

## FROM THE STACKS

Your guide to Waverly Public Library news & events

OCTOBER 2019

#### THE BARN QUILT GUY

Sunday, October 6 2 PM

Danny Steiber explains the history of the Underground Railroad Movement and the development of Barn Quilts, 15 of which carried a special message to slaves traveling through Iowa in the 1800's on their quest to freedom. Free and open to all.



# MULTICULTURAL TRIVIA NIGHT

Tuesday, October 15 6:30 PM

We have a special trivia night this month! We are partnering with Embrace Diversity, and our trivia night will take on a different twist. Categories will include: clothing around the world, holidays, music, and more!



#### **HAUNTED LIBRARY**

Friday, October 25 Saturday, October 26 8:30-10 PM both nights

It's that time of year again...time to transform the library into the stuff of nightmares! Friday night will be the extra scary version, and Saturday will be regular scary. (Beware...both nights will be frightful!) How scary do you dare?



### HALLOWEEN PARTY

Saturday, October 19 10:30 AM

Who's ready for a spooktacular time? We'll have spooky stories and games. Costumes are welcome! For families.



#### STORYGAMING RPG GROUP

Monday, October 21 6:30 PM

Explore new worlds! This group for teens meets on the 3rd Monday of each month to play out a different story. Act and help decide the direction of the story. The first to come will star in the story, and everyone else will join in as extras. What happens will all depend on you!



#### VIDEO GAMING NIGHT

Monday, October 14 6:30 PM

Get excited for an evening of gaming, old and new! We'll have a wide variety of games and consoles to choose from, including the library's new Switch! For teens.



#### NETWORK NIRVANA

Thursdays: October 17, November 21, December 19 5-8 PM

Enter new, custom Minecraft worlds and compete with your team in Nirvana Online! Pizza dinner will be provided. Free event for teens.



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Library Hours: **Monday - Tuesday 9** AM-8 PM **Wednesday - Friday** 9 AM-6 PM **Saturday 9** AM-4 PM **Sunday (Sept.-May) 1**-4 PM



#### **NEW DVD CORNER**

Instant Family
On the Basis of Sex
The Hustle
A Dog's Way Home
Avengers: Endgame
Descendants 3
Bad Times at the El Royale
Secret Life of Pets 2
Rocketman

Ugly Dolls



The Waverly Public Library is thrilled to be one of only four libraries in Iowa selected to host Earth's Bounty in Iowa: Then and Now, a program on the agricultural heritage of Iowa, on Thursday, October 10 from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. The program will feature two guest speakers, a professor of history and a farmer storyteller, who will speak on the state's rich history of agriculture along with the modern challenges and triumphs of farming in Iowa. The event, developed and organized by the Iowa Center for the Book at the State Library of Iowa, is the result of a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities for a two-year program on the agricultural heritage of Iowa.



#### FRIENDS OF THE WAVERLY PUBLIC LIBRARY



If you are a parent or caregiver, consider joining us at the WPL on the first and third Tuesdays each month from 9:30-10:30 AM for our new Caretaker Chat Hour. Talk with other parents and attend Toddler Storytime at 10:30, if you'd like! Friends of the Waverly Public Library have been kind enough to sponsor this program, providing free coffee and donut holes. If you'd like to be a part of this wonderful organization, you can join the Friends for \$5 for students or seniors, \$10 for individuals, or \$20 for a family.

#### **NEW ONLINE CATALOG**

Have you seen our new catalog yet? You can use it to:

- Manage your library account, including placing holds and renewing items
- Browse what's new
- Check out our librarian generated, featured categories
- Browse by subject (romance, fantasy, etc.)
- See only award winners
- Browse by tags
- See suggested read alikes
- Read professional and reader reviews
- And more!

If you have any questions on how to use any of these features, please give us a call!



#### **DIY REGISTRATIONS**

Registration for October's DIY night is full, but registration is now open for November's craft! On Tuesday, November 12 Sept. 10 at 6:30 PM, you can learn how to make a book page wreath. Registration for each month's craft opens on the 1st of the month prior. (I.E., November's registration opens October 1.)

Friends members are able to register 1 month BEFORE everyone else, so consider joining!

