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DEMMER LIBRARY WELCOMES NEW DIRECTOR PETER KOTARBA

The Demmer Library Board of Trustees and staff are happy to announce that Peter Kotarba has accepted the position of director for the Demmer Library in Three Lakes.

The search for a director began in May of 2022 when former director Erica Brewster announced her intentions to move to Door County to join her husband.

Kotarba was hired at the Demmer in August of 2022 as the Technical Service Librarian and Library Accounts Manager. He came to the position having already earned his master's degree in library and information sciences.

Demmer Library Board President Ann Asbeck is confident that serving in the Director position will further contribute to Kotarba's learning as he works toward his library-focused career goals.

April Hansen, who has been acting director since February 15, 2023, says that the staff and patrons are excited to have Peter in the role.

For questions or more information call 715-546-3391 or visit www.demmerlibrary.org or follow the Demmer Library on Facebook for more details.

-Once Again the Programming Librarian- April Hansen

HOURS

MON/WED 9AM-7PM
TUES/THURS/FRI 9AM-5PM
SAT 9AM-2PM

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Three Lakes Genealogical Society

Genealogist

Next Meeting - Monday May 22, 1 pm, in the Maple Room.

The program this month is Using MyHeritage.com - an online genealogy platform. Some TLGS members are traveling to the Wisconsin Historical Society in Madison next month to do genealogical research. The WHS is considered to be one of the best research sites in the United States.

Remember that guests are always welcome!

Book Club - At Home Reading

For May - Badger Boneyards: the eternal rest of the story - by Dennis McCann. Do you know where John Heisman (Heisman trophy) is buried? This book is available at Demmer Memorial Library, interlibrary loan and Amazon.com

For June

In the Blood - by Steve Robinson. This book is available at Demmer Memorial Library, Walter E. Olson Memorial Library and Amazon.com.

Coming in July -

The TLGS summer workshops will be We Are Three Lakes, which is a community-based website designed to share all sorts of information about Three Lakes, Sugar Camp and the surrounding areas. On July 11, there will be a general introduction to the project. On July 25, people from the area will be invited to bring their genealogical records, photos, and stories as well as other subjects such as camps and resorts. More information next month!

We Are Three Lakes is a way to share our connections, families, and wonder of the Northwoods.

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

Create Time Lines for Your Ancestors

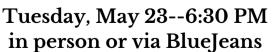
- Time lines are a genealogist's best friend. Create a time line for your ancestors, particularly those troublesome ancestors. Timeline allow you to "see" you ancestor. You can discover gaps in your research as well as data that may be inconsistent for that ancestor.

Books the Other Channel Book Club

FAMILY

FATHER --- MOTHER

BROTHERMESISTER



Books the Other Channel book discussion group will discuss From Scratch: A Memoir of Love, Sicily and Finding Home by Tembi Locke on May 23rd at 6:30 PM.

Meet in person at the library or join online via BlueJeans. Email <u>demmer@demmerlibrary.org</u> 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

KENTUCKY DERBY WEEK

Stop in the Demmer Library

May 1st through the 6th to
vote on your favorite staff
named horse, make a fascinator
in the Libratory, and see our
display of movies and books
about the Kentucky Derby.

THURSDAY MAY 4TH 2:00PM-4:00PM

Join us at the Demmer for a Mint Julep Mocktail, get the recipe and enjoy a cucumber sandwich.



EVENTS



Story Hour Demmer Library Tuesdays@ 10 am

Story Hour is 30 to 45 minutes of reading books, playing games, songs, and interactive fun.

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.





<u>Lego Club</u> Monday, May 8 @ 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

@Demmer Maple Room. Lego Club is for children of all ages. Come and free build with your friends or play Lego Creationary.



Pokemon Club

Monday, May 15 2:15 pm Demmer Maple Room

Join us as we talk about Pokemon and learn how to play the card game.

DROP IN YOGA

Mondays & Wednesdays 11:15am Demmer Maple Room



Beginners welcome. This FREE class is facilitated by yoga videos



<u>Demmer Crafternoon</u>

The 3rd Tuesday of each month 2:30pm

Demmer Libratory

Learn to make a different craft each month!

Registration is required.

The Library will be closed on Monday, May 29th for Memorial Day.

THREE LAKES HISTORICAL SOCIETY

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Three Lakes Historical Society needs your help getting ready for the 2023 season.

Opportunities include dusting, sweeping, and just general cleaning of the buildings. Want to help? E-mail us at curator@threelakesmuseum.org, or call 715-546-2295 and leave a message.

Booking Ahead

High interest titles added to the catalog and released in May/June Give us a call to put your name on the list - (715) 546-3391



Practice Makes Perfect by Sarah Adams The Lie Maker by Linwood Barclay The Senator's Wife by Liv Constantine Meet Me at the Lake by Carley Fortune The Lonely Hearts Book Club by Lucy Gilmore The Night Flowers by Sara Herchenroether The Twenty by Sam Holland, For You and Only You by Caroline Kepnes Paper Names by Susie Luo Our Hideous Progeny by C. E. Mcgill The Garnett Girls by Georgina Moore The Paper Man by Billy O'callaghan The Hearts Choice by Tracie Peterson The Bride Wore White by Amanda Quick The Libyan Diversion by Joel C. Rosenberg The Old Lion: A Novel of Theodore Roosevelt by Jeff Shaara The Wedding Planner by Danielle Steel

The Eden Test by Adam Sternbergh

The House on Prytania by Karen White

Historical Clippings



May 2023

To Curate -

the act of selecting and organizing information and objects for display

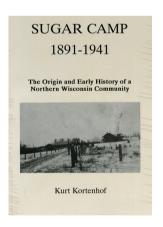
For a museum, the definition goes beyond just displaying objects. Museums must use those objects and conduct research to be able to tell the stories to educate the public. This provides people the opportunity to interpret the past and understand our place in its future, respecting different times and cultures.

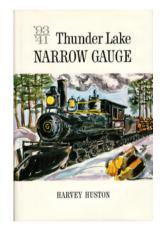
This year Three Lakes Museum visitors will be able to see curation in progress as the Native American exhibit in the CCC Building undergoes the updating process of revamp, refresh, recycle and replace.

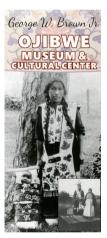


The purpose of exhibits is to engage the viewer visually. While the current exhibit has a great setting and a variety of artifacts, it doesn't tell the story of the native people living both to the east and west of Three Lakes prior to 1881. Books written on native tribes in Wisconsin provide general insight but the goal is to touch history here.

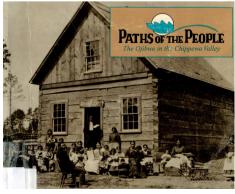
By connecting with local authors and the tribes themselves, a more detailed story emerges.





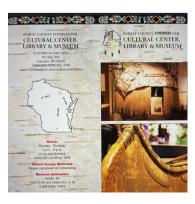






These are all great local sources

Both museums provide insight and knowledge and staff to answer questions









Maps are a visual communication. A graphic representation of information

Archive images are limited to these - mostly traveling postcard photographers. As always the museum staff is looking for input from the community to fill in puzzle pieces of the past. If you have

anything to share please contact us



Neu's Store (currently the Pharmacy and Fika). The little girl on the far left in the white dress is identified as Violet Neu Olkowski. Can you identify anyone else?



Agnes Buckkskin



Main Street (before Superior)walking west past Campbell's store. Identified by George Campbell



John Shopodock. Potawatomi.





Unidentified images that need to be confirmed as from the Three Lakes area