



December 2024 - February 2025

REINDEER CHEER

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Central Library Ashwaubenon Branch Bookmobile Denmark Branch

NEW EVENT

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FEATURED EVENTS

REINDEER CHEER





EA Thursday, December 12 | 4:00 - 7:00 pm

Reindeer Cheer is a fun family event featuring live reindeer from **Santa's Crew** in Luxemburg! Enjoy a reindeer-viewing area, performances by **singers from the Preble High School Choir**, a photo station, crafts, and more. Apple cider and hot chocolate will be served.

> A Friends of the Brown County Library Signature Event



FAMILY FUN OVER BREAK

COMEDYCITY

Thursday, December 26 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Get ready to laugh with live improv comedy performed by **ComedyCity**! This familyfriendly show will use audience suggestions to determine the theme of comedic scenes and games. Hilarious fun for all ages!

WACKY WINTER SCIENCE SHOW



Monday, December 30 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

This dynamic and interactive science show is fun for the whole family! **Mad Science Milwaukee** will present wacky winter science as they defrost a snowman right before your eyes, display hair-raising fun as you learn about static electricity with Van de Graaff's generator and more! Fun for all ages!

Friends of the Brown County Library Signature Events



JUMPSTART YOUR SPRING GARDEN



Saturday, January 18 | 1:00 - 3:00 pm



Learn what kinds of seeds can be winter sown (natives and veggies), as well as when and how to sow them, including seed stratification and scarification. Following a presentation and demonstration, create mini greenhouses using 2-quart juice bottles. Some juice bottles as well as select seeds and soil will be provided.

Presented by **Claudia Schultz**, Master Gardener Lead for the Native Locktenders Garden in De Pere, along with **Peggy Loritz**, **Annette Weissbach** and **Kathy Amenson**, from Northeastern Wisconsin Master Gardener Association.

This workshop is part of a monthly series organized by the Brown County Seed Library. The BCSL is a collaboration of Brown County Community Gardens Program; Brown County Library; Green Bay Botanical Garden; New Leaf Foods, Inc.; NEW Master Gardeners Association; UW-Green Bay and UW-Madison Extension Brown County.

Thank you to our partner organizations & presenters!

STORYTIMES

Book Babies (Ages 0-2)

Adults will have fun interacting with their little ones as we share songs, fingerplays, simple stories, rhymes, and baby games. Practicing these multi-sensory activities helps build the foundation for later reading skills.

CEN	Monday	10:30 am
EA	Tuesday	9:30 am
EA	Wednesday	9:30 am
KR	Wednesday	9:30 am
WH	Wednesday	10:15 am

Family (All Ages)

Stories, fingerplays, songs, and movement activities for children of all ages with a parent or caregiver.

PUL	Tuesday	10:15 am
ASH	Tuesday	6:00 pm
KR	Wednesday	10:30 am
WH	Thursday	10:15 am
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DK	Thursday	10:30 am
ASH	Friday	10:15 am
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PLEASE NOTE: The Denmark Branch		

storytime takes place at the Veterans Memorial Park shelter in Denmark.

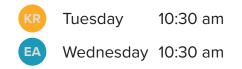
Toddler (Ages 2-3)

Toddlers and their adults can enjoy simple stories, action songs, rhymes, and other interactive fun that lays the foundation for later learning to read.

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Preschool (Ages 3-5)

Stories, songs, rhymes, and movement activities will help build a foundation of early literacy through print, letter recognition, word awareness, and creativity.



Storytime for Groups & **Families**

Childcare groups and families can enjoy simple stories, action songs, fingerplays, rhymes, and other interactive fun that lays the foundation for later learning to read.

CEN	Ones & Two Thursday	os 9:30 am
CEN	Preschool (Ages 3-5) Thursday 10:15 am	

Pre-Literacy Tips

Talking:

Tell your child about winter weather and how cold it can be in some places. Share your favorite thing about winter.

Singing:

Sing a favorite song in parts. You sing, then your child, then you, and so on.

Reading:

Encourage your child to take the lead with reading. They can select the books and show you where to start.

Writing:

Write your child's first name in big block letters. Color and decorate it together. Talk about each letter.

Playing:

Play the yes-no game. Is the sky purple? Is the cat pink? Is the door closed?



Storytime break is February 10-22.

Visit the library during this time to check out books or attend programs! Regular storytime schedule resumes Monday, February 24.

Groups of 10 or more, please call the Central Library Children's Department at (920) 448-5846

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YOUTH & FAMILY



"GINGERBREAD" HOUSE CONTEST

Monday, December 2 - Saturday, December 7 Pick up a kit during open hours, while supplies last.

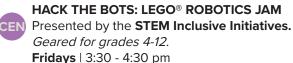
STAY & PLAY DROP-INS: CREATIVE PLAY BUILDING EARLY LITERACY SKILLS

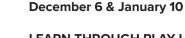
CEN Thursdays | 5:30 - 7:00 pm



LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY: CONSTRUCTION FUN

Geared for ages 2-5. Friday, December 6 | 10:30 - 11:30 am





LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY: LOOSE PARTS PLAY

Geared for ages 3-5. Tuesday, December 10 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm



DK LET IT SNOW STORYTIME

Please note: This event takes place at Veterans Memorial Park Shelter in Denmark. Geared for ages 2-6. Thursday, December 12 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS 101

Led by local Dungeon Master Tony Delaski. Geared for ages 9-13. Saturdays | 11:00 am - 12:00 pm December 14 - Basics of the game January 11 - Character creation February 8 - Play a short campaign

(R) FAMILY STORYTIME: EVENING EDITION Mondays | 5:30 - 6:00 pm December 16, January 20 & February 17

MINDFUL MOVEMENT Led by Mary from Joyful Yoga. Tuesdays | 10:00 - 10:45 am December 17, January 14 & February 11

PICNIC & PLAY: A VERY GRINCHY WINTER Led by Cindy Lee of De Pere Parks & Rec. and Public Health Nurse Sara Lornson. Thursday, December 19 | 10:30 - 11:15 am

LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY: **LIGHTS & COLORS** Geared for ages 3-5. Friday, December 20 | 10:00 - 11:00 am



STICKER PALOOZA Geared for all ages. December 23, 26, 27, 28, 30 & 31 | During open hours



NOON YEAR'S EVE PARTY Tuesday, December 31 | 11:30 am - 12:15 pm

FAMILY STORYTIME AT TITLETOWN Please note: This event takes place at Rockwood Terrace on Lombardi Ave. Mondays | 10:00 - 10:30 am January 6, 13, 20 & 27; February 3 & 10



VALENTINES FOR VETERANS

All ages. Monday, January 6 - Friday, February 7 | During open hours



STORYTIME IN YOUR PAJAMAS Tuesday, January 7

Ages 0-2 | 9:30 - 10:00 am Ages 2-3 | 10:30 - 11:00 am Wednesday, January 8 Ages 0-2 | 9:30 - 10:00 am Ages 3-5 | 10:30 - 11:00 am



LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY:

BUBBLES Geared for ages 3-5. Thursday, January 9 | 10:15 - 11:15 am

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LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY:

SNOW SCIENCE Geared for ages 3-5. Friday, January 10 | 10:00 - 11:00 am



Led by Cindy Lee of De Pere Parks & Rec. and Public Health Nurse Sara Lornson. Thursday, January 16 | 10:30 - 11:15 am



WINTER WILDLIFE OF WISCONSIN Featuring a naturalist from Baird Creek Preservation Foundation. All ages. Friday, January 17 | 1:00 - 2:00 pm

JAZZ WORKSHOP WITH DANCE UNLIMITED Taught by the Dance Unlimited School of Performing Arts. Geared for ages 4-8. Friday, January 17 | 10:30 - 11:15 am

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LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY: WINTER CAMPOUT Geared for ages 3-5. Friday, January 17 | 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

PINT-SIZED PICASSOS: SNOW! Geared for ages 0-4. Thursday, January 23 | 10:15 - 11:15 am

STAINED GLASS DROP IN PROGRAM Taught by the **Green Bay Children's Museum. Wednesday, January 29** | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

KIDS' CHOICE STORYTIME Thursday, January 30 | 10:15 - 10:45 am

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LEARN THROUGH PLAY STEM DAY *Geared for ages 5-12.* **Thursday, January 30** | 3:45 - 4:45 pm



LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY: WE LOVE LETTERS Geared for ages 3-5. Friday, February 7 | 10:00 - 11:00 am



COMICS WITH CARLI Featuring local artist and comic illustrator Carli Ihde. Tuesday, January 14 | 4:00 - 5:00 pm



EGYPTIAN ADVENTURE ESCAPE ROOM Grades 6-12. Register online or call 920-448-4405. Groups of up to 4 can register for a 1-hour time slot. Saturday, January 18 | 10:00 am - 3:30 pm

Monday, January 20 | 1:00 - 8:00 pm LEARN AND CRAFT: SPACE ORIGAMI

Ages 8-15. **Monday, January 20** | 3:00 - 4:00 pm



LITERARY LOOT BOX Pick up your literary loot box at the Central Youth Services Desk. *Ages 10-14.*

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Starting December 26 | While supplies last



SOCIAL DEDUCTION GAME NIGHT Hosted by Gnome Games. *Ages 12 & up.* Saturday, February 15 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

MERMAIDS, UNICORNS, & MORE!

Friday, February 7 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm

Geared for ages 5-8.

VETERINARY CLINIC

Geared for ages 3-5.

ALL ABOUT ART

CHOO CHOO ABCS Geared for ages 3-5.

A CELEBRATION OF FANTASY CREATURES

LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY:

Tuesday, February 11 | 10:30 - 11:30 am

Thursday, February 13 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

Public Health Nurse Sara Lornson.

Thursday, February 13 | 10:30 - 11:15 am

LEARN THROUGH PLAY LITERACY DAY:

Monday, February 17 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm

Please note: This event takes place at Veterans

PICNIC & PLAY: VALENTINE'S DAY/FRIENDSHIP

Led by **Cindy Lee** of De Pere Parks & Rec. and

Memorial Park Shelter in Denmark. Geared for ages 2-6.



PIZZA & PUZZLES Friday, February 28 | 1:30 - 3:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE THESE CHANGES IN HOURS:

FRIDAY DECEMBER 13 | OPEN AT NOON | Staff Development TUESDAY DECEMBER 24 | CLOSED | Christmas Eve WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 25 | CLOSED | Christmas Day TUESDAY DECEMBER 31 | CLOSE AT 5:00 pm | New Year's Eve WEDNESDAY JANUARY 1, 2025 | CLOSED | New Year's Day



ADULT

 NEED HELP FINDING A JOB? Help provided by Career Navigators from Worker Connection Services through the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development. Mondays 11:00 am - 1:00 pm December 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 January 6, 13, 20 & 27 February 3, 10, 17 & 24 Mondays 2:00 - 4:00 pm December 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 January 6, 13, 20 & 27 February 3, 10, 17 & 24 Mondays 11:00 am - 3:00 pm December 3, 10, & 17 January 7, 14, 21 & 28 February 4, 11, 18 & 25 Thursdays 10:00 am - 12:00 pm December 5, 12, 19 & 26 	<text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text></text></text></text></text></text></text></text></text></text></text>
January 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 February 6, 13, 20 & 27	PICTURE PERFECT: HONING YOUR EYE Led by Professor Sarah Detweiler from UW-Green Bay. Tuesday, January 7 4:00 - 5:00 pm ARTIST MEET AND GREET: MICHELLE ENGEL & ANGELA HARLE Featuring local artists Michelle Engel and Angela Harle.
 READ BOOK CLUB Tuesdays 1:30 - 2:30 pm December 3 - Killers of the Flower Moon by David Grann January 7 - Book share February 4 - The Bookwoman's Daughter by Kim Michele Richardson 	Wednesday, January 8 6:30 - 7:30 pm BROWN COUNTY JOB FAIR Connect with employers currently hiring and experts from the Job Center of Wisconsin. Thursday, January 9 1:00 - 3:00 pm
COMMONITY RESOURCE TOESDAYS Each week, a different community resource will be on-site at our Central Library to provide information about their programs and services. Tuesdays 2:00 - 4:00 pm December 3, 10, 17 & 31 January 7, 14, 21 & 28 February 4, 11, 18 & 25	Thursday, February 13 1:00 - 3:00 pm Presented in partnership with: WHAT'S NEW TO MEDICARE?
 ARTIST MEET AND GREET: LILA BROCHA Featuring local artist Lila Brocha. Tuesday, December 10 6:00 - 7:00 pm PERSONAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS Presented by Daniel Kane from Brown County Emergency Management. Wednesday, December 11 1:00 - 2:00 pm 	Thursday, January 9 10:00 - 11:00 am Image: Comparison of the

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SLEEPING THROUGH THE AGES

Presented by LaReina Tipping from the Brain Center of Green Bay.



Thursday, January 9 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Tuesday, January 14 11:00 am - 12:00 pm



TECHNOLOGY CLASSES FOR BEGINNERS

Learn the fundamentals through hands-on practice. Register online or call 920-448-5824.

COMPUTER BASICS Thursday, January 9 | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

INTERNET BASICS Thursday, February 13 | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

BOOK & A MOVIE

Please note: This event takes place at De Pere Cinema, 417 George St. in De Pere. Mondays | 6:30 - 9:00 pm January 13 - A Man Called Otto February 10 - The Color Purple

SO, YOU WANT TO GO TO UW-GREEN BAY

Hosted by Callyn Diamond, a UW-Green Bay admissions counselor. Wednesday, January 15 | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

ARTIST MEET AND GREET:

NICOLE LETT & CRAIG DETHLOFF Featuring local artists, Nicole Lett and Craig Dethloff. Tuesday, January 21 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

LET'S TALK ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH Presented by National Alliance on Mental Illness **Brown County** Wednesday, January 22 | 1:00 - 2:15 pm

A CARE PARTNER'S JOURNEY

Led by Dr. Rolf S. Lulloff, MD (retired), Lead Volunteer Coach and Co-Founder of The Brain Center of Green Bay. Thursday, January 23 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

FROM ROUGH SKETCH TO PUBLISHED BOOK WITH **ROBB MOMMAERTS**

Featuring local cartoonist and illustrator Robb Mommaerts Monday, January 27 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

VA S.A.V.E: HELPING A VETERAN IN CRISIS

SW Presented by Kylene Occhietti, LICSW, Suicide Prevention Coordinator for the Green Bay VA and Cleveland VA Clinics.

Wednesday, January 29 | 10:30 - 11:30 am



FOSTERING A CHILD Wednesday, January 29



Wednesday, February 19 6:00 - 7:00 pm

HEALTHY LIVING WITH DIABETES: **EMPOWERING YOU FOR SUCCESS**

Led by staff from the ADRC of Brown County. Wednesday, February 5 | 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

AARP TAX AIDE: FREE TAX RETURN PREPARATION

Hosted by IRS-certified volunteers from **AARP TAX** Aide. Appointments required; starting in January, call AARP staff at 920-393-7863 to sign up.



Wednedays | 12:00 - 5:00 pm February 5, 12, 19 & 26



Fridays | 9:00 am - 2:00 pm February 14 & 21



COGNITIVE STIMULATION: TRY SOMETHING NEW! Presented by LaReina Tipping from the Brain Center of Green Bay.

Tuesday, February 11 | 10:00 - 11:00 am

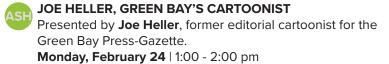
ROB ZIMMER:

WHAT'S NEW IN GARDENING FOR 2025

Led by Rob Zimmer, a local nature enthusiast, author, photographer, and radio host. Tuesday, February 11 | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm



Featuring Annelise Ryan, local Wisconsin mystery writer and author of A Death in Door County and the Mattie Winston Mysteries series. Saturday, February 15 | 2:30 - 3:30 pm



BOOKMOBILE

The Bookmobile is a mobile library that brings library services, information, materials, and programs to the community. It travels to different parts of the county and invites the public to visit often to browse and borrow popular items. Come aboard and experience personalized library service in a comfortable and friendly setting!

DYCKESVILLE COMMUNITY STOP

@ CR-DK & Cty. Line Rd., Luxemburg, 54217
 Mondays | 4:30 - 6:30 pm
 December 2, January 6 & February 3

DENMARK COMMUNITY STOP

@ The Farmers Market Site
 Railroad Ave., Denmark, 54217
 Mondays | 4:00 - 6:00 pm
 December 9, January 13 & February 10

Ø Veterans Memorial Park
 Wisconsin Ave., Denmark, 54208
 Thursdays | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
 December 19, January 23 & February 27

HOLLANDTOWN COMMUNITY STOP

@ Van Abel's of Hollandtown
 8108 Cty Hwy D, Hollandtown, 54130
 Tuesdays | 4:30 - 6:30 pm
 December 10, January 21 & February 18

LEDGEVIEW COMMUNITY STOP

@ Ledgeview Municipal Building
 3700 Dickinson Rd., De Pere, 54115
 Tuesdays | 4:30 - 6:30 pm
 December 17, January 28 & February 25

MORRISON COMMUNITY STOP

@ Way-Morr Park
 3832 Park Rd., Greenleaf, 54126
 Wednesdays | 4:30 - 6:30 pm
 December 18, January 15 & February 19

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CENTRAL LIBRARY & PICKUP WINDOW

515 Pine St, Green Bay 54301 920-448-4400 Mon-Thu 9 am - 8 pm Fri 9 am - 5 pm Sat 9 am - 4 pm

LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY

Central Library, 2nd Floor Mon & Tues 1 pm - 5 pm Wed 1 pm - 8 pm Thurs & Fri 1 pm - 5 pm Sat 1 pm - 4 pm

BOOKMOBILE

920-448-5814 See website for updates.



1060 Orlando Dr, Green Bay 54304
 920-492-4913
 Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
 Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
 Sat 10 am - 2 pm

DENMARK BRANCH

Relocation planned. Pick up your holds at the Denmark Village Hall. The book drop at the high school remains open for returns.

EAST BRANCH & PICKUP WINDOW

2253 Main St, Green Bay 54302 920-391-4600 Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm Sat 10 am - 4 pm

KRESS FAMILY BRANCH

333 N. Broadway, De Pere 54115 920-448-4407 Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm Sat 10 am - 4 pm PUL 222 W. Pulaski St, Pulas

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Mon-Wed 10 am - 6 pm Fri & Sat 10 am - 2 pm



SOUTHWEST BRANCH

974 Ninth St, Green Bay 54304 920-492-4910 Mon-Wed 10 am - 6 pm Fri & Sat 10 am - 2 pm

WEYERS-HILLIARD BRANCH

2680 Riverview Dr, Howard 54313 920-448-4405 Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm Sat 10 am - 4 pm



WRIGHTSTOWN BRANCH

615 Main St, Wrightstown 54180 920-532-4011 Mon 2 pm - 7 pm Tue & Thu 10 am - 5 pm Fri 10 am - 2 pm