

Cozad YETIs
Youth Entrepreneurship Training Initiative



Mondays-Wednesdays-Fridays
June 21-July 2
9:30-11:30 am
for those who just completed grades 6-8
Register by May 28

Want to Make \$\$\$ This Summer?

Become a Cozad YETI and make your footprint on the business world! Learn how to start your own pop-up business and bring it to life on Market Days on July 10 and 17. **Classes are Mondays-Wednesdays-Fridays from 9:30-11:30am June 21-July 2** at Wilson Public Library in Cozad. Classes are free, although materials for products to sell are covered by the student. Register by May 28 at the library or online at <https://forms.gle/YN5honUHWdM9AVtH9>. If you have questions, please call 308-784-2019 and ask for Laura or stop by the library. The Cozad YETI class is limited to 15 young adults **who have just completed grades 6-8.**

Wilson Public Library will be CLOSED Monday, July 5, for Independence Day.

The book drops on the north side of the building are open 24/7/365.

We apologize for any inconvenience.

Check Us Out or Get a Room

Our board room is available as a study room or as a Zoom Room! Chromebooks with built in cameras and microphones are also available for use if using as a Zoom Room. 24 hour notice is appreciated.

Also, remember you can Check Out a Librarian! Need help learning to use a computer? Do you need someone to proofread something for you? How about learning how to download books from Overdrive/Libby? Give us a call with 24 hour notice and you can have an hour of our time uninterrupted (masks required for Check Out a Librarian).

5th graders: It's your summer to finish off your 1000 Books Before Middle School. Stop in to see how many you need to read!

Nebraskans Are Pretty Scrappy

Prairie Forge: The Extraordinary Story of the Nebraska Scrap Metal Drive of World War II takes readers across the entire state of Nebraska during the scrap metal drive early in America's involvement in World War II. When Henry Doorly initially developed a plan to urge citizens to donate scrap metal to help with arms production, he had no idea that his plan would expand from Omaha to the entire state and then be used as a model for a national scrap drive.



Prairie Forge is this year's One Book One Nebraska selection.

2021 marks the seventeenth year of the program, sponsored by the Nebraska Center for the Book. It encourages Nebraskans across the state to read and discuss one book, chosen from books written by Nebraska authors or that have a Nebraska theme or setting. The Nebraska Center for the Book invites recommendations for One Book One Nebraska book selection year-round at <http://centerforthebook.nebraska.gov/obon-nomination.asp>.

One Book One Nebraska is sponsored by the Nebraska Center for the Book, Humanities Nebraska, and the Nebraska Library Commission. The Nebraska Center for the Book brings together the state's readers, writers, booksellers, librarians, publishers, printers, educators, and scholars to build the community of the book, supporting programs to celebrate and stimulate public interest in books, reading, and the written word. The Nebraska Center for the Book is housed at and supported by the Nebraska Library Commission.

REMIND!

We are using the Remind app to keep parents updated on our Youth Programming. If you would like to receive messages from us via Remind, download the Remind app for free and enter @deef7a for the class code. The app is free in the App Stores (Google or Apple)

Read the above information again if you want to stay in the know about our programs!

WILSON PUBLIC LIBRARY

JUNE 2021 EDITION


HOURS OF OPERATION:
Monday-Thursday: 10:00AM – 7:00PM
Friday: 10:00AM – 5:00PM
Saturday: 10:00AM-1:00PM
Where to Find Us: 910 Meridian Ave.
Cozad, NE 69130
308-784-2019

Upcoming Family Events

Mark Your Calendars!

June 10 from 1-2pm — Crane River Theater (no registration required)
June 30 at 5:30pm — Wildlife Encounters (live animals, no registration required)
July 9 from 11am -2pm — Mini Barnyard Friends (live animals in the library parking lot, no registration required)

Pick up a reading challenge sheet starting May 1. You have until August 31 to complete 8 of 12 reading challenges. Turn in your completed animal tracker for a chance at a Fox Theater gift certificate. Must be a Wilson Public Library card holder to win.



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Tails & Tales

Summer Reading Challenge for ages 13 & up 2021

OBOC 2021: *One False Move* by Alex Kava

In January 2021, we launched our 7th One Book One Cozad program with the selection of *One False Move* by Nebraska author Alex Kava. Check it out today!

One False Move is a murder-thriller loosely based on a bank robbery that took place in Norfolk, Nebraska in 2002. Even the character of Charlie Starks is a nod to the infamous killer, Charlie Starkweather, who went on a murder spree across Nebraska in 1957-1958.



We will be closed Monday, May 31

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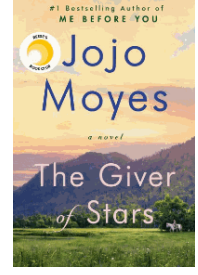
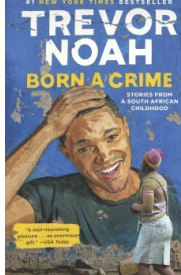
MEMORIAL DAY 2021

WE HONOR ALL THE SACRIFICES MADE BY OUR HEROES

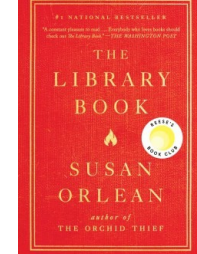
Book Club June Selections

All of the library's book clubs are open to the public and you are welcome to join at any time! This month, Meadowlark Book Club meets at 1:00PM on Tuesday, June 1 at Meadowlark Pointe Assisted Living to discuss *The Giver of Stars* by Jojo Moyes.

Or, join us on Wednesday, June 2 at 7:00 for not-your-average-girl's-night out. We're discussing *Born a Crime* by Trevor Noah. The location has changed for June! We will meet at the 100th Meridian Tap House!

Kim's Book Club takes the summer off and will return Monday, August 9 with a new reading list for the year. The list is available now at the front desk. The August discussion will be *The Library Book* by Susan Orlean. Kim's book club meets at 10:00am.




Kids Crafternoon

Pinwheels

Join us **Thursday, June 17 at 1:30** to make paper pinwheels! Materials provided. **Registration required by Friday, June 11.** To register call us at 308-784-2019, click the link on our Facebook page under the event or at www.wilsonpubliclibrary.org. **K-5th grade only.**



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Outdoor Storytime

Join us for a story and a craft/activity on Fridays at 11:00 am. Ages 3-6 with an adult.

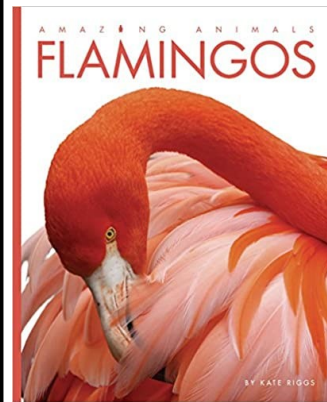
We meet **Fridays at 11am** on the south side of the library in the grassy area (weather permitting). Please feel free to bring blankets and lawn chairs. We will move back inside for a craft or activity afterwards. If it rains, we meet on the rug in the children's area. **For ages 3-6 with an adult.**

CODE CLUB IN THE SUMMER

Interested in coding? Learn Scratch, Javascript, HTML and more! Code Club meets from 3:45-4:45, but only on specific Tuesdays this summer. Join us June 1, June 15, June 22, July 6, July 20, and August 10, before going back to school. Laptops are available to use and participants grades 4 & up only need to register online if they've never attended before at www.wilsonpubliclibrary.org.



Junior Book Club

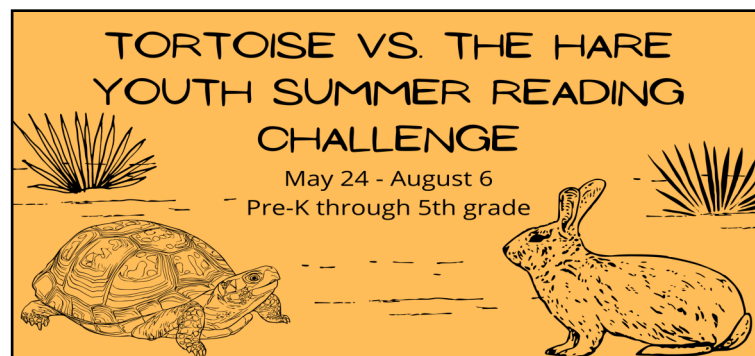


Join us for Junior Book Club on **Wednesday, June 23, at 1:30.** We will read *Flamingos* by Kate Riggs and learn some *flamazing* facts. Afterwards, we will make a flamingo craft. Materials provided. **Registration required by Friday, June 18.** To register, call us at 308-784-2019, click the link on our Facebook page under the event or at www.wilsonpubliclibrary.org **K-2nd grade only.**

Bring & Brag

BOOK CLUB

Bring & Brag Book Club will meet on **June 29 at 1:30.** In this book club, *you* choose the book to read, bring it and brag about it (good or bad). For 3rd grade & up.



Are you Team Tortoise or Team Hare? **Stop by the front desk starting May 24 and pick up your reading tracker to find out!** Those who contribute at least 1000 minutes to this challenge will attend our end of summer celebration in August (details to come at a later date) where team winners will be announced. **Keep up the pace by attending our read-ins at the library June 14 and July 19, from 1:30-2:30,** where participants will receive double their minutes for reading at the library. **Turn in your completed tracker no later than August 6.** This challenge is for Pre-K through 5th grade.



The Book Nook

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Read-in at the library

for Tortoise vs. Hare Summer Reading Challenge

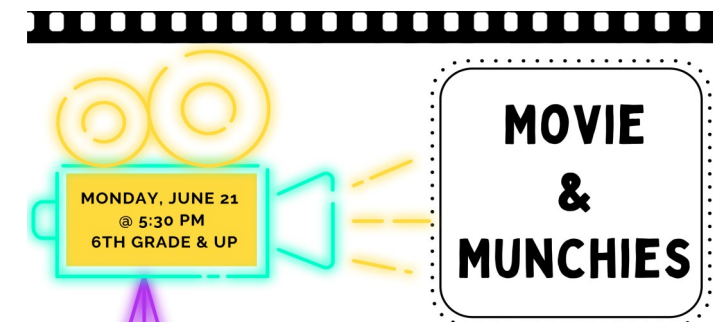
June 14 & July 19 from 1:30-2:30
Minutes worth double at this time!
Check in with Ms. Jennie when you arrive at the library.



Wilson Public Library's Storybook Walk

at Muny Park walking trail
Monday, June 14 through Sunday, June 20

Go on a storybook walk around the walking trail at Muny Park **Mon., June 14 through Sun., June 20** to read the story *Llama Destroys the World* by Jonathan Stutzman. Start at the mermaid tail on the east side of the swimming pool where you will find the first two pages. Then, head south on the trail and read the story as you go along the trail (the pages are in order and numbered). End at the green Muny Park sign. (37 pages total) If you enjoy doing the storybook walk, please leave a comment under the event on our Facebook page.



Hey 6th grade and up! We are having a movie night **at the library Monday, June 21 @ 5:30.** We will make our own munchies to enjoy while we watch a movie.

Crane River Theater

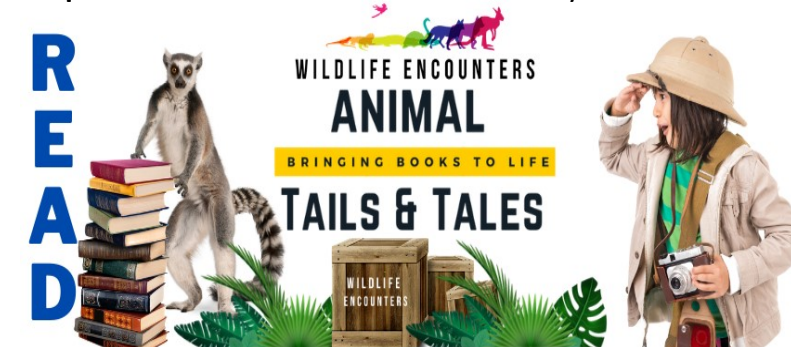
downtown Cozad on the green space
Thursday, June 10 @ 1:00
Free & open to the public



Join us downtown Cozad on the green space **Thursday, June 10 at 1:00pm** for a hands-on sneak peek at Crane River Theater's summer performance of Cinderella! Originally presented on tv in 1957 starring Julie Andrews, Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* continues to captivate audiences year after year. After all, even if we know the story by heart, we still hold our breath until we are sure that the slipper fits.

Wildlife Encounters June 30

Wildlife Encounters will bring 6 live animals to Wilson Public Library **Wednesday, June 30, at 5:30** for an exciting, interactive, educational program. They will discuss animal adaptations, history, geography, and cool facts about each animal while encouraging kids and adults to pick up a book and read about each of these amazing animals. **All ages welcome. No registration required.** Don't miss out on this fun family event!



Mini Barnyard Friends

The Mini Barnyard Friends will be in the **north library parking lot from 11am-2pm on Friday, July 9!** Mini Barnyard Friends is a family run small town petting zoo from Spalding, NE. All the animals in their petting zoo are common farm animals in the miniature version.

