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Friends of the Oregon Library Fall Book Sale

Saturday, October 14th

Oregon Youth Center

110 N Oak St, Oregon, WI

The funds raised by our book sales help to support library programs throughout the year!

Book Sale Volunteers Needed!

Sale Set Up Friday, October 13 6:00PM-8:30PM

Sale Clean Up Saturday, October 15 3:00PM-4:30PM

Please contact Sue Johnson at 608-835-5916 for more information or to sign up

Did you know that donations to the Friend of the Oregon Library qualify as charitable donations? Ask your employer if they match your donation!

We are accepting book and media donations!

The following donations are accepted:

Books (hard back and paper back) in good condition

Movies DVD or Blu-Ray only

Music on CD

Jigsaw puzzles (with all the pieces)

Books on CD

Board games (with all the pieces)

Video games (Wii, Playstation, Xbox, etc.)

If you have more than 2 boxes to donate, please contact the library before dropping off your donation. Call 608-835-3656 or email orelib@oregonlibrary.org

Sorry, we can not accept magazines, books missing pages or covers, damaged books, VHS movies, manuals, encyclopedias, technology and text books that are more than 10 years old, series romances (Harlequin, Silhouette etc.) and Readers Digest Condensed Books.

New Library Update

We are excited to see the new library taking shape at 200 N. Alpine Parkway!



The new library will include more space for all ages along with a reading room, study rooms, and community meeting spaces. We can't wait to welcome you into our new space! Contact Jennifer Endres Way, Library Director, at (608) 835-2322 or jway@oregonlibrary.org with questions about the new library.

Thank you, Friends!

Thank you, Friends, for being fantastic supporters of the summer library program. We gave out 505 books to children and teens and hosted several family events with an attendance of over 600. It would not be possible without your support!



Fall Program Preview

Morning Storytimes for Ages 0-6 (Sept. 12 - Nov. 15) Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 10:00 am to 10:30 am

Baby Storytime for Ages 0-18 months (Sept. 14 - Nov. 16) Thursdays, Two sessions -9:30 am to 10:00 am AND 11:00 am to 11:30 am

Pajama Storytime Mondays at 6:00 pm on September 18, October 16, and November 20.

Saturday Storytime Saturdays at 10:00 am on September 9, October 14, November 11, and December 9.

Path Lit by Lightning - Author Visit

Thursday, September 14, 6:30 – 7:30 pm at Oregon Area Senior Center and online.

In *Path Lit by Lightning*, Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist and bestselling author David Maraniss shares Jim Thorpe's life story. Known for his meticulous research, Maraniss paints an unforgettable portrait of Thorpe. For adults. **Registration required.**

House Plant Swap

Thursday, September 21, 6:00 – 7:00 pm at Waterman Triangle Park, 121 Janesville St. Bring a healthy, pest-free house plant (or rooted cutting in water) in a container, meet up with other house plant enthusiasts, and swap plants. For adults. **Registration required.**

Oregon Area Historical Society Presents...

Thursday, October 12, 6:30 – 7:30 pm at Oregon Area Senior Center and online.

Learn about the history of churches, police and fire departments, and the Steinhauer family in Oregon! For adults. **Registration requested**.

Stargazing Party

Wednesday, October 18, 7:00 – 8:00 pm at Oregon Library outdoors

John Heasley, an Astronomy Educator from Driftless Stargazing, will set up a telescope and binoculars outside the Library. Viewers will get to enjoy the craters of the Moon, the moons of Jupiter, and rings of Saturn. For all ages. **Registration Required.**