



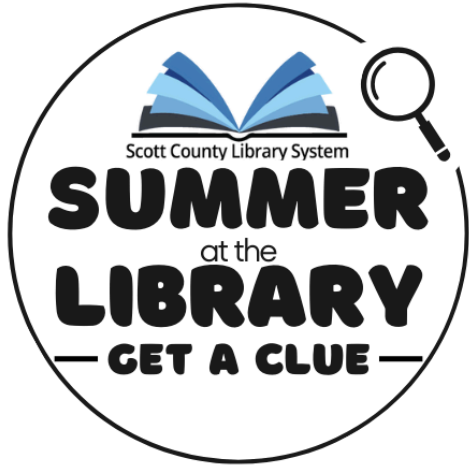
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branch hours and locations

www.scottcountylibrary.org

JUNE

Eldridge Branch



**READ EVERY DAY
CHALLENGE:**

JUNE 1ST-AUGUST 10TH

Visit any Scott County Library
branch to pick up a reading log--
all ages can participate!

You can also track your
reading online at
scottcountylibrary.beanstack.org

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Use the camera app on your
smart phone to scan the QR
code.

Track your reading and activities
online using Beanstack!

NOTE:
Events last
for 1 hour,
unless
otherwise
noted.

May 31

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**Summer
Reading Kick-
Off Party
1-3 PM**

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**Let's Make
Music! with
Miss Tina
10 AM**

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***YA Adult
Book Club
6 PM (at Cody
Road)**

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**Nature's
Mysteries with
the Wapsi
10 AM**

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**Sewcial
Stitchers
9 AM- 3PM**
**Teen Advisory
Group 2pm**

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***Popular
Fiction Book
Club 10 AM**
***Tie Dye Party
10 AM-2 PM**
***Backyard Birds
6 PM**

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**Story Time
10am**
**Lemonade
Lounge
2-3:30 PM**

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**Baby's
Morning Out
9 AM**
***String Art 2 PM**
**Kindness Rocks
2 PM**

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**StoryWalk
Play Date
10 AM**

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***Life Size Clue
9 AM -4 PM**

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***Card
Workshop
10am-12pm**

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***Summer
Scares Book
Club 2pm**
**Lawyers in
Libraries 6 PM**

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**Story Time
10am**
**Anime Club
2 PM**

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**Baby's
Morning Out
9 AM**
**Get a Clue!
1-3 PM**

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**Mad Mixture
with the Grout
Museum 2 PM**
**Stuffed Animal
Sleepover
6:30pm**

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**Therapy Dogs
Visit! 3 PM**

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***Book Club
6:30 PM**
**Stars & S'mores
with the
Popular
Astronomy Club
8:30-10:30 PM**

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**Story Time
10am
(with WQPT
PBS!)**
**Lemonade Lounge
2-3:30 PM!**

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**Baby's
Morning Out
9 AM**
**Rubik's Cube
Challenge
2 PM**

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**Fairy
Gardens &
Dino Dens
10 AM**
**Teen Crafts
2 PM**

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*Registration required



ADULT



TEEN & YOUTH



LITTLE
KIDS



ALL AGES,
FAMILY

Looking for more events?
Visit our website to see events
at all SCLS branch locations!

EVENT DESCRIPTIONS *Registration required

Tuesday, June 4th

Let's Make Music!, 10 AM: Join Musical Memories' Miss Tina for a morning of song, rhythm, and play! This event is best for kids ages 2-8, with an adult.

Wednesday, June 5th

***YA Adult Book Club, 6 PM:** Calling all YA lovers! Meet us at the Eldridge Cody Road every few months to discuss our favorite Young Adult novels! In June, we're reading *Divine Rivals* by Rebecca Ross—copies are available at the circulation desk.

Thursday, June 6th

Nature's Mysteries with the Wapsi, 10 AM: Bring your detective skills to help you "get a clue" about who or what was here! Get a crash course on animal tracks and discover some of nature's mysteries. All ages are welcome, but this event is best for 4+.

Friday, June 7th

Teen Advisory Group, 2pm: Earn volunteer hours, make displays, help with library programs, review books, eat snacks, & more! For grades 6-12.

Sewcial Stitchers, 9 AM- 3 PM: Bring your sewing machine, material, and a sack lunch and join us for a day of creativity! All skill levels welcome.

Monday, June 10th

***Tie Dye Party, 10 AM - 2 PM:** Bring your own item to tie dye in the Reading Garden of the Eldridge branch--all other supplies provided! Register your group of up to 6 people for a 30-minute time slot. bit.ly/sclsdye

***Popular Fiction Book Club, 10 AM:** Join us for an adult book club featuring fiction selections and coffee every month. June's pick is *Saturday Night at the Lakeside Supper Club* by J. Ryan Stradal. Copies are available at the circulation desk. *June's meeting will be held at Cody Road

***Backyard Birds, 6 PM:** Come learn about common backyard feeder birds and how to ID them. You will also make your own pinecone feeder to take home to start attracting birds to your yard. Please call to register.

Tuesdays, June 11th & 25th

Lemonade Lounge, 2 PM: Come for the lemonade, stay for the read-aloud, crafts, & activities! Kids entering grades 3rd-6th are invited to this low-key hangout. Listen to a read-aloud of a new middle grade novel while crafting & snacking.

Wednesday, June 12th

***String Art, 2 PM:** Join us as we create string art. All supplies provided. For ages 18+. Call to register, space is limited.

Kindness Rocks, 2 PM: Spread simple messages of kindness and hope by painting rocks to share with others. All ages, drop-in.

Friday, June 14th

***Life Size Clue, 9 AM- 4 PM:** Can you catch the murderer? In this live version of the classic board game "Clue", participants will do their best to solve the mystery before their peers and win the game! Register for a time slot for your group here: bit.ly/cluescls

Saturday, June 15th

***Card Class, 10 AM- 12 PM:** Make homemade greeting cards. No experience required. Cost is \$2.50 per card. Register with the library by calling (563) 285-4794, option 0. Email dbanta23@yahoo.com for more information.

Monday, June 17th

***Summer Scares Book Club, 2 PM:** Do you enjoy creepy stories that keep you on the edge of your seat? Share your love of all things spooky and supernatural at this book club for kids entering 4th-7th grade. Read the book ahead of time, then meet to discuss. Plus, enjoy a craft or game and snack. Registration is required: bit.ly/sclscares

Lawyers in Libraries, 6 PM: This program will focus on information about financial power of attorney, health care power of attorney, living wills and the Final Disposition Act. Lawyers in Libraries is a joint effort by The Iowa State Bar Association, the State Library of Iowa, Iowa Legal Aid and the Polk County Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Project to help provide free legal information to lowans across the state.

Tuesday, June 18th

Anime Club, 2 PM: Let's watch anime! We'll pick a show, watch a few episodes, do a craft, and eat some snacks! A great place for anime and manga lovers to get to know each other and talk about their favs. For tweens entering grades 5-8.

Thursday, June 20th

Mad Mixture, 2 PM: The Grout Museum presents an amazing mix of mind shattering science experiments and demonstrations for ALL AGES - Kids, Tweens & Teens! Learn about temperature and matter with liquid nitrogen. Find out about chemical reactions with fire and kitchen experiments.

Friday, June 21st

Therapy Dogs Visit!, 3 PM: Shake off stress and visit with a furry friend from QC CAN! Adults, teens, and kids of all ages are invited to visit with the therapy dogs--kids can even practice their reading skills. Registration is NOT required.

Monday, June 24th

***Book Club, 6:30 PM:** Join us for a book discussion. Copies of the book are available at the circulation desk. New members are always welcome!

Wednesday, June 26th

Rubik's Cube Challenge, 2 PM: Challenge your friends to a Rubik's Cube Battle! New to the challenge? We'll show you some tips & tricks to get started, too. For kids entering grades 4th-8th.

Friday, June 28th

Fairy Gardens & Dino Dens, 10 AM: Decorate a magical fairy garden or dinosaur den! All materials are provided, while supplies last. This program is best for kids who are 7-13 years old.

Teen Crafts, 2 PM: Head over to the library for some crafts! This laid-back event is best for teens in grades 7-12.

Summer Kick-Off Party Friday, May 31st, 1:00 PM

Kick off summer vacation (and the start of summer reading!) with popsicles, chalk the walk, lawn games, the Bookmobile, & more! Therapy dogs from QC CAN will also visit.

Everyone who signs up for the summer reading program can enter to win a private, family Bookmobile party this summer!

Get a Clue! Detective Event Wednesday, June 19th, 1:00-3:00 PM

It's a top secret mission for all ages!

Join us for detective crafts, a fingerprint station, obstacle course, snacks, & more!

Sit in a squad car, meet real detectives from Scott County Sheriff's Office & Eldridge Police Department, & check out the canine demonstration (demonstration runs from 1:30-2:15).

Star Gazing & S'mores with the Popular Astronomy Club Monday, June 24th, 8:30-10:30 PM

Spend an evening stargazing, roasting s'mores, & taking part in fun crafts & games! All ages welcome.

Story Time

(starting June 11th)

Tuesdays at 10:00 AM

Story Time: Join us for stories, songs, silliness, a craft, and more for ages 0-6 years old.

Wednesdays at 9:00 AM

Baby's Morning Out: Songs, bounces, stories, and playtime for babies 0-24 months and their grownups.

Thursday, June 13th at 10:00 AM

StoryWalk Playdate: Join us in the Reading Garden to celebrate a new StoryWalk! Stroll through the pages of a story and explore nature with a craft and hands-on activity.

Thursday, June 20th at 6:30 PM

Stuffed Animal Sleepover: Bring a stuffed animal to pajama story time and leave them at the library for a sleepover! Pick up your pal on Friday (or whenever you can) to find out what crazy antics your cuddly friend got into!