



Dunklin County Library

Summer Edition 2016



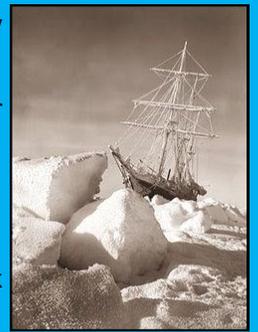
The McCaul Building located on St. Francis Street in Kennett. The Dunklin County Library headquarters was housed there from Dec. 1953 until the summer of 1959. The building was the Sinks Chevrolet dealership prior to the library moving in.

Book Discussion Group

The July Book Discussion Group will meet July 26, 2016 at 7 p.m., after reading "Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage," written by Alfred Lansing.

The book follows the explorer Ernest Shackleton's treacherous journey to Antarctica.

The library currently has four hardback copies available for check out.



Summer Reading Program Continues Through August

The 2016 Summer Reading Program began July 1, with a kick-off party at the headquarters in Kennett. Each branch hosted a kick-off party, and will host a story time and a party at the end of the

program to celebrate the children who attended and participated in the program.

This year the theme is "On Your Mark, Get Set ... READ." The program is geared towards educating the children on the importance of strengthening the body and the mind with plenty of exercise and reading.

During the program, each child participating is

asked to read 20 books over the course of the program. "Each child will need to complete their list of books before the party," said Kennett Librarian, Julie Orf. There will be prizes for those who complete the challenge of the 20 books. A pizza party will be held at the end of the program as well.

The kick offs for the pro-

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Story Time Notice:

Due to the Summer Reading Program, there will not be a story time for the month of July. Regular Story Time will resume August 30 at 6 p.m.

Library Displays 'Summer Fun' Photos

Over the course of the summer, the Dunklin County Library will be displaying summer time photos to highlight different summer activities.

Any Dunklin County Library cardholder may bring in amateur photographs for the library to display. The display is in conjunction with the Summer Reading Pro-

gram to show activities children have partook in during the summer months.

It is asked that all photos be a 5 X 7 picture, matted of children under the age of 18 enjoying outdoor fun in the summertime.

To allow enough space for the display, Julie Orf, Kennett librarian

asks that there only be one picture per child. She also requests that the library cardholder must be in good standing with the library.

"We are excited about seeing all the activities the children have been involved in," Orf said.

The display will be available for viewing through August.

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gram were held July 1 through July 8, however Library Director, JoNell Minton says it still isn't too late to join the fun.

The Story Times will be conducted as follows: Kennett, July 12, at 2 p.m.; Cardwell, July 13, 2 p.m.; Malden, July 14, 2 p.m.; Senath, July 19, 2 p.m.; Hornersville, July 20, 2 p.m.; Clarkton, July 21, 2 p.m.; Campbell, July 22, 2 p.m.; Holcomb, July 22, 4 p.m.

The Parties will be conducted each day at noon as follows: Kennett, July 26; Senath, July 27; Cardwell, July 28; Hornersville, July 29; Malden, August 2; Holcomb, August 3; Clarkton, August 4; and Campbell, August 5.

A teen reading club is also available to

children who may feel too mature for the program.

The book club for teens is designed to allow older children to read at their own pace. Throughout the month of July the teenagers will be asked to read at least 20 hours during the month. The time will be recorded in a reading log. The participants will also be asked to create two book review of the books chosen.

Ms. Minton and other library employees encourage parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to bring their children to the library to expose them to a new and exciting world of books.

Contact the Dunklin County Library for more information on the Summer Reading Programs at 888-3561.

Kennett
209 North Main
573-888-3561

Campbell
404 West Grand
573-246-2112

Cardwell
113 North Main
573-654-3366

Clarkton
113 South Main
573-448-3803

Holcomb
210 West Main
573-792-3268

Hornersville
502 School Street
573-737-2728

Malden
1203 Stokelan
573-276-3674

Senath
108 North Main
573-738-2363



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◆ During the summer months, Genealogy will not conduct it's monthly meeting. The meetings will resume September 20 at 10 a.m.