

THE LIBRARY PAGE

Demmer Memorial Library, Three Lakes, Wisconsin 54562



Connecting people to the TRANSFORMATIVE power of knowledge by providing opportunities to explore, learn, create, and share.

Welcome back to our summer friends!

July is the month we get to see the largest number of our summer users, and it's always exciting to see familiar faces return and get to catch up on all that has happened over the winter months.

Those of you returning for the first time might notice a few new things we and our library system were busy working on in our quieter months. We have a new online catalog service at <https://demmer.catalog.wvls.org/> that is much more of a "one stop shop" for all your library needs. In addition to being a much more convenient and intuitive searching experience, it is also more capable of helping you update your contact information and notice preferences, pay fines, and manage your holds. Plus, you can easily browse for and research and manage holds on any e-books, e-audiobooks, and e-magazines in this one place as well.

There are some tips to making searching easier, so stop in and ask a librarian to give you a tour.

Second, we've recently added a new print management service to streamline printing jobs in the library. You can now print directly from your phone, tablet, or laptop computer without first needing to log on to one of our public computers.

When you print from either your device or one of the library computers, you'll be prompted to review your print job settings, choose black and white or color, number of copies, and see the final cost up front before printing. Finally if you don't have cash on you or if you prefer, you can pay with credit/debit card, PayPal, or a few other payment methods.

Finally, we have rooms and conference equipment available should you need to join a Zoom meeting or get some work done while up north. Visit <https://demmerlibrary.org/meeting-rooms/> or give us a call to learn more!

HOURS

MON/WED 9AM-7PM

TUES/THURS/FRI 9AM-5PM

SAT 9AM-2PM

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Three Lakes Genealogical Society



Next Meeting: There will be no Three Lakes Genealogical Society Meeting in July. We will be enjoying our annual picnic.



Book Club – Book Club – TLGS Book Club is not meeting this month but is recommending a Book of the Month for individual reading. The book this month is *Pioneer Girl: The Annotated Autobiography of Laura Ingalls Wilder* edited by Pamela Smith Hall. This book is available at Demmer Memorial Library (921 WIL) and by interlibrary loan.

Beginning Genealogy Workshops In July: The Three Lakes Genealogical Society will be holding two Beginning Genealogy Workshops for anyone interested in starting research into their family history and ancestors, or anyone who may want to obtain more information on how to continue with what they have started. Two sessions will be held: the first at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 14th, and the second at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 19th. Since both sessions will contain the same presentations, you do not need to attend both.

The workshops will begin with an Introduction to Genealogy followed by breakout sessions with instruction on using the two largest genealogy search companies: Ancestry.com and FamilySearch.org. There will also be information on what is available in the Local History Room located within the library.

Preregistration is required because of limited space. You may register by calling Demmer Library at 715-546-3391, or email familyhistory@demmerlibrary.org by July 12th.

For more information about TLGS or to ask for help with your genealogy, please email familyhistory@demmerlibrary.org or call Nancy at 715-479-8971. You also can look at our website at 3lgl.org; be advised the site currently is being updated.



Ask Your TLGS Genealogist

Do you need help with your genealogy research? Help is available at "Ask Your TLGS Genealogist." A TLGS member is in the Local History Room of Demmer Library every Thursday from 2-4 p.m. No appointments are necessary. Need help but can't make it on Thursdays? Email familyhistory@demmerlibrary.org or call Nancy at 715-479-8971.



Genealogy Tip

People born before the advent of official vital records often would obtain a delayed birth certificate to get Social Security benefits, passports or pensions. Delayed birth certificates may not be subject to the same privacy rules and regular birth certificates, and thus may be easier to get.

Books the Other Channel Book Club

**Tuesday, July 26--6:30 PM
in person or via BlueJeans**



Books the Other Channel book discussion group will discuss *Everything I Never Told You* by Celeste Ng on July 26 at 6:30 PM..

Meet in person at the library or join online via BlueJeans. Email demmer@demmerlibrary.org to receive sign-in information if you don't receive it directly from the organizer.

Each book for the group may be checked out at the Demmer. Everyone Welcome!

To register call 715-546-3391 or email librarian@demmerlibrary.org



Coffee and Kids



What is Coffee & Kids?

During the school year it's a once monthly, parent led discussion group where parents can discuss concerns, share stories and ask questions centered around their children. Retired educators Ann Asbeck, Mari Lynn Garbowicz, and Beth Jacobson are able to provide guidance based on proven research and years of experience. They will share what is developmentally appropriate and relevant to today's learner. Coffee and Kids provides a relaxed atmosphere for give and take discussions.

Find the groups monthly tips below:

I Scream, You Scream, We All Scream For:

ICE CREAM!!!

The theme of our Coffee & Kids resources this summer is **MAKING CONNECTIONS**. The beauty of this strategy is it can be used with just about anything...reading, watching a movie, taking a walk, enjoying the beach...the possibilities are endless!

This month we explore making connections with ice cream. Next time you and your child find yourselves licking a tasty ice cream treat, consider the following ways to make connections:

- **BEFORE** you eat, talk about what you already know about ice cream. Use all of your senses. What past experiences have you had with ice cream? Are there any special memories about ice cream you can share? What are your favorite flavors?
- **WHILE** you're eating, compare the above discussion with what you are experiencing now. Use all of your senses to describe the ice cream you are eating right now. What observations can you make?
- **AFTER** your treat is safely tucked in your belly, compare your past experiences with what happened today. What was the same? Different? Did you learn anything?

By making connections **BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER** an activity you and your child can develop a deeper understanding of whatever it is you are doing.

Books Available Through the Demmer Library

Vanilla Bean by Katie Turner

From Milk to Ice Cream by Stacy Taus-Bolstad

Ice Cream Soup by Ann Ingalls

Ice Cream by Christina Leaf

Ice Cream Summer by Peter Sis

How Is It Made? Ice Cream by R.J. Bailey

Should I Share My Ice Cream? By Mo Willems

Ice Cream the Full Scoop by Gail Gibbons

The Ice Cream King by Steve Metzger

Rose's Ice Cream Bliss by Rose Beranbaum

The Ice Cream Store: Poems by Dennis Lee

The Chocolate Sundae Mystery by Gertrude Chandler Warner



If you would like to see suggested activities related to making connections with ice cream, please visit the Coffee and Kids Resource Page on the Demmer website.

Demmer Memorial Library Presents:

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July Programs



Family Chalk Art July 5-9

Come to the **Demmer** and get your chalk to make chalk art around our building.



Interactive Movie July 12 @ 10:00 AM

@ **Demmer Green Space**--Join us as we play along with the movie! Everyone gets an interactive script and a bag filled with props and snacks. Follow the script and act out the actions with Miss April and Miss Candice. For more information on the movie please check the Demmer website www.demmerlibrary.org.



Trees for Tomorrow: Fish Adaptations and Habitats July 19 @ 10:00 AM

@ **Three Lakes High School**-- Students will examine fish adaptations to understand the diversity of fish morphology and how it provides adaptive advantage for specific habitats. Students will then design a "best habitat" for their fish species based on what they have learned.



Shark Day July 26 @ 10:00 AM

@**Demmer Green Space**--Join us as we celebrate the shark. There will be games, shark facts, and more!

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CLUB

Saturdays @ 10:00am

in person at the Demmer Maple Room or virtual

Fight Dragons, Goblins, and more! Join us as we use Roll20 to virtually play D&D. Email librarian@demmerlibrary.org to get your invitation to our game.



DEMME MEMORIAL LIBRARY & THREE LAKES FAB LAB PRESENT:

MAKE IT CLASSES

3 Different classes!

Wednesday, July 6th

Wednesday, July 13th

Wednesday, July 20th

Three Lakes FAB Lab

9:00 am

Three different FAB Lab workshops. Want to see the FAB Lab in action? Want to take home something you made? Sign up for one or all three classes and get some hands on time in the FAB lab.

10 spots available per class. Ages 10-18.

To pre-register stop in the library, call 715-546-3391, or email librarian@demmerlibrary.org.



Beginning Genealogy Workshops

**July 14 @ 6:00-8:30 p.m. and July 19 @ 9:30
a.m.-12 noon
Demmer Library**

Both dates/times will have the same presentation –you do not need to attend both sessions

Presented by: Three Lakes Genealogical Society

Pre-Registration Required:

Call Demmer Library at 715-546-3391

The workshop content will include an Introduction of Beginning Genealogy followed by breakout sessions with instruction on using the two largest genealogy search companies, Ancestry.com and FamilySearch.org., and a look into what information is available in the Local History Room located within the Demmer Library.

If you are just starting out with your genealogy research, or want more information on finding data, please attend.

Pre-registration required because of limited space available.

Booking Ahead

High interest titles added to the catalog and released in July/August

Give us a call to put your name on the list - (715) 546-3391



Where the Sky Begins by Rhys Bowen

Overkill by Sandra Brown

The Bodyguard by Katherine Center

A Prayer for the Crown-shy by Becky Chambers

Psalm for the Wild-Built by Becky Chambers

A Dark and Stormy Tea by Laura Childs

Reckoning: An FBI Thriller by Catherine Coulter

Murder Spills the Tea by Vicki Delany

The Last Paladin by Peter T. Deutermann

Iced by Felix Francis

Heat 2 by Michael Mann & Meg Gardiner

Armored by Mark Greaney

The Displacements by Bruce Holsinger

A Lady's Guide to Fortune-hunting by Sophie Irwin

Collateral Damage by J. A. Jance

The Hunt by Faye Kellerman

Fox Creek by William Kent Krueger

The Librarian Spy by Madeline Martin

Tick Tock by Fern Michaels

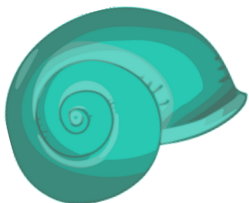
The Daughter of Doctor Moreau by Silvia Moreno-Garcia

The Ninth Month by James Patterson

The Challenge by Danielle Steel

Summer at the Cape by RaeAnne Thayne

Black Dog by Stuart Woods



Historical Clippings

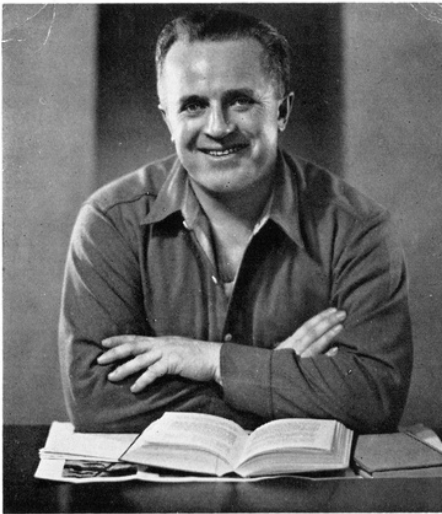
Three Lakes Museum

July 2022

Sam Campbell

Philosopher of the Forest

"This will be a day on the trails, then. Let us pack our lunch. fill canteens with water. Get out the binoculars, cameras, the magnifying glass....let's look closer at things than we ever have before, for if we see things well, we shall understand them, and if we understand them, we shall appreciate them."



SAM CAMPBELL, writer, lecturer and photographer, is known throughout America.

Sam Campbell was born August 1, 1895, to city life in Watseka, Illinois. As a child, camping with his parents and visiting his grandparents farm, he developed an early and keen interest in the outdoors. At the age of 20 he began writing articles on nature for newspapers and magazines and in 1929 he made his first films on animal life which he presented to the public. Of course the central theme of his work was conservation.

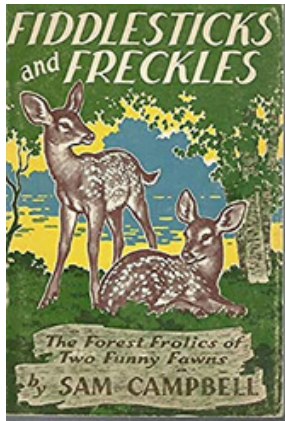
In the 1920s and 1930s, Campbell was part of America's emerging environmentalist movement, forging close friendships with some of its leading figures.

Sam's writing and nature talks, with the use of a movie camera to capture the animals of the forest in action, caught the attention of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad and he became their official lecturer promoting travel by rail. Convincing people to take the train to see this beautiful country for themselves, he held that position for 22 years.



While he conducted tours throughout the world, he and his wife Giny maintained a summer home on an island in Four Mile Lake, northeast of Three Lakes, known to the many who have heard his lectures, read his books, or seen his movies as "The Sanctuary of Wegimind." It was here that he prepared most of his essays on nature and the photos and film to illustrate his work. During the course of his career, he gave about 10,000 public lectures and produced nearly half a million feet of colored film.

Sam passed away in 1962 but remains a large part of Three Lakes history.



Writing for both children and adults, Sam created a popular set of twelve books known collectively as *The Living Forest*. Written in the 1940's and 50's, this sought after collection of animal characters and their antics, based on Sam and Giny's encounters at their retreat on the island in Four Mile Lake remains a "profound yet whimsical nature observation" and although they seem old-fashioned now-a-days, they are delightful get-aways.

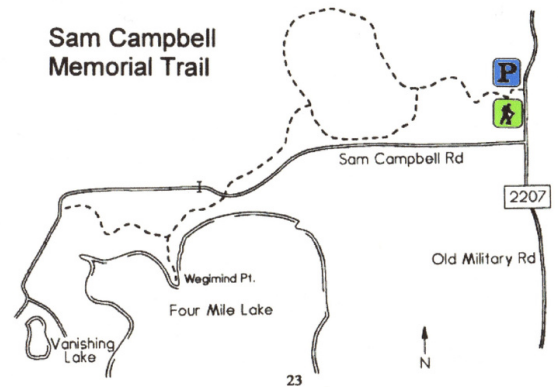


Sam and Giny's island is now privately owned, but the remainder of the land became part of the Nicolet National Forest. In a partnership between the Three Lakes Historical Society and the US Forest Service, plans were undertaken to create the Sam Campbell Memorial Trail and the complex was dedicated on June 29th in 1989. The almost two mile trail runs through a variety of forest types and a section of the trail leads to Wegimind Point and Vanishing Lake, a focal point in many of Sam's writings and lectures.

At the dedication ceremony on that day in 1989, Larry Henson, associate deputy chief of the US Forest Service, Washington, D.C. said, *"Sam saw this land early when it was ravaged and before it was made a National Forest in 1933 ... This forest land is now better than it was ... and he helped it happen."*

Sam Campbell -
a Three Lakes treasure

Nicolet National Forest Trails



This trail is named in honor of nature enthusiast, philosopher, and writer, Sam Campbell. It leads through a forest of pines, balsam, and hardwoods, and offers a variety of spring birds and wildflowers. A self-guiding brochure available at the trailhead interprets the area using the writings of Sam Campbell. A section of the trail leads to Wegimind Point and Vanishing Lake, a focal point in many of Campbell's writings and lectures. The Three Lakes Historical Society is a partner with the Forest Service in managing the trail. Benches are provided.

Directions: From Three Lakes, take State Highway 32 east for 4 miles to Military Road (FR 2178). Turn left and go north 4-1/2 miles to Old Military Road (FR 2207). Take left fork onto Old Military Road and proceed north 1 mile to the trailhead. Parking is available for 3 vehicles.

Trail Length: 1-3/4 mile loop.

Difficulty: Gently rolling terrain, some short steep grades.



Vanishing Lake