



# August, 2021 NEWSLETTER

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## LOCATION

102 West Third Street  
Phone: 815-625-1370

## LIBRARY HOURS

Monday-Friday  
Open 9 AM-5 PM

Saturday  
Open 9 AM-1 PM

Sunday  
**Closed**

## Current Programs

**FEED THE CHILDREN ON WEDNESDAYS  
THROUGH AUGUST 11, 2021, 12 noon**

## FIND US ONLINE

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### **Friday, August 6, 2021**

Join us at the Sterling Mercantile Pavilion next to the Farmer's Market at 106 Ave A for a Fun Fair. **The Fun Fair is from 11:00AM-2:00 PM.** There will be all kinds of entertainment. The library will have a game booth, and participants can win prizes. Miss Mary and Miss Regina hope to see you there!

### **Preschool Story Times**

Preschool story times are scheduled to begin Monday, September 13, 2021 in person at the library. These story times are for toddlers through preschoolers. Miss Mary is looking forward to once again having the children in the library for programs. Look for more information in upcoming newsletters.

### **Lego Club**

Lego Club will be returning this fall for school age children. There will be two sessions on Saturday, September 18, 2021 . Session 1-Creative Projects is at 10:00 AM and Session 2-Computer Powered Projects is at 11:00 AM. Registration will be required and begins September 1, 2021.

### **Used Book Sale**

The library will be having a used book sale this fall. It is scheduled for Saturday, September 25, 2021. Mark that date on your calendar.

### **Author Fair**

Plans are currently being made to hold our third Author Fair. This will be held on Saturday, December 4, 2021. We welcome back this popular event.





SUMMER



READING



FUN



# Director's Corner



**The Library Board wishes to express their appreciation to the community for all of the financial support for the copper banding project over the last couple of years. We are happy to report that through your support we were able to retire the debt last month. The library received many donations from 50 cents to thousands of dollars, all which affirms the Board's decision to replace the copper with new copper. Thank you again for your support!!**

**I am happy to report the library replaced an old drinking fountain, which was leaking, with a fountain that fills water bottles along with providing a cool refreshing drink from the spigot. It is located next to the elevator in the juvenile department. Give it a try next time you're in!**



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