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### From the Director

This spring and summer, the library will be helping its local communities celebrate their history. In May, we’ll be at the Attica Historical Museum to help kick off the grand reopening of their newly expanded facility. Stop by to see the exhibits and enjoy refreshments and entertainment from the Bubble Man, along with a special bubble art storytime from our own Ms. Mandy. This summer, we’ll be participating in Imlay City’s SesquiCentennial, and we have lots of surprises in store...more to come on that in the next newsletter. Happy spring everyone!

### Book Sale

**March 23 - 28**  
Spring into a whole new season of reading at the library book sale! Find some old favorites and grab some new works at our basement book sale. Sale runs Monday through Saturday at the Imlay Branch and prices will be normal book sale prices.

### Fines Forgiveness Day

April 23  
Spring is all about fresh starts, and what could be better than erasing your library fines! Call or stop in anytime during regular library hours at either branch to clear overdue fines from your account.Please note: Items must be returned first, and fines forgiveness does not cover fees for lost or damaged items, nor does it cover the $10 non-refundable collection agency fee.

### Bubbles & Stories at the Attica Museum

May 16, 11:30 AM – 2:00 PM  
The construction has concluded and the new and improved Attica Historical Museum is ready to receive: is there a better reason for a party? From 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM the Attica Township staff will be providing refreshments, bounce houses, fire trucks, and more to celebrate the grand reopening of the Attica Historical Museum. In the middle of all that, the library will host a Bubble Storytime at the museum at 11:30 AM, complete with bubble painting, and finish up with Ron the Bubbleman and his Mesmerizing Mammoth Bubbles at 12:30 PM.

### Your Library @ the Imlay City Farmer’s Market

Visit the library booth at the Imlay City Farmer’s Market on the third Thursday of the month from May to October from 12-2 PM and shop our collection of books and assorted book-themed crafts.

### Mark your Calendar for Some Special Dates

- **March 2**  
  Dr Seuss Day: check out a Dr. Seuss book and get a free gift.
- **March 7**  
  Daylight saving time begins: turn clocks ahead one hour.
- **March 19**  
  First day of Spring, yay!
- **April 30**  
  Poem in your Pocket Day: pick up a poem to keep in your pocket.
- **April 20 – 25**  
  National Library Week: stop by and get some free library swag.
- **May 18**  
  I Love Reese’s Day: pick up a free peanut butter cup today.
### Adult Programs

#### Yack & Yarn
**March 4 & 18, April 1,15 & 29, May 13 & 27 @ 6:00 PM**
Join us for an evening of cozy chat while you work on your latest knitted, crocheted, or other creation. Need assistance getting started? Stuck on a project? We can help!

#### A Month of Apps
**March**
We see them everywhere and hear about them daily...almost everything seems to have one nowadays. Can you guess what they are? They are called apps, short for “applications,” handy little bits of software that give you access to all sorts of sites and services online. During the month of March we'll be posting some of our favorites and ones that we couldn't live without. Stop by every Monday for a list and a description of the day's featured app: you might find one that you can't live without!

### Adult Craft
**April 27 @ 6:00 PM**
If you made last year’s fall and winter seasonal block set, you’ll want to join us for the spring and summer version! The project will be the same but with a different color scheme. There will be a few spots available for those who did not get to make the fall and winter set and just want to do the spring and summer. All supplies are provided but registration is required due to limited space. Registration will open on April 1.

#### Coach Delisa: Find Your Direction in Your Quiet
**May 11 @ 6:00 PM**
Join us for a special evening with Coach Delisa Deavenport as she teaches us a technique to use quiet to tap into the subconscious mind, finding your inner truth, direction, purpose, and joy in life. Delisa is the founder of Healthy Evolutions coaching company and has worked for United Way and Catholic Social Services.

### Youth & Family Programs

#### Dungeons & Dragons
**March 5 & 19, April 2, 16, & 30, May 14 & 28 @ 5:00 PM**
Elves, Orcs, Barbarians and Bards, answer the call! Have you played D & D in the past, or wanted to try it out for the first time? Then this is just the night for you! Our DM (Dungeon Master) will skillfully lead us through a map teeming with surprises and adventure alike. Bring a character ready-made, or we would be happy to help you create your character. Whether you are a Teen or an Adult sign up is required so stop in or call 810-724-8043 to reserve your spot today.

#### Drawing Manga with Mark Crilley
**April 29 @ 6:00 PM**
YouTube’s #1 learn to draw manga artist is coming back to Imlay City! Regardless of your drawing skills you’re going to have a blast meeting and learning from published manga professional, Mark Crilley, as he takes you through his two part class. First he will teach the ways of manga making, after that he will take suggestions from the crowd to make some on the spot one-of-a-kind art! All supplies are provided but space is limited so stop in or call 810-724-8043 to reserve your spot today.

#### Let there be Light Sabers CraftsMoon
**May 4 @ 4:00 PM**
Happy Star Wars Day! Whether you side with the Sith or the Jedi, these plerger head light sabers are just the thing to show the world that you love that galaxy far, far away. Make a pair of earrings to get you through rebel meetings like Leia, or hang your keychain on the keys to your X-Wing like Luke! All supplies are provided but space is limited so stop in or call 810-724-8043 to reserve your spot today.

#### Earth Day Crafternoon
**April 22, 2:00 – 5:00 PM**
Spring is finally starting to take shape! It's time to take a moment to celebrate the blue dot that we're all spinning around on, by giving back to it. Using only recyclable materials, we'll be making decomposable seed starters, filling them with dirt and seeds and (hopefully!) planting them. Happy Earth Day!

#### Unicorn Day Crafts
**April 9, All Day**
If you believe in unicorns, today is the day for you! Using extremely simple origami and a few craft supplies, you can make your own majestic unicorn bookmark to guard your spot in your current read.

#### Dizzy Dragons
**May 20 @ 6:00 PM**
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### Special Storytimes
**March 10 @ Attica & 13 @ Imlay @ 10:30 AM**
**April 21 @ Attica & 24 @ Imlay @ 10:30 AM**
Storytime is always special but for these two weeks they're going to be even better! On March 10 and 13 wear your favorite pjs to the Jammies Storytime, and on April 21 and 24 pack a sack lunch to eat after our Picnic Storytime.

#### Shimmy, Shake, & Sing
**March 16, April 27 @ 10:30 AM**
Parents and little ones are invited to feel the groove and channel your spring fever at this all new Music and Movement program! We'll shake our sillies out with a mad mix of singing, dancing, fingerplays, fun and games. Comfy clothes are suggested, bottled water will be provided.

### Free Comic Book Day
**April 9, All Day**
Look! Up in the sky! It’s a bird, it’s a plane, no it’s Free Comic Book Day, back for its 18th year and better than ever! Comics and crafts are available on a first come, first served basis so grab your cape, your utility belt, your lasso of truth, whatever super object you love best and get to the library! (For anyone who can't make it to the library that day; if there are any remaining comics and crafts, we'll make them available on Monday, so please call or stop by!)

#### Patricia Waugh Book Signing
**March 7, 1:00 – 3:00 PM**
After three years of hard work and revision, longtime resident and local author, Patricia Waugh, has published her first book for children entitled “Annie Pearl.” The idea for the book came to her when she dreamed of a hectic day her mother (the book's namesake) might have experienced if she was left home alone in charge of eleven siblings. Both the author and the illustrator, Patsy Isenberg, will be at the library to give a special reading of the book, followed by a meet and greet where copies of this lovely book will be available for purchase.

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