# **Black River Falls Public Library**



### NEWSLETTER



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**MAY/JUNE 2023** 

#### Staff Picks

#### from Cara Hart, Director



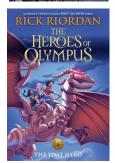
The 2023 Summer Reading Program theme is 'All Together Now'. Adults 18+ can pick up a Bingo card from the Library beginning June 19. Mark off a square for each task completed to earn a 'Bingo' and then turn your card in at the Library for a chance to win



prizes! There will be two Bingo cards, giving two chances to win until August 11.



### from Melody Gesicki, Youth Services



April is flying by with Mother Nature throwing her favorite weather at us! May will be a quiet month for Youth Services. I will have pop-up Storytimes scattered throughout the month but no other programming. The Summer Reading Program will run from June 19 through August 11. The theme is 'All Together Now'. On June 30, 2023, we will have two special presentations: a 10 a.m. Storytime and a 2 p.m. presentation. There is a limit of thirty-five for each presentation. A sign-up for both times will be at the front desk beginning June 19 (the 10 a.m. Storytime for ages 0-5 and their families) and the 2 p.m. for older children. I have many creative ideas to keep the children busy this summer as well as numerous new books to engage their minds.



### from Mary Woods, Historian

# Jackson County History Room Sponsors Cemetery Stone Cleaning Seminar

Check us out on Facebook!

The Black River Falls Public Library-Jackson County History Room will host a Cemetery Stone Cleaning Seminar on Saturday, May 20, at Riverside Cemetery, Maple Street, Black River Falls. The seminar will begin at 10 a.m. Upon arriving at the cemetery, participants should park on Washington Street for easy access to the stones that will be cleaned. Those in attendance are encouraged to bring a lawn chair. Bruce Ladron of La Crosse, along with History Room Volunteer Sarah Larkin, and Historian Mary Woods will demonstrate the proper way to clean various types of stones. There is no charge for the seminar, but those interested in attending are asked to register with Historian Mary Woods in the History Room. She may be contacted by calling 715.284.4112, #3 or email her at m.woods@wrlsweb.org. In 2021 the stone cleaning seminar brought over 35 individuals to Riverside Cemetery.





## **Library Programming**



#### **May 2023**

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Photo Exhibit Drop-off Day 10am Library Book Club Meeting	2 Photo Exhibit Drop-off Day 12pm Medicare Workshop	3	4	5 Photo Exhibit Begins	6
7	8	9 9am Western Dairyland Housing Services 10am Legal Action of WI 2pm Wednesday Readers Book Club Meeting 5pm Tech Tuesday	<b>10</b> 12pm Green Book Club Meeting	11	12 3pm Chad Lewis: Wisconsin's Gangster Past (Lunda Theater)	13
14	15 3:30pm Riveting Reads Book Club Meeting 4:30pm Friends of the Library Meeting	<b>16</b> 4pm Library Board Meeting	17 1pm Memory Cafe	18	19	20 10am 'Cleaning Cemetery Stones' @ Riverside Cemetery
21	22	23	24	<b>25</b> 2pm Decluttering Program—AARP	26	27
28	29	30	31 Photo Exhibit Ends			

<sup>\*\*</sup>Photo Exhibit @ the Library, May 5-31, 2023

#### **June 2023**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	<b>5</b> 10am Library Book Club Meeting	6 12pm Medicare Workshop	7	8	9	10 9:30am Tech Day: Computer Basics 101
11	12	13 9am Western Dairyland Housing Services 10am Legal Action of WI 2pm Wednesday Readers Book Club Meeting	<b>14</b> 12pm Green Book Club Meeting	15	16	17
18	19 Summer Reading Programs Begins 3:30pm Riveting Reads Book Club Meeting	20 4pm Library Board Meeting	21	<b>22</b> 2pm Author Presentation: John Armbruster	23 10am Storytime	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 10am Childrens SRP Event	

<sup>\*\*</sup>Adult & Youth Summer Reading Programs: June 19 through August 11, 2023.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Programming dates/times are subject to change.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please visit the Library's website and Facebook page for details and updates.