# **Norway Public Library**

May 2024

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Monday: 9:00-1:00 Tuesday: 11:00-7:00 Wednesday: 2:00-5:00\* Thursday: 11:00-7:00 Friday: 9:00-12:00 Saturday: 9:00-12:00 \*Beginning June 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday hours will be 1:00-4:00

#### **Upcoming Dates:**

May 4th 10:30 am Author Anne Hanigan Kotz visit
March 15 6:00 pm Library
Board Meeting
May 19th 10:00 am Kids
event – Summer Safety
Program
May 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00 pm Good
Reads/Read for Fun\*
May 27<sup>th</sup> – Closed for
Memorial Day.

\*A note about May 21<sup>st</sup>
Good Reads gathering:
We met in April at the
library and had a blast
talking about different
books and authors that are
available right now! It was
so much fun to hear what
others are reading and a
great time for conversation
with others who love to
read. Join us May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7
pm – bring your drink of
choice.

## **New Books**

We have received a lot of new adult books recently from some of our favorite authors such as: Baldacci, Patterson, McFadden, Maas, Petrie and Yarros.

And we also have received a number of children's books such as: Bad Kitty, Sunny Makes a Splash, Adventures of the Bailey School Kids, Grumpy Monkey, Don't Eat Bees, plus many more!

# <u>Kids Event – May 19<sup>th</sup> at</u> 10 am – Summer Safety

Grace Schmidt, Benton County Public Health Director will be at the library to present a program for the kids on summer safety. As summer fast approaches, please join us for this opportunity.

A Safe Sitter Babysitting Certification Course is also available if a few young people are interested. This course is designed for  $5^{th} - 8^{th}$  grade students. If you have a child who may be interested, please call

or stop by the library for more information. 319-227-7487.

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## **Summer Reading Program**

The Summer Reading
Program will begin June
15th with all kinds of
activities for the kids to
engage in such as: a
reading challenge,
caricature drawing, rock
painting, creating a play
and of course Water Play!
Activities will be held at
both the library and the
park. Information sheets
will be out soon!

## **Book Sale**

We have been weeding some materials from our collection and will be hosting a book sale the first week of June. We will have adult and children's books along with a few DVDs and audio books. No set cost per book – this will be a free will donation to the library.

## Thank you:

I continue to be overwhelmed by the generosity of the people of Norway who donate so much to our library. Thanks you!