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March 2018 Newsletter



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Hours

Monday – Wednesday: 1pm – 5pm
Thursday: 1pm – 6pm
Saturday: 9am – Noon

Fresh coffee served every Saturday! 9am – Noon



Green Read Day is back!



In celebration of St. Patrick's Day, anyone who wears green to the library on March 17th and checks out a book will get a special St. Patty's Day treat! We had fun with this come-and-go program last year and look forward to seeing everyone's creative green outfits again!

LEGO Club to meet March 8



Snowstorms can be blamed for the cancellation of LEGO Club the past two months, but we're hopeful that our unlucky streak is coming to an end.

If the weather cooperates this month, LEGO Club will meet on March 8th at 5:00pm. All children ages 6 and up are welcome to join us!

New Books The following books are new to the library and will be ready to check out by March 12th:

- *12 Strong: the Declassified True Story of the Horse Soldiers* by Doug Stanton
- *The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah
- *Ready Player One* by Ernest Cline
- *Trump Revealed: the Definitive Biography of the 45th President* by Michael Kranish
- *The Wrinkle in Time* series by Madeleine L'Engle

Easter Egg Hunt on March 24!



Children of all ages and their parents are invited to an Easter Egg Hunt at the Somers City Park on Saturday, March 24th at 10:00am!

We will meet on the south side of the Community Building at the picnic tables before the hunt begins. All participants should bring their own baskets or bags to gather eggs and should dress warmly. In the event of bad weather, the Easter Egg Hunt will be cancelled, which will be posted on our Facebook page and website by 9:00am the morning of the 24th.

Saturday Coffee & Cookies The library will continue to offer coffee and cookies for adults on Saturdays throughout March. This has been a wonderful opportunity for community members to warm up with hot drinks, enjoy sweet treats, and meet new people. If you haven't stopped in yet, please drop by on a Saturday before March is over!

Book Drive for Youth Literacy



Our 2018 Summer Reading Program is only 2 months away, and that means library staff is already busy planning!

The biggest goal of our summer programming is to keep children interested in reading while away from school, but due to our limited budget, we need help to make that happen. One way to help us is by participating in our annual Book Drive for Youth Literacy, which will run throughout the month of April. Our goal is to raise \$250. All funds will go towards purchasing new children's, junior's, and young adult books to use during our Summer Reading Program.

This book drive has directly impacted the success of our summer programming in the past, and we are grateful for any donations that will help us continue to keep our community's children reading this summer!