



LIBRARY NEWS

Albertson Memorial Library Newsletter

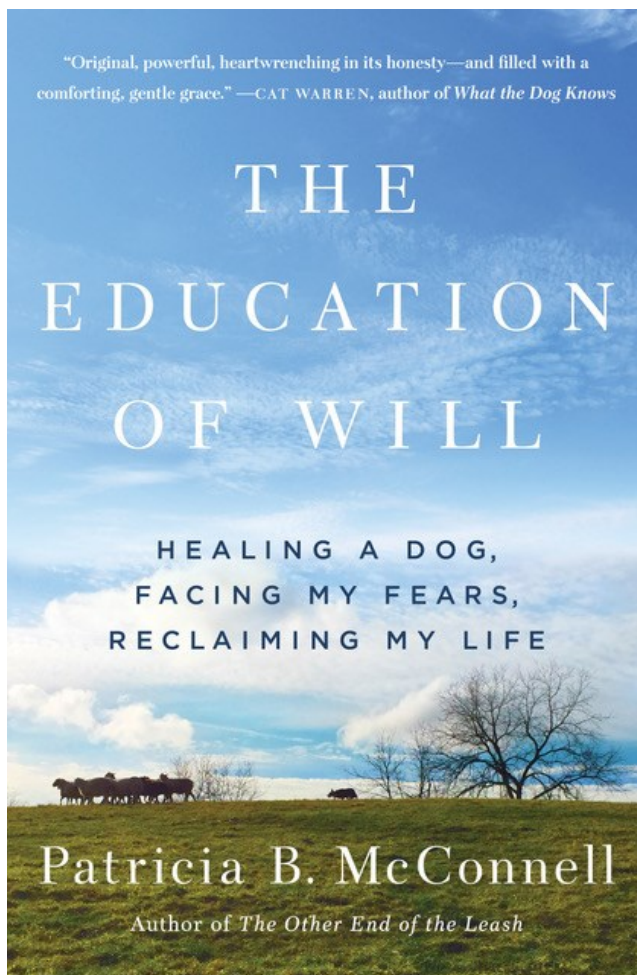
Spring 2018

Must Love Dogs

We are excited to announce that Wisconsin author, animal behaviorist, and leading expert on canine training, Dr. Patricia McConnell, will present from her book, The Education of Will, on Tuesday, June 12 at 6:30 pm.

Several copies of The Education of Will: A Mutual Memoir of a Woman and Her Dog are available at the library to borrow prior to her visit.

In the book Dr. McConnell recounts trauma from her own youth and the recovery she began as an adult while, at the same time, her border collie, Willie, experienced unpredictable panic attacks. It is an almost unbelievable account of healing for both woman and dog.



Library Closings

May 28 (Memorial Day)

Board & Staff Updates

*We welcome **Angela Janes** to the Library Board. Angie replaced Wilbur McCreedy on March 1st.*

*Library Aide, **Diane Bump**, creates quick, fun, seasonal scavenger hunts in the library for kids. February hearts and Easter eggs were the first two hunts this year.*

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Upcoming Events

Children/Families

A Very Sugar River Earth Day - April 21, 11am-2pm

Educational talks, vendors, Dan the Magic Man, food, crafts, upcycled art, demonstrations, and hands-on active ties along N. Water St. and inside the library

Children's Storytime - April 18 & May 2, 9:30 am

Storytime at Albany Oaks - May 16, 9:30 am

The last storytime of the school year is held at Albany's assisted living facility, now under new ownership and named Albany Oaks.

Students

Finals Study Sessions - May 29 & 30, 7:00-10:00 pm

Study space and snacks for Albany students taking finals.

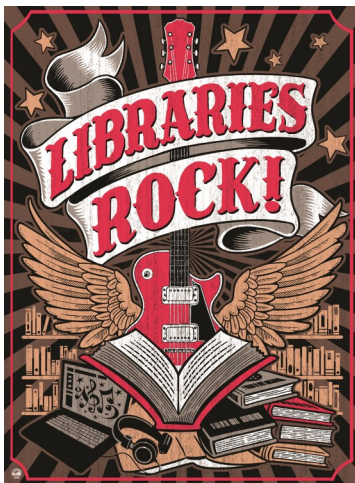
Adults

Rock Painting - April 19, 6:30 pm

Scan Your Family Photos - April 30 - May 5 by appointment

Sew Cool! Sewing Club - May 4 - 7:00 pm

Albany Library Book Club - May 8, 7:00 pm



2018 Summer Reading Program:

Libraries Rock!

We know you are planning your summers already.

Summer schedule and sign-up information for reading programs and special events is coming soon!

Snack With Santa Facelift

For a long time we've held Snack with Santa at the Albany Lions building. At this annual fundraiser we host Santa's visit and offer low-cost food, games, and gift shop.

This coming December we plan to hold Snack with Santa at the library!

Santa will still visit. He'll get to sit by our cozy fireplace. His gift shop will still be available for children to purchase holiday gifts for family and friends. Food will still be offered, but with fewer sugary treats. Holiday crafts and book read-aloud stations will replace many of the prize-dependent games.

We expect a cozy event with the same holiday cheer.

We will still need volunteers, so mark your calendars to help on December 8, 2018!