

Preserving yesterday, enriching today, inspiring tomorrow in our community.

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Library Hours & Info:

Monday & Wednesday

10am -7pm

Tuesday, Thursday

& Friday

10am -5pm FREE Saturday Wi-Fi

10am -3pm **24/7**

231-882-4111

www.benzonialibrary.org 891 Michigan Ave., PO Box 445 Benzonia, MI 49616

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

JULY 2018

- 2 Early Head Start Play Group
- 2 Computers with Dustin

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- 5 Summer Reading
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AUGUST 2018

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- 6 Printmaking Class
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 Knitting Group, Tuesdays

Container Garden Class With Audrey & Anna

Tuesday, July 17, 5:30-6:30 pm Benzonia Public Library

Mills Community House-Lower Level 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia



Growing your garden is very rewarding, but a ton of work.

This is your chance to make and take home a beautiful planter using recycled materials for a hanging or tabletop garden.

No weeding, turning, or pesticide spraying!

These Container Gardens are all the fun with none of the work. FREE!

Call 231-882-4111 for information.

Dessert Class Demos with Anna & Audrey 5:30-6:30 pm as listed

Benzonia Public Library

Mills Community House-Lower Level 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia



Ever wanted to learn how to bake like a gourmet dessert chef?

Here's your chance! This summer Benzonia Public Library is hosting demonstration cooking classes, fit for all ages. In these classes you will learn how to make many kinds of cookies, cakes, ice creams and pies, and decorate them too! Please join us to become an even better chef than you already are. Tasting follows each demo and recipes will be provided. FREE! Info- www.benzonialibrary.org or 231-882-4111.



JULY 31, TUESDAY: ICE CREAM & CUSTARD Ginger Ice Cream * Coconut custard * Chocolate Ice Cream

AUGUST 8, WEDNESDAY: COOKIES

Chocolate chip (gluten free) * Snickerdoodle * Shortbread

AUGUST 15, WEDNESDAY: BROWNIES

Chocolate (vegan) * Blondie Swirl * Caramel Chocolate

AUGUST 16, THURSDAY: CAKE Chocolate (flourless) * Carrot * Vanilla

AUGUST 21, TUESDAY: PIES

Pumpkin * Apple * Berry Crumble (gluten free)

PRINTMAKING CLASS with ANNA

Mondays, 5:30-6:30 pm July 16 through August 6

Mills Community House-Lower Level Home of Benzonia Public Library 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia, MI 49616



BLOCK PRINTING

is an art as old as time.

Learn to make custom cards,
stamps, and artworks.

This class involves carving tools; it's open to adults and teens (12 and up with signed parental permission form). Snacks included.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED. Call 231-882-4111 to register.

JULY 16: Safety course (required)

Learn to safely use block printing tools.

JULY 23: Block printing workshop

Drafting, sketching and planning your print.

JULY 30: Block printing workshop

Working on your art.

AUGUST 6: Block printing workshop

Working on your art.

Guild of Makers Wednesday

NOTE TIME CHANGE

July 18, 5-7 pm NO meeting July 4th

August 1, 5-7 pm * August 15, 5-7 pm *

MAKING Wednesdays Awesome! Benzonia Public Library– Lower Level 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia, MI



Students 5th grade and up can come together and explore anything from new and innovative technology to traditional handicrafts.

Meetings include discussion and instruction but will mainly focus on creating in an open and safe environment.

If you can imagine it, we want to help you make it!

SPECIAL SUMMER EDITION

*August 1, 5:30-6:30 pm

Make your very own camp chair.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED!
Call 231-882-4111 to sign-up.

*August 15, 5:30-6:30 pm
Brownie Baking Demo & samples.

eBay Basics

Fridays, 2-3 pm July 13 & 27 August 10 & 24

Benzonia Public Library 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia

Interested in clearing clutter from your house, garage, or pole barn and adding some cash to your wallet? Learn how to sell your stuff on eBay. Top rated power sellers, Steve and Laura Ayers, will serve as coaches to help you learn the process.

Participants will need to set up an eBay account and PayPal account prior to visiting the drop in session. Bring your laptop plus an item or two to photo and list so we can help walk you through the process.

Drop-in sessions are free.

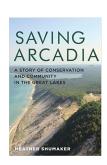


Saving Arcadia by author Heather Shumaker

Wednesday, July 11, 7 pm

Darcy Library of Beulah 7238 Commercial St. Beulah, MI 49617

A story of conservation and community in the Great Lakes.
Free program, just come and enjoy.
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Hospitality and book signing concludes program.
Handicap accessible - Hearing assistive technology available



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Great Benzie Read

Thursday, July 19, 5:30 pm

Benzonia Public Library

Mills Community House-Upper Level 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia, MI

Borrow the book "The Round House" by Louise Erdrich from your library, and meet up to discuss it with other readers from around Benzie County.

Refreshments provided by Friends of Benzonia Public Library.



Presented by the libraries of Benzie County.



Pick up your copy today!

Betsie Valley District Library 14744 Thompsonville Ave. Thompsonville, MI (231) 378-2716

Benzie Shores District Library 630 Main St. Frankfort, MI (231) 352-4671 Benzonia Public Library 891 Michigan Ave. Benzonia, MI (231) 882-4111 Darcy Library of Beulah 7238 Commercial Ave. Beulah, MI (231) 882-4027

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Diagnostic Clinic 3rd Thursdays, 11 am-2 pm July 19 & August 16

Benzonia Public Library-Meeting Room 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia, MI 49616

Advice on solving garden & landscape problems including plant, weed, bug, and disease identification.

Free clinic offered by MSU Extension & local Master Gardeners.



Computer Basics With Dustin

Stop in and let Dustin help you unlock the mysteries of the computer! You may bring your own or use one of our public computers. **These sessions are FREE!**



11 am-1 pm Mondays as listed July 2, 23, & 30 August 13, 20, & 27

Knitting Group @BPL Tuesdays, 1-3 pm

Everyone can work on the same project **OR** *join us* & *work on your own.*

Questions on a current project? Bring it along & we'll help you get it straightened out.

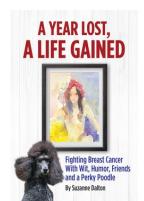
A Year Lost, A Life Gained by author Suzanne Dalton

Thursday, August 23, 5:30 pm

Mills Community House-Upper Level Home of Benzonia Public Library 891 Michigan Ave., Benzonia, MI 49616

Suzanne Dalton has accomplished much in her life-she is an artist, writer, actor, web designer, and program manager.

The one undertaking for which she did not sign-up was breast cancer. In her new memoir, A Year Lost, A Life Gained: Fighting Breast Cancer With Wit, Humor, Friends and a Perky Poodle, humor guides Suzanne through difficult decisions about treatments, surgeries, and



reconstruction. Her story, told through witty letters to friends, includes a party before surgery, a zany poodle, and refusal to let cancer define her.

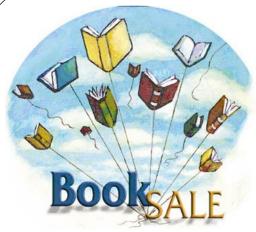
This memoir is a beautifully-told story and a guide to aid anyone diagnosed with a life-threatening medical event whether they've completed the journey or are just embarking upon the path.

No charge for event, just come and enjoy.

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FRIENDS OF BPL



Proceeds benefit the Benzonia Public Library

Used Book Sales

Saturdays, July 21 & August 25 10 am-4 pm

Easy to browse sales with a wide variety of items (including used jigsaw puzzles).

Thousands of wonderful books! New items added for each sale!

Donations of items in excellent condition accepted during regular library hours. Call 231-383-3597 to schedule donations larger than 2 bags or boxes.

Excellent condition means something you'd be proud to give a friend.

Call 231-882-4111 with questions.



Direct Mail Campaign

Working to ensure adequate funds for the Benzonia Public Library through advocacy, fund raising, and promotion.

Over the coming months the Friends of BPL will be reaching out to our community in an effort to increase awareness of and generate support for the Benzonia Public Library.

If you receive a letter from the Friends of BPL, please take a few minutes to read how the Friends, with the help of generous supporters, provide many of the little and not so little extras that make Benzonia Public Library a vibrant part of our community.

Repurposeful Librarians

Repurpose, Recycle, Reuse
Your crafty librarians have created
more delightful craft items
for your enjoyment.

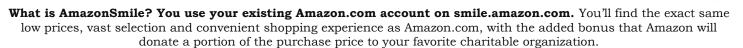
Please visit our craft booth at the Beulah Art Fair.

Saturday, July 7th 10 am-5 pm

Proceeds benefit BPL programs.

Friends of Benzonia Public Library would love your support!

Of course we prefer that you support local businesses. However, if you shop online we want you to know that Amazon donates when you shop at smile.amazon.com.



How do I shop at AmazonSmile? Visit www.benzonialibrary.org/friends & click on the SMILE.AMAZON.COM button. You may want to add a bookmark to smile.amazon.com to make it even easier to return and shop at AmazonSmile.

Friends of Benzonia Public Library Board Members

Roger Dewey, President * Flint Watt, Vice President * Michelle Leines, Treasurer Kathy Johnson, Secretary * Ruth Catton, Director * Jimmy McLaren, Director

Board meetings are held at 5:15 pm the 1st Thursday each month at BPL. Everyone welcome. Meetings **July 5 & August 2.**



Adult & Young Adult: What's New For You!

YΑ

A Court Of Frost And Starlight, Sarah Maas Fugitive Six, Pittacus Lore
Girl Made Of Stars, Ashley Herring Blake
I Have Lost My Way, Gayle Forman
In Sight Of Stars, Gae Polisner
Legendary, Stephanie Garber
The Outcast, Taran Matharu
Sky In The Deep, Adrienne Young
Smoke In The Sun, Renee Ahdieh
War Storm, Victoria Aveyard
We Are OK, Nina LaCour

YA-GRAPHIC NOVELS:

Great Expectations, Charles Dickens A Micsummer Night's Dream, Willaim Shakespeare The Tempest, Willaim Shakespeare

ADULT-FIC

The 17th Suspect, James Patterson Bad Optics, Joseph Heywood Before And Again, Barbara Delinsky By Invitation Only, Dorothea Beaton Frank The Cutting Edge, Jeffrey Deaver Death At Nuremberg, W.E.B. Griffin The Death Of Mrs. Westaway, Ruth Ware The Dependents, Katherine Dion The Fallen, David Baldacci Head On, John Scalzi The High Tide Club, Mary Kay Andrews How It Happened, Michael Koryta In Prior's Wood, G. M. Mallet Indian Horse, Richard Wagamese The Knowledge, Martha Grimes Less, Andrew Sean Greer Love And Ruin, Paula McLain Lying In Wait, Liz Nugent Macbeth, Jo Nesbo Mantattan Beach, Jennifer Egan Matchmaking For Beginners, Maddie Dawson My Dear Hamilton, Stephanie Dray Norse Mythology, Neil Gaiman The Orphan Daughter, Cari Noga Our Little Secret, Roz Nay The Outsider, Stephen King The Perfect Couple, Ellin Hilderbrand The Perfect Mother, Aimee Molloy The Round House, Louise Erdrich The Secrets Between Us, Thrity N. Umrigar Send Down The Rain, Charles Martin Shattered Mirror, Iris Johansen The Speed Of Sound, Eric Bernt Twisted Prey, John Sandford Us Against You, Fredrik Backman Warlight, Michael Ondaatje Where Hope Begins, Catherine West The Word Is Murder, Anthony Horowitz

ADULT-NON-FIC

Barracoon: The Story Of The Last "Black Cargo", Zora Neale Hurston

Calypso, David Sedaris

Jack's Memoirs: A Lucky Guy, Jack Feeheley
The Restless Wave: Good Times, Just Causes, Great
Fights, And Other Appreciations, John McCain
Petty: The Biography, Warren Zanes
The Rise And Fall Of The Dinosaurs, Stephen Brusatte

Robin, Dave Itzkoff Ruthless Tide: The Heroes And Villains Of The Johnstown Flood, America's Astonishing Gilded Age

Disaster, Al Roker

A Secret Sisterhood: The Literary Friendships Of Jane Austen, Charlotte Bronte, George Eliot, And Virginia Woolf, Emily Midorikawa

Tesla: The Wizard Of Electricity, David J. Kent Unselfie: Why Empathetic Kids Succeed In Our All-About-Me World, Michele Borba

Victoria The Queen: An Intimate Biography Of The Woman Who Ruled An Empire, Julia Baird What The Eyes Don't See, Mona Hanna-Attisha

ADULT—LARGE PRINT

The Crooked Staircase, Dean Koontz Then She Was Gone, Lisa Jewell Turbulence, Stuart Woods



AUDIO

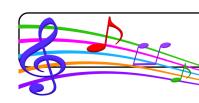
Calypso, David Sedaris Cave Of Bones, Anne Hillerman The Death Of Mrs. Westaway, Ruth Ware The Disappeared, C. J. Box Dreams Of Falling, Karen White The Fallen, David Baldacci The First Family, Michael Palmer The Girl With No Name, Diney Costeloe How It Happened, Michael Koryta Love And Ruin, Paula McLain Purposeful Retirement: How To Bring Happiness And Meaning To Your Retirement, Hyrum W, Smith Origin, Dan Brown The Rising Sea, Clive Cussler Robert B. Parker's Old Black Magic, Ace Atkins Ruthless Tide: The Heroes And villains Of The Johnstown Flood, America's Astonishing Guilded Age Disaster, Al Roker Send Down The Rain, Charles Martin Twisted Prey, John Sandford Women In Sunlight. Frances Mayes

DVD

12 Strings | Black Panther
Hostiles | I Kill Giants
The Last Song | Maze Runner-The Death Cure

DVD SERIES

Call The Midwife, Season 7



YOUTH SERVICES

Youth: What's New for You!

JUVENILE

Bob, Wendy Mass

The Book Of Boy, Catherine Gilbert Murdock

The Burning Maze, Rick Riordan

The Cardboard Kingdom, Chad Sell

The Last, Katherine Applegate

The Last Kids On Earth And The Nightmare King, Max

Brallier

The Lifters, Dave Eggers

Lions And Liars, Kate Beasley

The Miscalculations Of Lightning Girl, Stacy McAnulty Peter And Ernesto: A Tale Of Two Sloths, Graham Annable

A Stitch In Time, Daphne Kalmar

The Unicorn Rescue Society-The Creature Of The Pines,

Adam Gidwitz

NON-FICTION:

Ada Twist's Big Project For Stellar Scientists, Andrea Beaty Solo, A Star Wars Story: The Official Guide, Pable Hidalgo

EARLY READER

Pete The Cat's Groovy Bake Sale, James Dean

PICTURE BOOKS

The Berenstain Bears Visit Grizzyland, Mike Berenstain

The Big Umbrella, Amy June Bates

Crown: An Ode To The Fresh Cut, Derrik Barnes

The Cutting Edge, Jeffery Deaver

Dude!, Aaron Reynolds

Everything You Need For A Treehouse, Carter Higgins

Grains Of Sand, Sibylle Delacroix

Hello Hello, Brendan Wenzel

Joan Procter, Dragon doctor: The Woman Who Loved

Reptiles, Patricia Valdez

La La La: A Story Of Hope, Kate DiCamillo

Llama Llama Loves To Read, Anna Dewdney

My Dear Hamilton. Stephanie Dray

Ocean Meets Sky, Terry Fan

The Other Ducks, Ellen Yeomans

Pink Is For Boys, Robb Pearlman

Shark Nate-O, Becky Cattie

They Say Blue, Jillian Tamaki

You're Safe With Me, Chitra Soundar



DVDs

Paddington 2 Peter Rabbit A Wrinkle In Time



BABY BINGO @BPL



We want to include the little ones in our Summer Reading fun. For ages 0-3.

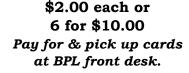
Featuring FUN activities to enjoy with your little one.

Bingo sheets available at BPL. Pick a prize for each bingo activity sheet turned by August 17, 2018.

Mural Cards @BPL



Children's Room Mural by Glenn Wolff. Photography by Steve Loveless





TWO NEW IMAGES!

Proceeds benefit Benzonia
Public Library.

Early Head Start



Early Head Start is hosting a socialization play group for ages 0-3.

Monday, July 2, 10:30-noon Monday, August 6, 10:30-noon

During nice weather the group will begin in the Children's Room at BPL & end at the park.

Public is welcome

Craft of the Month

Pre-School Hands-On Activity

Ask the librarian for a craft pack, find a comfortable space, and enjoy creating the project at the library.

An adult who can help must accompany young crafters.

Samples of current monthly project are displayed in Children's Room at BPL.

YOUTH SERVICES



Summer Reading 2018

Libraries Rock...at BPL!

Thursdays at 3:00 pm

@ Benzonia Public Library
891 Michigan Avenue, Benzonia

Join us for a summer of learning and FUN as we Rock our Library!

Together we will learn and have fun exploring
sounds, music, and the importance of libraries!

REGISTRATION CONTINUES THROUGH AUGUST 23.

July 5 - Music Around the World - Travel around the world with the BPL Puppet Lab, as we discover the origins of music in different cultures. Then we will make and decorate drums.

July 12 - Words Rock - Join the BPL Puppet Lab and unlock the power of words. Learn how Words Rock as we explore how literature, poetry and lyrics have changed the world. Afterwards, we will make our own accordion books.

July 19 - Libraries Rock - The BPL Puppet Lab celebrates the importance of libraries. Learn how the mission of libraries has improved communities worldwide. Then we will have fun creating painted or pet rocks.

July 26 - Benzonia Rocks - Help the library rock the Summer Reading Program finale. Join the BPL Puppet Lab and a special musical group to celebrate reading and our community with a concert at the library.

SUMMER READING CONTINUES THROUGH AUGUST 23!

Read books and fill out reading logs.Win Prizes! Weekly drawings June 22-Aug. 24!

Special Prize drawings July 27 and August 24





EXCITING PRIZES FROM OUR AWESOME SPONSORS!

The Corner Toy Store * COGNiTiON Science and Discovery Center * Stormcloud Brewery Cherry Hut * Crystal Mountain * Platte River Inn * Ursa Major * Friends of Benzonia Public Library A. Papano's Pizza * Garden Theater * Nugent Ace Hardware * The Trading Post * Riverside Canoe Trips

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The Benzonia Public Library Board of Trustees meets the second Wednesday of each month at 2:00 pm in the library. Meetings are open to the public.

Brent Leines: Volunteers-Giving a Little Extra

Our library is an important cultural center available to all. To help support the library, I work with the Friends of Benzonia Public Library, providing a community service by receiving donated books, DVDs, CDs, and puzzles to sell at nominal prices to benefit the Friends of BPL. Several sales occur during the year plus an ongoing sale, the "Corner Book Shoppe" in the library featuring many of the best items.



I received a B.A. in History from the University of Minnesota. My career was in distribution management. I am married to Michelle, the Assistant Library Director. After living in Nevada for 32 years, we retired and moved to Benzonia, Michelle's hometown.

The Friends of BPL are delighted to have Brent "work his magic" as he sorts, cleans, organizes, packs, and moves thousands of books, DVDs, CDs, and puzzles through the donation pipeline.

His efforts have dramatically improved the quality of our sales, increasing revenue which is used to benefit the Benzonia Public Library.

RB DIGITAL: Audiobooks



Transparent Language



The Mid-Michigan Library League (BPL is a proud member!) is providing free access to RBDigital's collection of over 7,000 downloadable audiobooks plus a language learning resource called Transparent Language Online.

To access these collections, visit www.benzonialibrary.org

Detailed instructions are on our RBDigital page. With your library card, you may sign up for an account to access these resources at any time via a computer or mobile device.

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