
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.

June is shaping up to be one of our busiest—and most exciting—months of the year at the library. From community conversations and historical programs to summer celebrations and hands-on fun, there's something for everyone to explore.

Our Library Crawl Week is packed with activities that invite the community to connect, discover, and have a little fun along the way. Whether you're attending a special event, trying something new, or simply collecting experiences from around the community, we hope you'll join us for a week that truly celebrates what makes libraries and local partnerships so special.

We're also continuing our America 250 series with several engaging programs throughout the month. On June 9 at 9:30 a.m., we'll host the PBS Wisconsin America at 250 Community Conversation, offering an opportunity to reflect on our shared history and future together. Then, on June 18 at 1:00 p.m., members of the Daughters of the American Revolution will present a special program exploring local and national history. Alongside these events, our America 250: The Stories That Shaped Us movie and speaker series continues to uncover stories that shaped our nation—proving history is anything but dusty.

And of course, summer at the library means it's time for children's Summer Reading Kickoff on June 22 and 23. Families only need to attend one day to join the fun as we launch this year's theme: Unearth A Story. Get ready to dig into adventures, excavate great books, and uncover a summer full of reading and discovery.

We look forward to welcoming you to the library this month as we learn, celebrate, and explore together. Here's to a June full of stories waiting to be uncovered!

—Jill Roth, Library Director

HOURS

MON/WED 9AM-7PM

TUES/THURS/FRI 9AM-5PM

SAT 9AM-2PM

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Three Lake Public Library Foundation

Transitions in Leadership: A New Chapter for the Three Lakes Public Library Foundation

The Three Lakes Public Library Foundation welcomes two new members to its Board of Directors: Carolyn Eaglesham and Pam Kugi. Carolyn has lived in Three Lakes for 27 years and served on the Demmer Library staff for 25 of those years. Pam Kugi moved to Three Lakes 3 years ago and vacationed here with her family for many years prior to then. Both women have extensive years of service volunteering in their community. The remaining Foundation Board members are: Dianna Blicharz (President), Juanita Duchrow (Treasurer), and Barb Mastalish (Secretary).

Eaglesham and Kugi replace two long standing members of the Three Lakes Public Library Foundation Board: Nancy Kimla and Kathleen Weyenberg. Nancy served on the Foundation Board for 20 years and was its Treasurer for many of those years. Kathleen served on the board for 6 years and served as the Vice President for several of those years. Nancy was instrumental in raising funds for the rebuild of the Demmer library in 2018 - 2019. Both Nancy and Kathleen supported the creation of the Celebration Garden on the South side of the library in 2023 and the future landscaping improvements in front of the library. Nancy and Kathleen created a wonderful legacy not only through building and grounds enhancements but also through their support of the growth of the library's membership and programming.

Thank you, Nancy and Kathleen, for your dedication, vision and leadership!

A Seat at the Table: **Dining Out to Support the Demmer Library**

The Three Lakes Public Library Foundation is teaming up with local restuarants to raise money for the Demmer Library. The progam is called "Dine Out, Do Good" and proceeds will fund the summer reading program at the Demmer Library in Three Lakes. Our first event will be held during the Library Crawl Week on **June 2nd from 4 – 9 PM at Spiritview Lakeside**. How can you support this event? It's easy! Enjoy a nice dinner at Spiritview Lakeside, and Spiritview will donate 15% of the proceeds to the Three Lakes Public Library Foundation. So grab a menu, share a table, and join us in making a difference one bite at a time.

Eating and
reading
are two
pleasures
that combine
admirably.
C. S. Lewis.

Three Lakes Genealogical Society



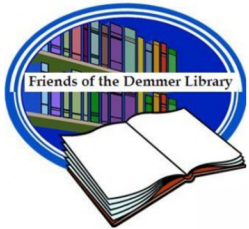
The next TLGS meeting will be held on Monday, June 22nd from 1-3 p.m. The meetings are at the Demmer Library in the Maple Room, but you can attend virtually. A Zoom link will be sent by the secretary in advance of each meeting. The program is followed by a business meeting. Visitors are welcome. We welcome your suggestions for future programming!

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>



Friends of the Demmer Library

The Friends of the Demmer Library are looking for members to serve on their board. Letters of Interest should be dropped off at the Demmer Library c/o Friends.

The Friends of the Demmer Library is a volunteer organization that wants to promote knowledge & use of the library.

Used book sale fund-raiser events pay for the August Scavenger Hunt Prizes, the Northwoods Children's Museum Season Pass, the Book Page Subscription and much more!!!



**4TH
OF JULY
BOOK SALE**

**JULY 4TH, 2025
10:00AM-12PM**

UNEARTH A STORY™

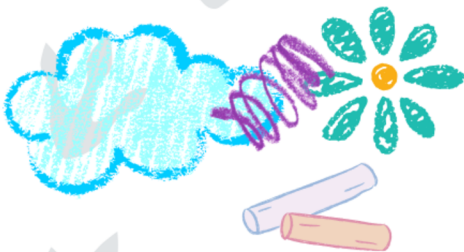
JUNE PROGRAMS



SRP Kick-Off June 22 & 23 @ 10 AM

@ Maple Room--Join us for a two-day Summer Reading Kick-Off. Sign up for summer reading and grow a dinosaur!

No need to come both days--they will be the same.



Chalkfest June 29-July 4

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

**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.



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For more information call the Demmer Library at 715-546-3391 or email librarian@demmerlibrary.org

AGES 0-11

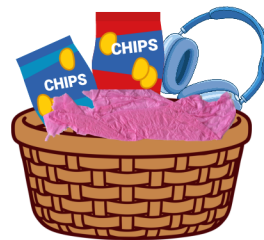
It's Summer Reading time again!
Starting June 22-August 14 reading books equals prizes!
Ages 0-11 come register for summer reading and get your
gameboard.

The theme this year is *Unearth A Story!*



AGES 12-18

Teens, starting June 22-August 14 pick up a book review bookmark from the library. Every completed bookmark is a raffle ticket into the basket of your choosing. Basket winners will be drawn Friday, August 14.
Happy Reading!



AGES 19+



Adults, June 22-August 14 pick up a book bookmark from the library. Complete the tasks on the bookmark and answer the questions. Turn in completed bookmarks as a chance to win one of four \$50 Amazon gift cards.

Winners will be drawn Friday, August 14!

Library Crawl Events

DEMMEER LIBRARY CRAWL

Join us for library events throughout town!



June 01

Silent Book Club

From 9a-10a come to Deja Brew to read your book, silently, side by side with other readers. From 10a-11a discuss your book with your fellow book clubbers, or keep reading. Choose a nametag to tell us if you are just here to read or ready to chat. Food and drink available for purchase.



June 02

Cheese & Book Pairing

Discover the perfect pairing of great books and great cheese at The Cheese Market! Join us for a flavorful time featuring curated cheese samples matched with your new summer read. This is an open house style event from 1-3pm. Cheese available for purchase.



June 03

Movie Night

Join us at the Three Lakes Center for the Arts for a showing of *The Patriot* at 7:30p. Don't forget to check out the movie from the library if you miss it. Food and drink available for purchase.



June 04

Music Bingo

Expect great tunes, lots of laughs, and friendly competition during this fun Library Crawl Week event. Try to win big at the Brew Station's amazing music bingo night at 7p. Drinks available for purchase.



June 05

Yoga in the Park

Enjoy yoga at Cy Williams Park at 11a. No yoga mat? Check one out from the Library of Things. Yoga will be lead by community member Janele Dupuis, 200RYT. Then ease into the afternoon at Three Lakes' *NEW* Maple Lake Shinery when you're done. Food and drink available for purchase.

BONUS SPIRITVIEW FUNDRAISER DINNER 4-9PM

For detailed information: demmerlibrary.org

Call 715-546-3391 or email demmer@demmerlibrary.org



AMERICA

250

AMERICA 250

The Stories that Shaped US

Movie and Speaker Series

Three Lakes Center for the Arts at 7:30pm
A short presentation precedes each movie

May 27

National Treasure

June 3

The Patriot

June 10

A League of Their Own

June 17

Hidden Figures

June 24

We Shall Remain

July 1

Hacksaw Ridge



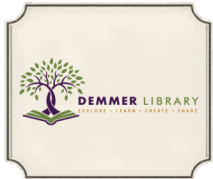
America @ 250 Community Conversations

THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

A FILM BY

KEN BURNS, SARAH BOTSTEIN & DAVID SCHMIDT

June 9, 9:30-11:30
Demmer Maple Room



America 250! Potpourri

June 18 @ 1pm
Demmer Maple Room

PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- A Reading of the Declaration of Independence
- 250 Events in the Three Lakes are
- Honoring Vietnam Era Veterans
- What is DAR? (Daughters of the American Revolution)
- The routes of patriots to Wisconsin
- WSDAR GRC State Bible Project





Monthly Writing Group

TWO MEETINGS THIS MONTH!

Thursday, June 4 @ 1:00pm

Thursday, June 8 @ 1:00pm

Demmer Maple Room

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



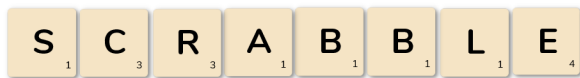
THIS EVENT IS POSTPONED UNTIL A NEW VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER IS APPOINTED.

Find Your Passion, Find Your Joy.

Monthly Hobby Series

4th Wednesday at 1:00 PM

Demmer Maple Room



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.



American Mahjong

Every Tuesday

11a-1p

Demmer Northwoods Room

Still a beginner?

Learn to play the second Tuesday of the month!

Contact the library to sign up for teaching time.



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



Booked at Midnight *by Emily W. Andersen*
Rules of Engagement *by Tom Clancy*
When Justice Comes *by Colleen Coble and Rich Acker*
Ironwood *by Michael Connelly*
True Crime: A Memoir *by Patricia Cornwall*
A Murder in Hollywood *by Michael Crichton*
The Hard Line *by Mark Greaney*
The Midnight Train *by Matt Haig*
The Divorce *by Frieda McFadden*
Booked *by Robert B. Parker*
Whistle *by Ann Patchett*
26 Beauties *by James Patterson*
Rocket's Red Glare *by James Patterson*
Faithful of Heart *by Tracie Peterson*
The Final Target *by Nora Roberts*
The Things we Never Say *by Elizabeth Strout*

Books the Other Channel Book Club

Tuesday, June 23rd--6:30 PM
in person or via Zoom



Books the Other Channel book discussion group will discuss Ranger Confidential: Living, Working, and Dying in the National Parks by Andrea Lankford 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

Historical Clippings

Three Lakes Museum

June 2026



Celebrating the USA's 250

The countdown has begun to the biggest July 4th celebration Three Lakes has had in 250 years!

Adding to the festivities, the Demmer Library is hosting an ongoing movie series every Wednesday at 7:30 at the historic **Three Lakes Center for the Arts** for six Wednesdays, beginning May 27 to July 1. Each movie will address a facet of American history and will be introduced by a guest speaker.

Please join us at this free event for *The Stories That Shaped Us*

Each week the Demmer Library will be posting the upcoming movie and speaker

A promotional graphic for the "AMERICA 250 The Stories that Shaped US" event. The background is dark blue with white stars and snowflake-like patterns. At the top, "AMERICA 250" is written in large, bold, orange letters. Below it, a red banner contains the text "The Stories that Shaped US" in white cursive. In the center, it says "Three Lakes Center for the Arts Beginning at 7:30pm" in white. Below that, "AMERICA 250" is written in blue and red, followed by "A LIBRARY CRAWL EVENT" in white. A red circle with white text says "FREE ENTRY". At the bottom, there are four logos: Demmer Library (a tree over an open book), Three Lakes Center for the Arts (a stylized '3' with 'LAKES' and 'CENTER FOR THE ARTS'), Three Lakes Historical Society - Museum (a circular seal with a landscape), and Three Lakes Community Foundation (a stylized wave).

Be sure to check the events website for the most up to date happenings around town
ThreeLakesJulyFourth.com

Upcoming Summer Events

EXPERIENCE



THREE LAKES
PIONEER DAYS

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JULY 28, 2026



NOON - 4 PM

THREE LAKES MUSEUM GROUNDS
1788 HURON STREET


**HISTORICAL REENACTMENTS,
CRAFTS, GAMES, AND
HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES**

SPONSORED BY
THREE LAKES HISTORICAL SOCIETY
THREE LAKES STORYBOOK GARDENS


Three Lakes
IMMERSION EXCURSIONS
"AN OUT OF MUSEUM EXPERIENCE"




**TREES FOR TOMORROW-
HISTORY OF THE CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS**
THURS, JULY 9
10:00 AM



KIMBALL CREEK
THURS, JULY 16
10:00 AM



ONEIDA VILLAGE-HISTORY OF THE CORNER
THURS, JULY 23
10:00 AM



**BLACK FOREST-
INSIDE HISTORY TOUR**
THURS, JULY 30
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.

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