

# GO WILD! READ!

2019 Summer Library Program

## Wild Fun for Everyone!

- 🐸 "Go Wild!" Reading Program ~ Babies-Grade 6
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Make  
TRACKS  
to the  
LIBRARY!

### "Go Wild!" Reading Program

*Geared for Babies - Grade 6*

**May 28:** Sign-up begins! Get your "Go Wild!" Reading Record and set your reading goals for this summer. Start reading May 28!

**June 17 - July 27:** Bring your "Go Wild!" Reading Record in each week to get stamped when you check out books. Earn prizes as you complete your goals. Looking for an extra challenge? Additional Reading Records can be completed and prizes earned. Visit the Library for more details. Also, by finishing your Reading Record you can help the Library adopt wild animals!

**SIGN UP**  
starting  
TUESDAY,  
MAY 28!



**July 31 - August 6:** Bring your "Go Wild!" Reading Record in for an extra prize or two at the Library's "Go Wild! Shop." Number of stamps earned at check out will determine the type of prizes you can choose!

### TEEN Reading Raffle

*Grades 7 - 12*

**May 28 - July 27:** Fill out a ticket for each book you read this summer!

**July 31 - August 14:** Claim your prize at the Library!



*The more books you read, the better your chances of winning a bigger prize, like AirPods! But EVERYONE WINS a prize, guaranteed!*

Prize values approx. \$4 - \$159.

🐸 Remember: The **READING** part of our program can fit any busy schedule!



# Wild and Woolly Special Events

Wild and Woolly Entertainment for Kids in the "Go Wild! Read!" program!

*Note: Seating for accompanying adults is provided to the back and sides of seating area.*

## Kick Off Event:

### "The Unhuggables: Animals Nobody Loves" David Stokes



Slimy? Scary? Sneaky? Why do some animals get bad reputations? Frogs, snakes, insects, turtles, and mice deserve love too! Join award-winning educator and conservationist David Stokes as he combines humor, music, and sign language to teach about some of nature's most "unhuggable" yet fascinating creatures.

#### Wednesday, June 12

12:30 - West Salem Library  
3:30 - Campbell Library  
6:30 ♻️ - Onalaska Library

*Best for ages 4 - Adult 45 min. long*

#### Thursday, June 13

10:00 ♦ - Onalaska Library  
12:30 ♻️ - Onalaska Library  
3:30 - Bangor Library  
6:30 - Holmen Library



♻️ Thank you to "The Friends of the Onalaska Library" for this program!

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### Music of Hans Mayer!

Ever eat bugs? Dig for worms? Say goodbye to an alligator? Sing about these and other animal antics when beloved singer and musician Hans Mayer brings his ear-tickling, infectious music to the Library. Musical fun for the whole family!

#### Wednesday, June 19

12:30 - Onalaska Library  
3:30 - Campbell Library  
6:30 - Bangor Library



*Best for ages 3 - Adult 45 min. long*

### "Remnants of the Rainforest" Dino Tlachac

Explore the rainforest with exotic-animal expert Dino Tlachac. Meet insects, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals native to tropical rainforests - including a coatimundi and a 100-pound, 14-foot Burmese Python! Learn about Earth's oldest ecosystem and ways we can help protect it.

#### Wednesday, July 10

12:30 - Holmen Library  
3:30 - Onalaska Library  
6:30 - West Salem Library

*Best for ages 4 - Adult 50 min. long*



### "The Bug Show!" Bruce the Bug Guy

Bruce Giebink is back with his critter-rific Bug Show! Hissing roaches, scorpions, tarantulas, and more! Hands-on and interactive.

#### Wednesday, June 26

10:30 ♦ - Onalaska Library  
12:30 - Onalaska Library  
3:30 - Bangor Library  
6:30 - Campbell Library



*Best for ages 4 - Adult 60 min. long*

### "Hedwig and Friends" International Owl Center

Owls are very popular in today's books but how do you know if what you're reading is made up or true? Learn how to identify fiction from nonfiction, learn lots of fun facts about owls along the way, AND meet a live owl! Hoot! Hoot! Hooray!

#### Wednesday, July 17

12:30 - West Salem Library  
3:30 - Holmen Library  
6:30 ♻️ - Onalaska Library

*Best for ages 5 - Adult 50 min. long*



# More Exciting Programs... ...For Different Ages!

## Kriffer Kids Story Time

June 17 - July 26

**Note: There are no Story Times July 4.**

Geared for ages 3 -  
Entering Grade 1  
Sign-up recommended\*



Kids ages 3-6 will go wild at **Kriffer Kids Story Time!** Older and younger kids are also welcome; all participants should be able to sit fairly still. We will listen to books, sing songs, do fingerplays & creative dramatics, and make simple crafts. Each week has a new theme based on "Go Wild! READ! at La Crosse County Library!" Story Times are approximately 30 minutes long.

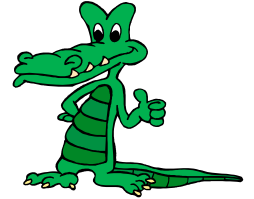
<b>Mondays</b>	10:15 am	Bangor
	10:15 am	Holmen
	10:00 am	Onalaska
	6:30 pm	Onalaska
	6:30 pm	West Salem
<b>Tuesdays</b>	6:30 pm	Holmen
<b>Wednesdays</b>	10:15 am	Holmen
	10:15 am	West Salem
<b>Thursdays</b>	10:00 am	Onalaska
	6:30 pm	Campbell
<b>Fridays</b>	10:00 am	Onalaska

## Wild Things New!

June 17 - July 25

(Two-Day Sessions, Each 12:30 - 1:30 pm)

Entering  
Grades 2 - 4 only  
Sign-up required\*



Have a *wild* good time – at the LIBRARY! Sign up for two days of Wild Things activities. Go "down under" with fun races, do a Clue Hunt, design a rock critter, and make a bird feeder with recycled materials.

**One two-day session per child.**

### June Sessions

<b>June 17 &amp; 18</b>	West Salem
<b>June 20 &amp; 21</b>	Holmen
<b>June 24 &amp; 25</b>	Onalaska
<b>June 25 &amp; 27</b>	Campbell
<b>June 27 &amp; 28</b>	West Salem

### July Sessions

<b>July 8 &amp; 9</b>	Holmen
<b>July 11 &amp; 12</b>	Onalaska
<b>July 15 &amp; 16</b>	Onalaska
<b>July 23 &amp; 25</b>	Bangor
<b>July 23 &amp; 25</b>	Onalaska

## Creation Stations

Weekly activities—including frog origami, animal track stamps, straw building challenges, and more!—will be available in Creation Stations at each location for you to do *anytime*. Come back every week to see what wild things are going on! (No sign-up required for Creation Stations.)

## TWEEN TRACKERS New!

Entering  
Grades 5 - 8 only  
Sign-up required\*



June 17 - July 25

(Two-Day Sessions, Each 2:30 - 3:30 pm)

"Go Wild" and have fun!

Sign up for two days of Tween Trackers Maker Events. Design your own unique slime, do a service project right at the library for the Coulee Region Humane Society, participate in a Wild Lego Challenge, and come to a Paint and Popcorn event!

**One two-day session per child.**

### June Sessions

<b>June 17 &amp; 18</b>	West Salem	<b>July 8 &amp; 9</b>	Holmen
<b>June 20 &amp; 21</b>	Holmen	<b>July 11 &amp; 12</b>	Onalaska
<b>June 24 &amp; 25</b>	Onalaska	<b>July 15 &amp; 16</b>	Onalaska
<b>June 25 &amp; 27</b>	Campbell	<b>July 23 &amp; 25</b>	Bangor
<b>June 27 &amp; 28</b>	West Salem	<b>July 23 &amp; 25</b>	Onalaska

### July Sessions

## Summer Teen Nights

Entering  
Grades 7-12 only  
No sign-up

Food, Friends, & a Movie

Monday Nights at Holmen

July 8, July 15, July 22, & July 29

5:00—Hang out, play games  
5:30—Movie begins



Thursday Nights at Onalaska

July 11, July 18, July 25 & August 1

6:00—Hang out, play games  
6:30—Movie begins

Bring your friends, play games, eat pizza, and watch a movie on the big screen...for free!

This summer's movies are:

July 8, 11: Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse (PG)  
July 15, 18: Mortal Engines (PG-13)  
July 22, 25: Groundhog Day (PG)  
July 29, August 1: Shazam! \*\* (PG-13)

\*\*Dependent on official release date of DVD

\*Each Kriffer Kids, Wild Things, and Tween Trackers event must meet a minimum sign-up to be held.

Note: Reading Record registration must take place at the Library. Registration for other programs may be done in person or by phone.



# Still More Wild Fun! For Various Ages



## Read with Rover Story Time

Mon, August 5	6:30 pm	Onalaska
Tues, August 6	6:30 pm	West Salem
Wed, August 7	10:15 am	Holmen
Thurs, August 8	6:30 pm	Campbell
Mon, August 12	10:15am	Bangor
Thurs, August 15	10:00 am	Onalaska

Join special Story Times by the Coulee Region Humane Society. A Humane Society Volunteer visits the library to share a story and an activity. Enjoy a visit with a companion dog!  
*No sign-up required.*

*Recommended for Ages 3-7*

## Go Wild! Shop



### Library Store

For Go Wild! Readers who participated in the **Go Wild! Read! Summer Reading Program** and checked out books. Be sure to come to the Library's **Go Wild! Shop** to choose some prizes! **Go Wild! Shop** will be open July 31 - August 6.

*Babies - Grade 6*

## Prize Drawing Library Dog's Dog Days of August



Try to win one of the adopted plush animals from the Summer Library Program! Just fill out an entry slip every time you check out a children's book during the month of August. More information available at the Library.

**August 1 - August 31**

*Grades 12 & under*



Visit us on the Web at: [lacrossecountylibrary.org](http://lacrossecountylibrary.org)

"Like" us on Facebook!

Administrative Center: 121 W. Legion St. Holmen, WI 526-9600; Mon.-Fri. 7:30-4:00; Chris McArdle Rojo, Director

### John Bosshard Memorial Library

1720 Henry Johns Blvd.  
Bangor  
486-4408

Monday	10 - 8
Tuesday	1 - 6
Wednesday	10 - 8
Thursday	1 - 6
Friday	10 - 5
Saturday	9 - 1

### F.J. Robers Library

2548 Lakeshore Dr.  
Campbell  
783-0052

Monday	1 - 8
Tuesday	1 - 8
Wednesday	10 - 5
Thursday	3 - 8
Friday	9 - 1
Saturday	9 - 1

### Holmen Public Library

121 Legion St. P.O. Box 220  
Holmen  
526-4198

Monday	10 - 8
Tuesday	1 - 8
Wednesday	10 - 8
Thursday	10 - 8
Friday	10 - 5
Saturday	9 - 2

### Onalaska Public Library

741 Oak Ave. S.  
Onalaska  
781-9568

Monday	9 - 9
Tuesday	12 - 9
Wednesday	9 - 9
Thursday	9 - 9
Friday	9 - 5
Saturday	9 - 2

### Hazel Brown Leicht Memorial Library

201 Neshonoc Rd.  
West Salem  
786-1505

Monday	10 - 8
Tuesday	1 - 8
Wednesday	10 - 8
Thursday	10 - 8
Friday	10 - 5
Saturday	9 - 2

### Youth Services Staff

Carol Knapmiller, Dawn Lippman, and Katherine Sandy  
Assistant Youth Services  
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Holmen: 399-3384;  
West Salem: 399-3372  
Email: [youthservices@lacrossecounty.org](mailto:youthservices@lacrossecounty.org)

