

# Newsletter

## July | Aug 2020

### Summer 2020 at Your Community Library

“Imagine Your Story” with the Community Library of DeWitt & Jamesville. Our Summer Reading Program this year will run from **June 29 to August 22** and be held **completely online** using READsquared, a reading program software. We have programs for Early Literacy (ages 0-4), Children (Grades K-5), Teens (Grades 6-12) and Adults.

Children and teens can win prizes (like e-gift cards to LEGO and Amazon) for reading and completing activities. Visit our website ([www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org)) for more information about our Virtual Summer Reading Programs and READsquared.

Register for Summer Reading at [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org).

#### It's easy!

1. Click on the READsquared icon on the Library's website and choose "Register now" to sign up.
2. Create a user name and password, and start logging your reading.

Easily log your activity at: <https://cldandjny07.readsquared.com/> or use the READsquared app, free for both Android and iOS mobile devices.

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#### Stay Connected

We'll keep you informed about the Library and its programs and services with frequent updates on our website, social media sites and in electronic bulletins. Find out more by going to our website: [www.cldandj.org](http://www.cldandj.org), Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/CLDandJ](https://www.facebook.com/CLDandJ), or contact us at [reference@cldanj.org](mailto:reference@cldanj.org).

#### Coming Soon: Personalized Patio Pick-Up

Our Library staff will put together a curated bundle of titles for you to pick up based on your reading preferences.

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#### Community Library SUMMERHOURS

Monday - Thursday  
10:00 am - 9:00 pm  
Fridays  
10:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Saturdays  
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Closed Sundays

315-446-3578  
[www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org)

The Library will be  
closed:  
July 4  
for Independence Day

#### Board of Trustees

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### Upcoming Events

The Library continues to offer events & programs virtually through online platforms.

#### ONLINE: A Chapter a Day

Mondays through Fridays at 2:00pm, join Miss Jenny as she reads Rita Williams-Garcia's *One Crazy Summer* chapter by chapter on our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/CLDandJ](https://www.facebook.com/CLDandJ). No Registration Necessary.

#### ONLINE: Learn with Your Librarian

Mondays at 10:00am, learn with Librarian Kara Conley as she explores and explains the library's vast digital resources and more on our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/CLDandJ](https://www.facebook.com/CLDandJ) and YouTube channel. No Registration Necessary.

#### ONLINE: Youth Leadership Academy

On Saturdays at 10:00am-12:00pm (from July 11 to August 29), Live Learn Lead Toastmasters Club enables students (ages 10-18) to develop their communication and leadership skills through practical experience and prepare for the expectations of high school and beyond. This 8 session class will run via Zoom. Registration Required.

#### ONLINE: Teen Writing Workshop: Story Senses

On Tuesdays at 4:00pm-5:00pm (from July 28 to August 11), teens can hone their creative writing skills. Writing instructor Linda Lowen guides teens through the use of three senses (sight, sound & touch) to enhance their stories with sensory details both real and imagined. Sessions will run via Zoom. Registration Required.

Registration is encouraged for all Library programs.  
Visit: [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org), and click on **Events** to sign up or view other upcoming programs.

### Library Lingo

Do you feel as if the Library speaks a different language than the rest of the world? Learn Library language right here.

#### eBook:

An eBook (or electronic book) is a version of a printed book that can be read on a computer or mobile device. The Library offers thousands of eBooks through Libby/Overdrive & Hoopla. Search these digital catalogs under Digital Collections on our Library's website: [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org)

## Digital Programs & Services on [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org)

We've updated the home page of our website to focus on available programs and services available to patrons digitally. See what we've highlighted below and visit [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org) for more details.

#### Digital Programs



##### Weekly Storytime

Our Children's Librarians are presenting Storytime weekly on Facebook Live Thursday mornings at 10:30am. Join us for stories, songs, play, and more!



##### Learn with a Librarian

Take a deep dive into Library databases that are accessible from home! Kara presents easy-to-follow overviews of one resource each week on Mondays.



##### Tech How-To Sessions

The Library is offering virtual tech how-to sessions on Google Meet. Patrons can get help with communication, telework, social, and streaming software and devices.



##### A Chapter A Day

Join Miss Jenny for a read-along on Facebook Live. Weekdays at 2pm, she will read from "I Can Make this Promise" by Christine Day, available on Hoopla!

#### Digital Services



##### Digital Library Card

OCPL is pleased to announce a temporary digital library card to provide you access to online content including entertainment, learning, job help, and more.



##### Mango Languages

A fun and interactive online language-learning system to help you learn languages like Spanish, Greek, or English. Watch the tutorial video.



##### Ancestry Library

Access a wide range of resources for genealogical and historical research. It includes useful records like censuses. Watch the tutorial video.



##### Lynda.com Courses

Lynda.com offers thousands of courses and now offers a Learning Path with 15+ videos on remote working. We encourage you to learn something new today!



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## Community Library

### of DeWitt & Jamesville

## Need a Suggestion for Your Next Read? Browse Our Goodreads Shelves

The CLD&J has several shelves filled with curated lists of books for adults, teens, and children, featuring a variety of genres and topics. You're bound to find something you like!

Interested in art? Visit our Art We Heart shelf. Plans to spruce up your yard? Browse our Backyard Projects or Gardening shelves to discover some great ideas. Need help handling stress? Check out our Stress Reduction Titles and Mindful Moments shelves.

If fiction is more your style, we have Goodreads shelves for mystery, fantasy, science fiction, and newly released popular fiction fans, too.

For teens, look for shelves featuring diversity, mental health issues, romance, humor, horror, sports, and more. For kids, you'll find popular books listed in grade-level shelves, as well as special shelves, such as Color for Kids and Perfect Picture Books.

Visit our Goodreads page at [www.goodreads.com/user/show/61328045-community-library-of-dewitt-jamesville](https://www.goodreads.com/user/show/61328045-community-library-of-dewitt-jamesville)

Many of the titles on our Goodreads shelves are available digitally, as either eBooks or eAudiobooks on our Overdrive/Libby or Hoopla pages.

Overdrive/Libby: <https://onlib.overdrive.com/onondaga-dewitt/content>

Hoopla: <https://www.hoopladigital.com/>

Find your next great read today!

Lauri Fortino  
Library Assistant

## Summer 2020 at CLD&J (Cont. from Page 1)

### ONLINE Summer Entertainment Programs

This summer, the CLD&J is offering online programming focused on family and children and sponsored by the Friends of the Community Library of DeWitt & Jamesville. A highlight of what's coming includes:

#### Moreland the Magician's Live Virtual Magic Show

Geared for Grades PreK to 5. Magician David Moreland presents his magic show chock full of everything you expect from his live in-person shows: magic, slapstick comedy, storytelling, and puppets.

#### Join us for ScienceTellers Video Party

on July 9 at 6:30pm via Zoom! ScienceTellers presents "Dragons: Return of the Ice Sorceress", a fun fantasy adventure with dry ice effects and more! And look for **One-Man Circus-in-a-Suitcase** on July 15 at 6:30pm, **Legendary Myths of Science** on July 22 at 6:30pm, and **Didgeridoo Down Under** on August 4 at 1:00pm. All of these programs are geared for kids in grades K to 5. Registration is required for all of these programs. Sign up and learn more at: [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org).

### Teen Programs

Writing Instructor Linda Lowen guides teens through the use of sight, sound and touch in **Teen Writing Workshop: Story Senses** on July 28, August 4 and August 11 at 4:00pm.

## Virtual Programming on Facebook

With so much programming happening online, we thought it might be helpful to have a schedule of everything we have going on, especially our programming geared for kids and teens.

### Tuesday Arts & Crafts

Looking for something creative to do at home with your kids or teens? Every Tuesday you can find new craft ideas and art tutorials on our social media pages -- we will do our best to use materials you may already have at home!

### Thursday Storytime on Facebook Live

We know you can't come to the library for



And on August 29 at 6:00pm, she'll guide you through the process of **Draw to Write: Writing Prompts to Spur Your Creativity**. Registration is required for these programs, geared for teens ages 12 & up. Sign up and learn more at: [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org).

### Ongoing Programs

Check out our **Tuesday Arts & Crafts series** on Facebook Live. Every Tuesday, find new craft ideas and art tutorials on our social media pages -- we will do our best to use materials you may already have at home! Join in on the story for **Virtual Storytime on Facebook Live** on Thursdays at 10:30am with Miss Jenny or Miss Briana. And follow the story on weekdays at 2:00pm as Miss Jenny hosts, **A Chapter a Day Book Club on Facebook Live**.

Check out all the library has to offer this summer! Preview programs on our Calendar of Events and check out our Event Guide (with a list of all our summer entertainers, events, and reading programs) online at: [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org)

storytime, but you can enjoy it from the comfort of your home! Join Miss Jenny or Miss Briana for Storytime on Facebook Live every Thursday at 10:30am. We'll read stories, sing songs and rhymes, and have a lot of fun! We hope to see you there.

Check out all this content and more on our Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/CLDandJ/>

CLD&J Social Media Schedule				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Library Resources @ Home	Arts & Crafts	Living Library	Explore with Stories	Weekend Wind Down
ft. Learn with Your Librarian YouTube videos	ft. crafting ideas, staff tutorials, and more	ft. resources that help us celebrate and learn about the outside world	ft. 10:30 am Storytime on Facebook Live	ft. Community Give Back and Staff Recs

## CLD&J Storywalk for Children & Their Families

The Community Library of DeWitt and Jamesville (CLD&J) is hosting a StoryWalk™ on the Library's property from June 29 through August 30.

The Library's Summer StoryWalk™ will feature three engaging picture books. Begin your StoryWalk™ experience at our front patio and follow the signs outdoors along the Library's sidewalk. Enhance your reading experience with prompts found on each sign.

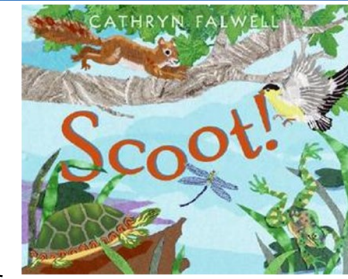
The Community Library of DeWitt & Jamesville's Summer StoryWalk™ Schedule:

June 29- July 19: **Scoot by Cathryn Falwell**. Six silent turtles sit still on a log in a pond while other animals and insects move around them.

July 20- August 9: **And Here's To You by David Elliott**. Celebrate the diversity of creatures on our planet from bubbly fish to adora-

ble dogs.

August 10- August 30: **Explorers of the Wild by Cale Atkinson**. Two courageous explorers, a boy and a bear, unexpectedly encounter one another.



The StoryWalk™ Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Vermont Bicycle & Pedestrian Coalition (VBPC) and Kellogg Hubbard Library. StoryWalk™ is a fun learning activity that allows children and their families to explore nature and read along with a picture book.

The Community Library of DeWitt & Jamesville's Summer StoryWalk™ was made possible by a state grant secured by former Senator John A. DeFrancisco in 2016 and was previously displayed at Ryder Park in coordination with the Town of DeWitt.

## Community Connections: CLD&J Patio Pick-Up Service

### RESERVE YOUR ITEMS

Reserve CLD&J items through the catalog at [www.CLDandJ.org](http://www.CLDandJ.org). Currently, only holds for items that CLD&J owns and which may be returned in the outside book drop will be filled.

### MAKE AN APPOINTMENT FOR PICK UP

When your items are available, you will be notified by phone or e-mail. Call the Library at **315-446-3578** to schedule a pick-up appointment.

Appointments are for a 15 minute slot. Up to 5 items may be picked up per appointment. Holds placed on family members' cards may be picked up during your appointment.

To ensure that as many patrons as possible can take advantage of this service, we ask that you limit appointments to no more than one appointment per two week period.

### PICK UP YOUR ITEMS DURING YOUR APPOINTED TIME

During your appointment time, your holds will be available for pick up on our Patio Pick-Up tables in front of the Library.

Your items will be labelled with the first three initials of your last name and your appointment date and time.

Just pick up your bundle and go. Your items will already be checked out to you prior to your arrival.

### RETURN YOUR LIBRARY ITEMS

Please return all library materials to our outside book drop. Per CDC guidelines, items will be quarantined 7 days before they are checked in. No fines will be charged for this period.

## From the Stacks

### Digital Resources Available from your Library 24/7

The Community Library of DeWitt & Jamesville offers digital collections and resources you can access from home.

#### Overdrive/Libby

Includes currently popular e-books in epub, Kindle, and pdf formats, as well as downloadable audiobooks, streaming movies, magazines, and music.

#### Hoopla

Stream or download movies, TV shows, audiobooks and music.

#### Lynda.com

Want to learn something new? Lynda.com offers thousands of hands-on courses for learning software, skill building, and new hobbies.

Visit the Digital Books & Media and Apps & Databases section of our website at:

<https://www.cldandj.org/collections.html#Digital>

## FEATURED Staff Pick

Brian Abbott

### A Borrowed Man by Gene Wolfe

E.A. Smithe, a mystery author's "clone", is "checked out" of a library to investigate the mysterious disappearance of a woman's father and the death of her brother. This mix of sci-fi & mystery makes for a stellar detective noir tale that holds your interest to the end.

The sequel, *Interlibrary Loan*, (released on June 30, 2020) continues the adventure with the clone investigating the death of another copy of himself.

