# JULY 2025 West Point Public Library Summer Reading Events



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		1 1:00 p.m. Senior Crafternoon *Registration required	2 <b>1:00 p.m.</b> <b>Lee Co Conservation</b> The Incredible Journey Grades K-5th	3 2:00 p.m. Game On! Recess Games Grades 3rd-6th	4 Library Closed	<sup>5</sup> Library Closed
6	7 10:00 a.m. Preschool Storytime Hot Potato Ruth Suckow Exhibit Opens July 7 - Aug 2	<sup>8</sup> <b>2:00 -3:00 p.m.</b> <b>Ruth Suckow Exhibit</b> Open House	9 <b>3:00 p.m.</b> <b>Sheltered Reality</b> Drum Corp All Ages	10 <b>2:00 p.m.</b> <b>Game On!</b> Classic Card Games Grades 3rd-6th	11 1:30 p.m. Mahjong Adults	12
13	14 <b>10:00 a.m.</b> <b>Preschool Storytime</b> Hopscotch	15 <b>1:00 p.m.</b> <b>3 on 3 BINGO</b> (Adults Only)	16 <b>12:00-3:00 p.m.</b> <b>Dealt Hand</b> Board Game Event Multi Generational	17 <b>2:00 p.m.</b> Game On! Jenga (3 <sup>rd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> ) <b>7:00-9:00 pm</b> Bunco (Adults Only)	18 <b>1:30 p.m.</b> <b>Mahjong</b> Adults	19
20	21	22	23	24 9:00 a.m 12:00 p.m. Lee County Ext. Sensational STEM Camp (Finished 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup> grade) *Registration required	25	26
27	28 200 P	29	30	31 Last Day to Turn in Summer Reading Logs!!		
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# PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (Ages 2-5)

Preschool Storytime is every Monday from 10:00AM -10:45AM and will be held in the shelter house on the square across from the library. <u>To register call the library at</u> <u>837-6315 or stop in!</u>

# SUMMER PERFORMERS/PROGRAMS

Summer Programs for kids will be held in the shelter house on the square across from the library, unless otherwise specified. No registration is necessary, with the exception of the Magic Workshop. See our Facebook Events or go to our events calendar at www.westpoint.lib.ia.us for more information.

# **GAME ON!**

If you are entering grades 3rd-6th come join us at the library on Thursdays from 2:00-3:00PM starting June 5th for seven weeks of gaming. Each week will feature a different game! No registration is necessary, just grab a friend or a sibling and head to the library to join in the fun!



# LEE COUNTY EXTENSION DAY CAMP

<u>Register by calling Extension Office 319-835-5116</u> July 24 "Sensational STEM" 9:00AM-12:00PM (Kids finished 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grade)

# ADULT GAMES

#### Mahjong Fridays 1:30 pm

Want to learn how to play? Have played in the past and need a refresher? Experienced player? All skill levels are welcome! Mahjong is a games of skill, strategy, and luck that is currently making a resurgence in popularity across the country. Come join us to see what all the fuss is about! No registration is needed.

#### Bunco July 17 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Bunco is a social dice game where no skill is necessary except for being able to roll dice! Come for an evening of fun and laughter as you compete for the most buncos! Light refreshments and drinks will be provided.

### RUTH SUCKOW TRAVELING EXHIBIT July 7 - August 2 OPEN HOUSE

#### "Ruth Suckow: " The Iowa Connection" July 8 2:00 - 3:00 PM

The Ruth Suckow Traveling Exhibit will be on display at the West Point Public Library from July 7 - August 2 during normal operating hours. This exhibit celebrates the life and work of Iowa novelist and short story writer Ruth Suckow who lived from 1892 to 1960. The exhibit consists of informational panels, a banner, and brochures as well as access to audio recordings of 12 of Ruth Suckow's short stories. Barbara Lounsberry, President of the Ruth Suckow Memorial Association, will be presenting a talk during the open house entitled "Ruth Suckow: The Iowa Connection."



# Dealt Hand (Ages 4-99) July 16 12:00 - 3:00 pm



Join us for an afternoon of Family Friendly Fun for all ages!! The Dealt Hand specializes in making games easy to learn and accessible - their experienced and friendly staff are bringing a huge collection of board games to our library, making it possible for all of our patrons to try hundreds of board games in the comfort of our library!

In addition, their hosts are experts on the games they bring - meaning that they'll recommend games to meet your interest and experience levels, help you set up and teach you how to play! Their collection is great for all ages; with games appropriate for ages 4 and up, and is constantly expanding. They currently have over 750+ games in their collection! This event will be held in the library!

# **AT THE LIBRARY**

#### LIBRARY SCAVENGER HUNT

Complete the monthly Library Scavenger Hunt by locating hidden pictures around the library. Find all the pictures and receive a coupon for an ice cream cone from Brad's Pad (June) and/or an ice cream cone from West Point Jet Stop (July).

#### **STORY WALK**

Enjoy reading a book as you walk around the West Point square, beginning and ending at the library. Each of the participating businesses will have numbered pages of the story in their windows. Look for story in June followed by a new one in July!

#### PUTNAM MUSEUM PASS

Available for patrons to check out and includes general admission to the Museum for up to five people.