

# Check out what's happening at our other libraries in Wood County!



## Programs at the South Branch Library

- **Beyblades Battles-** March 7<sup>th</sup> at 2pm
- **Teen Comic Book Club-** March 10<sup>th</sup> at 6pm
- **Mystery Book Club-** March 12<sup>th</sup> at 2pm
- **Celtic Storytelling and Ballads-** March 14<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am
- **Wee Be Jammin' Story Time-** March 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> at 11am
- **Small Fry Tales Story Time-** March 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm

## Waverly Branch Library Hours

- **Monday-Wednesday** 3:30-7:30pm

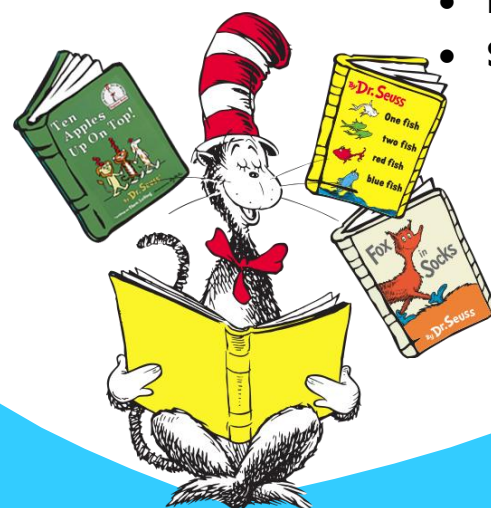


## Bookmobile Elementary School Schedule

- **Martin:** March 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>
- **Criss:** March 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>
- **Parkersburg Academy:** March 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>
- **Worthington:** March 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>
- **Parkersburg Christian School:** March 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>

## Williamstown Branch Library Hours

- **Monday-Thursday** 11am-6pm
- **Friday** 10am-5pm
- **Saturday** 10am-2pm

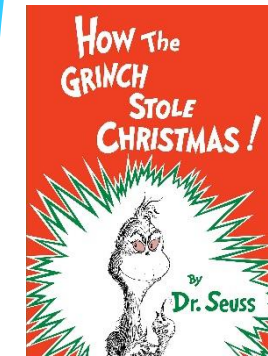


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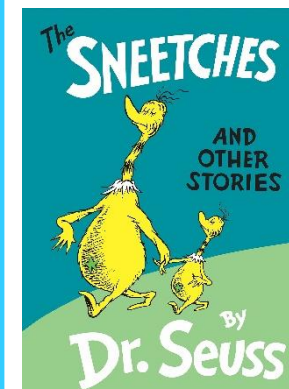
# The Young Readers' Room

Creating lifelong readers and learners, one book at a time

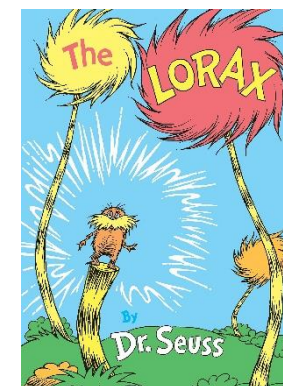
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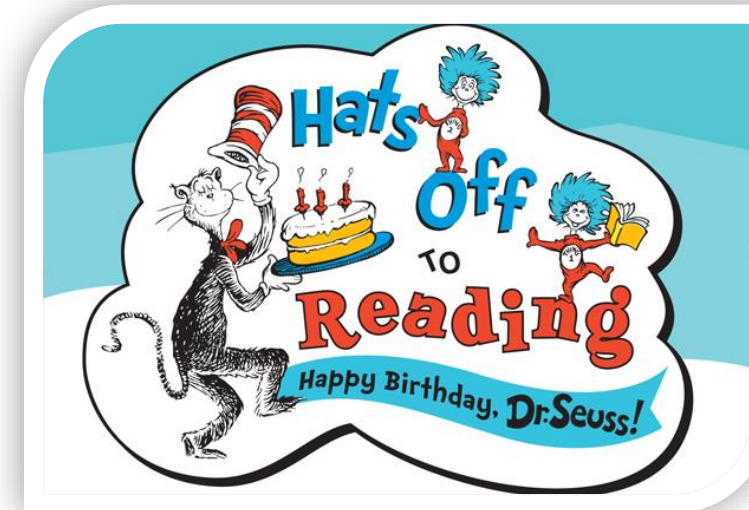
Ms. Charley's Favorite



Ms. Ashley's Favorite



Ms. Holly's Favorite



## This Issue

P.1 Staff Seuss Picks, Congrats Aleksandr!

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## Aleksandr read 1,000 Books!

Aleksandr is three years old and just finished reading 1,000 books for our "1,000 Books Before Kindergarten" Program. What an amazing accomplishment!

Aleksandr loves reading and told us that some of his favorite books are "Pete the Cat and the Perfect Pizza Party", "Harold and the Purple Crayon",

"Gruffalo", "Dragons Love Tacos" and "Room on the Broom". Some of his favorite hobbies are climbing trees, playing with blocks, Kung Fu, pretending to be Spiderman, playing outside and going to the library! When at the library he loves to play with Legos, play on the computer, find books, and go to story time!

We are so proud of Aleksandr and his family for reading 1,000 books together! We are so excited to see where Aleksandr goes in life and we know he will do great things!



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March Events

**Baby Story Time.** Every Wednesday, 10-11am—Ages birth through 12 months. During this special baby and caregiver bonding time, you will engage in stories and songs while having lap time with your little one. It will be one of the first opportunities to expose your child to books and new words that will help them as they grow.

**Toddler Story Time.** Every Wednesday, 11-12pm—Ages 13 months through three years. Bring your little ones to this fun, interactive story time. Each week we will read, talk, sing, rhyme, and play together. We will also have interactive stations that are perfectly designed for toddlers. We are excited to have this story time and can't wait to learn together!

**Preschool Story Time.** Every Friday, 10-11am—Ages 3-6. Join us on Fridays each month for stories, songs, and fun! This is a story time that gives children an enjoyable exposure to books. Reading aloud to children has a great impact on their literacy development. Along with reading, we do a variety of activities that help little people work on their motor and listening skills that will be crucial to success as they enter school.

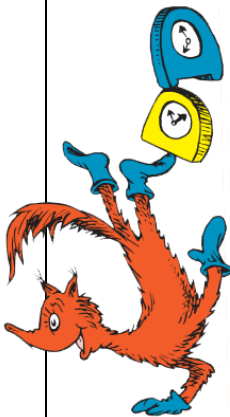
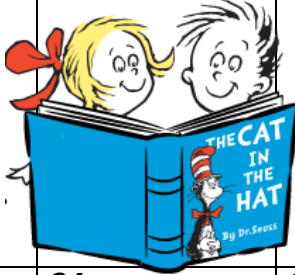
**Library Lego Club.** Monday, March 2nd, 3:30-5pm—All Ages. Join us every month and build something awesome in this fun after-school club! We provide the Legos and you make the creations. Let your mind run wild and create something awesome! For this month's Lego challenge we will be creating our favorite books with Legos!

**Grades K-12 Chess Club.** Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>, 6-8:30pm. At this chess club, kids will learn basics, tactics, and how to compete from a coach with 10 years of Chess tournament experience. This club is for players of any level who wish to play the game of Chess! **Registration Required-Sign up at the children's room desk.**

**Grades K-2 Book Club.** Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, 3:30-4:30pm — Kids in kindergarten through second grade. At our book club, young children will get the chance to “investigate” a book together. After that, we'll read the book and do a fun activity!

**Seusstastic Saturday Event.** Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, All Day Event—Family Friendly. Come one, come all to our Seusstastic Saturday! We will have all kinds of Dr. Seuss themed games and crafts set up around the room. Feel free to come any time throughout the day to participate in the activities.

**PAWS to Read.** Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 4-5pm—Any child reading independently. Do you love dogs and reading? Then this is a PAWsome activity for you! When you sign up for a time slot you will get to read with a licensed therapy dog for 20 minutes. This activity is great for struggling readers, allowing them to practice reading aloud without feeling intimidated. **Registration Required-Sign up at the children's room desk.**

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