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Demmer Memorial Library, Three Lakes, Wisconsin 54562

Upcoming Events December 2011

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Hours

Monday 9 – 8
Tuesday 9 -5
Wednesday 9 – 8
Thursday 9 – 5
Friday 9 – 5
Saturday 9 – 2

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6 Story Hour 9:30 a.m. Lower Level	7 Story Hour@ SC Elementary	8	9	10
11	12 Genealogical Society Members Party	13 Story Hour 9:30 a.m. Lower Level	14 Story Hour@ SC Elementary	15	16	17
18	19	20 Story Hour 9:30 a.m. Lower Level Library Limo 10:00 a.m. @TLOE	21 Story Hour@ SC Elementary	22	23	24 Christmas Eve Library Closed No Book Sale
25 Christmas Day	26 Library Closed	27 No Story Hour	28 No Story Hour	29	30	31 New Year's Eve Library Closed

Thank you for donating your used books during the past year -- thanks to your generosity the Friends of the Library will not be accepting used book donations until the end of January!

The Friends of the Demmer Library wish you a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year! To join the Friends of the Library contact Sarah Ewing at 715-546-8124.

Booking Ahead

High Interest Titles to Ring in the New Year!
Put Your Name on the List Today!

Death Benefit by Robin Cook

Gideon's Corpse by Preston & Child

Gun Games by Faye Kellerman

Home Front by Kristin Hannah

The Look of Love by Mary Jane Clark

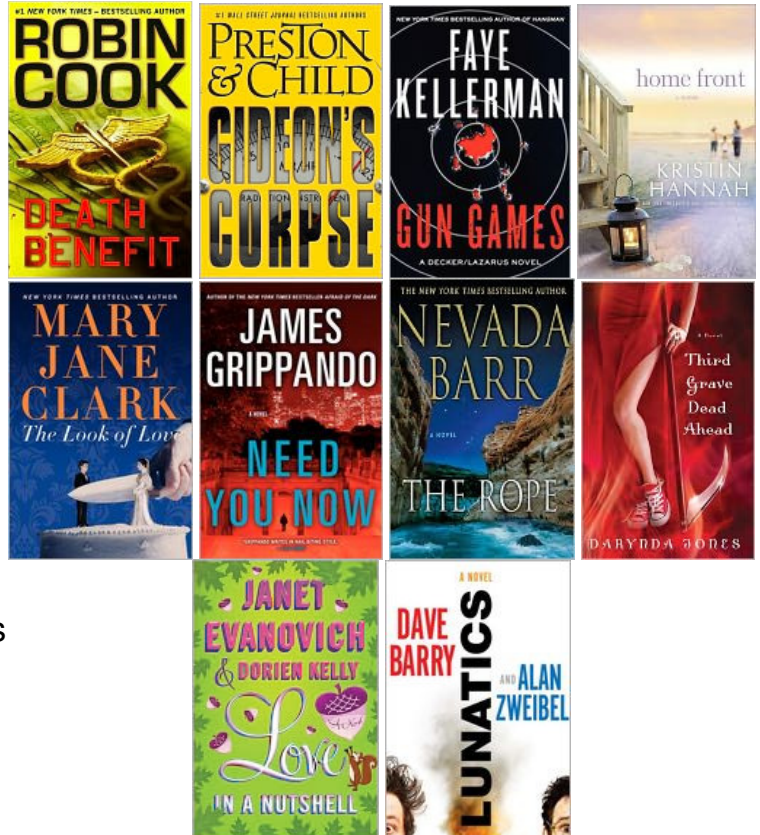
Need You Now by James Grippando

The Rope by Nevada Barr

Third Grave Dead Ahead by Darynda Jones

Love in a Nutshell by Janet Evanovich

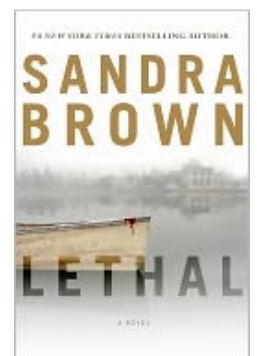
Lunatics by Dave Barry



A Bookworm's View



“Lethal” written by Sandra Brown demonstrates why she was named “thrill master” by the International Thriller Writer’s Association. This fast-paced novel offers one suspense filled chapter after another with a pulse-pounding anticipation of the final outcome. Romance, compassion and loyalty are added to the literary mixture making it a recipe for excitement!





Gifts for Genealogists

Wondering what to get your favorite genealogist for Christmas? Here are some suggestions that might help.

A subscription to a genealogy magazine, such as, ***Family Tree Magazine, Family Chronicle, or Internet Genealogy*** is a welcome addition to any genealogist's reading pile. To help your genealogist keep the family tree organized, give the gift of a genealogy software program. Among some of the more popular programs are ***Family Tree Maker, Legacy, or RootsMagic***.

Another gift that would be appreciated by any genealogist is a subscription to an online genealogy resource. ***Ancestry.com, Fold3, GenealogyBank, NewspaperArchives, or the New England Historic Genealogical Society*** are some to consider.

Genealogists also appreciate archival supplies such as these: acid free document storage boxes, rare book boxes, acid free file folders and page protectors and plastic paper clips. A good quality magnifying glass is helpful to read tiny print on old and faded documents and a portable scanner or digital camera is great for capturing documents and book pages to transfer and read later on a computer.

But the best gift of all is the understanding and support you can give to your favorite genealogist who is consumed with adding branches and leaves to the family tree.

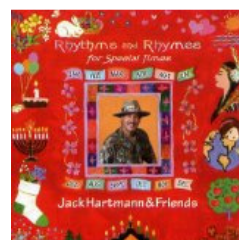


New Music for the Holidays

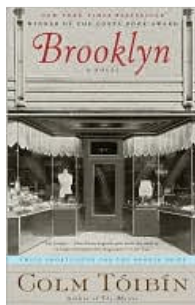
Christmas - Michael Buble

Oh for Joy - David Crowder Band

Rhythms and Rhymes - by Jack Hartmann



BOOKS – THE OTHER CHANNEL



The ***Books-the-Other Channel*** book discussion group will discuss ***Brooklyn: a novel*** by ***Com Toibin*** on Tuesday, December 20th, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. in the lower level of the library.

Library Staff Members

Janet Dixon – Director
 Nancy Brewster – Assistant Director
 Stacey Orr – Adult Services Librarian
 Charlotte Horant – Youth Services Librarian
 Carolyn Eaglesham – Outreach Coordinator



***Discover the
 Little joys of Libraries!***

It's a Wonderful Christmas - The Best of the Holidays 1940-1965 by Susan Waggoner

This book is filled with Christmas traditions to bring back nostalgic moments.

Did you know?

1957 - Play-Doh is available in red, blue, yellow & off white.

1958 - Mailed cards reached an all-time per capita peak, the average American family sent out a hundred season's greetings - as many cards as the average household sends out today.

1959 - The original Barbie was a pony-tailed blonde who came in a black-and-white striped strapless swimsuit and sold for \$3. Today that doll may be worth up to \$5000!

1961- First class stamp costs 4¢

1964 - Troll dolls are new on the market. By the end of the decade, trolls are the 2nd best-selling doll in America.

1965 - G.I. Joe is the surprise hit of the toy season.



A Selection of Popular Christmas Songs from the Past...

1943 - "I'll Be Home For Christmas"

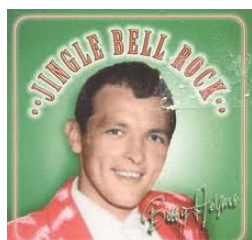
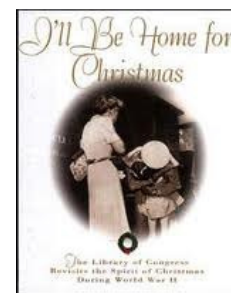
1945 - "Let It Snow"

1947 - "Here Comes Santa Claus"

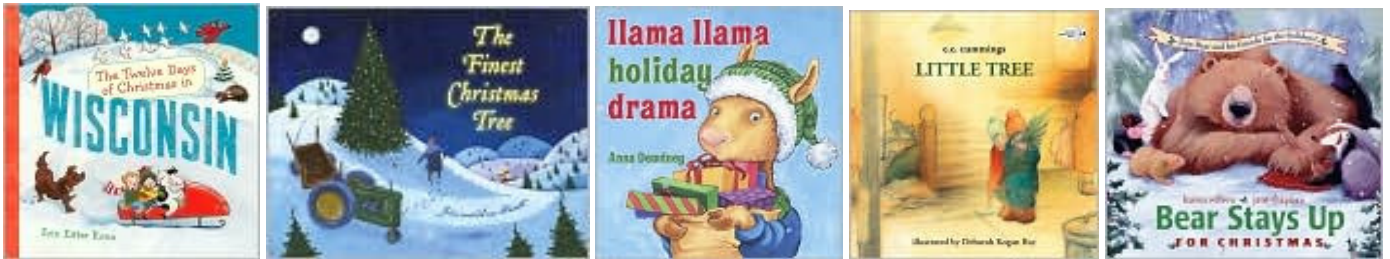
1949 - "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer"

1957 - "Jingle-Bell Rock"

1962 - "A Holly Jolly Christmas"



10 Holiday Favorites for Kids



The Twelve Days of Christmas in Wisconsin by Erin Eitter Kono

The Finest Christmas Tree by John & Ann Hassett

Llama Llama Holiday Drama by Anna Dewdney

Little Tree by E. E. Cummings

Bear Stays Up for Christmas by Karma Wilson & Jane Chapman

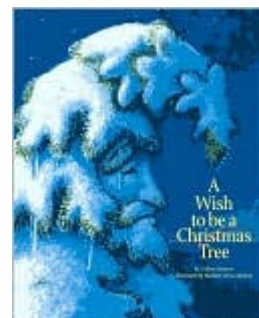
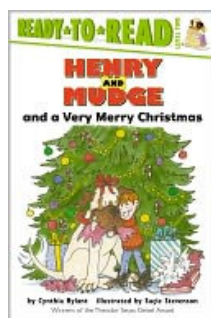
Little Porcupine's Christmas by Joseph Slate

Henry and Mudge and a Very Merry Christmas by Cynthia Rylant

The Night Before Christmas by Clement Clarke Moore

Wish to be a Christmas Tree by Colleen Monroe

Snowmen at Christmas by Caralyn Buehner



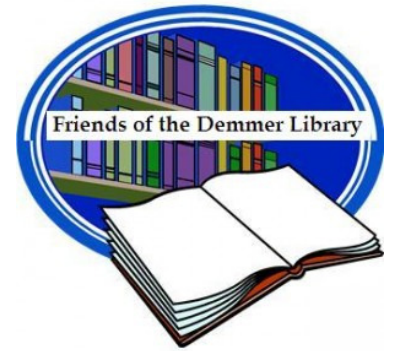
New eReader for Christmas? Check out free titles available through OverDrive!

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For more information ask a librarian for more detailed instructions or pick up a “Quick Tips for Using OverDrive” handout at the front desk.

We're Looking for New Friends!!



The Friends of the Demmer Memorial Library is a volunteer organization for persons in the Three Lakes community and surrounding areas. Our objective is to promote knowledge and the use of the Library's functions, to increase relationships between the Library and the Community at large, and to serve as informal spokespersons to create goodwill, interest and enthusiasm for the Demmer Library.

We welcome all men and women who want to show their support for the library. Our fund-raising events are used to purchase new materials including books for the library.

- Book sale held the fourth Saturday of the month in the lower level of the library
- Annual July 4th used book sale held after the parade
- Meetings on the first Monday of each month (sorting donated books at 11:00 a.m., bag lunch at noon, and 12:30 business meeting)

The next monthly business meeting will be Monday, January 9th, 2012 in the Lower Level of the Library. Anyone who is interested in joining the Friends is invited to attend a meeting to learn more about what we do. Annual Membership runs Jan. 1 – Dec. 31. Annual Dues are \$10 per individual or \$15 per family. If you are interested in joining the Friends of the Library please call or stop by the library to complete a membership application.

Program Preview!

April 9th -14th, 2012 – National Library Week – *Frederic Remington* Exhibit!!!

April 25th – Aquatic Invasive Species Program

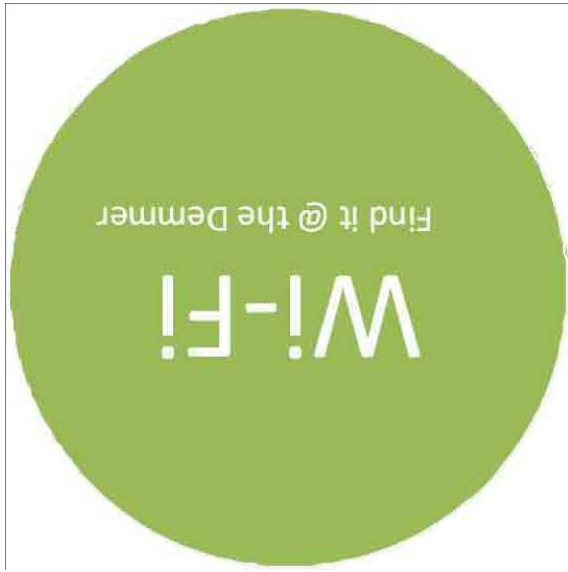
June 27th – Nature Program presented by Trees For Tomorrow

July 25th – Nature Program presented by Trees For Tomorrow

August 10th – Sam Campbell Program presented by Steve Yahr

August 22nd – Nature Program presented by Trees For Tomorrow





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A hand-drawn illustration of a library card. The card is tilted and contains the name "James & Julie" in cursive, a barcode, and the text "YOUR LIBRARY" in all caps.

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