



# Sumner Public Library

Behind every great community is a great library.

January  
2020

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



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## JOIN OUR ADULT BOOK CLUBS:

### Evening Book Club:

Meets January 9 @ 6:00PM and will be discussing *The Rosie Project* by Graeme Simsion.

### In the Stacks Book Discussion:

Meets January 17 @ 9:00AM and will be discussing *Mosquitoland* by David Arnold.

### Friday Morning Book Discussion:

meets January 17 @ 9:00AM and will be discussing *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles.

Stop in and pick up your copy today!



## TEEN BOOK CLUB:

Tuesday, January 7th @ 4:00PM.

Encourage the teen in your life to join our Teen Book Club. We will meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 4:00PM.

Students from 7th thru 12th grade are encouraged to join and bring a friend!

Next meeting we will discuss *The Golden Compass* by Philip Pullman. Copies can be picked up at the library now!



## ESCAPE THE LIBRARY:

Adult players (15+) can sign up to take on the *Trapped in the UpsideDown: Stranger Things*

Escape the Room Challenge!

On Saturday, January 18th, groups start times are 9:15AM, 10:30AM, and 11:45AM. \*\*

\*\*8-10 per group– Registration is mandatory\*\*



## Get Homework Help with HelpNow

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**ADULTS** - study for the GED, US Citizenship, and more  
**WRITERS** - get feedback on your work!  
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The full-service test center offers practice tests for all levels in math, reading, and writing as well as college preparatory tests - including the SAT.

The link to access HelpNow can be found on the home page of our website: <https://www.sumner.lib.ia.us/>



## MONTHLY CRAFTS:

### Formula Can Coin Bank

Jan. 2nd @ 5:30 PM & Jan. 6th @ 12:30 PM

Join us as we repurpose and reuse a formula can to create a coin bank. Start the year off saving for a special item or trip with this fun craft. \*\*



### Lip Scrub & Balm

Jan 16th @ 5:30 PM

Participants will learn how to make & take home their own lip scrub and lip balm.\*\*



\*\*Pre-registration & \$5.00 deposit fee is required &

Ages 12+\*\*

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Monthly Poem:</b> Sometimes the smallest step in the right direction ends up being the biggest step of your life. —Naeem Callaway</p>	<p><b>Wonderous Words:</b> Afflatus (noun): Inspiration; an impelling mental force acting from within  Ameliorate (verb): get better; to make better</p>		<p>1-New Year's Day</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;"><b>Closed</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>2</p> <p><b>Foot Clinic:</b>  9AM-12PM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>500</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p> <p><b>Coin Bank Craft:</b> 5:30-6:30PM </p>		
	<p>6</p> <p><b>Coin Bank Craft:</b> 12:30-1:30PM </p> <p><b>BINGO</b> 2:30-3:30</p>		<p>8</p> <p><b>Toddler StoryTime:</b>  10:00AM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>Schafkopf (Sheepshead)</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>	<p>9</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>500</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p> <p><b>Evening Book Club:</b> 6:00-7:00PM </p>		
			<p>15</p> <p><b>Toddler StoryTime:</b>  10:00AM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>Schafkopf (Sheepshead)</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>	<p>16</p> <p><b>Library Board Meeting:</b> 8:00AM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>500</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p> <p><b>Lip Scrub &amp; Balm Comfort Craft:</b> 5:30-6:30PM </p>	<p>17</p> <p><b>Book Discussion Groups:</b>  9:00AM</p>	<p>18</p> <p><b>Escape the Library:</b>  9:15AM, 10:30AM, &amp; 11:45AM</p>
	<p>20-Martin Luther King Jr. Day</p>	<p>21</p> <p><b>U.S. Cellular Tech Workshop:</b> 4-5:00PM </p>	<p>22</p> <p><b>Toddler StoryTime:</b>  10:00AM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>Schafkopf (Sheepshead)</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>	<p>23</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>500</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>		
			<p>29</p> <p><b>Toddler StoryTime:</b>  10:00AM</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>Schafkopf (Sheepshead)</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>	<p>30</p> <p><b>Card Game:</b>  <b>500</b> 1:00-3:30PM</p>		