

Demmer Memorial Library, Three Lakes, Wisconsin 54562



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

This year's program is packed with opportunities to read, learn, and explore. Whether you're a young reader, a teen, or an adult, there's something for everyone:

- **Reading Challenges** for all ages, with fun milestones and prizes. Pick up a reading log at the library.
- **Immersion Excursions**—An “out of museum experience” that blends historical education with local attractions enhanced by the Three Lakes Historical Museum’s archives.
- **Make-It Camps**—Bite-sized workshops for ages 8-15 where participants can build, design, and bring their ideas to life through science, art, and the technology available at the Three Lakes FAB Lab.

We're also excited to introduce our new Book-A-Room tool, making it easier than ever to reserve library meeting spaces for your group, study session, or club gathering. Just visit our website to check availability and book in seconds.

Join us on June 16 or June 17 for our big kickoff celebration, and get ready for a colorful summer filled with books, programs, and community.

See you soon at the library!

Warmly,

Jill

MON/WED 9AM-7PM

TUES/THURS/FRI 9AM-5PM

SAT 9AM-2PM

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DEMME IMPACTS:

THREATENED LIBRARY FUNDS



WHAT'S GOING ON?

The Demmer needs your help! Federal funds for libraries are being cut. All staff at the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) have been put on leave and grants are threatened.

WHAT IS AT STAKE?

In Wisconsin, combined federal and state library funding provides efficient infrastructure to support local libraries. Lost IMLS dollars will impact state library services, especially to rural libraries.





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WHAT ITEMS ARE FEDERALLY FUNDED?

Federally supported or funded items include:



Libby



**Lending Books between
Libraries**



Badgerlink Access



**Cybersecurity and website
hosting**



Librarian Training

Additional services could be at risk!



WHAT CAN I DO?

CONTACT MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. Share with them the importance of your library, what it means to you, and how it would impact you to lose these services.

Encourage them to preserve IMLS funding to ensure services for your community are preserved!





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SPEAK UP!

Contact the Demmer's members of congress and state legislators using www.usa.gov/elected-officials.

SAVE IMLS! U.S. House Representative Tom Tiffany, and U.S. Senators Tammy Baldwin and Ron Johnson need to receive the message on the first page of this flyer about the importance of IMLS funding to Wisconsin libraries.

SUPPORT STATE LIBRARY AID! Wisconsin Senate President Mary Felzkowski and Representative Rob Swearingen have been outstanding library champions during the past decade of state budget deliberations. Thank them for their support! Urge them to preserve library aid in the next state budget. Tell them why the Demmer is important to you and your concern that the joint federal/state funded services must continue.



Tom Tiffany Contact Page



Rob Swearingen Contact Page



Tammy Baldwin Contact Page



Ron Johnson Contact Page



Mary Felzkowski Contact Page

Three Lakes Genealogical Society



The Three Lakes Genealogical Society (TLGS) will meet next on Monday, June 23, at 1 p.m. in the lower level of the Edward U. Demmer Memorial Library in Three Lakes. The meeting can also be viewed on Zoom, courtesy of the Demmer Library. To attend the meeting virtually, email the library at demmer@demmerlibrary.org to get the link. The program for this meeting is Members Helping Members, Presentation By Barb Fligel, our TLGS Secretary, on her research for Family Member, talking about what sources she used, all the steps and information she had to check for accuracy. Anyone interested in genealogy, discovering family roots or learning about family history is welcome to attend all meetings. For more information contact Mari Lynn at (715)891-1146.

Every Thursday from 2-4 p.m., in the Local History Room within the library, there is a TLGS member present to help anyone with investigating their family history. Everyone is welcome to come in and have a little one-on-one time with someone who could help. No scheduling required.

TLGS website: www.3lgs.org

TLGS email: familyhistory@demmer.org

We Are Three Lakes: <http://3lgs.org/TNG/index.php>



Books the Other Channel Book Club

Tuesday, June 24th--6:30 PM

in person or via Zoom

Books the Other Channel book discussion group will discuss Force of Nature: Three Women Tackle the John Muir Trail by Joan Griffin on June 24th at 6:30 PM.

Meet in person at the library or join online via Zoom. 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 is welcome!

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





June Programs



SRP Kick-Off June 16 & 17 @ 10 AM

@ Maple Room--Join us for a two-day Summer Reading Kick-Off! Come color a pinwheel and sign up for summer reading challenges and programming.



Messy Masterpieces June 24 @ 10 AM

@ Maple Room--Join us as we create messy masterpieces using various techniques and art mediums.

**Offered
year-round**

Lego Club Second Monday of the Month

3:30pm-Demmer Maple Room Children of all ages are invited to come free build, take part in the monthly challenge or play Creationary.



YA SUMMER PROGRAMMING



Black Light Party

Ages 12-18

June 16 @ 3pm

Demmer Maple Room

FAB Lab Make it! Days

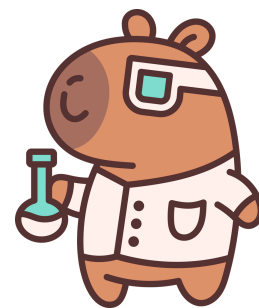
Ages 8-15

July 9 @ 1pm

July 16 @ 1pm

July 23 @ 1pm

Registration Required



Rainbow Boba Party

Ages 12-18

August 4 @ 3pm

Demmer Maple Room

Story Book Gardens

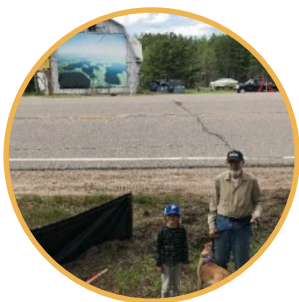
Don't forget to visit the Story Book Gardens this summer!

Houses have been refreshed and some new activities have been added. Get your brochure and start punching it for a prize.



Three Lakes IMMERSION EXCURSIONS

"AN OUT OF MUSEUM EXPERIENCE"



DAIRY COW PASS
THURS, JUNE 26TH
10:00 AM



HISTORIC DOWNTOWN WALK
THURS, JULY 10TH
10:00 AM

Meet at the Demmer Library at 10:00am. Car pool or take your own car to the scheduled location and learn about these special Three Lakes places.

UPCOMING EXCURSIONS

JULY 17--THE JOHNSON HOUSE

JULY 24--THE BLACK FOREST

JULY 31--THREE LAKES CEMETERY

AUGUST 7--SHELTERED VALLEY



Historical Society and Museum



OIL PAINTING CLASS

JUNE 30 | 5:00 PM
DEMME LIBRARY

Let Tom Barnett from Tom's Drawing Board in Rhinelander teach you how to paint! All materials will be provided and you can take home your art.

This class is free.

Ages 18+

Registration is required

Space is limited.



Monthly Writing Group

TWO MEETINGS THIS MONTH!

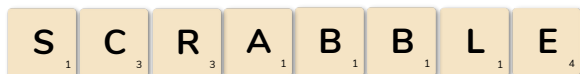
Thursday, June 5th @ 1:00pm
Thursday, June 19th @ 1:00pm
Demmer Maple Room

Beginning writers as well as established authors are encouraged to attend, share writing projects, successes, and help each other.



PROVIDING SUPPORT AND RESOURCES FOR OUR VETERANS.

Veterans Services Office Hours
Demmer Library
Wednesday
June 18th
12-4 PM



Drop In Play

2nd & 4th
Thursdays
1 pm-3 pm
Demmer Fireplace
Area

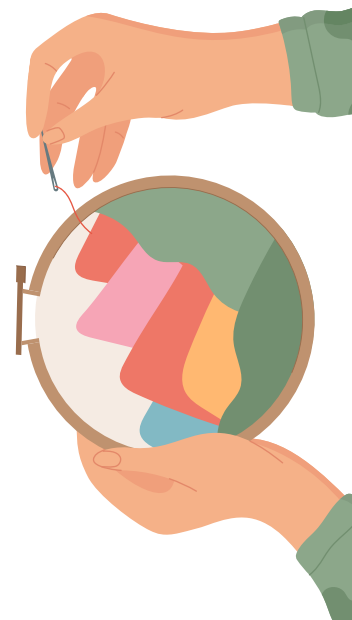
How many of us miss playing a good game of Scrabble? Stop by the Demmer on the dates and times listed as we bring Scrabble players together.



Hook & Needle Nights

FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH
5PM-7PM DEMMER FIREPLACE AREA

A social gathering for knitters, crocheters, and needle workers where people can share their projects, tips, patterns, and enjoy the company of fellow crafters.



Booking Ahead

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



Writing Mr. Wrong by Kelley Armstrong

Our Last Wild Days by Anna Bailey

Strangers in Time by David Baldacci

The Last Ferry Out by Andrea Bartz

Beach Reads and Deadly Deeds by Allison Brennan

The Surf House by Lucy Clarke

King of Ashes by S.A. Cosby

The Guest Cottage by Lori Foster

Stolen Life of Colette Marceau by Kristin Harmel

Writing Mr. Right by Alina Khawaja

Never Flinch by Stephen King

The Next Chapter by Camille Kellogg

The Summer That Changed Everything by Brenda Novak

Fox by Joyce Carol Oates

The President's Shadow by James Patterson & Richard Dilallo

A Fellowship of Librarians & Dragons by J. Penner

An Unexpected Grace by Tracie Peterson & Kimberley Woodhouse

We Live Here Now by Sarah Pinborough

Badlands by Preston & Child

Atmosphere by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Hidden Nature by Nora Roberts

With a Vengeance by Riley Sager

A Mother's Love by Danielle Steel

The Bachelorette Party by Camilla Sten

Shroud by Adrian Tchaikovsky

The Lost Book of First Loves RaeAnne Thayne

Historical Clippings

Three Lakes Museum

June 2025

This summer is filled with days to experience Three Lakes history!

  Historical Society and Museum

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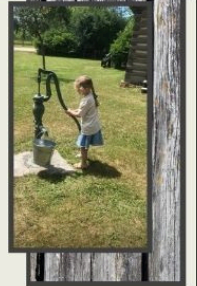



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**THREE LAKES
PIONEER DAYS**

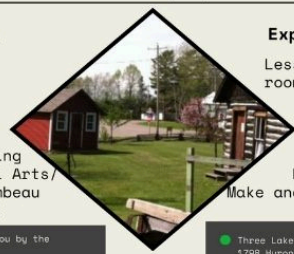
Tuesday July 22 Noon to 4
On the Three Lakes
Museum Grounds

JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED AFTERNOON EVENT
TRAVEL BACK IN TIME TO EXPLORE LIFE IN THE NORTHWOODS

DRESS UP LIKE A PIONEER
DISCOVER THE HARD WORK, FUN, AND ADVENTURE



Meet a



- Blacksmith
- Trapper
- Logger
- Spinner
- Historian
- Waaswaagoning
- Indian Bowl Arts/Lac du Flambeau and more!




Experience

- Lessons in a one room schoolhouse
- Storytime
- Games
- Chores
- Dress-up
- Picture booth
- Make and take crafts

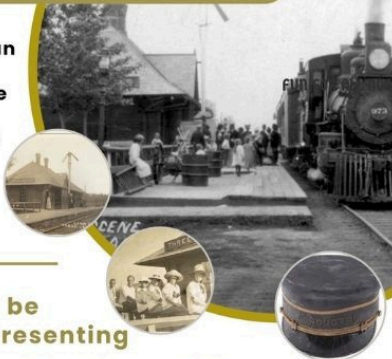
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 Three Lakes Historical Society
and
 Story Book Gardens

 Three Lakes Historical Museum
1768 Huron Street
Three Lakes WI
 For more information call
715-540-2295

The Three Lakes Historical Society Speaker Series

 **OUR PATH THROUGH TIME**

Will be hosting an evening talk on the impact of the Milwaukee Lake Shore & Western Railways expansion into the Northwoods of Wisconsin




Featured will be Steve Yahr presenting

Rails North – The Story of Three Lakes

the fascinating history of why and how the railroad built north and founded Three Lakes

The evenings presentation will begin with Kyle McMahon introducing you to Vet Graves, Three Lakes celebrated conductor

Thursday July 10, 2025, 7PM
Three Lakes Center for the Arts



 **THREE LAKES HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM**
Three Lakes, WI

Historical Boat Tours

ON THE THREE LAKES CHAIN O' LAKES



and the soon to be revealed summer History Hunt where you become a Historical Detective



And be sure to put these summer events on your calendar!



**Friday
July 4th Parade
50/50 Raffle**

This could be you!

**Fridays
Farmstand**



**Saturday
July 5th
FISH BOIL**



**Tuesdays
Concerts in the park**

**Thanks
for Your
Support!**



**The Museum opens for the summer
June 17. Stop by to visit view share
research or relax and check out the
progress on the Johnson House!**