



BERLIN
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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August 2025 Newsletter

Hours

Mon - Thurs: 9 am - 8 pm
Friday: 9 am - 6 pm
Saturday: 9 am - 1 pm
Sunday: Closed

FOR ALL AGES



Winnefox Passport Adventure | Until August 15

Pick up your Winnefox passport at your local library to begin your adventure. Explore 30 library locations in 5 counties. Collect stamps at every Winnefox library you visit for a chance to win prizes this summer!

ADULT PROGRAMS



Friday Matinee | Friday, August 15 at 1 pm

Join us for a free showing of *Last Breath* (rated PG-13). Popcorn will be provided.



Adult Craft Night - Daisy Seed Bead Bracelets

Tuesday, August 19 at 6 pm

Get an introduction into the art of beaded jewelry by making a trendy bracelet. *Registration is required.*



Wisconsin Native Plants | Monday, August 25 at 6 pm

Curious about native plants and how they can benefit your yard or garden? Join UW-Extension Horticulture Educator Jacob Kluza to learn how native species support pollinators, birds, and other

wildlife, while also being adapted to our local soils and climate. We'll highlight a variety of beautiful, hardy native flowers, grasses, and shrubs that work well in both traditional and naturalistic garden designs. Native plant gardening is a great fit for anyone interested in sustainability, biodiversity, or simply growing something different. Free and open to all.

Dungeons & Dragons | Friday, August 29 from 6 - 9 pm

Come play a space-pirates themed campaign of Dungeons & Dragons at the library. Bring your own level 5 character to join in the adventure (premade characters may be provided upon request). Dice will be available for all to use. *Spots are limited. Registration is required.*



Adult Painting Class - Color Theory with Sea Turtles

Saturday, August 30 at 10 am

Attend a free painting class with local artist Elissa Ewald. Get an introduction to color theory and play with complimentary colors to create a beautiful sea turtle painting. All skill levels welcome.

Registration is required.

REGULAR ADULT PROGRAMS & MEETINGS

Wednesday Evening Book Club

3rd Wednesday of the Month at 6 pm



The River
by Peter Heller
Augusts 20 at 6 pm

Mystery Mondays Book Club

Last Monday of the Month at 2 pm



The Wife
by Alafair Burke
August 25 at 2 pm

Books available for checkout at the library. All are welcome!

Friends of the Library

4th Monday of the month at 5 pm

Stitching Together Group

Last Tuesday of the month at 2 pm

Bring your knitting, crocheting or needlework project and stitch with other crafters! All are welcome!

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REGULAR YOUTH PROGRAMS

Storytime

Every Wednesday at 10 am

Stories, songs, dances, crafts & activities for ages 2-5.

Tiny Tots: Stories and Songs

First Friday of the month at 10 am

Early literacy storytime and musical play for babies & toddlers and their caregivers.

Lego Challenge Mondays

Every 1st & 3rd Monday
from 3 - 8 pm

August 4 & 18

Build according to the theme or free build with Legos in the children's area. For ages 6 - 11.

LIBRARY SERVICES & MORE!

Ask us about: digital books, audiobooks & magazines, Library of Things, homebound delivery, 1000 Books Before Kindergarten, mobile printing, copying, scanning, faxing, laminating, meeting room space, genealogy & local history research, and one-on-one tech assistance!

SUMMER READING BONUS ROUND

Read for the Chance to Win Gift Cards | August 1 - 30

Continue logging your reading and enter to win gift cards to some of your favorite places. The Summer Reading Bonus Round is for all ages and is sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Enter the new program code **3a43f** on Reader Zone, or pick up paper reading cards at the library.



Spin the Prize Wheel on Wednesdays

Win fun toys, activities, and coupons for free goods and services from local businesses. Sponsored by Farmers & Merchants Bank and Friends of the Library.

YOUTH PROGRAMS



Special Community Leaders Storytimes

Wednesday July 30 & August 6 at 10 am

At our **Paramedics and Ambulance Storytime on July 30**, learn about the amazing people who drive ambulances and take a look

inside one! Join us again on **August 6 for a Police Officer Storytime!** Hear stories from the Chief of Police and take a tour of his police car! Storytime takes place on Wednesdays at 10 am and are for ages 2-5.



Paint a Bench! | Monday, August 11 from 9 am - 5 pm

Thanks to local artist Tim Fletcher, the library has a new bench! Stop by the library any time from 9 am - 5 pm to make your mark on the library bench! Paint will be provided.

Chalk the Walk | Monday, August 18 from 9 am - 5 pm

Reading colors your world! Can we color the whole sidewalk with amazing chalk art? Bring your creative ideas, your friends, and your family for a day of collaborative drawing! Chalk will be available all day from 9 am - 5 pm.

TEEN PROGRAMS



After-Hours Teen Laser Tag | Friday, August 8 from 6 - 8 pm

Laser Tag is back! Come to the library after we close to play! Snacks will be provided. For 5th grade and up.

Spots are limited. Registration is required

Teen Library Club Meeting | Wednesday, August 20 at 4 pm

Meet with other teens and create and run your own programs at the library! 6th-12th graders interested in joining should contact Makayla at youthservices@berlinlibrary.org.

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