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The Community Development Authority of the City of Baraboo
and the Carnegie-Schadde Memorial Public Library
cordially invites you to the

Groundbreaking Celebration

for the Carnegie-Schadde Memorial Public Library
Expansion and Remodel Project

Thursday, April 28 at 12 PM

Refreshments will be served.

Family activities begin at 11:45 AM.



Library Expansion Update

Construction work on the library expansion project is about to begin. During the project, the library will remain open to the public.

On approximately April 11, contractors will begin to use the library parking lot as the construction staging area, moving equipment, vehicles, and materials onto the lot. The parking lot will not be available for use by the public or library staff during the project.

Likewise, the drive-up book return in the alley behind the library will no longer be in service. Instead, we will install an outdoor book return in a visible location in front of the library so patrons can return items without having to enter the library. Our indoor book return will still be available.

If you cannot get out of your vehicle to bring your library items to the new outdoor book return, just call our staff during our open hours at 608-356-6166. We will be glad to come to your vehicle curbside to get your items and bring them into the library.

The lively artwork on the new book return was created by Mr. Anne Horjus.

The new outdoor book return will be in front of the library entrance.



Best in Snow

The Youth Services Department challenged families in Baraboo to build a snowman, and some got the job done just in time as winter snows faded away. Participants won \$25 worth of Baraboo Chamber Bucks. Thanks for helping to make winter yards cheerful!



A Head Start on Spring

On March 19 Sauk County Master Gardener Volunteers **Doreen Hamburg** and **Gladys Proctor** presented a Seed Starting Workshop, where attendees learned about best practices for successfully starting and cultivating seeds indoors and safely transplanting them out to the garden. They also received instructions for making their own lighting system for indoor seed starting. Participants also got to choose seeds from the Baraboo Seed Library drawers and start their own seeds. Our thanks to Gladys (who coordinates the Sauk County Tomato Project) and to Doreen (who coordinates the Baraboo Seed Library). The workshop was co-sponsored by the library and the Sauk County Master Gardener Association.

