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# LIBRARY NEWS

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Kling Memorial Library | October 2017

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## Friends Fall Book Sale

The Friends of the Library will be holding their annual fall used book sale **October 19th, 20th, & 21st**. This sale is open to the public during regular library hours. Proceeds from the sale go towards purchasing an array of items for the library such as monthly DVDs and our new disc repair machine. They also sponsor great cultural programs during the summer reading program and throughout the year. There will be fiction and nonfictions books, puzzles, and DVDs for sale. The Friends do not accept magazines, textbooks, encyclopedias, VHS tapes, or any moldy/mildewy materials. Gently used books may be donated anytime.

## Holiday Basket Auction

It's also time to start thinking about the Friends' annual Holiday Book Basket Auction. We're looking for individuals and organizations willing to donate baskets or items for the auction. Each basket will contain a book, which will be paid for by the Friends of the Library. If you would like to donate a basket or a items for a basket please contact Lindsey or Rachel at the library!

## Unleash Your Story!

October 8th - 14th is Teen Read Week, a national literacy initiative, sponsored by the Young Adult Library Services Association, aimed at adolescents to develop a love of reading and become regular library users. This year's theme is *Unleash Your Story*. Teens are encouraged to get creative and tell their own stories along with finding new stories in their local library. Join the party by writing your own short story or poem & share it at open mic night at the library Wednesday October 11th at 7:00 PM! Teens are also invited to leave book reviews on books they've recently read.

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## LIBRARY HOURS

Monday	10am — 5pm
Tuesday	10am — 7pm
Wednesday	10am — 5pm
Thursday	10am — 7pm
Friday	10am — 5 pm
Saturday	10am — 12pm

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Satisfying Curiosity  
Creating Readers  
Sparking Imagination

## Adult Programs

### **Kaffee Klatch —**

Will meet on Monday, **October 2nd at 10:00 AM**. Come & join us for this informal book club that meets the first Monday of each month. We drink coffee and share what books we've read the past month. It's a great way to get recommendations for new authors or books to read since everyone is reading different things.

### **Community Book Club —**

The Community Book Club is for individuals in the community who enjoy reading and discussing good literature, and will meet monthly on the 4th Tuesday at 6:15PM. All books for the discussion are made available at the circulation desk. This month's title is

**The Glass Castle: A Memoir, by Jeanette Walls.**

### **Computer Literacy 101 —**

October 26th we will be holding a computer basics class at the library for adults from 6:45 - 7:15PM. Registration will be required as space is limited. Please stop by the library or call 825-3607 to sign up.

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*“October, tuck tiny candy bars in my pockets and  
carve my smile into a thousand pumpkins.... Merry October!” -Rainbow Rowell*

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## Kids Corner

### **Story Time —**

Join us for preschool story time at 10:30 am on Fridays. We will have stories, songs, activities, crafts & snacks! For a full list of upcoming story time themes visit our website and check out the Kids Corner Page!

### **Lego Club —**

The Library will hold a monthly Lego Club for students 1st-5th Grade. Show off your creative side by designing awesome brick creations based on that month's theme. Join us after school on **October 18th from 1-2PM**. Registration is not required.

### **Spark —**

Once a month on an early-out Wednesday we will host Spark; programming for students kindergarten through fifth grade. It will include educational games, reading time, guest speakers...and FUN! The program will alternate months with programs for students K through 2nd and students in 3rd through 5th. Be sure to check the calendar! Students registered with the YMCA After-school Care program will join us at the library for this event, other students from the community are welcome to come too. No registration is required. Spark will take place on **October 25th for 3rd - 5th graders and will feature Iowa Author & Illustrator Tim Read and his Very Silly Monsters!**

### Note to Our Patrons

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**The library will be  
CLOSED  
Monday,  
October 9th  
for a staff  
development day.  
We apologize for  
any inconvenience.  
We will be open  
again regular hours  
on Tuesday,  
October 10th.**

# OCTOBER 2017 CALENDAR

<b>Mon Oct 2, 2017</b>	10:00am – 11:00am	⊕  <b>Kaffee Klatch</b> 
<b>Fri Oct 6, 2017</b>	10:30am – 11:15am	⊕  <b>Story Time - Fire Safety</b> 
<b>Sun Oct 8, 2017</b>	All day	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b>
<b>Mon Oct 9, 2017</b>	All day All day	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b> ⊕  <b>Library Closed</b>
<b>Tue Oct 10, 2017</b>	All day	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b>
<b>Wed Oct 11, 2017</b>	All day 7:00pm – 8:00pm	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b> ⊕  <b>Open Mic Night</b>
<b>Thu Oct 12, 2017</b>	All day 4:45pm – 5:30pm	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b> ⊕  <b>KML Board Meeting</b> 
<b>Fri Oct 13, 2017</b>	All day 10:30am – 11:15am	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b> ⊕  <b>Story Time - The Alphabet</b> 
<b>Sat Oct 14, 2017</b>	All day	⊕  <b>Teen Read Week</b>
<b>Wed Oct 18, 2017</b>	1:00pm – 2:00pm	⊕  <b>Lego Club</b> 
<b>Thu Oct 19, 2017</b>	All day	⊕  <b>Fall Book Sale</b>
<b>Fri Oct 20, 2017</b>	All day 10:30am – 11:15am	⊕  <b>Fall Book Sale</b> ⊕  <b>Story Time - Halloween</b> 
<b>Sat Oct 21, 2017</b>	All day	⊕  <b>Fall Book Sale</b>
<b>Tue Oct 24, 2017</b>	6:15pm – 7:15pm	⊕  <b>Community Book Club</b> 
<b>Wed Oct 25, 2017</b>	1:00pm – 2:00pm	⊕  <b>Spark 3rd-5th - Tim Read!</b>
<b>Thu Oct 26, 2017</b>	6:45pm – 7:15pm	⊕  <b>Computer Literacy 101</b> 
<b>Fri Oct 27, 2017</b>	10:30am – 11:15am	⊕  <b>Story Time - Pumpkins</b> 