

# Information, Education, and more ...

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## New Programming for Youth and Teens

New programs are coming to the library this year! Bookworms is a program for children attending Kindergarten through 5th grade. YARS (Young Adult Readers) is a program for teens 6th grade through 12th grade. Both programs will focus on getting youth into the library for fun activities and experiences.

Through Bookworms, elementary school students will discover new books and stories and engage in fun and educational activities, all while exercising their creative capacities.

By being involved in YARS, teens will have the opportunity to be a part of a fun, safe community-building group that promotes a love of books, art, and other activities.

Both groups will meet once per month. The first Bookworms group will take place on Thursday, January 8th at 5:30 pm. The first YARS will be on Saturday, January 24th at 12:30 pm.

## Storytime Resumes



Storytime for children ages 1 through 5 meets again on January 6. Storytime is not only fun and enjoyable for children, but storytime provides an early start for young children by promoting reading growth and introducing them to good literature, art, and a wide variety of experiences. Storytime meets on Tuesdays from 5:30 pm to 6:15 pm. Storytime Coordinator, Hannah Westenfeld would love to welcome additional children. Parents are also welcome to stay during storytime.

### Upcoming Events

December 1 - March 31

**NEW STORYWALK**

**The Snow Thief**  
by Alice Hemming

January 6  
**Library Board Meeting**  
6:30 PM

January 8  
**Bookworms**  
5:30 PM

January 24  
**YARS:**  
**Young Adult Readers**  
12:30 PM

January 26  
**Storytime for**  
**Grownups 7:00 PM**

#### Library Board

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#### Hours

**Winter Hours**  
10-7 Mon-Thurs  
10-6 Fri  
10-2 Sat  
**Summer Hours**  
10-6 Mon-Fri  
10-2 Sat  
Closed Sunday

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## On the Shelf

### Adult Titles

End Game. Jeffrey Archer  
 Nash Falls. David Baldacci  
 Fox and Furious. Rita Mae Brown  
 Exit Strategy. Lee Child  
 The King's Ransom.  
 Janet Evanovich  
 My Beloved. Jan Karon  
 Just Once. Karen Kingsbury  
 Code Blue. Fern Michaels  
 Wild Instinct. T. Jefferson Parker  
 Return of the Spider.  
 James Patterson



### Children's Titles

Pocket Bear.  
 Katherine Applegate  
 Little Nita's Big Idea.  
 Anna W. Bardaus

## Bestsellers

### Hardcover Fiction

1. \*The Widow. John Grisham
2. \*The Secret of Secrets. Dan Brown
3. The Correspondent. Virginia Evans
4. Mona's Eyes. Thomas Schlessner
5. Always Remember: The Boy, the Mole, the Fox, the Horse and the Storm. Charlie Mackesy

### Hardcover Nonfiction

1. \*The Let Them Theory: A Life-Changing Tool That Millions of People Can't Stop Thinking About. Mel Robbins
2. The Look. Michelle Obama
3. Stop, in the Name of God: Why Honoring the Sabbath Will Transform Your Life. Charlie Kirk
4. 1929: Inside the Greatest Crash in Wall Street History-- And How It Shattered a Nation. Andrew Ross Sorkin
5. Puzzle Mania: Mania: Wordle, Connections, Spelling Bee, Minis and More! Joel Fagliano

Courtesy of Publishers Weekly

\* Available at the library. + On order.

## EXPLORATION PACKS



Now Available

Lyons Public Library is excited to expand our programming and services with the addition of exploration packs. The Exploration packs pair experiences with education through the exploration of venues and the reading of included books. Lyons Public Library has partnered with Botanica in Wichita, The Cosmosphere in Hutchinson, USD 405 in Lyons, and Sterling Bowl in Sterling. All exploration packs include admission tickets or punch cards as well as books. Lyons Public Library cardholders, 16+ years old in good standing, may check out an Exploration Pack from the library. Patrons may check out only one Exploration Pack per loan period. The loan period for packs is one week, with the exception of the Sports Pack which may be checked out for 24 hours. Only one pack per household may be checked out at a time. There is a 24-hour waiting period after returning a pack before it may be checked out by any member of the same family. Late returns will incur a \$5/day overdue fee, and replacement costs vary by pack. For more information check out our website: [lyonspubliclibrary.info](http://lyonspubliclibrary.info) for detailed information about the passes and books or contact the library at 620-257-2961.

## Library Movie Time

### SOUL ON FIRE



After a horrific accident that left his body scarred, a young boy strives to live and show everyone what is possible, with the help of his family, his faith and the entire city of St. Louis.

(Rated PG 1 hour 52 minutes)

**Lyons Public Library**  
**Tuesday, January 20 7:00 PM**