

DECORAH PUBLIC LIBRARY

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

FALL 2017

DATES AND PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CHECK THE LIBRARY WEBSITE OR FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION.

TODDLE TIME

Children 18 months to 3 years of age (with a parent, grandparent, or caregiver) are invited to join us **Monday mornings**, from 10:30 am-11:00 am, for lively stories, classic songs, and fingerplays in the Public Program Room of the library. Older and younger siblings are welcome to attend. Families are encouraged to stay and play for an additional 1/2 hour after story time. Toys courtesy of Toys Go 'Round.

OPEN BUILD!

Children of all ages are welcome to drop in the Public Program Room of the library, between 3:15 pm-4:15 pm, for unstructured play with a wide variety of building toys including Gears, Legos, Brainflakes, TinkerToys, MAGniBlox, and more!

This program is limited to 30 children on a first-come basis. Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult.

Fall Dates: September 21st, October 19th, November 16th, December 7th

OPEN ART!

Families are invited to explore, play, think, and create in the Public Program Room of the Library. Drop in anytime between 3:15 pm-4:15 pm for a rotating schedule of fun-filled, hands-on art activities! This program is limited to 24 children on a first-come basis. Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult.

Fall Dates: September 12th, October 10th, November 7th, December 12th

CURIOUS KIDS

On **Wednesday afternoons**, from 3:30 pm-4:15 pm, children in kindergarten through fourth grade are invited to join us in the Public Program Room of the library for a magical hands-on STEAM-based project. Designed to stimulate creative exploration and problem solving, this program is guaranteed to spark your child's interest in science, design, engineering, or art! A walking school bus is available from John Cline. *This program is limited to 24 children on a first-come basis.*

DOG TALES!

School age children, who are reading independently, are invited to come to the library **every other Wednesday**, from 6:30 pm-7:15 pm, to read aloud to certified therapy dogs and their trainers.

Fall Dates: September 13th, September 27th, October 11th, October 25th, November 8th, November 29th, December 13th