



Look at our Upcoming Events!

- International Game Day!
- No November Live & Learn Program
- Teddy Bear Sleepover



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Live & Learn: No-Sew Quilting



enrich your life with monthly learning

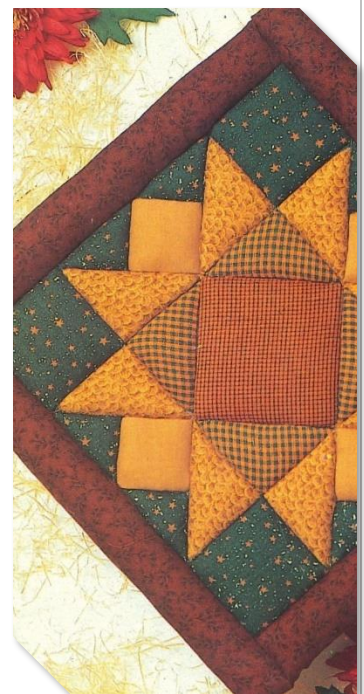
Create a no-sew project

RML's October Live & Learn program is No-Sew Quilting on **Thursday, October 31 at 5:30 pm** in the lower

level Community Room.

Join us as we make a quilted picture without sewing! This program is free and all supplies are provided.

Registration for this class is encouraged. Please contact Robey Memorial Library for more information: (563) 568-4424, robeymemorial@waukon.lib.ia.us, or www.waukon.lib.ia.us. ♦



Pinterest Projects: Paint Pouring

Join us for Pinterest Projects on **Thursday, October 10th at 5:30pm – 6:30pm** in the lower level of RML featuring Paint Pouring.

This form of abstract art uses acrylics mixed with a pouring medium to create unique psychedelic paintings.

Pinterest Projects is a bi-monthly class featuring a project found on Pinterest and materials will be provided by the library. Pinterest is a visual bookmarking tool that helps you discover and save creative ideas.

Registration for this class is limited and

requires pre-registration; contact the library at www.waukon.lib.ia.us or 563-568-4424. ♦



People's Law School: Wills and Revocable Trusts

Monthly legal series for the everyman

The State Library is partnering with the Iowa State Bar Association (ISBA) to bring free high-quality adult programming to public libraries of all sizes across our state. The ISBA People's Law School provides educational events where members of the public can find answers to life's legal questions. Speakers present information on a variety of legal topics and answer general questions.

On **Tuesday, October 15** the ISBA People's Law School event focuses on the basics of wills and revocable

trusts in Iowa. Topics to be discussed include:

- Powers and limitations of a last will and testament
- The basics of probate
- Information on how court costs are calculated
- An overview of how trusts work and when it may be helpful to use one

Please note, this session will have limited seating so pre-registration is strongly encouraged.

Session speakers are Matthew Gardner, Gardner Law Firm, P.C. and Hope Wood, Hope Wood JD.

The ISBA People's Law School events take place on the third Tuesday of the month August 20, 2019 through March 17, 2020 from **5:30-7:30pm**. Programming focuses on a variety of issues impacting Iowans including: the basics of wills and revocable trusts; buying and selling a home, mortgages, and foreclosure; establishing guardianships and conservatorships; modifying divorce decrees; and more.

Robey Memorial Library in Waukon is hosting the ISBA People's Law School series. Future topics in this series are as follows: November

19th—Guardianships and conservatorships. January 14—topic to be determined; February 18th—topic to be determined; March 17th—topic to be determined.

Please contact Robey Memorial Library at (563) 568-4424 or www.waukon.lib.ia.us with questions.♦

Chess Club

Put your chess skills to use in at the Chess Club.

Chess Club meets weekly on Mondays from 4-6pm. All skill levels are welcome!

Come to learn or just to play with a new opponent. Children 8 and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult. This is a free program.

Please contact Robey Memorial Library with questions: (563) 568-4424 or



TEENtober

What will you discover at the library?



www.ala.org/yalsa/teentober

Teen programming in October

RML is celebrating TEENtober October 1-31, 2019 with special events and programs spotlighting all the great resources and activities available at the library and to encourage teens from around the area to read for their enjoyment.

TEENtober is a time to celebrate reading for fun while encouraging teens to take advantage of reading in all its forms—books, magazines, e-books, audiobooks and more! It is also a great opportunity to encourage teens to become regular library users.

RML invites teens, parents and other community members to participate in special programs and events during

TEENtober. Teens earn a prize and an entry in to the \$25 Amazon gift card drawing for program participation. TEENtober events include:

- October 1-31 Design a Book Cover. Teens are encouraged to select a favorite book and design a new book cover. First ten submissions will be posted to Robey Memorial's social media sites. Teens can vote for their favorite cover October 21-31!
- October 14-31 What Should I Read Next Jar. Not sure what to read next? Stop in and "ask" our genre generating book jar!
- October 21-31 Library Scavenger Hunt. Teens can participate in a QR code scavenger hunt—join us for a

fun way to learn your library!

- October 28-31 One-Sentence Review. Teens share your opinions of the books you read with a one-sentence review!

Other teen programs available at Robey Memorial Library include:



- Teen Advisory Board (TAB): TAB meets monthly from September through May. TAB members have input into book purchases, teen programming and more. TAB meetings include teen business, books & special programs. Contact RML or visit

www.waukon.lib.ia.us/teens for more information.

- Literacy programs: Teens can participate in various reading programs to earn free books! *100 books before High School* encourages 7th and 8th grade teens to read 100 books before high school with the opportunity to earn 5 free books. *Read for a Lifetime* encourages teens 9th through 12th grade to continue to read for enjoyment with the opportunity to earn 4 free books. Teens 7th through 12th can earn more fun incentives with 52-week *Read*. 52-week *Read* is a yearly program encouraging regular reading habits.

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Parents of teens are also encouraged to celebrate TEENtober at home. RML offers these ideas:

- Set aside time each day for the family to read
- Give books or magazine subscriptions to your teen as a gift or reward
- Share your favorite book with your teen
- Go online with your teen to learn about new books or authors by visiting <http://tinyurl.com/yalsabookawardslists>, or use YALSA's free Teen Book Finder app
- Host a book discussion group
- Build an in-home library (thrift stores and yard sales offer an inexpensive way to do that)
- Listen to audiobooks on trips
- Create a cozy reading corner somewhere in your home
- Use meal time to talk about books that you're reading
- Parents and caregivers can be role models by making time to read, too
- Incorporate reading into teen

chores, such as reading a recipe when cooking, reading instructions for how-to projects, reading sales fliers to develop a shopping list, and more

TeenTober is a new, nationwide celebration hosted by libraries every October and aims to celebrate teens, promote year-round teen services and the innovative ways teen services helps teens learn new skills, and fuel their passions in and outside the library. TeenTober replaces YALSA's previous Teen Read Week™ and Teen Tech Week™ celebrations. For more information, visit www.ala.org/teenread.

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Tuesday, October 1

- Story Time, 10:30am
- Stay & Play, 11am

Wednesday, October 2

- Brown Bag 'n' Books- Adult Story Time, 12-1pm

Thursday, October 3

- Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm

Monday, October 7

- Chess Club, 4-6pm

Tuesday, October 8

- Story Time w/ Ross, 10:30am
- Library Board Meeting, 4:30pm

Thursday, October 10

- Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
- Pinterest Projects: Paint Pouring, 5:30pm

Monday, October 14

- Chess Club, 4-6pm

Tuesday, October 15

- Story Time, 10:30am
- People's Law School: Wills & Revocable Trusts, 5:30pm

Thursday, October 17

- Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm
- Foundation Book Sale, 2-6pm
- Thursday Night Book Club: Set in a place you want to visit, 6pm

Monday, October 21

- Chess Club, 4-6pm
- TAB (Teen Advisory Board), 4-5pm

Tuesday, October 22

- Story Time, 10:30am
- After School w/ Ross, 3:30pm

Thursday, October 24

- Tech Tutor, 10am-12pm

Monday, October 28

- Chess Club, 4-6pm

Tuesday, October 29

- Story Time, 10:30am

Thursday, October 31

- Live & Learn: No-Sew Quilting, 5:30pm

THURSDAY NIGHT Book Club

All are welcome! Upcoming discussions:

- **October 17:** Set in a place you want to visit
- **November 21:** Based on cover
- **December 19:** Holiday children's book

Contact RML for more information on the Thursday Night Book Club, that meets at 6pm the third Thursday of the month.♦

