

Amery Area Public Library Newsletter

Friday, May 10th, 2024

Hello Trevor,

This week, we welcomed 5 more groups of students from the Amery Intermediate School and Lien Elementary! Students were excited to learn about our collections and services, from the Chris Paulson STEM Lab to our VOX books and more. Several young chess players were eager to use our chess tables to practice their skills and teach their friends how to play!

On Wednesday, our Storytime kids used our new floor cushions for the first time! The cushions are comfortable for children and adults and come in a variety of colors. Each kid enjoyed picking out their own cushion in the color that they preferred!

Wednesday afternoon, we had our monthly Genealogy Class. The presenter talked about using census records in genealogical research. On Wednesday, May 22nd at 3 pm, there will be a [Genealogy Work Group](#) meeting. You can drop in and get help with your research and help others with theirs.

Thursday night we had our monthly Teen Thursday program. Participants snacked on sandwiches, painted flower pots, and played games together. There will not be a Teen Thursday program next month due to the Summer Reading Program, but we will have plenty of other teen programs! Stay tuned.

Next week on Monday at 4 p.m. we are having our first meeting of the [Tortured Poets Club](#)! Come hang out with fellow Tortured Poets at this self-guided club. We will write poetry or songs together, talk about our favorite poems and poets, and share our own works!

On Tuesday, our [Mystery Book Club](#) meets at 2 p.m. to discuss the book *The Cold Dish* by Craig Johnson. Then at 5 p.m. our [Death Cafe discussion group](#) is meeting.

Next Wednesday, our Storytime program continues at 10 a.m.

Thursday is the third one of the month so we are having our [Third Thursday Craft night](#). We are making origami flowers!

Then on Saturday the 18th we have our monthly [Saturday Storytime program](#) at 10 a.m. and our teen/tween book club [Brunch and Books](#) at 12 p.m.

Have a wonderful week!

Thanks for reading,
the Library Staff

Spotlight: New Library Materials



Do you ever want to check out what books, movies, and audiobooks are new to the library without sorting through all the books on the shelves? We have you covered! Upstairs, you will find our new release shelf, which displays all the new fiction, non-fiction, sci-fi, westerns, and romance books for easy viewing. We also have our new DVDs and audiobooks on our new release shelves.

We have a similar shelf downstairs which displays all the new juvenile fiction, non-fiction, graphic novels, and even our new movies. Other than these shelves, most of our new books can be found at the start of each section, such as the new picture books being at the start of the picture books section. You can also browse lists of our new materials from our website. Use the links below to find the lists.

- [New adult materials](#)
- [New kids' materials](#) (scroll down to see the lists)
- [New teens' materials](#) (scroll down to see the list)

We hope this helps, and if you ever can't find a new book, movie, or audiobook you're looking for, don't hesitate to ask!

Next Week's Programs

Tortured Poets Club

You're invited to join our Tortured Poets Club!
Meet each month to hang out with fellow Tortured Poets at this self-guided club. Write poetry or songs together, talk about your favorite poems and poets, and share your own works!

This club is best suited for ages 6 and up.



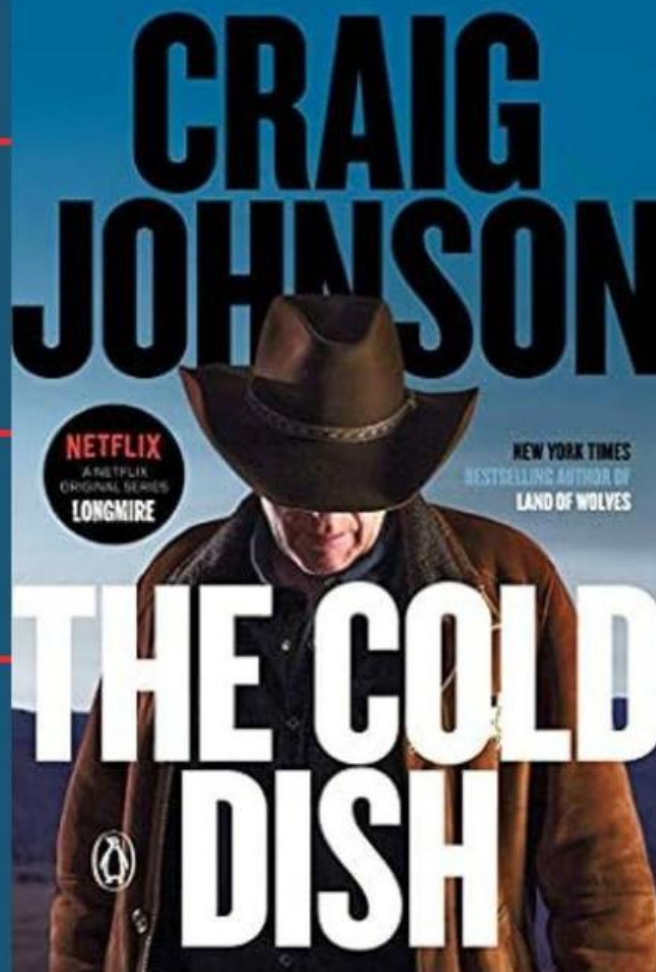
May 13, 4 - 5 PM



MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

HELP US SOLVE
THE CASE!

Tuesday, May 14th
2 PM at the Library



What is a Death Café?

death
café



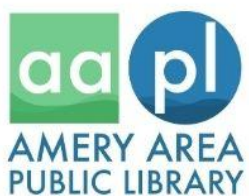
2nd Tuesday
of the Month

A Death Café is an opportunity to meet together in a safe space to share our feelings and thoughts about death. There is no agenda, objectives, or themes. It is a safe place to discuss death with others. All are Welcome.

Facilitated by Celeste Ruebl
Certified Spiritual Director and
End of Life Doula

Third Thursday Crafting

Spring is upon us! Join us as we make origami flowers for our third Thursday craft.



Thursday, May 16th
drop in anytime from 5:00 - 7:00 pm
(while supplies last)
(Ages 18 and over please)

SATURDAY STORYTIME

JOIN MISS EMMA FOR
STORYTIME ON
SATURDAY, MAY 18
AT 10 AM



Brunch and Books

Tween/Teen Book Club



What are YOU reading?

Saturday, May 18
12 - 1 PM



Upcoming Events

Monday, May 13th - **Tortured Poets Club** - 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 14th

- **Mystery Book Club** - 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
- **Death Cafe** discussion group - 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 15th - **Storytime** - 10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

Thursday, May 16th - **Third Thursday Crafting** - 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 18th

- **Saturday Storytime** - 10 a.m.
- **Brunch and Books** - 12 - 1 p.m.

Monday, May 20th - Amery Area Public Library Bord of Trustees Regular Meeting - 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.

Wednesday, May 22nd

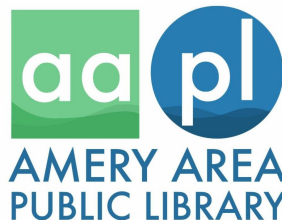
- **Storytime** - 10:00 - 10:45 a.m.
- **Genealogy workgroup** - 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Remember to check our full calendar at amerylibrary.org/calendar

Calendar

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