

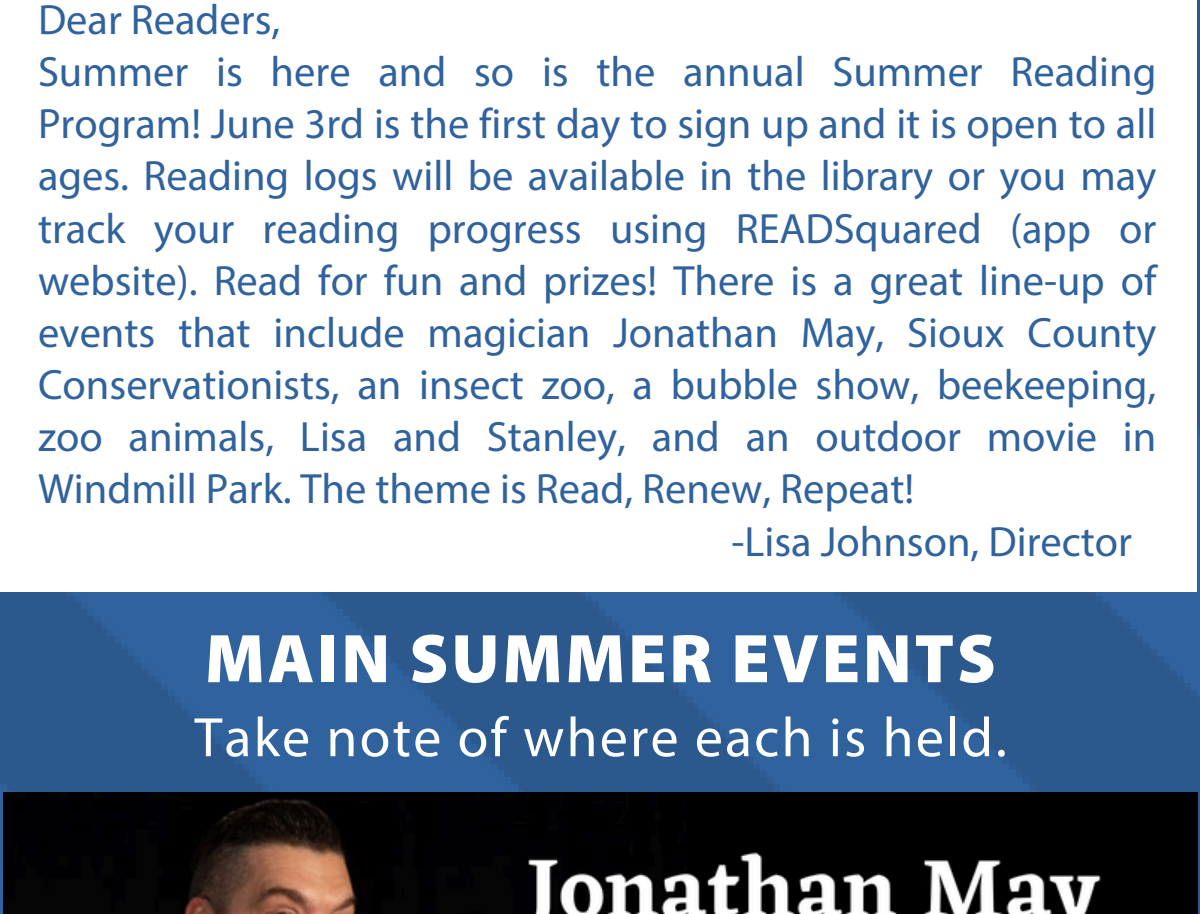
# NEWSLETTER

Orange City, Iowa June 2024

## LIBRARY HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00 am – 8:00 pm  
 Wednesday, Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm  
 Saturday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

LEER, RENOVAR, REPETIR  
 READ, RENEW, REPEAT



## SUMMER READING PROGRAM JUNE 3-JULY 12

Dear Readers,  
 Summer is here and so is the annual Summer Reading Program! June 3rd is the first day to sign up and it is open to all ages. Reading logs will be available in the library or you may track your reading progress using READSquared (app or website). Read for fun and prizes! There is a great line-up of events that include magician Jonathan May, Sioux County Conservationists, an insect zoo, a bubble show, beekeeping, zoo animals, Lisa and Stanley, and an outdoor movie in Windmill Park. The theme is Read, Renew, Repeat!

-Lisa Johnson, Director

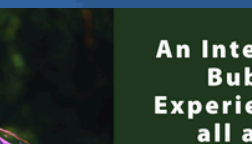
## MAIN SUMMER EVENTS

Take note of where each is held.



### Jonathan May MAGIC SHOW

Monday, June 3  
 6:30 pm  
 at the Northwestern  
 College Theatre



### Sioux County Conservationists

#### Animals, Facts & Crafts

All ages are welcome.

Tuesday, June 11  
 10:30am in City Hall



Love our Earth, Love our Bugs  
 Program brought to you by the

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY<sup>TM</sup>

Insect Zoo

Check out over 100 species of living arthropods! Knowledgeable Insect Zoo staff will talk about why our multi-legged friends are important for a healthy earth, how you can help them in your own outdoor spaces, and how you can Spread the Bug Love! Hands-on opportunities to handle millipedes, beetles, roaches and more!

Bring in your photos of bugs to be identified (or even the bug itself!)

AT CITY HALL  
 TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 6:30-7:30 PM



### BUBBLE SUPERSTARS

WITH JASON KOLLUM

An Interactive  
 Bubble  
 Experience for  
 all ages!

TUESDAY  
 JUNE 25  
 AT 7 PM IN  
 WINDMILL  
 PARK



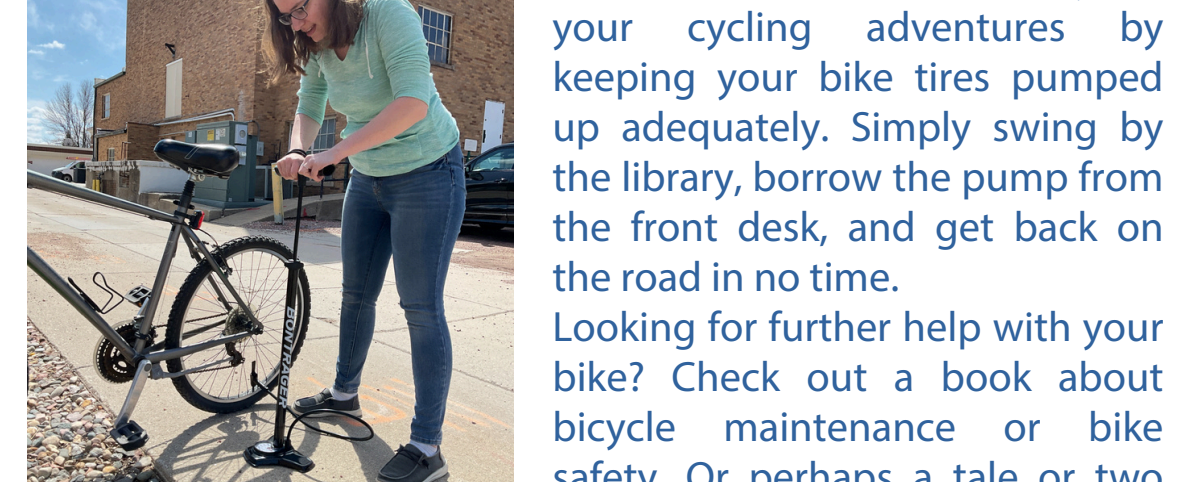
### BEE KEEPING

with Ron Rynders

All Ages Welcome

Learn about bees  
 and bee keeping.  
 Taste some fresh honey!

Join us in City Hall  
 Tuesday, July 2 at 10:30 am



FASCINATING FACTS & LIVE ANIMALS

THE LIBRARY IS BRINGING  
 THE ZOO TO TOWN

JOIN US AT CITY HALL  
 125 CENTRAL AVE S, ORANGE CITY

TUESDAY, JULY 9  
 AT 10:30 AM



Join  
 Stanley, Stuart, and Julius  
 for some  
**SuperHeroFun**  
 at the library!

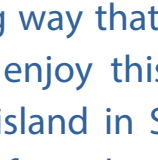
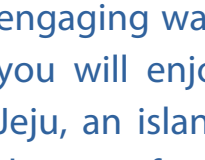
STORIES,  
 MAGIC AND  
 MORE!

Wednesday, July 10  
 9:30 am



WALL-E

ADMIT ONE



### MOVIE IN THE PARK

Tuesday, July 12 at 8 pm  
 Orange City Windmill Park



## FEATURED THIS MONTH: LIBRARY BIKE PUMP



Attention all bikers, young and old! Keep pedaling smoothly on your cycling adventures by keeping your bike tires pumped up adequately. Simply swing by the library, borrow the pump from the front desk, and get back on the road in no time.

Looking for further help with your bike? Check out a book about bicycle maintenance or bike safety. Or perhaps a tale or two about bike trips will intrigue you.



### May Happenings

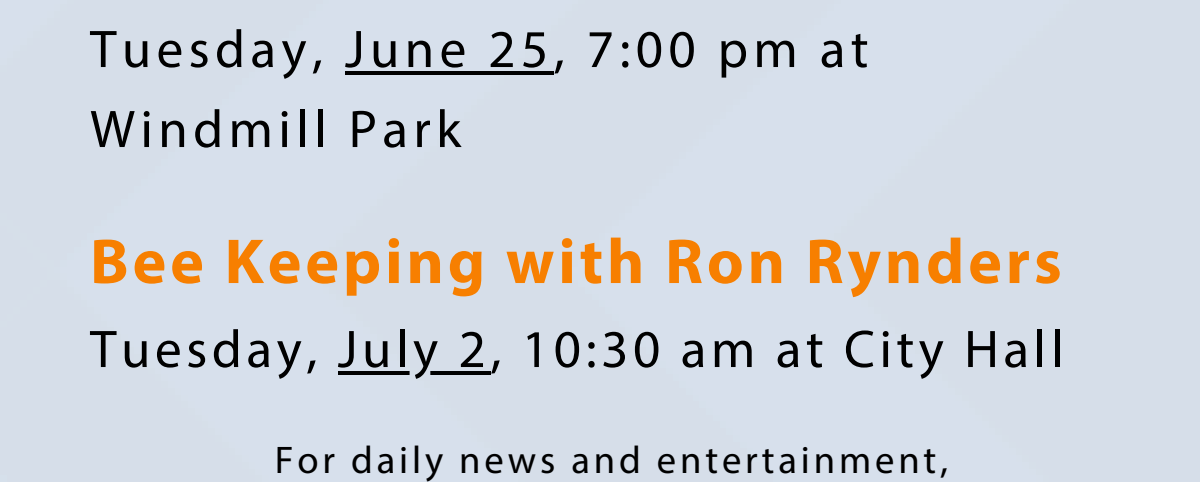


## BOOK REVIEW: "The Island of Sea Women"

reviewed by Anna

If you like reading historical fiction in order to learn about other cultures and historical contexts that we don't talk about much in the United States – in an engaging way that will touch your soul – you will enjoy this book. The setting is Jeju, an island in South Korea, spanning the years from the 1930s through 2008.

We pass through Japanese colonialism, the presence of American soldiers after WWII, and brutal dictatorship. The story also flashes forward to a contemporary context, where traditional cultures and modern practices search for a way to coexist. The main character is Young-sook, who is part of a women-led diving collective, where the women do the dangerous work of harvesting seafood and the men stay home and take care of the children. Young-sook's friend Mi-ja is the daughter of a Japanese collaborator, a fact that shapes the direction of her life. The book follows their friendship as the two women's lives take different paths and as they each pass through challenging circumstances. We can all learn about forgiveness and friendship through the story of these two women.



## National Great Outdoors Month



## JUNE EVENTS

Visit our website for more details on these events and others coming up.  
[orangecitylibrary.org](http://orangecitylibrary.org)

### BABIES-PRESCHOOL

#### Movin' & Groovin' Sensory Story Time

Wednesdays, June 5-26, 9:30 am

#### Under the Sea Art Class for 3-5 Year Olds

Thursday, June 13, 10:00-11:00 am

Registration required.

#### GRADES 3-5 Register Now!

#### Spanish Camp

Monday-Thursday, July 8-11, 1:00-2:30 pm

### ADULTS

#### Board Games & Snacks

Tuesday, June 4, 6:30-7:30 pm

### ALL AGES

#### Jonathan May Magic Show

Monday, June 3, 6:30 pm at the Northwestern College Theatre

#### Dog Therapy with Karsen K9s

Monday, June 10, 4:00-5:00 pm

#### Sioux County Conservationist

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