

#### THANK YOU VOTERS!

The Fennville District Library Board and Staff want to extend a hearty THANK YOU to the community for its support in passing the library millage renewal on August 2, 2022! Voters have made it clear that they think our library is an important part of our Fennville community. By renewing this millage, voters have ensured that the library will continue to play a part in

making this area an excellent place to live and raise a family, or to stay sharp and up to date in retirement. They are giving a big "thumbs up" to the friendly staff, outstanding programs and wide variety of resources available to everyone in the district.

Special thanks go out to all who helped get the word out about the millage. Many



'Say YES to the Millage" committee: Becky Jamros, Jody Martin, Joann Moor, Vicky Hutchins and Kathy Loew (not pictured).

generous people shared information, contributed to fundraising for the "Say YES to the Millage" committee, posted signs or shared their experiences about the what the library has meant to their families. Their willingness to step up is most appreciated!

The 0.56 mills levied renews support for the operation of the library for the next ten years.

Of 1,900 votes cast, 70% voted yes. (1,326 yes and 574 no). Voters in Fennville, Casco Township, Clyde Township and Ganges Township have shown that they value our library and want to keep it going strong. We are truly grateful! Whether you voted yes or no, everyone is welcome to use the library and to provide feedback about our services. Stop by anytime!



Date Due

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**Current Hours:** Monday - Thursday 10 am - 8 pm Friday 10 am - 5 pm Saturday 10 am - 2 pm Sunday 2 - 4pm

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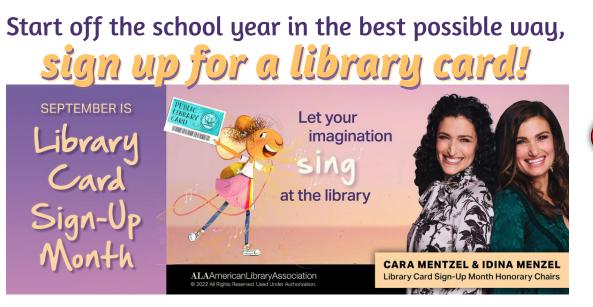
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"The library is where your imagination sings. Get your library card and 'check it out' today." — Cara Mentzel

and dreams through your library's

resources and programs. September

is Library Card Sign-up Month. Visit

Fennville District Library's website

today to learn more.

With a library card, you can discover new and exciting worlds! From borrowing audiobooks to video games, there is so much you can access with a library card. Pursue your passions

Through September 23, post to Instagram or Twitter using the hashtag **#GetLibraryCarded**. Entries can also be submitted by posting as a comment or wall post on the <u>I Love Libraries</u> <u>Facebook page</u>. Be sure not to reveal any personal information on your library card and don't forget to tag your library! Click <u>here</u> for official rules.



Library Card Sign-Up Month! ALA

# FUTURE READS >>>>





PICTURE BOOK Apple Farmer Annie by Monica Wellington

> MIDDLE GRADE Apple Crush by Lucy Kinsley

YOUNG ADULT Apple: Skin to the Core by Eric Gansworth

### Discover the courageous kids who aimed high and made a difference!

Every great scientist, activist, writer, and inventor started out as a child with a dream. Explore the stories of 30 of these remarkable kids, whose passions led to lifesaving medical treatments, revolutionary inventions, and history-making achievements. From groundbreaking innovators like Boyan Slat and the Wright brothers; to powerful advocates like Nelson Mandela, Harvey

Milk, and David Hogg; and creative minds like Walt Disney, Fred Rogers, and John and Hank Green, each one turned his dreams for a better world into reality.



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TWEEN READS

### **TEENS** are welcome at the library every day, but Thursdays are YOUR day!

Check out our new lineup of Teen events geared for ages 13-18, starting at 3:30 PM. For a description of each event please check out our webiste.



MINDFUL MOMENT



#### Tweens, we've got you covered too!

Pick up a calendar or check out the Tween Events tab on or website to stay up-to-date on what we've got going on for you!



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### Can you stop a murder after it's already happened?

Late October. After midnight. You're waiting up for your seventeen-year-old son. He's late. As you watch from the window, he emerges, and you realize he isn't alone: he's walking toward a man, and he's armed.

You can't believe it when you see him do it: your funny, happy teenage son, he kills a stranger, right there on the street outside your house. You don't know who. You don't know why. You only know your son is now in custody. His future shattered.

That night you fall asleep in despair. All is lost. Until you wake...And it is yesterday. And then you wake again...and it is the day before yesterday.

Every morning you wake up a day earlier, another day before the murder. With another chance to stop it. Somewhere in the past lies an answer. The trigger for this crime—and you don't have a choice but to find it...

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## Movie Preview...

*Titles subject to change.* 





In recognition of ibrary card sign-up month pick up the July/August issue of *Michigan History* and read about Michigan's first woman State Librarian, appointed in 1869. Learn about Detroit News columnist, Nancy Brown, another important woman in Michigan's history, in the September/ Octoboer issue.



#### MiCHELE'S MEDIA

I have been sitting on this written recommendation for a while now, having listened to it in April of 2019. As it sits on the New York Times Bestseller List, nearing 170 weeks, it has been one of my top go-to books when a patron asks me what is good.

Like most popular books, this one is not without its criticisms. Some people have had a hard time with the believability of an abandoned child left in the wilderness to survive, much less thrive (clearly they have never read The Jungle Book). This aspect of the novel never bothered me, being that it is fiction. What drew me in was the vivid writing that immersed all my senses, creating this wonderful artistic setting where we experience the juxtaposition of nature and human nature.



#### Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania

#### by Erik Larson

On May 1, 1915, a

DISCUSSION WEDNESDAY 10.5 @ 1:30 PM

luxury ocean liner as richly appointed as an English country house sailed out of New York, bound for Liverpool, carrying a record number of children and infants. The passengers were anxious. Germany had declared the seas around Britain to be a war zone, and for months, its U-boats had brought terror to the North Atlantic. But the Lusitania was one of the era's great transatlantic "Greyhounds" and her captain, William Thomas Turner, placed tremendous faith in the gentlemanly strictures of warfare that for a century had kept civilian ships safe from attack. He knew. moreover. that his ship - the fastest then in service could outrun any threat.

Germany, however, was determined to change the rules of the game, and Walther Schwieger, the captain of Unterseeboot-20, was happy to oblige. Meanwhile, an ultra-secret British intelligence unit tracked Schwieger's U-boat, but told no one. As U-20 and the Lusitania made their way toward Liverpool, an array of forces both grand and achingly small - hubris, a chance fog, a closely guarded secret, and more--all converged to produce one of the great disasters of history.

Email questions to: <u>fdlbookclub@gmail.com</u>





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FENNVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY

Click here to check out our Facebook Event for more details.

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Special **Thank You** to Miss Vanessa and Miss Yulissa for working with the Feeding America, Gather 2 Grow program giving out free lunches to our community this summer.



# BANNED BOOKS WEEK | SEPTEMBER 18-24, 2022

"Read things that are going to get you out of your comfort zone or things that you normally wouldn't pick up. Read about the things that are going to stretch you as a human being, things that are gonna be of interest to you. You may be surprised at what you'll gain." ~ Craig Johnson, Author of: the "Longmire" book series



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The board meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 4pm, at the Library. The public is welcome to attend.