

PROGRAMS & SPECIAL DATES AT THE BEMIDJI PUBLIC LIBRARY

February 2010

ALL MONTH	The Art Wall display features paintings by Ron Lyman
ALL MONTH	The front hallway “south” display case has an exhibit by the Northern Dental Access Center
ALL MONTH	The front hallway “north” display case has an exhibit about the Library’s Winter Reading Program
Monday Feb. 1, 12:00 noon	Book discussion program “Abercrombie Trail” by Candace Simar. The author will be with us to lead the discussion
Monday Feb. 1, 5:00 p.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Love Your Library” and “Read Every Day”
Monday Feb. 1, 7:00 p.m.	Library Manager monthly presentation to City Council. Topics: A discussion of our partnerships with community organizations, and a review of our upcoming events
Tuesday Feb. 2 8:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Senior Surf computer training classes. Call 751-3963 for reservations
Tuesday Feb. 2, 10:00 a.m.	Bemidji Library’s Book Festival planning committee meeting in the front meeting room. The meeting is open to the public.
Tuesday Feb. 2, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Love Your Library” and “Read Every Day”
Wednesday Feb 3, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Love Your Library” and “Read Every Day”
Thursday Feb. 4, 10:30 a.m.	Lapsit program for two year olds (and an adult lap) with the theme “Love Your Library” and “Read Every Day”
Thursday Feb. 4, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Senior Surf computer training classes. Call 751-3963 for reservations
Thursday Feb. 4, 7:00 p.m.	Book discussion program “Abercrombie Trail” by Candace Simar.
Saturday Feb. 6, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Love Your Library” and “Read Every Day”
Monday Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Friendship Week”
Tuesday Feb. 9, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Friendship Week”
Wednesday Feb. 10, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Friendship Week”
Thursday Feb. 11, 10:30 a.m.	Lapsit program for two year olds (and an adult lap) with the theme “Friendship Week”
Saturday Feb. 13, 10:30 a.m.	Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme “Friendship Week”
Monday Feb. 15 ALL DAY	LIBRARY IS CLOSED ALL DAY TO HONOR THE PRESIDENT’S HOLIDAY

- Tuesday Feb. 16, 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. Senior Surf computer training classes. Call 751-3963 for reservations
- Tuesday Feb. 16, 10:00 a.m. Bemidji Library's Book Festival planning committee meeting in the front meeting room. The meeting is open to the public.
- Tuesday Feb. 16, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "Love Your Pet Week"
- Tuesday Feb. 16, 5:00 p.m. Library Board meeting in the front meeting room. The meeting is open to the public.
- Wednesday Feb. 17, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "Love Your Pet Week"
- Thursday Feb. 18, 10:30 a.m. Lapsit program for two year olds (and an adult lap) with the theme "Love Your Pet Week"
- Thursday Feb. 18, 7:00 p.m. Kent Nerburn, author of "Neither Wolf nor Dog" and "The Wolf at Twilight" among other books, will speak at the Library <http://kentnerburn.com/>
- Saturday Feb. 20, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "Love Your Pet Week"
- Saturday Feb. 20, POSTPONED B.A.R.C. reading and literacy program for school age children. POSTPONED THIS MONTH Call 751-3963 to make a reservation for March 20
- Monday Feb. 22, 5:00 p.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "I Love Polar Days"
- Tuesday Feb. 23, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "I Love Polar Days"
- Wednesday Feb. 24, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "I Love Polar Days"
- Thursday Feb. 25, 10:30 a.m. Lapsit program for two year olds (and an adult lap) with the theme "I Love Polar Days"
- Saturday Feb. 27, 10:30 a.m. Storytime & activities for pre-K and younger school-age children with the theme "I Love Polar Days"

Looking Ahead To March 2010 & beyond

Storytime programs for children ages 3 – 5 and a little older will take a break the week of March 1.

Programs will continue beginning the week of March 8
on Monday evenings at 5:00, Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday mornings at 10:30 a.m.

Lapsit program for two year olds (and an adult lap)

Programs will continue on Thursday mornings at 10:30 beginning Thursday March 11.

B.A.R.C. reading and literacy program for school age children will continue once a month on Saturday's

3/20, 4/17 & 5/15 from 2:00 - 4:00. Call 751-3963 to make a reservation. Parent permission form required.

Senior Surf computer training classes will continue throughout the winter.

Call 751-3963 for a schedule and to make a reservation

The Friends of the Library brown bag lunch series will continue later in the winter and in the spring with the

Gardening/Nature series in collaboration with the Beltrami County Master Gardeners.

Singer/songwriter Elisa Korenne will perform at the Library on Saturday March 6 at 4:00 p.m.

Authors William Kent Krueger, Carl Brookins, and Ellen Hart will perform as the Minnesota Crime Wave

on Saturday March 27 at 4:00 p.m.. Their presentation will be equal parts murder mystery and humor.

Douglas Wood will appear at the Library on Monday, April 5 at 7:00 p.m. Douglas Wood has been called

Minnesota's "renaissance man" — author, artist, musician, naturalist, wilderness guide

Future events also include Angela Foster, Barbara Sommer, Anton Treuer, Lefi Enger and Jim Proebstle among others