

## Special Programs

### Scarecrows on Parade

September 18 - October 10

All ages, including businesses, are welcome.

Create and display a scarecrow and be part of our community-wide "Scarecrows on Parade!" Display your scarecrow in your yard or at Ochsner Zoo, from September 18 - October 10.

**You can pick up a registration form in person at the Youth Services desk starting Monday, August 29.** You do need to register in person, so you can receive the number that will be displayed on your scarecrow creation. You do not need to attend the scarecrow workshop to participate in the "Scarecrows on Parade."

Registered scarecrows will be judged by library staff on Wednesday, September 28. Prizes will be awarded in five categories: Silliest, Most Creative, Best Book Character, People's Choice, and Best Business. The prize is a \$25 Chamber of Commerce gift card that can be used at over 130 different Baraboo businesses. *This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department.*

### Scarecrow Creation Workshop

Saturday, September 17

10 - 11:30 am

Ochsner Park, 903 Park St.

Create a scarecrow during this workshop. The library will provide enough supplies for one scarecrow per family/group. Participants supply the design elements and creativity. Space is limited, so pre-registration is REQUIRED.

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### Seeking Sasquatch

Friday, October 14 @ 5:30 pm & 7:30 pm  
Groups with children are welcome at 5:30 pm. Teens and adults are welcome at 7:30 pm. **TICKETS are REQUIRED** for the event as **ALL participants MUST RIDE** the 'Bigfoot Bus' from Pierce Park, 1100 Walnut Street. Tickets can be picked up in advance at the **library Youth Services Desk starting Sept. 19th.** Ride the Bigfoot Bus to Devils Lake where our guide will take us on a search for the elusive Bigfoot. We'll search for clues along a wide gravel trail using a variety of techniques, and after the hike, enjoy snacks and stories around the campfire. Bring your bug spray and walking shoes. The bus will load and unload at Pierce Park, 1100 Walnut St. *This program is co-sponsored by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources/Devils Lake State Park.*

### 14th Annual Turkey Bingo

Monday, November 21 @ 6 pm

All ages are welcome. Join us at the **Baraboo Civic Center Gym, 124 2nd St.** Tickets are required for the event and can be picked up in advance at the library starting Monday, **October 31.** Seating is limited. Bring your family and friends and play BINGO to win the fixings for a Thanksgiving dinner. *This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department.*

### Countdown to Noon Year's Eve

Saturday, December 31 @ 11 am

Ages 11 and under. Join us at the **Baraboo Civic Center Gym, 124 2nd St.** Tickets are required for the event and can be picked up in advance at the library starting Thursday, **December 1.** Celebrate the New Year early with our 9th Annual Kid's Noon Year's Eve celebration! Play games, make crafts, and at noon, celebrate the "Noon Year!". Activities will be available from 11 am-noon. Dance party from 11:30 am-noon. *This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department.*

# FALL 2022

## Youth

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**Weekly Program for  
Children Ages Birth - 5  
September 7 - November 2**

**Stories in the Park**

**Wednesdays @ 10 am**

**September 7 - November 2**

**Ochsner Park, 903 Park St.**

**For children Birth - 5 years old**

Join Ms. Beth and Ms. Cari Jo for a story time of songs, stories, and rhymes at the main shelter of Ochsner Park. *This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department.*

**Babygarten**

**Wednesday, November 9 @ 11 am  
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**Wednesday, November 16 @ 11 am  
Baraboo Civic Center Room 12/14**

**For Babies 0 - 18 months**

Join Ms. Beth and Ms. Cari Jo for a special story time just for infants (0-18 months) and their caregivers. This program will focus on building bonding experiences through early literacy activities. *This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Parks, Recreation, & Forestry Department.*

**Weekly Program for  
School-Age Children  
4K - 5th Grade  
September 7 - November 16**

**Building Blocks**

**4k - 5th grade**

**Wednesdays @ 1:30 - 3:30 pm  
September 7 - November 16**

Come play with LEGO bricks! LEGO bricks are available for children in 4k - 5th grade. Minecraft is also available for children in 1st - 5th grades. This program will take place in the Youth Services Department. *Minecraft participants must bring their own library card.*

**Weekly Program for  
School Age Children  
Grades 3 - 7  
September 1 - November 10**

**Choose Your Own Adventure  
Book Club**

**Thursdays @ 10 am**

**September 1 - November 10**

Choose our group's next adventure as we navigate through one CYOA book every meeting. Open to readers of all abilities in grades 3-7. We'll read out loud and work together to choose our journey as a group. Snacks and an activity are included. Participants will fill out an exclusive passport on every journey and special prizes are available for explorers who attend every week. This program will take place in the Youth Services Department.

**Special Program for  
School-Age Children  
September 15**

**READ to Desmond, a Dog!  
Thursday**

**September 15th @ 5:30 - 7pm  
Outside @ the library**

Young readers can read aloud to a certified therapy dog who loves to listen to stories. Desmond is a friendly, comforting, and judgement-free listener who loves to be read to. He encourages kids to read, relax and enjoy the activity of reading out loud. The program is for school-age children, especially beginners learning to read and those who want to improve their confidence in their reading skills. **Call the library Youth Services Desk at 608-356-6166 to reserve a 15-minute spot.**

**Ask us about...**

