SUMMER READING PROGRAM
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JUNE 1 - AUGUST 14

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SUMMER READING PROGRAM INFO INSIDE!
If you have been to the Library recently, I’m sure you noticed that we have continued to make changes reflective of COVID-19 guidance from local and national sources. We still offer and welcome masks in the building and Bookmobile, but they are no longer required, and all capacity and time limits have been lifted. After months of waiting, your Library is fully open and ready for you!

In addition to the visible changes, we have an exciting update to how we serve our community. Starting July 1, 2022, ICPL will officially be fine-free on all circulating materials! We are proud to announce this change, which is celebrated by not only Library staff and Trustees, but also City Council and City of Iowa City Administration; we collectively hope eliminating fines will bring even more people back to the Library.

Whether you’re a current power patron or haven’t been to the Library in years, please visit us in-person or online, or give us a call. We can’t wait to update you on all the services available at your library and hear your comments and suggestions about what you’d like to see us offer in the future. See you soon!

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May 31 - August 19

All stops are open to the public. The Bookmobile may delay or cancel operation due to inclement weather.

**Monday**
- 9:00-9:45am Lincoln Elementary
- 10:30-11:30am Willow Creek Park
- 1:45-2:00pm Walmart
- 1:30-2:00pm North Dodge Hy-Vee
- 2:15-2:45pm Legacy Independent Living
- 3:00-3:30pm Frauenholtz-Miller Park
- 3:45-4:30pm Lemme Elementary

**Tuesday**
- 9:00-9:30am Pheasant Ridge Neighborhood Center
- 9:45-10:15am Weber Elementary
- 10:30-11:30am Oaknoll Retirement Community
- 11:45-12:15pm Melrose Meadows
- 1:30-2:00pm Alexander Elementary
- 2:15-2:45pm Waterfront Hy-Vee
- 3:15-3:45pm Fin & Feather
- 4:00-4:30pm University Heights Farmers Market

**Wednesday**
- 9:00-9:45am Prelude Behavioral Services
- 10:30-11:30am Wetherby Park
- 11:45am-12:15pm Dream City
- 1:30-2:00pm Dodge Street Coffeehouse
- 2:15-2:45pm Oaknoll East
- 3:00-3:30pm First Avenue Hy-Vee
- 3:45-4:30pm Twain Elementary

**Thursday**
- 10:00-10:30am Sidekick Coffee & Books
- 11:00-1:00pm UI College of Medicine Courtyard
- 4:00-4:45pm Fairmeadows Park
- 5:15-5:45pm GreenState Credit Union
- 6:30-8:00pm Party in the Park

**Friday**
- 9:15-9:45am St. Mark’s United Methodist Church
- 10:30-11:30am Mercer Park
- Noon-12:30pm Breckenridge Estates
- 1:15-2:15 pm, 3rd Friday of Each Month Wilson’s Orchard

**BookWalk**
- Sunday, June 5, 1pm
  - Willow Creek Park
  - 1117 Teg Dr, Iowa City

BookWalk is an interactive way for readers of all ages to enjoy a story and the outdoors. Watch for new stories every month this summer when you visit Willow Creek Park! To find out more visit: [icpl.org/bookwalk](http://icpl.org/bookwalk)

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**Sunday Fun Days!**
- Sundays
- 1-4pm

[icpl.org/bookmobile](http://icpl.org/bookmobile)
LET'S PLAY MONDAY
Let’s Play Monday is a weekly program for all ages. We will be playing a different type of game each Monday from 1-2pm. Participants are free to come and go as they like, and everyone is welcome to join in the fun! Meeting Room A.

June 6 - Seaside Bingo!
June 13 - Yoga Games!
June 20 - Let’s Dance!
June 27 - Life-Size Games!
July 11 - Yoga Games!
July 18 - Bingo Classic!
July 25 - Life-Size Games!
August 1 - Popcorn Challenge!
August 8 - National Parks Bingo!

SPECIAL ACCESS
Special Access encore programs are intended for individuals who are neurodivergent and their families to enjoy the library together in a neutral environment.

Friday Flicks: Encanto
Friday, June 17, 3pm
Let’s Play Monday: Life Size Games
Monday, June 27, 2pm
World Wednesday: Talavera Tiles
Wednesday, July 6, 2pm
SRP Kids: Insect Zoo
Thursday, July 7, 12-12:30pm

HOW-TO TUESDAYS
Elementary-age kids are invited to join us each Tuesday at 1pm to learn a little bit about a fun skill or hobby that maybe they haven’t tried before! We have experts from the community here to teach you the basics! Meeting Room A.

June 7 - Intro to Ballet with the U of I Youth Ballet & Community Dance School
We will learn the basic ballet positions, featuring live piano accompaniment!

June 14 - Intro to Gymnastics with Iowa Gym Nest
Instructors from Iowa Gym Nest will introduce some basic gymnastics skills. Gymnastics is great for kids to develop their kinesthetic awareness, strength, flexibility, and self-esteem!

June 21 - Intro to Karate with Brown’s School of Martial Arts
Have you ever been curious about practicing martial arts? Some of the many benefits of practicing martial arts include building a strong body, a disciplined mind, and a solid skill set.

June 28 - Painting Basics with Brush & Barrel
Stevie Toomey is an instructor from the local business Brush & Barrel, where anyone can be a professional painter! Learn basics of painting and color theory in a one-hour hands on class!

July 5 - Learn how to Weave!
Weaving is an ancient textile art and craft that involves placing two threads or yarn made of fiber onto a warp and weft of a loom and turning them into cloth. Registration encouraged.

How-To Tuesday: Intro to Polymer Clay
Tuesday July 12, 2pm
SRP Kids: The Blank Park Zoo
Thursday, August 4, 11:30am
How-To Tuesday: Learn about Herpetology with Johnson County Conservation
August 9, 2pm
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HOW-TO TUESDAYS

July 12 - Intro to Polymer Clay with Raquel
Polymer clay can be used in an assortment of crafts, including jewelry, home decoration, pottery, and sculpture.

July 19 - Intro to Ceramics with Artist Ryan Bentzinger
Ryan Bentzinger, artist and art teacher at Willowwind, will introduce kids to hand-building techniques. Attendees will be able to pick up their fired piece at a later date from the library. Registration encouraged.

July 26 - Intro to Yoga with Karen Gordon
Join us for a yoga session designed for kids to enjoy, all abilities welcome! For this program, stories and actions will focus on the relaxing practice of yoga!

August 2 - Intro to Embroidery with Mari
Learn a few easy stitches that will have you well on your way to creating a beginner snail pattern. Younger kids may need assistance with small motor skills for the program. Registration encouraged.

August 9 - Learn about Herpetology with Johnson County Conservation
Naturalists from Johnson County Conservation will share their knowledge of the outdoors with us! They will bring native Iowa turtles and snakes to teach us how to be herpetologists.

WORLD WEDNESDAYS

World Wednesdays are the perfect opportunity to learn about and celebrate world cultures! Elementary children are invited to join us on Wednesdays at 1pm in Meeting Room A.

June 8 - Learn Tango with Nora Garda
Come explore the movements of Tango! This event is geared towards kids and families, but all are welcome to join.

June 15 - Tai Chi with Haiming Chen
Join Haiming Chen as he teaches Tai Chi, which involves deep breathing while performing movements in a slow, focused manner.

June 22 - Fonza Drums
Join us for an afternoon of learning and music, and get hands-on experience playing one of the 35 jembe hand or bass drums.

June 29 - Make Colombian Obleas
Obleas are a traditional dessert that are commonly sold on the streets of Bogotá, Colombia. They consist of thin, round wafers with a variety of toppings. Customize your own oblea!

July 6 - Talavera Tiles
Join us as we learn about Mexican Talavera and color your very own tile to take home!

July 13 - Zumba with Rachel
Laugh, dance, and have fun. As long as you’re moving, you’re doing amazing!

July 20 - Learn Basic Spanish Phrases
Come join the fun and start a new adventure that can open many pathways in life. For kids of all ages and families.

July 27 - Songs and Stories in French with the Biger Family
Join us as we explore the culture of France with songs & stories!

August 3 - Korean Jegichagi
Learn to play Jegichagi, a traditional Korean game in which players kick a paper jegi into the air and attempt to keep it aloft.

August 10 - Champagne Irish Dance Iowa
Join the dancers to learn more about Irish culture, language, music, and dance!

August 17 - Explore Russian Culture with Maria
Explore the culture of Russia with Maria! Maria will be sharing her favorite games, songs, stories, and food.
KID PROGRAMS

TOTALLY TWEENS

For students in grades 3-6. These programs are designed just for you – so come ready to experiment and explore new skills and ideas, meet new friends, and have fun!

Thursdays, 4-5pm in Meeting Room A.

**Throwback Crafts**

**June 9**
Enjoy a relaxing afternoon making old-school crafts like duct tape wallets, Perler bead creations, and Shrinky-Dink keychains.

**June 9**

**June 16 - Wilderness Survival Skills**
Learn how to use a compass and compete in a scavenger hunt!

**June 23 - Scientweens**
Get hands-on with science experiments from the IC Science Booster Club.

**June 30 - Mario Kart Tournament**
Engage in a friendly competition playing the popular racing game on the big screen! Registration required.

**July 5 & 19 - Number Ninjas**
Learn how to play Prime Climb! This game combines colors, numbers, strategy and a little bit of luck. Play the life-size version July 5 and the table version July 19.

**July 7 - Knots of Fun!**
Learn two easy patterns and start weaving friendship bracelets!

**July 14 - Will It Waffle?**
Waffling food other than waffles is not just a novelty but an innovation. Join us to put foods other than waffle batter into a waffle iron and find out what happens.

**July 21 - Tree-men-dous Collage!**
Create a mixed media landscape collage using book pages and paint. Registration required.

**July 28 - Earthworm Investigation**
Follow along as we conduct hands-on experiments from *This is a Book to Read with a Worm*, a manual for observing earthworms.

**August 4 - Balloon Animal Workshop**
Learn the basics of one-balloon creations for beginners.

**August 11 - Draw Kawaii Style**
Roughly translated as "cuteness," kawaii describes the Japanese cultural trend of celebrating all things adorable. Join Casey for a tutorial and experiment with drawing your own objects kawaii-style.

**August 18 - Scientweens**
Get hands-on with science experiments from the IC Science Booster Club.
**KID PROGRAMS**

**THURSDAY SPECIALS**

*Catch a new educational program or performance that is suitable for most ages every Thursday!* Choose a morning or afternoon time to see science demonstrations, musicians, magicians, animals and more! **Thursdays at 10:30am or 1pm in Meeting Room A** unless noted.

- **June 9** - **Babaloo: Music & Fun**
  Babaloo is a one-man musical comedy act for kids that will keep you on the edge (and out) of your seats with musical mayhem and lots of laughs!

- **June 16** - **Martika, One Woman Circus Act**
  Martika is an expert performer in the fire, sideshow, and circus arts.

- **June 23** - **The Real Beal’s One-Man Band**
  The Beals are a mechanical one-man band husband and wife team.

- **June 30** - **Musician Dino O’Dell**
  Dino O’Dell will be blasting off with a musical dance party. Dino’s interactive songs and tall tales engage curiosity, inspire laughter and stir the imagination.

- **July 7** - **ISU Insect Zoo**
  The Iowa State University’s Insect Zoo is bringing their fascinating bugs to the library! Drop in to hold and see more than 100 species of LIVE insects.

- **July 14** - **Drum Safari**
  During this high-energy, interactive performance, children are invited to join a musical “safari” with a Kansas City based drumming family, Drum Safari!

- **July 21** - **Oceans of Space with the Science Center of Iowa**
  Learn about the ancient ocean that once covered Iowa in the Devonian period, and explore using the patterns we see on earth to find oceans on other celestial bodies within our solar system.

- **July 28** - **The Comedy Magic of Rick Eugene**
  All ages are invited to attend this funny and family-friendly magic show with Rick “Eugene” Brammer.

- **Meet & Greet with Blank Park Zoo!**
  **August 4, 10:30am only**
  Local residents of the Blank Park Zoo will make an appearance, and a zoo expert will tell us about the animals and answer any questions you have.

- **Cold-Blooded Redhead**
  **August 4, 1pm only**
  Lindsay McDermott is a local reptile enthusiast who has pursued her passion of sharing reptiles/invertebrates with children and families. She will bring several of her various lizards, snakes, arachnids and more to get up close and personal!

- **Last Splash of Summer**
  **August 11, 10am-12pm only**
  Chauncey Swan Park
  Join us to play with bubbles, experience a mega foam blaster and other fun messy and wet games and activities. The Fire Department will be there with fire safety activities as well!

**FRIDAY FLICKS**

**MEETING ROOM A, 1pm**

- **June 10** - **Turning Red**
- **June 17** - **Encanto**
- **June 24** - **Happy Feet**
- **July 1** - **Soul**
- **July 8** - **Sing**
- **July 15** - **Raya and the Last Dragon**
- **July 22** - **Scoob!**
- **July 29** - **Hotel Transylvania**
- **August 5** - **Born in China**
- **August 12** - **Trolls: World Tour**
For students in grades 7-12, no registration needed.

**TEEN PROGRAMS**

**CAMP LOVE YOURSELF**

Mondays are all about giving you tools to get through tough times. Learn about mindfulness, yoga, meditation and most importantly learning how to deal with life when times get hard. When life give you lemons, learn how to make lemonade! Mondays at 1pm, Koza Family Teen Center unless noted.

**June 6 & 20, July 18 - Yoga with Yasmina**
Meeting Room D
Yoga improves flexibility, builds strength and is very calming. Join us in June for a simple yoga practice for all abilities.

**June 13 - Urban Nature Basking with Jason**
Jason will lead us on an urban stroll where he’ll highlight how we can get back to nature even when we’re in the city.

**June 27 - Meditation and Singing Bowls**
Learn about the basics of meditation and sit for a short practice. Singing bowls and meditation resources will be shared.

**July 11 - Scrubs, Balms and Lotions**
Sugar and coffee scrubs are super easy to make and enhance with your favorite scents. We’ll also make balms, lotions, and sunscreens. All supplies provided.

**July 25 - Mandalas**
Come and find peace in symmetry and create a beautiful hand-painted piece of art on a rock.

**CAMP EXPRESS YOURSELF**

In this camp we’ll learn art techniques, dabble in photography and find creative outlets to express yourself. Tuesdays at 1pm, Koza Family Teen Center.

**June 7 - DIY Screen-printing**
We’ll show you simple hacks on how to screen print at home.

**June 14 - Jewelry Making**
Shrinky dinks, beads, clay, and anything needed to make jewelry will be available.

**June 21 - Photography with DJ Freesmeier**
DJ from Frees Frame photography will be here to share his expertise and take us on a tour of the Pedmall. Only your phone is needed.

**June 28 - Costume Design on a Budget**
Learn simple stitches, sewing hacks, and quick costume design.

**July 5 - Mosaic Art**
Using tiny tiles we’ll create a mini masterpiece.

**July 12 - Watercolor Painting**
Illustrator Jo Myers-Walker will walk us through basic watercolor techniques.

**July 19 - Sculpture**
Learn about famous sculptors...and then create a miniature one of your own!

**July 26 - Basic Sketching and Figure drawing**
Learn sketching and figure drawing concepts to help your freehand illustration.

**June 8 - CPR and AED Training**
Accidents can happen anywhere. Be prepared by learning basic CPR and First Aid.

**June 15 - Makeover Takeover - How-Tos with Cosmetics**
Learn all about make-up that’s right for you.

**June 22 - Hair Care - How-Tos on Hair Do’s and Don’ts**
An expert will answer your hair care questions.

**June 29 - Little Free Library Assembly**
Mac will introduce basic tools, and we’ll design and build a Little Free Library.

**July 6 - Bedroom Décor (Windchimes & Photo Art)**
Spruce up your bedroom with windchimes and a photo display.

**July 13 - Little Free Library Work Session & Installation**
Mac is back to paint and assemble the Little Free Library.

**July 20 - Felted Animals**
Alleviate any stress by stabbing some felt and turning it into an adorable little creature.

**July 27 - Back to School DIY Session**
Bling out your locker and organize your work station.

Yes we can! Camp DIY is for you curious innovators, always asking why, how, and when. Each week we’ll have programs that answer your questions, and allow you to think outside the box.

Wednesdays at 1pm, Koza Family Teen Center.

Open Gaming
Every week M-Th, 11am-12pm; 4-8pm
Every Friday, 11am-12pm; 4-7pm

Gaming Tournament
Saturdays this summer, 1-3pm
CAMP ADVOCATE
Think that one person can’t make a difference? Well you’re wrong! As the Dalai Lama said, “If you think you’re too small to make a difference, you haven’t spent a night with a mosquito”. This camp is focused around making a difference in our community. Find opportunities to work on service-oriented projects. Thursdays at 1pm, Koza Family Teen Center.

June 2 - Environmental Justice with 100 Grannies
June 9 - Food Insecurity with Table to Table
June 16 - Fighting Homelessness with UAY’s Hailey Franzen
June 23 - Activism through Art with Public Space One
June 30 - LGBTQIA Rights with Dr. Katie Imborek UIHC LGQIA Clinic
July 7 - Stopping the Stigma of Mental Illness with UAY’s Amy Kahle
July 14 - Urban Habitat and Biodiversity Restoration and Walk with Jason
July 21 - Reproductive Rights & Period Poverty
July 28 - Book Banning & Intellectual Freedom with ICPL

TEEN CAMP CHILLOUT
The Teen Center will be staffed and stocked with snacks so you can come and hang out, beat the heat and relax with some company, activities and one-off programs. Fridays at 1pm, Koza Family Teen Center.

June 3 - The Great Lego Build - Harry Potter As a group we’ll build the epic Great Hall from Harry Potter
June 10 - Stressbusters Make slime & stress balls
June 17 - Watch the film In the Heights
June 24 - Watch the film The Sun is Also a Star
July 1 - The Great Lego Pride Build - Queer Eye set Karamo, Jonathan, Bobby, Antoni and Tan will all be here in lego form!
July 8 - Tabletop Games Board games!
July 15 - Comic Book Hangout Bring your favorite with you or get recommendations.
July 22 - Stressbusters Make slime & stress balls
July 29 - Watch the film Love Simon

SUMMER BOOK CLUBS
This summer we’re reading six books as a group over June and July. You can check the books out on Hoopla, our streaming app, or put a hold on a physical copy. Meet 4-5pm on dates below, Koza Family Teen Center.

Read with Pride
June 28 - Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe by Benjamin Alire Sáenz
July 28 - Fat Angie by E.E. Charlton-Trujillo

Read Brave
June 29 - Graceling by Kristin Cashore
July 29 - Nimona by Noelle Stevenson

Read with Heart
June 30 - The Sun is Also a Star by Nicola Yoon
July 30 - Simon vs. The Homo Sapiens Agenda by Becky Albertalli

TEEN GARDENING
with Grow Johnson County, Iowa City Ped Mall Gardens
Thursday, May 5, 3-5pm - Seed Starting
Thursday, June 2, 3-5pm - Transplanting
Thursday, July 28, 3-5pm - Harvesting

STEM WORKSHOPS
Koza Family Teen Center
Intro to HTML and CSS June 21, 3pm & July 19, 6pm (same class)
Intro to Python June 28, 3pm & July 26, 6pm (same class)

TEEN WRITING WORKSHOP
Matthew and Adam will lead two writing workshops this summer. No experience is necessary.
Comic Book Workshop Thursdays in June, 4-5 pm except June 30, 3-5 pm with final comic presentation
Slam Poetry Workshop Thursdays in July, 4-5 pm except July 28, 3-5 pm with Slam Poetry Contest
ADULT PROGRAMS

BOOK DISCUSSIONS
Registration required for all events. Please sign up at icpl.org/calendar or call 319-356-5200 to reserve your space.

BYOBook
No One is Talking About This
by Patricia Lockwood
Tuesday, June 21 | 7-8pm
Join us for BYOBook Club!

Sci-Fi/Fantasy Book Club
Riot Baby
by Tochi Onyebuchi
Tuesday, July 12 | 7-8pm
Join us for ICPL’s Sci-Fi/Fantasy Book Club! We will meet via Zoom to discuss Riot Baby.

BYOBook
Hidden Valley Road
by Robert Kolker
Tuesday, July 19 | 7-8pm
Join us for BYOBook Club!

All Iowa Reads Book Discussion:
The Butterfly Effect
by Rachel Mans McKenny
Saturday, July 23 | 10:30-11:30am
Meeting Room D
Join us for a discussion of this unconventional tale of self-discovery, navigating relationships, and how sometimes it takes stepping outside of our comfort zone to find what we need the most.

CREATIVITY

Ball Jar Terrariums
Saturday, June 18 | 10-11am | Meeting Room D
Succulent terrarium workshop. Registration required.

ICPL Houseplant Swap
Saturday, July 9, 10am-12pm | Meeting Room A
Love house plants? Want more or want to share what you have? See online calendar for details.

Explore Nature Photography with Bob Sessions
Wednesday, July 13, 7pm | Meeting Room A
Iowa City author and photographer Bob Sessions will discuss nature photography and how he shares his work on Instagram.

LET'S TALK BOOKS
Not a traditional book group, Let’s Talk Books is a series of casual online conversations about our favorite books. Join us for your favorite genres to chat with like-minded readers. Bring a couple of recommendations to share, or just join in to hear what everyone else enjoys. Registration required.

Let’s Talk Books: LGBTQ Fiction
Tuesday, June 14 | 7pm
Reading fiction written by authors who identify as LGBTQ+ or that has LGBTQ+ characters lets people see inside a world they may not be familiar with, but more importantly it also lets LGBTQ+ individuals see themselves in popular fiction.

Let’s Talk Books: Epistolary Fiction
Tuesday, June 28 | 7pm
Epistolary fiction is defined as fiction written mainly in the form of documents – letters, diary entries, newspaper clippings, or emails.

Let’s Talk Books: Conspiracies
Tuesday, July 12 | 7pm
A subgenre of thrillers, conspiracies often involve a protagonist who accidentally starts a chain of events that uncovers a vast, layered crimes.

Let’s Talk Books: True Crime
Tuesday, July 26 | 7pm
Why do we read true crime? Mostly it’s because we like to be scared. The fact that what you are reading actually happened takes the thrills and chill to a deeper level.

Let’s Talk Books: My Favorite Reads This Year
Tuesday, August 9 | 7pm
What are your favorite reads of 2022? Join us to share!

Craft Night in the Lab
Monday, July 18 | 7-8:30pm | Digital Media Lab
Bring your own portable craft project or make a free shrinky dink and/or 2.25” button in the company of other makers.

Mandala Rock Painting for Adults
Thursday, July 28, 7-8pm | Meeting Room D
Creating mandalas, the geometric repetitive patterns is both relaxing and meditative. Join ICPL staff as we explore creating our own rock mandalas. Registration required.
TECHNOLOGY CLASSES
Registration required for most classes. Please sign up at icpl.org/calendar or call 319-356-5200. For adults & teens.

How to Find a Good Book
Thursday, June 2 | 6-7pm

eBooks in Libby & Hoopla
Friday, June 3 | 10:30am

Creating Graphics in Illustrator
Thursday, June 9 | 7pm

Buy, Sell, & Share on Facebook
Friday, June 10 | 10:30am

Tour of the Digital Media Lab
Thursday, June 16 | 3:30pm
Thursday, August 25 | 5:30pm

Layout and Printing Using InDesign
Thursday, June 16 | 7pm

Photoshop for Beginners
Thursday, June 23 | 7pm

Text Effects in Illustrator
Thursday, July 14 | 7pm

Mac Computer Drop-In
Friday, July 15 | 10:30am

Intermediate Photoshop
Thursday, July 21 | 7pm

Twitter Tips & Tricks
Friday, July 22 | 10:30am

Intro to Coding with Python, Part 1
Thursday, August 4 | 7pm

Intro to Coding with Python, Part 2
Thursday, August 11 | 7pm

To Do Apps and Websites
Friday, August 12 | 10:30am

Intro to TikTok
Thursday, August 18 | 7pm

Intro to Wacom Drawing Tablets
Friday, August 26 | 10:30am

ACTIVITIES
An Evening Hike at Cangleska Wakan Park
Wednesday, June 1 | 6-8pm
4045 245th St NE, Solon
Join us for an evening hike at the Johnson County Conservation’s Cangleska Wakan park led by Johnson County Conservation naturalist Kristin Morrow. Registration required.

Guided Tour of the Grow Johnson County Farm
Saturday, June 11, 9-11am
4811 Melrose Ave, Iowa City
A guided tour of Grow: Johnson County’s five acre farm located at the site of the Johnson County Historic Poor Farm. Registration required.

Prairie Plants for Perennial Gardening
Wednesday, June 15 | 7-8pm
Livestream + Meeting Room A
Guest Tyler Baird, IC Superintendent of Parks & Forestry, will highlight the role native prairie plants can play in a perennial garden. Benefits of prairie natives will be discussed along with creative ways to include them in your gardens.
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STORIES IN THE PARK

June 6-August 12
Mondays | 10:30am - Willow Creek Park
Tuesdays | 10:30am - Pedestrian Mall Park
(Wednesday | 10:30am - Wetherby Park
(Friday | 10:30am - Mercer Park

The ICPL Bookmobile will also be available Mondays, Wednesdays, and
Fridays for you to check out books, get a library card and to sign up for
the Summer Reading Program! If it rains, storytime will be canceled, but
the Bookmobile will still be available.

There will be no Stories in the Park or Bookmobile services on these holidays:
Monday, June 20, Juneteenth Observed
Monday, July 4, Independence Day

Party in the Park
Thursdays | 6:30-8pm
Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and join other
neighbors for an evening of fun and entertainment
in a different local park each week. Enjoy live music,
arts and crafts, and ice cream. This is a free event
and is open to the public. Find the Bookmobile here!

June 2 - McPherson
June 9 - Scott
June 16 - Thornberry -
Yappy Hour
July 23 - Glendale
June 30 - Willow Creek
July 7 - Wetherby

July 14 - Mercer
July 21 - Kiwanis
July 28 - S. Hickory Hill
August 4 - Frauenholtz Miller
August 11 - Hunters Run
August 18 - N. Market Square