



SIDNEY MEMORIAL PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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8 River Street

Sidney, NY 13838

607-563-1200

sidneylibrary.org

GENERAL GUIDELINES


- **FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES** and must cover the nose 
- **SANITIZE HANDS UPON ENTERING BUILDING**
- **MAINTAIN SOCIAL DISTANCING INSIDE & OUTSIDE THE LIBRARY** 
- **PLEASE BE PROMPT (though not early) FOR YOUR LIBRARY APPOINTMENTS** (we will meet you at the back door or your car at the designated time)
- **ALL LIBRARY MATERIALS ARE TO BE RETURNED IN THE OUTSIDE, DRIVE-UP BOOK-DROP.**
Please, library materials only in the book drop
- **ALL MATERIALS ARE QUARANTINED FOR 5 DAYS.** These items remain on your account until discharged & are backdated to the day of drop-off

COME IN & BROWSE

Call **563-1200** to make a **30 minute** appointment to browse the **ADULT section** (book/magazine/audiobook)

OR

CHILDREN'S/YA section.

A maximum of four individuals allowed in each section per half hour appt. 

DVD browsing appointments are **15 minutes** and should be scheduled separately.

PUBLIC COMPUTER USE



Public Computer appointments are now available for a full hour.

Call **563-1200** to schedule an appointment.

Arriving at scheduled time will guarantee the full hour.

CONNECT TO **sidpub**
TO ACCESS 24 HR WIFI

The Sidney Library & branches are unable to accept book donations at this time.

NO-CONTACT CURBSIDE

Curbside pickup is available, however, you are only allowed a total of **ten items** checked out on your account. Call **563-1200** to schedule. Appointments every **15 minutes**.



Don't forget, your **returns** must be dropped in the **outside book-drop**.

COPYING/FAXING/CARDS

To use the **COPY MACHINE**, **FAX MACHINE** or to obtain a **NEW LIBRARY CARD**, please schedule a **15 minute** appointment block.

LIBRARY HOURS

MON-THURS: 10 AM - 7 PM

FRIDAY: 10 AM - 5 PM

SATURDAY: 10 AM - 3 PM

SUNDAY: 1 PM - 3:30 PM

Open Sundays starting September 13

CLOSED SUNDAYS

JULY 1st through LABOR DAY

HOURS at LIBRARY BRANCHES

MASONVILLE

- **TUES: 3:30 PM - 7 PM**
- **WED: 3:30 PM - 7 PM**
- **FRI: 1 PM - 5 PM**
- **SAT: 10 AM - 2 PM**



For curbside & browsing appointments
call **607-265-3330**

SIDNEY CENTER

- **TUES: 3:30 PM - 8 PM**
- **WED: 10 AM - 2 PM**
- **THURS: 3:30 PM - 8 PM**
- **SAT: 10 AM - 2 PM**

For curbside & browsing appointments
call **607-369-7500**

THANK YOU

LIBRARY PATRONS...

...for being patient as we navigate the new and (constantly changing) rules & guidelines. We strive to achieve a balance between accessibility and safety for both the public and our staff.

facebook.com/sidneylibrary
Fax # 607-563-7675

The Sidney Library will be
closed on LABOR DAY,
Mon, Sept 7.

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VIRTUAL KIDS at facebook.com/sidneylibrary
TODDLER STORYTIME

**10 AM TUESDAYS
SEPT 8, 15, 22 & 29**

Join Miss Sarah for stories, songs, and lots of fun right at home! For children up to around age 5.


BABY STORYTIME

**11 AM THURSDAYS
SEPT 10, 17 & 24**



This story time is for babies 0-15 months and their caregiver. Join Miss Sarah for nursery rhymes, songs, and stories!

PAJAMA STORYTIME

**7 PM THURSDAYS
SEPT 10, 17 & 24**

Put on your PJ's and snuggle up for calming bedtime stories and songs to help wind down the day and settle into sleep.


PRE K PROGRAM

**"LIBRARY LEARNERS"
10 AM TUESDAY
SEPT 22**

Join us for this virtual program on school readiness skills for your little one!

VIRTUAL LEGO TIME

**3 PM WEDNESDAY
SEPT 16**



All of the above programs are offered **only online** at the **Sidney Library Facebook** page.

We look forward to the return of "in-house" programing very soon!

VIRTUAL CRAFTS

THURSDAYS 3 PM

FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN



Check out our Facebook page for details on fun weekly crafts with Ms. Cassandra!

WED, SEPT 16 6 PM

VIRTUAL TEEN NIGHTS BEGIN

These will be every 1st & 3rd Wednesday. Each week will feature a different craft with printable supply list. Check out our Facebook page for details!

ADULT TRIVIA NIGHT

WED, SEPT 23 6 PM

This month we will be offering our **Adult Trivia Night** as a **Live Virtual Zoom** option, but also there is **limited seating** for **in-house**, so call to reserve your spot! **????**

Check out our **Facebook Page** for more details!

Look for additional weekly virtual programming like **MUSIC for MUNCHKINS & ONLINE FAMILY EVENTS!**



Join in the fun! Go to:
facebook.com/sidneylibrary

We are getting new Audiobook, Fiction, Non-Fiction, Juvenile and Young Adult titles every week. Don't miss out! Visit us today!

BOARD of TRUSTEES

The Sidney Memorial Public Library **Board of Trustees** will meet at 4:30 pm on **Tuesday, Sept 8** in the Smart Community Room.

VIRTUAL TECH CLASS

**TUES, SEPT 8 6 PM
SAT, SEPT 26 10 AM**

"HELP! I CAN'T FIND ANYTHING TO READ!"

In this two part class we will take a look at some of the amazing resources that are available to help you find your next favorite author!


NEXTREADS

Register to receive **email newsletters** with **book recommendations** in just about any genre!

Also: **New York Times best-seller lists**, Sidney Library's **monthly newsletter** and **children's calendar**!

To subscribe go to :

<https://tinyurl.com/SMPLnr>

NEW POPULAR TITLES

Arrived or coming soon!

THE SUMMER HOUSE
James Patterson

ALL THE DEVILS ARE HERE
Louise Penny

THE BOOK OF TWO WAYS
Jodi Picoult

FAIR WARNING
Michael Connelly

THE EXILES
Christina Baker Kline

THE BOY IN THE FIELD
Margot Livesay

THE PULL OF THE STARS
Emma Donoghue

THE ANSWER IS...
Alex Trebek

SQUEEZE ME
Carl Hiaasen

CAMINO WINDS
John Grisham

CHOPPY WATER
Stuart Woods

