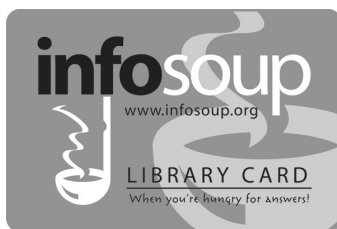


The Reading Corner

Library Card Sign-Up Month

September is **Library Card Sign-Up Month** – a time when libraries across the country remind parents that a library card is the most important school supply of all. We at HPL want to get as many people as possible signed up for an infosoup library card so they can take advantage of all the fantastic services and resources the library has to offer.



The observance of Library Card Sign-Up Month was launched in 1987 to meet the challenge of then Secretary of Education William J. Bennett who said, "Let's have a national campaign . . . every child should obtain a library card – and use it." Since then, thousands of public and school libraries join each fall in a national effort to ensure every child does just that.

Libraries play an important role in the education and development of children. Studies show that children who are read to in the home and who use the library perform better in school and are more likely to continue to use the library as a source of lifetime learning.

Coupon Exchange

Don't forget to bring all of your unwanted coupons in and take some that you do use. All of the expired coupons are then sent onto military families overseas that can use them for up to 6 months after the expiration date.

Food for Fines

The Hortonville Public Library is having a **Food for Fines** drive beginning Monday, November 18, 2013 through Monday, December 2, 2013. Pay off your fines or return your late library materials and have your fines cleared if you bring in **non-perishable** food items to the Circulation Desk at the library. Food items will be donated to the **Hortonville Food Pantry**.

General Guidelines:

- One nonperishable food item will pay off \$1.00 in fines.
- No damaged or expired items will be accepted.
- Food items will be applied toward fines only not lost or damaged book charges or other fees.

Monday	9-6
Tuesday	9-6
Wednesday	9-6
Thursday	9-6
Friday	9-5
Saturday	9-12
Sunday	Closed

The library will be closed on:
Thursday, November 28, 2013
Tuesday, December 24, 2013
Wednesday, December 25, 2013
Tuesday, December 31, 2013
Wednesday, January 1, 2014

Banned Books Week September 22 to 28, 2013
Teen Read Week October 13-19 2013
National Friends of Libraries Week
October 20-26, 2013
Picture Book Month November 2013
International Games Day November 16, 2013



Read On Wisconsin (<http://readon.education.wisc.edu/>)

Read On Wisconsin (ROW) is a literacy program that promotes high-quality books for children and teens throughout our state. Each month features one more Read On Wisconsin titles for children and teens in five different age-level groups. We hope you'll choose these books as read-alouds or book discussion selections and share them with your children and teens.

Read On Wisconsin began as an online book club created by former Wisconsin First Lady Jessica Doyle in 2004. In 2011 the Cooperative Children's Book Center (CCBC) of the School of Education at the University of Wisconsin-Madison took over administering the Read On Wisconsin program.

From the beginning, Read On Wisconsin has been about connecting kids and teens with terrific books, and encouraging them to think and to talk about what they are reading, or what is being read to them.

Read On Wisconsin continues to be an online literacy program that highlights high quality books for children and teens throughout our state. A few things have changed: the Read On Wisconsin site no longer has a book discussion forum for children and teens. Instead, young Wisconsin readers are invited to make and video BOOKTRAILERS about ROW titles to share on the site.

We encourage children and teens to make BOOKTRAILERS about ROW titles for posting and sharing here on the ROW site. Let us know if you posted a booktrailer, we would like to take a look at it.

*A Year of
Reading Dangerously*

Story Time

The fall sessions of preschool story time have begun. Join us either Monday mornings at 10:15 or on Friday mornings at 10:00.



Each story time will include several stories and a related craft project.

Registration is not necessary, just stop by.

There is still time for you to join the adult reading challenge for 2013 .

InfoSoup Librarians are challenging adults to read books and write reviews in 2013 for a chance to win big prizes! the reading challenge is open to all adults 18 years or older who have a valid InfoSoup library card. Learn more at read.infosoup.org. You could win: Amazon gift cards, Barnes& Noble gift cards, Kindle Touch Paperwhite, Nook Glowlight, Nook tablet or Kindle Fire.

Check out the infosoup *Books R Us Blog* page and add your review today.

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