

# Yankton Community Library Beyond the Bookshelves: May @ Your Library • Volume 6, Issue 5

## Food for Fines May 1-10

This month's item is  
**Paper Products!**  
We collected 86 boxes of  
Hamburger Helper In April.  
All donations go to the  
Contact Center.



Summer Reading is around the corner! This year's theme is *Build a Better World*.

Registration and recording for kids and teens will begin on June 1. Both recording and prizes will be handled a bit differently this year.

## After School Programs

Every Thursday we host a different after school program for elementary students. Programs run from 3:45-4:45 p.m.

- May 4<sup>th</sup>: Star Wars Day
- May 11<sup>th</sup>: Youth Seed Class
- May 18<sup>th</sup>: Science Club
- May 25<sup>th</sup>: *Nim's Island* (PG)

LEGO Club will be held on Wed., May 10th this month

*The Wii is set up on Fridays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.*

## Book Clubs

Library Book Clubs are held monthly in the afternoon and evening.

New members are  
**ALWAYS WELCOME!**

### Readers Anonymous:

May 9, 1:00 p.m.  
**Every Last Cuckoo**  
by Kate Maloy

### Between the Lines:

May 23, 5:30 p.m.  
**The Man in the Rockefeller Suit** by Mark Seal

## Children Activities

- **Youth Gardening Classes: May 11, 3:45 p.m. and 6 p.m.** Children will learn about plant care and be able to take home their own seedling. Registration is required.
- **Summer Reading Kick off—Indiana Bones: June 5, 6:00 p.m.** A storyteller who thrills and educates by combing history, archeology, adventure and puppetry with ancient legends, mythology and folklore! Following his presentation, we will have games and activities for the whole family.

## Friends of the Library Book Sale

Saturday, May 6  
9:30 am — 12:00 pm

We are always happy to accept gently used donations for the sale.

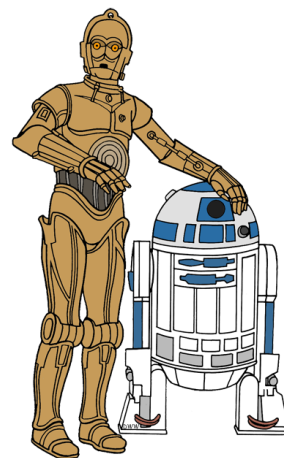
## Story Time is on break during the Month of May

Join us for Summer Story Time beginning June 5 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 10:15 and Tuesday night at 5:30, as well as "Family Nights" rather than Story Time on Monday nights (6 p.m.) with activities, games, or presenters for a variety of ages.

*The force is strong with you...so join us as we celebrate Star Wars Day on Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>!*

**STAR WARS  
MAY THE 4<sup>TH</sup>  
BE WITH YOU**

- **Activities for all ages (3:45 - 4:45 pm):** kids crafts, a Jedi scavenger hunt, Death Star Challenge, and photo op with a Stormtrooper!
- Showing of *Rogue One: A Star Wars Story*, at 5:30 p.m. This film is 133 minutes long and is rated PG-13. Feel free to bring your own snacks!



## Adult Activities

- **Yankton Seed Library: May 9, 1:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.** We will be working with starter plants.
- **Teen Tech Tutors: May 21, from 1-3 p.m.** This program is free and open to anyone who needs one-on-one help with computer applications. Please call the library to set up a time.
- **Historic Cemetery Walk: June 6.** We are excited to partner with the Dakota Territorial Museum and the Dakota Theatre for this fun event. Tickets will go on sale Monday, May 15.

## Babysitting Clinics

May 24-25 & May 30-31  
10 a.m.—3 p.m.

The Yankton County Extension Office is holding 2 Babysitting Courses, for 12-18 year-olds, at the Library.

The course covers safety, first aid, CPR, child development, nutrition, entertainment, and the "business" of babysitting.



Each class is limited to 15 participants, costs \$25, and registration is required.

## Children's Book Week

May 1-7

Children and their parents will be invited to share their favorite book titles with us on a special "book shelf" in the library.

The Library will be closed  
**May 28-29** for  
**Memorial Day.**

We switch to summer hours when we reopen on Tuesday May 30<sup>th</sup>.