more information visit hortonvillelibrary.org or our

Library Hours

Monday.....	9-6
Tuesday.....	9-6
Wednesday.....	9-6
Thursday.....	9-6
Friday.....	9-5
Saturday.....	9-12*
Sunday.....	Closed

*The library will be closed on Saturdays from May 30 through September 5

The library will be closed on:
 July 3, 2015
 September 7, 2015
 November 26, 2015
 December 24, 25 & 31, 2015

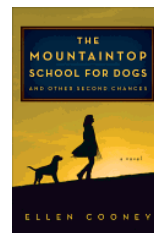


Story time with Wonder Woman, Super Girl, Batman and Superman	Tuesday, June 9	10:30 am
Parents Are Heroes Too	Wednesday, June 17	9:00 am - Noon
Bubble Wonders with Geoff Atkins	Friday, June 19	10:30 am
Dog Agility with Mary Jo Plamann	Thursday, June 25	10:30 am
Super Hero Training Camp	Thursday, July 2	Drop in from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Story time with Elsa from Frozen and Pixie Dust Performances	Tuesday, July 7	10:30 am
Searching For a Super Hero with Randy Peterson	Thursday, July 16	10:30 am
Policemen are Heroes Too with Hortonville's Police Officer	Wednesday, July 22	10:00 am
Firemen Day with Hortonville Fire Department	Tuesday, July 28	10:00 am
End of Summer Blow Out Games with Amy from the Learning Shop Pot luck lunch to follow (bring a dish to pass)	Tuesday, August 4	9:00 am
Timber Rattler Game	Thursday, August 13	7:05 pm

Review Corner

The Mountaintop School For Dogs and Other Second Chances

By Ellen Cooney



In Ellen's words, *The Mountaintop School for Dogs and Other Second Chances* is about a young woman named Evie, who feels she just hatched herself out of an egg. She joins a training program at The Sanctuary, a mysterious mountaintop refuge for rescued dogs, although she has zero previous experience with animals, and little idea of what she's getting into. "All I did with my life before," she points out, "was go to school, read books, and get into a relationship with cocaine."

Her adventure begins at an inn at the foot of the mountain, where she meets the dogs who will be her students—all of them have come from deeply troubled pasts, and all are fully developed, very alive characters. (No, they do not narrate, or think like people. They are animals.)

It's a rehab story and it's often funny. Evie keeps a log of what she's finding out, and gets into things like "alpha is fascist," and "teaching techniques based on pain." The novel follows her in-class experiences and dawning awareness—and The Sanctuary all along is the command center of a national network of rescuers who kidnap chronically abused dogs.

Your Summer 2015 Reading List

As you head to the pool, the lake, or the beach for some much needed R&R this summer, here are a few books we recommend you bring along to keep you entertained:

The Mountaintop School for Dogs by Ellen Cooney
Go Set a Watchman by Harper Lee
All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr
Dead Wake by Erick Larson
The Sun Also Rises by Ernest Hemingway
The Girl On the Train by Paula Hawkins
How To Fly a Horse by Kevin Ashton

In the Unlikely Event by Judy Blume
Etta and Otto and *Russell and James*
Lake Season by Hannah McKinnon
Summer By the Sea by Susan Wiggs
Summer's End by Mary Alice Monroe
The Marriage Season by Linda Lael Miller
The Happy Hour Choir by Sally Kilpatrick

Here are a few suggestions for your kids and young adults:

The Giver by Lois Lowry
The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies
Harris and Me: a summer remembered
by: Gary Paulsen
Island Of the Blue Dolphins
by: Scott O'Dell
The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt
Just Grace by Charise Mericle Harper
Tangerine by Edward Bloor

Okay For Now by Gary D Schmidt
Graceling by Kristin Cashore
The Last Dragonslayer by Jasper Fforde
Mangaman by Barry Lyga & Colleen Doran
A Northern Light by Jennifer Donnelly
Gym Candy by Carl Deuker
The Dead and the Gone by Susan Beth Pfeffer
Grave Mercy by Robin Lafeyers
Ichiro by Ryan Inzana



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