

SPILLING INK

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SPENCER PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Starting August 1st



1. Go to spencerlibrary.kanopy.com
2. Enter your library barcode # as the username
3. The first time password is **51301**
4. You will then be prompted to create an account

UPCOMING EVENTS

AUGUST:

**COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS:
HELP US MAKE THE LIBRARY
MORE ACCESSIBLE**

SHUT UP & WRITE

**BILLY SUNDAY:
BASEBALL EVANGELIST**

TECH TALKS: CANVA

SEPTEMBER:

PAPER MARBLING

KANOPY - HOW IT WORKS

- You receive (6) play credits each month.
- Each play credit equals one film.
- This resets the first day of each month and is shown in the top right corner of the screen.
- Additionally, you may watch (2) of The Great Courses instructional videos each month. You have 30 days to watch all the classes in that course. The Great Courses do not use play credits.
- Kanopy Kids may be found by clicking KIDS in the top right corner of your screen. You have unlimited access to Kanopy Kids. Kanopy Kids does not use play credits.

Kanopy's streaming video collection offers over 30,000 popular videos, TV series, independent films, documentaries and more. Featuring titles from Warner Bros., MGM, BBC, Paramount, Lionsgate, The History Channel, A&E, Neon, Film Movement, The Criterion Collection, Kino Lorber, The Great Courses, Samuel Goldwyn Films, IFC Films, among others, this vast and diverse collection has something for everyone.

Kanopy Kids promotes empathy, critical thinking, and helps build STEM skills. Enjoy Kanopy's carefully curated titles from Weston Woods, Sesame Street, Jim Henson Productions, Highlights for Children, Signed Stories, and more!

REGULAR HOURS

**MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY:
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:
SUNDAY:**

**9:00 AM TO 8:00 PM
9:00 AM TO 5:00 PM
CLOSED**



KIDS

STORYTIME

TUESDAYS AT 10:00 AM



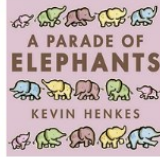
Join us each week as we explore a different theme through stories, songs, and rhymes!

August 1



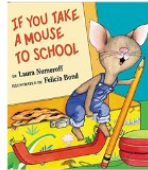
Dogs

August 8



Elephants

August 15



Back to School

August 22



**Play Date
(see below)**

August 29



Bilingual

Note: There will be no storytime on Tuesday, August 22. Instead there will be a play date from 10:00-11:00 AM. Books, toys, and a simple craft will be set up in the round room for caregivers and little ones to socialize.

LEGOS @ THE LIBRARY

Saturday, August 12

2:00-4:00 PM Come-n-Go



We've got the bricks, just bring your imagination! Try your hand at different build challenges or build whatever you want.

KID BOOK SUBSCRIPTION BAGS



Kid Book Subscriptions Bags are a fun way to motivate your Kindergarten-5th grader! Each month they'll receive 3 library books picked just for them as well as a treat, keepsake or activity. Return the books and packaging and the rest is theirs to keep! Sign up in August and get books starting in September.

Email Kayla at kschlichte@spenceriowacity.com to get started.

BACK TO THE BOOKS



TEENS

SPLAM

LGBTQ+ & ALLIES GROUP

BASIC SKETCHING

AUGUST 5TH AT 2:00 PM

RETRO CRAFT DAY

AUGUST 19TH AT 2:00 PM



SHUT UP & WRITE

AUGUST 8TH AT 5:00 PM

AUGUST 22ND AT 5:00 PM

SUBSCRIPTION BOXES

SIGN UP TO RECEIVE MONTHLY TEEN BOOK SUBSCRIPTION BOXES BEGINNING IN AUGUST. EACH BOX CONTAINS 1 LIBRARY BOOK AND SOME FUN SURPRISES. RETURN THE BOOK AND THE BOX, AND KEEP THE REST! THE FIRST BOX GOES OUT IN SEPTEMBER. EMAIL SANDRESEN@SPENCERIOWACITY.COM TO SIGN UP.

ADULT PROGRAMS



Community Conversation: Help us make the library more accessible!



**Do you have a mobility issue?
Could the library be more accessible to you?**

Please join us, in person or via Zoom, on

Tuesday, August 15th, 2:30pm

for a conversation (and snacks!) about how Spencer Public Library can best use this grant money to benefit patrons with disabilities.

Let us know you are coming!

Register online at www.spencerlibrary.com
or call Sarah Beth at the library 712-580-7290.



Shut Up & Write! *Let's Do It!*

Every writer should reach their personal writing goal

JOIN THE COMMUNITY

- Access to accountability
- Resources to be successful
- Reaching writing goals

Tuesdays at 5 pm
August 8th
August 22nd

START WRITING

SPENCER PUBLIC LIBRARY

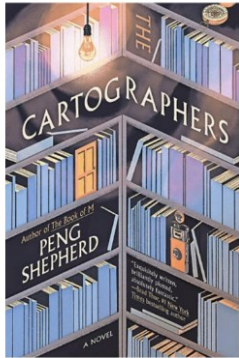


Billy Sunday: Baseball Evangelist August 9, 6:00 PM

Born in Story County and raised at the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans Home in Davenport, Billy Sunday (1862-1935) grew up to become a major-league baseball player and one of the country's most famous Christian evangelists. Learn more about his remarkable story from historian Craig Bishop, author of "Billy Sunday: Baseball Evangelist."

MOVIE MATINEE - EMILY August 16, 2:00 PM

"Emily" imagines the transformative, exhilarating, and uplifting journey to womanhood of Emily Brontë.



BOOK DISCUSSION THE CARTOGRAPHERS

by Peng Shepherd

August 28, 6:00 PM



"An exquisitely written, brilliantly plotted, absolutely fantastic novel." –Brad Thor, #1 New York Times bestselling author

From the critically acclaimed author of *The Book of M*, a highly imaginative thriller about a young woman who discovers that a strange map in her deceased father's belongings holds an incredible, deadly secret—one that will lead her on an extraordinary adventure and to the truth about her family's dark history.

Ask at the front desk to check out a copy of the book!

Books Read by Patrons this Summer!

1. *Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* by Taylor Jenkins Reid
2. *Say You're One Of Them* by Uwem Akpan
3. *The Housemaid's Secret* by Freida McFadden
4. *The Family Remains* by Lisa Jewell
5. *Nacho Boyfriend* by Gigi Blume
6. *Outlander* by Diana Gabaldon
7. *Dog Gone, Back Soon* by Nick Trout
8. *Educated* by Tara Westover
9. *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak
10. *Birthday Girl* by Penelope Douglas
11. *Exiles* by Jane Harper
12. *The Younger Wife* by Sally Hepworth

Flimee's Tech Talks

Canva

The Canva Visual Worksuite

Make your own brochures, business cards, flyers, social media advertisements, and more!

Come and learn about this free web-based program!

**Thursday, Aug 31
at 2:30pm**

DATES TO REMEMBER

KIDS

Storytime: Tuesdays at 10:00 am

- ◆ August 1st *Dogs*
- ◆ August 8th *Elephants*
- ◆ August 15th *Back to School*
- ◆ August 22nd *Play Date (No Storytime)*
- ◆ August 29th *Bilingual Storytime*

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Basic Sketching
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Teen Retro Craft Day

Saturday, August 19th at 2:00 pm

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ADULTS

Geri-fit: Mondays & Fridays at 1:00 pm

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with Craig Bishop
Wednesday, August 9th at 6:00 pm

Community Conversations: Library Accessibility

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Movie Matinee: *Emily*

Wednesday, August 16th at 2:00 pm

Book Discussion: *The Cartographers*

Monday, August 28th at 6:00 pm

Tech Talks: Canva

Thursday, August 31st at 2:30 pm

WEEKLY EVENTS

STORYTIME:

TUESDAYS AT 10:00 AM

GERI-FIT:

MONDAYS & FRIDAYS AT 1:00 PM

DROP-IN TECH HELP:

WEDNESDAYS AT 1:30 PM

ALL AGES EVENTS

Shut Up and Write

Tuesday, August 8th at 5:00 pm
Tuesday, August 22nd at 5:00 pm

UPCOMING HOLIDAY HOURS

LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH: **CLOSED**
VETERANS DAY, NOVEMBER 11TH: **CLOSED**
THANKSGIVING, NOVEMBER 23RD: **CLOSED**
NOVEMBER 24TH: **CLOSED**

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