



Sumner Public Library

Behind every great community is a great library.

**April
2018**

Library Hours:
Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday:
9:00am to 8:00pm
Tuesday & Friday:
1:00pm to 5:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am to 4:00pm



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Online resources/Databases:

This month's featured database is Gardening, Landscape & Horticulture Collection. Links can be found on the Sumner Public Library website. www.sumner.lib.ia.us



Garden Stepping Stones—Saturday, April 21, 9-10am

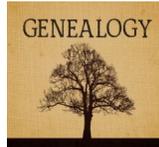
Create your own Garden Stepping Stone At the library. We will supply the cement and some glass gems. You may bring other items to add to your stone. Foot and hand prints of younger members of your family are great additions to a stone and provide a memory to last through the years. (Don't forget Mother's Day is just around the corner.) Space is limited. Pre-registration required with a \$2.00 deposit to reserve your spot.



Genealogy & Local History—Monday, April 23 at 6:30PM

(4th Monday each month)

April's speaker is Elaine Eadie, an orphan train historian from Waukon. Much of her knowledge was gleaned first-hand, through her father, Gilbert, who, along with his brother, arrived in Waukon on the orphan train over 100 years ago.



Between 1854 and 1929, nearly 200,000 children, ranging in age from infants to 14 or 15, were transported from New York City to the homes of farm families in almost every state, particularly in the Midwest. The stories of the individual children involved in this great migration have nearly all been lost in the attic of American history. You won't want to miss this amazing story of our Iowa history.

If you are interested in genealogy & local history, join us from 6:30-7:30PM on the fourth Monday of every month. Come for the speaker and stay for the discussion. Share your successes and difficulties with others in your search of the past.

Sumner Public Library Foundation:

A donation was made to the Sumner Public Library Foundation in memory of *Georgia Gitch* by her family.

Kindness Rocks!

Join us in the program room from 9AM-12 PM on Saturday April 14 to decorate Kindness Rocks.

The goal of the Kindness Rock movement is to spread kindness, cheer, bring hope and smiles to people in the community by decorating and "hiding" kindness around town.



April 8-14, 2018

LIBRARIES LEAD NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK 2018

Today's libraries lead their communities and transform lives every day. From education to job resources to lifelong learning and recreation, your library provides access to the programming and services you need to you reach your potential and grow as a leader. During the month of April, we encourage you to tell your story of how the library has enriched and added value to your life and/or the lives of those around you by clicking on the link on our website or Facebook page.

Kid's Corner!

Summer Reading Program planning is in full swing! The summer program will run weekly from June 13– August 1 (skipping July 4). The theme *Libraries Rocks* will have kids rocking and rolling throughout the summer while they earn small weekly prizes leading up to our final party, with larger prizes, on August 1. Performers have also been scheduled including **Duke Otherwise** and **Blank Park Zoo!**



Be sure to keep a look out for packets coming home with Durant Students or stop in at the library and grab information to sign your kids up for this highly educational and ROCKING opportunity!



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
1-Easter -April Fool's Day	2  Coffee Time: 9AM-Noon  Movie 1:30-3:00pm	3	4  Toddler StoryTime: 10:00AM  Card Game: Schafkopf (Sheepshead) 1:00-3:30pm  Youth Shelf Elves: 1:30-3:00pm	5 Foot Clinic: 9AM-12PM   Knit & Crochet Group 11AM-Noon  Card Game: 500 1:00-3:30PM  Math Tutoring 4:00PM	6	7	
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15	16  Coffee Time: 9AM-Noon	17 Tech Device Workshop: 4-6PM 	18  Toddler StoryTime: 10:00AM  Card Game: Schafkopf (Sheepshead) 1:00-3:30PM	19  Knit & Crochet Group 11AM-Noon  Card Game: 500 1:00-3:30PM  Math Tutoring 4:00PM Evening Storytime 6-7pm 	20 Book Discussion Groups: 9:00AM 	21 Stepping Stones: 9-10am 	
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