

Books and More

A Newsletter of the Dundee Library

June 2019

June Calendar

- *June 3rd, Monday, 4pm, Book Riot-In 4 sessions this month we begin a book club for our youngsters. Just bring yourself and an open mind and a willing heart! Our first selection is the graphic novel Amulet by Kazu Kibuishi. It follows the adventures of Emily who discovers a magical amulet in her great-grandfather's house. During each meeting we'll also have an activity such as Make your own amulet, slime, make your own robot and a "what happens next?" graphic novel page.*
 - *June 4th, Tuesday, 3pm, Play and Grow- an indoor/outdoor playdate at the library. We have gardening activities and yard games for outdoor play and board/card games, a kitchen playset, or Legos to play inside.*
 - *June 5th, Wednesday, 3pm- Art Club-Make a masterpiece using Q-tips. The design will resemble dandelions gone to seed.*
 - *June 6th, Thursday, 10:30am Story Time- Father's Day- Get ready for Father's Day. Get ideas from our stories about nice things to do for Dad and create a special gift.*
 - *June 6th, Thursday, 3pm Aspiring Chefs- Space Shakes - Cornell Cooperative Extension and Yates County 4-H invites Yates County youth to make Space Shakes! We will kick off the Collaborative Summer Library Program theme of learning about outer space. Learn how astronauts eat while on space missions and create a space food shake. Youth will pick from supplied ingredients and see what it would be like to eat and prepare food in space.*
 - *June 7th, Friday, 3pm, Sprouts- Our newest club is for young and old and will be offered every Friday. Help us tend to our garden*
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June is Fine-Free Month

Do you have a library book that you just keep forgetting to return? Have you finally found that library DVD that went missing a few weeks ago? Did anyone bring home a book from the library that was not actually checked out at the desk? During the month of June we are waiving all late fees. As a service to all library cardholders, all fines will be forgiven for overdue items brought in during June. We appreciate your support.

With summer arriving this month it is a good time to come in for a library card if you don't already have one. We have lots of great books for your summer reading pleasure. A book is a very relaxing way to spend vacation time on the patio or beach. If you already have a library card, encourage your friends, neighbors and relatives to stop in and see what we have to offer and to pick up a new library card.

Fundraiser Barbeque at Oak Hill

On Saturday, June 8th, from 11-3pm (or until sold out) stop at the Oak Hill Bulk Food Store on Route 14A for their famous barbeque. The proceeds will benefit the Dundee Library Building Fund. Board members and volunteers will be manning the barbeque booth at the pavilion next to the store, so stop and say hello while enjoying a delicious meal. See you there!

We're Getting Crafty!

The June craft will be a country style American flag made with paint stirring sticks that you will be able to hang on a door or wall. All adults and older teens are welcome. Please call the library at 243-5938 or sign up at the library so enough kits can be made.

The August 10th craft will be hanging lanterns for your yard or patio made out of a canning jar, cloth, beads, and wire.

Support St. Jude Children's Hospital

Donate your aluminum flip tabs from drinks and cat food cans to St. Jude's. We have a collection jar near the front desk. Don't know if your tab is aluminum or steel? Aluminum won't stick to a refrigerator magnet. Thank you for helping.

Library Building Fund

Anyone wishing to donate to the Library Building Fund may send a check made out to **Dundee Library** with the notation **Library Building Fund** on the memo line. You may send it to Dundee Library, 32 Water St, Dundee, NY, 14837. We really appreciate your continued support of your local community library. Your generosity today will reap rewards for our children and for future generations.

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and share your gardening skills. Rain or shine

- June 8th, Saturday, 11am-3pm Oak Hill Barbeque to benefit Dundee Library (see article above)
- June 10th, Monday, 3pm- Book Riot (see above)
- June 11th, Tuesday, 3pm, Father's Day Cards- Make Dad a one of a kind handmade card to say I love you and thank you for being my Dad. These cards made from scrapbooking materials look pretty impressive!
- June 12th, Wednesday, 3pm, Graphic Novel Design Club- Work on a page as a group or individually and use onomatopoeia to provide narrative to our graphic panels.
- June 13th, Thursday, 10:30am- Story Time: Flags Flag Day is June 14th so celebrate our red white and blue. Learn about the colors and shapes found on our nation's flag. Paint your own flag when you visit.
- June 13th, Thursday, 3pm-Aspiring Chefs: Lemon Blueberry Cupcakes- If these taste as good as they look, hold on to your hats! I can't wait to taste this lemon cake made from scratch. Blueberries give the frosting a blast of color and a punch of flavor!
- June 14th, Friday, 3pm, Sprouts (see above)
- June 15th, Saturday, 11am, Craft: Country style American Flag for adults and older teens
- June 17th, Monday, 4pm, Book Riot (see above)
- June 17, Monday, 5pm, Library Board Meeting- Public welcome
- June 18th, Tuesday, 3pm, Play and Grow (see above)
- June 19th, Wednesday, 3pm, Machine Sewing-Mazes Practice your sewing machine agility and create a fun game to play on your next road trip!
- June 20th, Thursday, 10:30am, Story Time- It's a Zoo- Have you visited a zoo? Our stories will teach us who or what you might see at a zoo. Snack on animal crackers. Oscar from Tails for Tales will be here to pet and read to.
- June 20th, Thursday, 3pm Aspiring Chefs- Taco Bar Make taco seasoning and sauce from scratch! Then build your own taco with cheese, lettuce, olives, guacamole and sour cream. Hard or soft taco.
- June 21st, Friday, 3pm, Sprouts (see above)
- June 24th, 4pm, Book Riot (see above)

* June 25th, Tuesday, 3pm- Everybody Dance Now! Music, bubbles, quick stories and a light snack will keep your little one moving and grooving at this preschool dance party.

* June 26th, Wednesday, 3pm-School's Out Celebration School's out for the Summer! It's time to party! Share some snacks with friends and enjoy a party in the garden! Get a jump on your summer reading by signing up for our Summer Reading Program and pick out a new book to read.

* June 27th, Thursday, 10:30am- Story Time- Summer- It's Summer! Time to have a picnic and outdoor story time. We'll sink our teeth into seasonal picnic snacks and enjoy the sunshine and outdoor games!

* June 27th, Thursday, 3pm- Aspiring Chefs- New York Style Pizza- Love thin crust Pizza! Learn about proofing your dough overnight in the refrigerator. Make your own sauce, add your own toppings to your own mini pizza.

* June 28th, Friday, 3pm Sprouts (see above)

Summer Concert Series

Dundee Library, Our Town Rocks, and The Dundee Rotary are partnering to present the 2019 Dundee Summer Concert Series. The concerts will be held on Thursday evenings at Seneca Street Park starting at 6:30pm. Bring your own lawn chairs or blanket.

Concerts will run from July 11th to August 14th. When the details are finalized we will publish a full list of performers. Look for information on our website, the library column in The Observer and in our July newsletter.

The Children's Corner

June suggestions for Father's Day:
Happy Father's Day, by Steven Kroll
My Dad, My Hero, by Ethan Long
The 10 Best Things About My Dad, by Christine Loomis

Here are some beautiful books:
Sometimes You Fly, by Katherine Applegate
A Plane Goes Ka-Zoom, by Jonathan London
Naughty Little Monkeys, by Jim Aylesworth and illustrated by Henry Cole.