



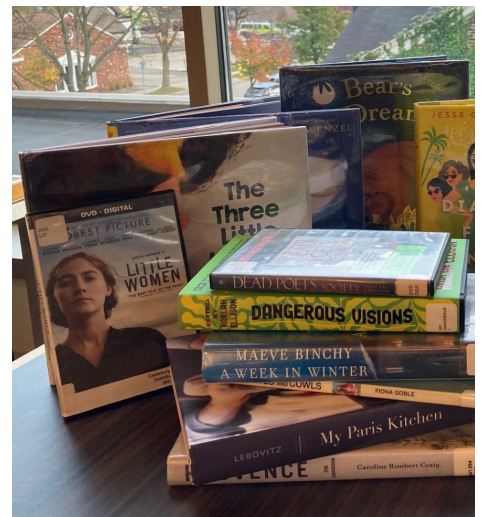
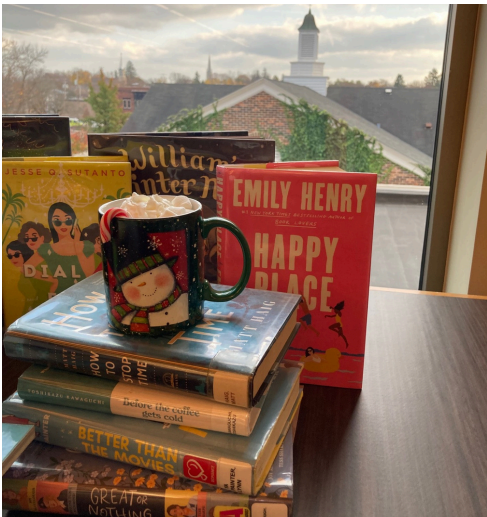
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# LIBRARY NEWS

## Get Cozy at the Library this Winter

As we approach another winter season, the library staff are providing cozy reasons for you to come visit us. We have a fireplace to cozy up to with a good book, we have recommendations for winter reading including a popular online service called **Patron Point Recommends**. From our website, you can select the genres that interest you and you will receive a monthly email with titles of new books in the system. From there you can place a hold and will be notified when it is in for pick up. This is a great way to always have something new coming your way in the subject of your choice. Many patrons have let me know how much they like this service, and you may too!

My cozy reading includes the many beautiful cookbooks we have. Even though I may never make a recipe, I enjoy the narration, history and setting that the authors provide. The photos are beautiful as well, but it will make you hungry!

**Scandikitchen Fika & Hygge: Comforting Cakes and Bakes from Scandinavia with Love by Bronte Aurell.** This book explains the concept of “hygge” very well and has beautiful photos of Scandinavian villages, how they celebrate the different seasons and holidays and, of course, recipes. Gingerbread cake with lingonberries — “this cake is for those days when the wind is blowing outside, the rain smashes against the window and nobody has any intention of leaving the house.” Talk about cozy!

**Provence: the Cookbook. Recipes from the French Mediterranean by Caroline Rimbert Craig.** The author writes about her French heritage and the importance of good food and details in preparing meals, fresh ingredients bought at daily markets, and how people celebrate together over meals. The Christmas day menu has four courses plus a cheese course! There are beautiful photos of places that inspire the recipes. Fig and rose ice cream...I may never make it, but it sure looks good.

**My Paris Kitchen: Recipes and Stories by David Lebovitz.** Again, amazing recipes, but more interesting stories from well-known Chef, David Lebovitz, who details how he set up a full-scale kitchen in Paris while as an American trying to prove his skills to the French. Beautiful photos and lots of comfort food recipes. The French make the best fried chicken. Also included is a recipe for warm chocolate cake with salted butter caramel sauce.

It's fun to just read cookbooks. Hungry? See you in the library!



**Linda Eastwood**  
**Library Director**



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The Board meets in the Community Room every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7pm. The Trustee Meetings are open to the public.

# HELP YOUR LIBRARY GROW

There are many ways to help the library grow into the future. Support CPL with a monetary gift, book or DVD donation, or by volunteering your time. Every contribution, no matter the size, makes a difference. Together, we can build a bright future for our library and the community we serve.

## Monetary donations and gifts

Donations help advance library services, build collections, and improve technology and facilities.

Donations are accepted for memorial and honor book purchases, program sponsorships, naming opportunities and general fund support. We also accept donations from bequests, trusts or planned giving to the library directly or through the Cedarburg Friends of the Library.

### How to donate:

- By credit card via our Cedarburg Friends of the Library. Scan the QR code below to donate by PayPal, credit or debit card.
- By check: please make checks payable to **Cedarburg Public Library** and mail to W63N589 Hanover Ave, Cedarburg, WI 53012, for the attention of Linda Eastwood, Library Director. If you prefer to give to a 501 (c) 3 organization, make checks payable to the **Cedarburg Friends of the Library**.
- In-kind donations: these are non-cash donations. Many individuals, businesses and non-profit organizations generously support library programs throughout the year with goods and services.

For more information, please email Linda Eastwood, Library Director, at [leastwood@cedarburglibrary.org](mailto:leastwood@cedarburglibrary.org)



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## Book, movie and item donations

Your item donations help add new titles to the collection, provide multiple copies of in-demand materials, or replace materials that have been lost and/or damaged. If we are unable to use donated materials, we will put them in a book sale or recycle them. We have a permanent used book store, *Buy the Book*, in the lobby and also host winter and summer used book sales.

We accept new or gently used:

- Books
- DVDs
- Blu-Rays
- Music CDs
- Audiobooks on CD
- Intact Jigsaw Puzzles (all pieces)



There is a large black bin on the first floor for donations. PLEASE: **Do not put donations in the book drop.** If you have a large number of items to donate, please call ahead (262.375.7640) and we can provide a cart for transporting items from your vehicle.



## Volunteer at the library

Are you passionate about books and community? Join the Cedarburg Friends of the Library as a volunteer.

### Adult Volunteer Opportunities:

- Assist with our used book sales (at least twice a year)
- Help manage our used book store
- Support library programs and events

Whether you can spare a few hours a week or are looking for a one-time event, your time and skills can make a real difference!

### Why Volunteer with Cedarburg Friends of the Library?

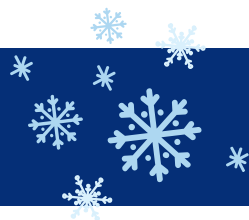
- Meet new friends and connect with fellow book lovers
- Gain valuable experience in a welcoming environment
- Contribute to enriching our community's cultural landscape

If you're interested in volunteering, please join the Cedarburg Friends of the Library by becoming a member. The membership form is on page 10, or an online version is on the library's website: [cedarburglibrary.org](http://cedarburglibrary.org).

### High School Volunteers

We often have dedicated high-school volunteers helping out with moving boxes, finding books, light cleaning and tidying, arranging displays, and other small jobs around the library. If you are, or know of, a high school student who would like community service hours at the library, please contact Linda Eastwood at [leastwood@cedarburglibrary.org](mailto:leastwood@cedarburglibrary.org).

# STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS



## Books, Blankets and Bliss.... Get Cozy, Get Reading: Staff-Approved Books to Curl Up With!



Quiet, snowy days provide a chance for us all to slow down and revisit favorite books and movies. Or, to branch out and try something new. What will you reach for this winter? Library staff would like to share tried and true favorites. Mine are:

- *Snowy Day* by Ezra Jack Keats.
- *The Roosevelts: An Intimate History*—DVD Television Mini Series by Ken Burns. *The Holdovers* (2024 movie) is one I will watch year after year for Christmas.

—Kasey



*Little Women* (1994 movie)  
*Little Women* by Louisa May Alcott  
*The Cloisters* by Katy Hays  
 —Lauren

### Warm up with a good book: recommended reads for comfort and joy!

*Scandikitchen Fika & Hygge: Comforting Cakes and Bakes from Scandinavia with Love* by Bronte Aurell.  
*Provence: the Cookbook. Recipes from the French Mediterranean* by Caroline Rimbart Craig.  
*My Paris Kitchen: Recipes and Stories* by David Lebovitz.  
 —Linda



I've got to recommend the new Harlan Ellison books! The new one, *The Last Dangerous Visions* just came out. Also, three movies by David Fincher:

- *The Social Network* (2010)
- *The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo* (2011)
- *Gone Girl* (2014)

Fincher made these movies back to back. All of them have his signature style—complex moral codes with very warm lighting and restrained editing and performances. These movies are definite winter go-to movies for me. I've seen them too many times to count, but I did notice that each yearly viewing occurs when the cold weather is upon us. These movies pair well with a fleece blanket, a turtleneck, and perhaps a chai tea latte. I speak from experience!

—Jeff



### Turn the page, turn up the cozy.

Mine may be a little odd, but: *Before the Coffee Gets Cold* by Toshikazu Kawaguchi.  
*The Skull: A Tyrolean Folktale* by Jon Klassen.  
*Storm of the Century* by Stephen King (My favorite wintery film!)

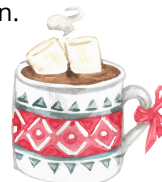
—Sarah F



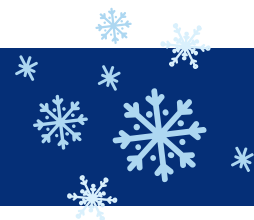
*The Bible. Last of the Mohicans* by James Fenimore Cooper.  
*'Twas the Night before Christmas* by Clement Clarke Moore.  
*The Guns of August* by Barbara W Tuchman.  
 —Keith

### Hygge your way through winter, one chapter at a time.

Love this!  
*Legends & Lattes* by Travis Baldree.  
*Night Music* by Jojo Moyes  
*Scattered Showers* by Rainbow Rowell.  
*Felicity* by Mary Oliver.  
 —Kim



# STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS



Here is my list of "Heidi Cozy" books:

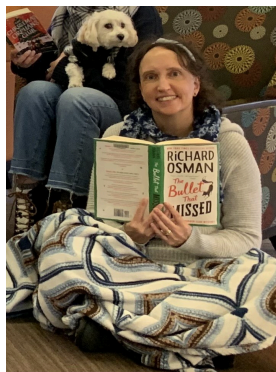
- Funny Story* by Emily Henry
- Great or Nothing* (YA) by Joy McCullough.
- The Last Chance Library* by Freya Sampson.
- Better Than the Movies* (YA) by Lynn Painter.
- Vera Wong's Unsolicited Advice for Murderers* by Jessie Sutanto.
- Dial A for Aunties* by Jessie Sutanto.



I recommend some good, thrilling "read by the fire" mystery books with twists galore!

- The Thirteenth Tale* by Diane Setterfield
- All the Colors of the Dark* by Chris Whittaker

And then there is the 8-armed "warm hug" of a wonderful book that is *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt.  
—Gemma



*The Kamogawa Food Detectives* by Hisashi Kashiwai.

*Emily Wilde's Encyclopaedia of Faeries* by Heather Fawcett.

*A Week in Winter* by Maeve Binchy.  
—Sarah K

**Find your cozy: books to warm the heart and soul!**

**Snuggle up with our staff picks: cozy reads for every mood!**



My cozy picks:

- A Girl of the Limberlost* by Gene Stratton-Porter
- The Frozen River* by Ariel Lawhon
- The Sunday Philosophy Club* by Alexander McCall Smith  
—I believe there are 15 books (so far) in the series —delightful!

—Sharon

**Books, blankets, and a cup of cocoa: your perfect cozy escape!**



Here are my selections:

- The Lost Apothecary* by Sarah Penner
- The Lager Queen of Minnesota* by J. Ryan Stradal
- Walkaway* by Cory Doctorow

Best,  
Anthony



Ohhh I love this idea! Here are my wintery recs:

- The Little Book of Hygge: Danish Secrets to Happy Living* by Meik Wiking.
- The Secret History* by Donna Tartt.
- Beartown* by Fredrik Backman.  
—Marci

**GOOD TIMES**



My recommendations are heartwarming and short in length, perhaps to be read on a snow day!

- The Travelling Cat Chronicles* by Hiro Arikawa
- The Housekeeper and the Professor* by Yoko Ogawa
- Three O'clock in the Morning: a Novel* by Gianrico Carofiglio  
—Karen

**Get lost in a good book, not the snow**

Here are some of my favorite "cozy" reads/watches!

- The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes* by Arthur Conan Doyle
- Stargirl* by Jerry Spinelli
- Dead Poets Society* (1989 Film)
- Little Women* (2019 Film)

—Jaida



**Looking for some cozy events? We have you covered.**

- CPL Silent Book Club** — see page 5
- Storytime in the Library: Winter Cozy** — see page 8
- New Book Tuesday Podcast: Cozy Reads** theme — tune in at <https://shows.acast.com/cpl-radio>
- Afternoon Tea Book Club** — see page 5
- Cinema Club** — see page 5
- Cribbage Club** — see page 5
- Author Talk: Laura Anne Bird** talks about her new middle-grade book, *Marvelous Jackson*, featuring a young boy who falls in love with the therapeutic art of baking — see page 8

# ADULTS

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## COMMUNITY GROUPS

### CEDARBURG AUTHORS' CIRCLE

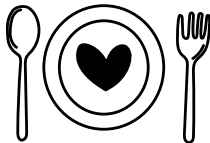
Wednesdays, Dec. 4 | Jan. 8 | Feb. 5  
Time: 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM



Whether you're a seasoned scribe or just starting to explore the realms of pen and parchment, share your stories, poems or unfinished epics in a supportive community of fellow wordsmiths, where diverse perspectives enrich every discussion. **No registration required.**

### COOKING CLUB

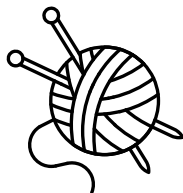
Fridays, Dec. 6 | Jan. 3 | Feb. 7  
Time: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM



Choose a cookbook that goes with the monthly theme and select a recipe that piques your interest, then prepare the dish to share. Be prepared for an engaging conversation about your culinary creation and the opportunity to make new acquaintances. Bring a copy of your recipe, serving utensil and a beverage. Plates, flatware and napkins will be provided. **Everyone is welcome!**  
**December 6 Theme:** Cookie Exchange  
**January 3 Theme:** Slow Cooking  
**February 7 Theme:** Italian Recipes

### NEEDLE ARTS CLUB

Every Wednesday, all year  
Time: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM



This club welcomes participants aged 18+ with prior experience in needle arts and operates on a self-guided basis, where members pursue their projects independently. While no formal instruction is provided, our community offers a supportive environment where crafters can exchange ideas, seek advice and share their expertise. **Bring your own supplies, no registration is required.**

### CPL CINEMA CLUB

Wednesdays, Dec. 18 | Jan. 15 | Feb. 19  
Time: 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM



Our club is a place where the silver screen comes to life, and discussions about movies take center stage. Whether you are a casual viewer or a hardcore cinephile, everyone is welcome to join. **No registration required.** For our full 2025 film calendar, see page 14.

**December movie:** *Crimes and Misdemeanors* (1989)

**January movie:** *A Matter of Life and Death* (1946)

**February movie:** *Last Year at Marienbad* (1961)

### JUGGLING CLUB (Ages 12+)

Sundays, Dec. 15 | Jan. 19 | Feb. 23  
Time: 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM



Whether you're a juggling pro or a complete novice, our monthly meetings are a great way to connect with the local juggling community and develop your skills. Bring your enthusiasm and a smile, and we'll provide the juggling fun! Run by the Cedarburg Juggling Club. **No experience or registration required.**

### GENEALOGY CLUB

Thursdays, Dec. 12 | Jan. 9 | Feb. 13  
Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
Tuesdays, Dec. 17 | Jan. 21 | Feb. 18  
Time: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM



Whether you're a beginner or a seasoned genealogist, join Randy Ray and Linda Keller in learning more about strategies and techniques for tracing your roots. Each month a new topic will be presented, followed by time for questions and research assistance. Please bring your own devices as the library has a limited number of laptops to borrow. **No registration required.**

*There is a daytime and evening session each month that will cover the same topic. Feel free to attend one or both.*

### AFTERNOON TEA BOOK CLUB

Tuesdays, Dec. 17 | Jan. 21 | Feb. 18  
Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM



Immerse yourself in a captivating book while savoring a specially selected tea that complements the theme of the book we will be discussing. **No registration required.**

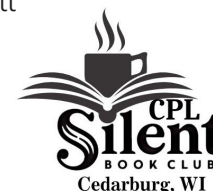
**December Book:** No assigned book! Bring your favorite reads this year and we will have a general discussion about all our best books.

**January Book:** *Before the Coffee Gets Cold* by Toshikazu Kawaguchi

**February Book:** *Tom Lake* by Ann Patchett

### CPL SILENT BOOK CLUB

Thurs. Dec. 27  
Time: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
Thurs. Jan. 23 | Feb. 27  
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM



At Silent Book Club® there's no assigned reading. SBC members gather in community spaces (like our library!) and read together in quiet camaraderie. All readers are welcome —ebooks or audiobooks, poetry or prose, fiction or non-fiction... it's BYO Book. Coffee, cocoa and cookies available for readers only. **No registration required.**

### CRIBBAGE CLUB (All ages)

Wednesdays, Dec. 18 | Jan. 15 | Feb. 19  
Time: 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM



Board games are a great way to socialize and enjoy the health benefits of play! Have you always wanted to learn how to play cribbage or need a refresher? In this program, the first 30 minutes will be devoted to a library staff member teaching the game, followed by one hour of playing cribbage with others. Feel free to come for the whole program or join at 10:30am to jump right in and play! Bring your own board, or use one of ours. **No registration or experience required.**

# ADULTS

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## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

**HOT SPOTS with John Katzka and Peter Kranstover**  
Thursday, Dec. 5 | Jan. 2 |  
Time: 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM

The popular and insightful series provides expert analysis and in-depth discussions on global hotspots and offers valuable perspectives on critical geopolitical issues.

Don't miss this opportunity to stay informed and engaged with the world's most pressing challenges!

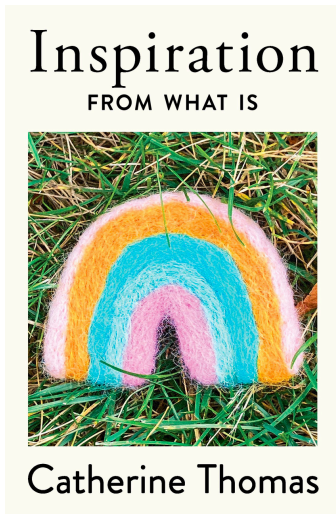
**December Topic:** Mexico - What we can expect from a new "MORENA" Administration.

**January Topic:** Where are we in our relations with China? What can we expect in 2025?



**INSPIRATION FROM WHAT IS - An author event with Catherine Thomas**  
Saturday, Jan. 25  
Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Local author, Catherine Thomas, will hold an event for her new book *Inspiration From What Is*. Her first book, *Awakening the Vulnerable Heart*, heralded the beginning of the regenerative journey from simply existing to living authentically: the transformative tale resumes in *Inspiration From What Is*. Embracing stillness unveiled nature's sagesness and renewed connection with inner knowing. Life circumstances were beautifully reframed as prose, providing comfort and clarity. Through the continuation of poetic storytelling and photography, Catherine Thomas reveals how observing life with a quiet mind and open heart creates contentment with what is—rather than yearning for what was or unease about what will be.



Catherine Thomas has a podcast called *The Catherine Thomas Podcast* that you can listen to on our CPL Radio YouTube page.

**YOGA & TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE FOR MENTAL HEALTH**  
Wednesday, Dec. 11  
Time: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

*How Does Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM) Relate To Mental Health?*

"In TCM each organ is associated with an emotion. For example worrying is linked to the spleen, grief with the lungs, and anger with the liver. Let's say someone is struggling with seasonal depression, this can be one sign of a weaker Earth Element (spleen). My recommendation: acupressure point Stomach 36, and a grounding yin yoga session with focus on the abdomen, groin, and quads. These are the areas of the body where the spleen meridian travels."

*How Do You Combine Traditional Chinese Medicine & Yoga?*

"There are 14 main meridian lines (energy channels) in the body. We can stimulate these channels using compression, stretching and twisting. For example a person comes to my yoga class and complains that they are feeling frustrated and angry. This is one sign of Liver Qi Stagnation. My recommendation: acupressure point Liver 3, and a slow flow yoga session focused on lengthening the side body, inner thighs, and twisting."

Join Akalai to learn about the 5 elements, meridian lines, basic acupressure points, and how it can all be interwoven with yoga to aid in supporting mental health. **Please bring a yoga mat to the workshop.**

**Traditional Chinese Medicine & Yoga For Mental Health**  
With Akalai Hanui

Wednesday  
December 11th  
6:00 - 7:30pm  
Cedarburg Public Library

# ADULTS

No registration is required, unless noted.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

### TECH TUESDAYS

First Tuesday of each month and Last Tuesday of each month, starting January 2025

Location: the Makerspace area, 1st floor

Time: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Jan. 7 & Feb. 4

Time: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM, Jan. 28 & Feb. 25

One-on-one help from CPL library staff **specifically for library technology**, such as:

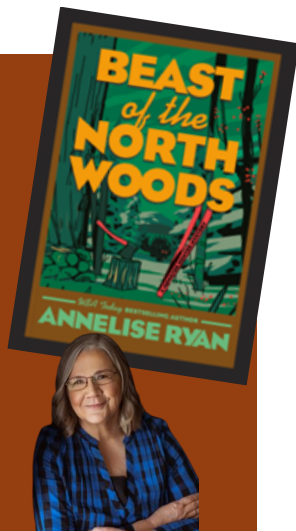
- Help with accessing the Monarch catalog and Monarch2Go app
- Downloading library eBooks, audiobooks, magazines and music to your eReader, tablet or other device
- Using an iPad, Kindle, Android device or smartphone with respect to Libby, Hoopla, Kanopy, Monarch2Go
- Using CPL library databases
- Other specific questions about library technology

Please bring in your own devices with cords and passwords. People will be helped on a first-come, first-served basis. Staff are not able to repair equipment or troubleshoot hardware and software problems.

If times are not convenient, call for an individual appointment. For more information call 262-375-7640 or use our website's Book a Librarian form.



Remember our friend Cedarburg Reads author, **Annelise Ryan**? This January her new book in the Monster Mystery series, *Beast of the North Woods*, hits the shelves. We think this is a perfect cozy read this Winter, featuring the legendary Wisconsin Hodag, set in rustic Rhinelander, and including the characters, Morgan Carter and her beloved dog Newt!



### ANTIQUe APPRAISAL WITH MARK MORAN

Saturday, Feb. 1

Location: Community Room

Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM



Cedarburg Public Library proudly presents an Antiques and Collectibles Appraisal Event with renowned author and antiques expert, **Mark F. Moran** of Iola, WI.

#### About Mark Moran:

Formerly senior editor of Antiques and Collectibles Books for Krause Publications in Iola, WI, Mark has also been a contributing editor for *Antique Trader* magazine. He has served as editor of *Antique Review East* magazine; as producer of *Atlantique City*, an antique show held in Atlantic City, NJ; and as editorial director of F+W Media's Antiques Group.

Mark was also a guest expert on the PBS program, *Antiques Roadshow*, for nine seasons.

He is the author or co-author of more than 25 books on antiques and collectibles, including three editions of the 800-page annual *Warman's Antiques & Collectibles*.

Moran bought and sold antiques for more than 30 years, specializing in vintage folk art, Americana, and fine art. He has been active as an appraiser of antiques and fine art for more than 20 years.

**Pre-registration is required.** Please register by calling the Adult Info desk at 262-375-7640 Ext. 200.

Moran is available to make home visits for people with big things, or fragile things (or a lot of things). House calls are \$75 an hour and there is no mileage charge if within 10 miles of the appraisal event site. To arrange, call 715-281-5060 or email [moranm1953@gmail.com](mailto:moranm1953@gmail.com). Please mention this is the **CEDARBURG February 1 event** in your message.





# KIDS

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## INFANT TO KINDERGARTEN

### 1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN Ongoing

Unlock the magical world of reading and set your child on a path to success with our **1000 Books Before Kindergarten** literacy program. Signing up for 1000 Books Before Kindergarten is easy! Visit our children's desk and register your child. You will receive a welcome kit with all the information you need to begin your reading journey. You can also visit our website to register and print your first reading log. Join us in this exciting adventure of exploring the literary world with your child and giving them the gift of literacy that will last a lifetime.

### MR. DAN PRESENTS (Ages 3-6) Mondays, Dec. 2, 16 | Jan. 6, 27 | Feb. 3, 17 Time: 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Embark on a magical journey with Mr. Dan and his delightful puppet friends. Through laughter, empathy, and interactive engagement, children not only enjoy a captivating story but also gain valuable insights into navigating their own social-emotional landscapes.



### STORYTIME IN THE LIBRARY: WINTER COZY (All ages) Tuesday, Dec. 10 Time: 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Join Miss Heidi for Storytime in the Library, a magical adventure for ages 0-5! Our theme is Winter Cozy! Discover enchanting tales, sing along and dance to fun songs, and delight in the joy of shared reading. Feel free to wear what makes you cozy or even bring a blanket. Let's create wonderful memories and spark a love for books together.



### TODDLER TIME (Ages 16-36 months) Tuesdays, Jan. 7 - Mar. 4 Time: 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

It's Toddler Time at the library with Miss Heidi! Your child will experience literature through stories, rhymes, music, and more. A small activity will be available to take home.

### PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, Jan. 9 - Mar. 6 Time: 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Join Miss Heidi for the Winter session of Preschool Storytime. This program is for children ages 3-5 and their caregivers. Enjoy short stories, action rhymes, flannel stories, music and an activity to take home.

## FAMILY PROGRAMS

### AUTHOR VISIT: LAURA ANNE BIRD Saturday, Feb. 22 Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

This event is in partnership with Cedarburg Toy Company.



Join Wisconsin author, **Laura Anne Bird**, to celebrate her new middle grade novel, *Marvelous Jackson*. Laura will talk about her book and her writing process, read an excerpt, answer questions and provide a snack and craft. Kids and grown-ups of all ages are welcome!

*Marvelous Jackson* and Laura's debut novel, *Crossing the Pressure Line*, will be sold onsite by Cedarburg Toy Company.



About *Marvelous Jackson*: After losing his mom, a struggling thirteen-year-old boy in northern Wisconsin rediscovers the love of baking he once shared with her and decides to audition for the world-famous, big-hearted *Marvelous Midwest Kids Baking Championship* television show in Chicago. Jack is sure that his new sense of purpose will help him stay out of trouble, so he throws himself into learning the finer points of sprinkles and scones — and hopefully even mending his broken relationship with his dad.



### CRIBBAGE CLUB (All ages) Wednesdays, Dec. 18 | Jan. 15 | Feb. 19 Time: 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

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## SCHOOL AGE

### GENRE READING CHALLENGE – Grades 3-8 Through Apr. 2025

Do you enjoy a challenge? Do you like to read? Do you want to expand your horizons? Visit the library to pick up a simple paper tracker to log your titles by reading genre. This is an ongoing program until next spring! Participants at the end of the program will have a book dedicated to them in the library and receive a book light, special bookmark and tote bag (see photo pictured).



### YOUTH FIBER ARTS CLUB (Ages 9-17) Every Tuesday Time: 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Calling all creative thinkers and fiber arts enthusiasts! Explore needle-based fiber arts such as hand-stitching, embroidery, knitting, crocheting and upcycled fashion. Dive into our monthly featured project or use the time to experiment with your own creative ideas! Creative materials and tools will be available.



**No experience required.**

### KID'S IMPROV NIGHT (Ages 8+) Monday, Jan. 13 Time: 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Improvisation is a fun and often hilarious way to explore storytelling and build self-confidence. Join our Youth Services staff in an hour of improv. comedy exercises and a whole lot of laughing!

**No experience necessary.**



### OPEN STUDY TIMES During CHS exam week: Wed. Jan. 15, 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM Thurs. Jan. 16, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM, 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Fri. Jan. 17, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Need a peaceful space to focus during exam week? The library is here to support your success with everything you need to power through your study sessions!

- Relaxing ambiance – calm your mind with gentle background music designed to help you focus and relieve stress.
- Quiet study space – distraction-free spots to help you concentrate and get in the zone.
- Some school supplies – forgot your highlighter or notebook? We've got you covered with basic supplies to help you study.

### KID LIBRARIAN PROGRAM (Ages 7-12+)

**Be our next Kid Librarian!** What does a Kid Librarian do exactly? Kid Librarians get to choose books they enjoy or would recommend to other readers for a special display. This display will be located in the children's library for approximately a week. Kid librarians will also have the opportunity (if they wish) to work a 30 minute "desk shift" alongside one of our children's librarians at the reference desk. During this time, kid librarians will help check out books, fill displays, and recommend books to other readers. Kids ages 7-12 who are interested can fill out an application at the children's desk. **Participants will be chosen at random.**



Be Our Next  
**KID LIBRARIAN**  
Applications Available at the Children's Desk  
**Ages 7-12+**

**Make Your Own Display!**  
Create your own library display of books you love and would recommend to others!

**Work With a Librarian!**  
Work a 30 minute shift at the Children's desk with one of our Children's Librarians! Scan books, fill displays, and more!

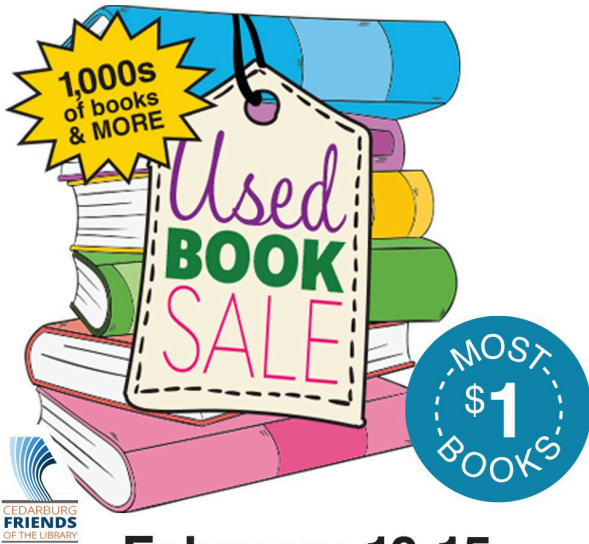
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### JUGGLING CLUB (Ages 12+) Sundays, Dec. 15 | Jan. 19 | Feb. 23 Time: 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Whether you're a juggling pro or a complete novice, our monthly meetings are a great way to connect with the local juggling community and develop your skills. Bring your enthusiasm and a smile, and we'll provide the juggling fun! Run by the Cedarburg Juggling Club.

**No experience required.**

# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY



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## BUY THE BOOK

Help us celebrate the 5th birthday of CFOL's used book store! It is the *only* used book store in Ozaukee County and has a wealth of books, magazines, jigsaws and DVDs. All proceeds benefit the Friends and your library. Stop in and take a look!

**Buy the Book Hours:**  
M-Th: 9:30am-8:00pm  
Fri: 9:30am-5:00pm  
Sat: 9:30am-4:00pm  
Sun: 12:00pm-4:00pm



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## CEDARBURG FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

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- Book Sales (Winter/Summer)
- Adult and/or Youth Programming
- Cedarburg Reads
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- Patron ..... 100+
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# DIGITAL RESOURCES

The library offers the following digital resources for you to access remotely with your library card.

*\*Available to Cedarburg library cardholders **only**.*

*Please note there are some resources that will only work with a Cedarburg library card for Cedarburg residents.*



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Access business and consumer information using **A to Z Databases**. A to Z Databases allows users to export up to 1,000 records at a time. Online help is available 24/7 and online training sessions are available weekly. \*



**Value Line** is an investment research database. Users can research companies, stocks, markets and other economies with different tools available in the database. \*



**Transparent Language** is an online language learning resource that has courses in 110+ languages, including ESOL. For kids through adults there are classes for beginners through advanced language learners.



**Universal Class** is a great resource that you can access for free with your library card. Universal Class is the place to continue your education online and fulfill all your lifelong learning goals.



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The **Monarch2Go** app is available for iPhone, iPad, and Android devices and allows you to search the Monarch catalog and manage your account all in one place. You can also leave your library card at home as the app acts as a digital library card and works on all self-checkout machines at the Cedarburg library and at the checkout desk.

**Use the app to:**

Quickly access the Monarch Catalog | Manage your account and renew items | Place holds and choose a pickup location | Scan book barcodes and see availability at any Monarch Library | Link your family's accounts together and keep track of everyone's holds and renew items in one spot | Access digital books, audiobooks, magazines, and online resources | View the Event calendar | Access streaming services, including CPL Radio & Podcasts | Reserve a study or meeting room...  
**...and more!**

# THE UNEXPECTED

## ADOBE CREATIVE CLOUD

The library has two public computers (one Mac and one PC) that have Adobe Creative Cloud software loaded on them, available for use by patrons. Design, draw and edit photos or video here! (And print them on the large format printer!)

For more information, please call (262) 375-7640 x200.

**Location: Computer Lab, 2nd floor**

## LARGE FORMAT PRINTER

Sponsored by our Cedarburg Friends of the Library Fund, the large format printer is available for public use. From posters to photos to art and everything in between, you can print anything up to 36" wide and as long as you want!

The paper type is enhanced matte. It is \$1 per foot. Check out the poster examples in the Maker Lab or around the library.

For more information, please call (262) 375-7640 x200.

**Location: Digital Lab, 2nd floor**



## DIGITAL LAB

Transfer, copy or duplicate your old format content to a new digital version. Transfer slides, negatives, print photos, documents, 8mm and Super 8 film, VHS, VHS-C, DVDs and audio cassettes.

**Please Note:** To convert 8mm and Super 8 film you must reserve the Wolverine Moviemaker Pro in our **Library of Things** by putting a hold on it in the Monarch Catalog. The Moviemaker Pro allows you to convert 8mm and Super 8 film to a digital file in the convenience of your home. Checkout is for 2 weeks. We also offer the Kodak Digital Scanner for check out to scan slides, negatives, 8mm and Super8 film in your own home. Please reserve it on the Monarch Catalog. This item can be checked out for 2 weeks.

The Digital Lab is open during regular public service hours. Some projects, like transferring VHS to DVD, will take as long as the original content to finish. Book up to 4 hours each day and as many days as you please. Check the schedule from home to make sure time is available when you want to come in. If you have any questions please call the Adult Services desk at (262) 375-7640 x200.

**Location: Digital Lab, 2nd floor**

## Cedarburg Public Library LIBRARY of THINGS kids



Visit the new Library of Things for Kids!

Check out all of the great offerings beyond books! Collections include STEAM, puzzles and games. This is a great addition to our general Library of Things collection which features games, cookware, technical equipments, seasonal items, and much more! These Things are available to check out from CPL and returned to CPL.

**Location: 1st floor Youth Services**

## PUBLIC ART

Cedarburg is an art community and the library supports creativity! Our building hosts a collection of original artwork generously donated by artist c.t. whitehouse and author Barbara Jooose. Walk around the library to view the pieces specifically selected for their aesthetic value and relevance to the purpose of the library. You may read more about each piece on their corresponding labels and in the art binder by the Information Desk on the 2nd floor.

The library has an exhibit wall featuring different local artists every 3 months. CPL has exhibited professional, student, self-taught, and emerging artists.

To apply to exhibit your work, please contact (262) 375-7640 x108.

**Location: 1st floor**

## CPL RADIO ONLINE

CPL Radio Online is an internet community radio station located at Cedarburg Public Library. Tune in to listen to music and local programs.

Sponsored by the Cedarburg Friends of the Library and fan donations.

For more information, please contact Jeff Messerman at [jmesserman@cedarburglibrary.org](mailto:jmesserman@cedarburglibrary.org) or call (262) 375-7640 x207.

**Location: On any podcast platform and Cedarburglibrary.org**

## STORYCORPS DIY

StoryCorps DIY is an oral history project based on NPR's project's mission to honor and celebrate the lives of everyday Americans by listening to their stories. Cedarburg Public Library aims to collect as many local stories as possible. The DIY kit can be used in-house or checked out. The kit allows patrons to record their stories for their own personal use, and/or have their stories and anecdotes archived at the library for future generations.

**To find out more, please contact the Adult Services Department at (262) 375-7640 x200.**



# FEATURES

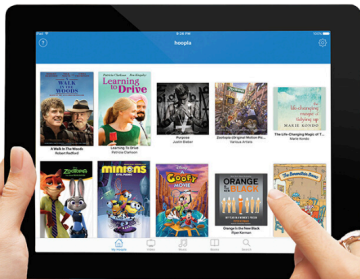
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Hoopla provides online and mobile access to eBooks, audiobooks, comics and manga, music, movies, TV and more.

With hoopla and a valid library card, patrons can borrow, stream, and download ebooks, eaudiobooks, and more via hoopla's mobile app or [www.hoopladigital.com](http://www.hoopladigital.com). Simple to access and use, with no wait times.

While other local libraries have dropped their hoopla subscription due to rising fees, CPL feels the popularity of this service to our patrons is too important. Please be aware that hoopla charges the library every time you check out a title. To keep our fees low take care in the items you choose to check out within your 6-title a month limit.

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**CPL'S NEWS GRAPHIC MICROFILM FROM ALL THE WAY BACK TO THE 1880S IS BEING DIGITIZED!**

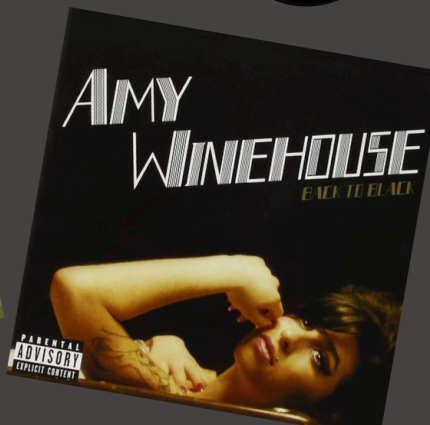
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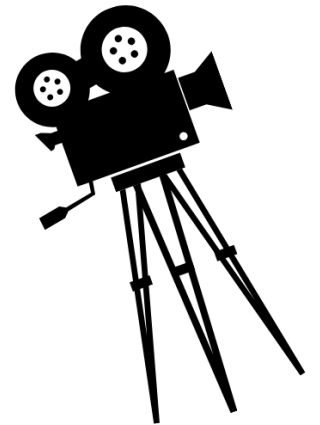
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### Friday

9:30 am - 5:00 pm

### Saturday

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

### Sunday

12:00 pm - 4:00 pm (September - May)

Closed (June - August)

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