

June & July 2022

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**NOW OPEN:** The Nature Play Space in Benton is now open! Learn more about it in the Letter from the Director on page 1.



## In this month's issue:

- Summer Reading 2022 events
- Prizes you can win for reaching your reading goals
- Staff book review



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## Letter from the Director

We had our Nature Play Space Ribbon Cutting on May 11th and were joined by many members of the community. Former Youth Services Manager, Sarah Beth Lesko, worked very hard to obtain grants, research the ins and outs of a Nature Play Space, and get sponsorships. After she left, the Youth Services team took it upon themselves to continue her work.

We want to recognize the following people for their contributions to this space:

- A Caddie's Touch
- Clint Edwards
- Excavations and Hauling
- Delta Kappa Gamma
- Dan Lantrip
- 4-H Junior Master Gardeners
- Friends of the Saline County Library
- Arkansas Medical Staffing
- Camp Happy Tails
- Healing Waters Outreach
- Bryant Rotary
- Bryant Kids Closet
- Everett Buick GMC
- Mara Leveritt and Linda Bessette
- Braswell and Son Pawnbrokers
- Caring Hearts In-Home Senior Care
- Montalvo Interiors and Apparel
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- Rivendell of Arkansas
- Suite Spot Camper Rental
- Stated Apparel
- Simply Dogs Salon
- Studio C Salon
- First Electric Cooperative

- Patty



Thank you for being a friend!

## Friends of the SALINE COUNTY LIBRARY

The Friends of the Library are a dedicated group of volunteers who raise money to donate to the library. In February 2019, they opened a Used Book Store at the Benton branch which is open any time the library is open, and closes 30 minutes before the library closes. Visitors can browse the Used Book Store and bring their items upstairs to pay. You can also browse the Bryant Used Book Store section for a variety of materials.

The Friends of the Library are always taking applications for new Friends! Fill out a form online or visit either branch to fill out a form in person. They also take donations of gently-used books, DVDs, video games, and more at both branches. Visit our website for information on donations they do not accept.

# What We've Been Reading

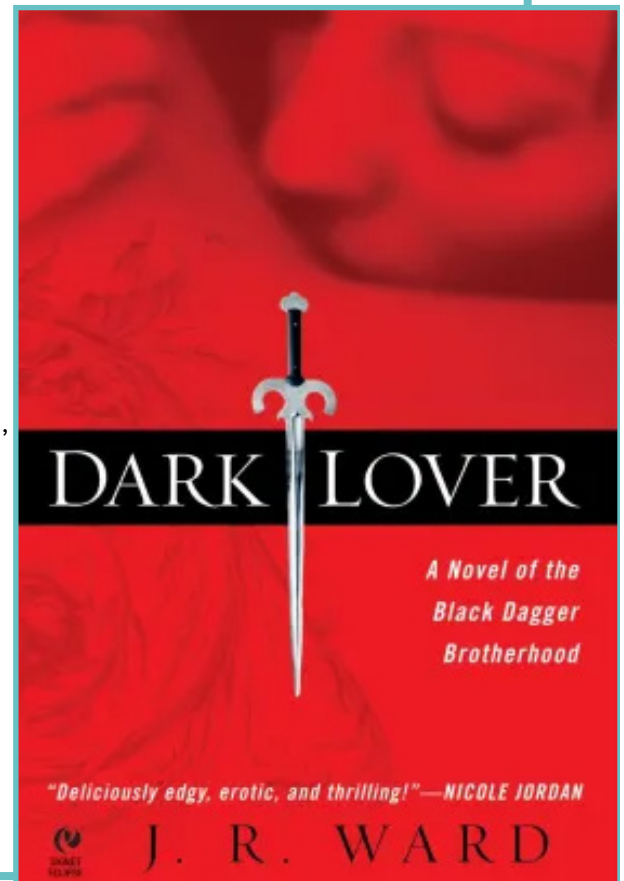
## **Dark Lover by J.R. Ward** | Reviewed by Adult Programmer, Susie

Wrath, the vampire king who refuses to rule, is the only purebred vampire left on the planet and the leader of The Black Dagger Brotherhood—a group of warrior vampires bred for size, strength, and fighting ability to protect the vampire race from their mortal enemies, the slayers of the Lessening Society. When Darius, Wrath's most trusted fighter, is killed shortly after revealing the existence of a half-vampire/half-human daughter on the brink of her transition, Wrath must put down his dagger and guide the beautiful female into another world ... provided she survives.

Beth Randall never knew who—or what—her father was, and her mother died giving birth to her. Now a reporter for The Caldwell Courier Journal, Beth is restless and exhausted ... and inexplicably drawn to a dark mystery man who frightens and excites her. Who is he? What does he want with her?

Set in the present-day and fictional city of Caldwell in upstate New York, J.R. Ward has created a new twist on the vampire myth. If Lestat, Edward, and Bill left you cold because (un)dead lovers aren't a turn-on, then Ward's vamps are the sexy vampires you've been waiting for. In Ward's world, vampires are a hominid species, very much alive and breathing, with beating hearts and warm bodies. They don't prey on humans—human blood is weak and of low nutritional value to vampires—instead, the vampires drink from each other, and the drinking often goes hand-in-hand with other sexy adult activities. The vampires in Ward's world roll their eyes at vampire mythology created by humans and do everything they can to live in secret side-by-side with the “rats without tails.”

The Brothers love hardcore rap music, black leather, guns, daggers, fast cars, four-letter words, and killing Lessers—those former humans turned into evil and undead slayers by a supernatural entity called the Omega, who is hell-bent on ridding the world of the vampire race. *Dark Lover* is a fast-paced, in-your-face page turner.



## June Seeds

The following are seeds you can request for the month of June! Simply visit the Seed Library page of our website and request your desired seeds. You may request up to five seed packets per month.

### **Vegetables:**

Arugula  
Asparagus  
Beans-Pinto  
Beets  
Broccoli  
Cabbage  
Cabbage  
-Pok Choy  
Carrots  
Cauliflower

Collards  
Corn  
Cucumber  
Eggplant  
Kale  
Kohlrabi  
Lettuce  
Mesclun  
Mustard  
Okra

Onions - Bunching  
Peas  
Pepper - Med/Mild  
Pumpkin  
Radish  
Rutabaga  
Spinach  
Squash - Winter  
Swiss Chard  
Tomato

Turnip  
Zucchini

### **Flowers:**

Alyssum  
Amaranth  
Bachelor Buttons  
Bee Balm  
Cosmos  
Daisy  
Delphinium  
Dianthus  
Echinacea

Forget-Me-Not  
Four O'Clocks  
Lunaria  
Marigolds  
Mixed Flowers  
Morning Glories  
Nasturtium  
Poppy  
Snapdragons  
Sunflowers  
Zinnias

### **Fruits:**

Cantaloupe  
Watermelon

### **Herbs:**

Basil  
Rosemary  
Sage

\*\*\*Check our website and Facebook for July seeds.



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**Day 30** - Pop-It Fidget Toy (ages 0-8 only)

**Day 40** - Book

# Children's Reading Challenge

## AGES 0-5

### **Music & Movement Storytime (R)**

**Tuesdays | 10:30 AM | Bryant**

Get the wiggles out every week in Bryant! We'll be singing, dancing, and sharing fun books each Tuesday. This storytime is geared for 2-5 year olds. Registration required.

### **Dig In to Storytime (R)**

**Fridays | 10:30 AM | Benton**

Join us each week for a fun storytime full of songs, rhymes, and stories. Stick around after storytime for a fun activity!

## AGES 5-8

### **Mini Makers (R)**

**Wednesdays | 10:00 AM | Bryant**

5 to 8-year olds can build, craft and create a different project each week with Ms. Becca.

### **Camp Jurassic (R)**

**Thursdays | 10:30 AM | Benton**

For ages 6-8, come join us as we have fun learning and exploring through STEM activities all about dinosaurs!

## ALL AGES

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### **Fishing Derby**

**June 18 | 11:00 AM | AR Health Center Pond**

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### **Animology (R)**

**June 27 | 10:00 AM & 1:00 PM | Springhill**

### **Elementary School Gym**

Bob & company are coming back to see us! Join us as we learn all about some very cool animals.

\*Special Note: This program will be held at the Springhill Elementary Gym.

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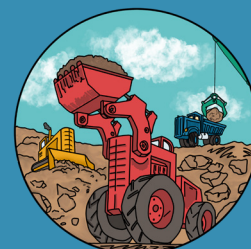
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# Tween Reading Challenge

## AGES 9-12

### **Summer Island Time (R)**

***Mondays | 4:00 PM | Nintendo Switch Online***

Join us in Animal Crossing: New Horizons on the island of Bookington. Help Ms. Jordan turn our library island into a true luxury getaway. To join email Ms. Jordan at [jordans@salinecountylibrary.org](mailto:jordans@salinecountylibrary.org).

### **Game On! (R)**

***Tuesdays | 2:00 PM | Benton***

Join Ms. Jordan and Ms. Becca for some old school gaming. We'll have old-fashioned board games and card games for everyone to play each week. Let's see who will be the ultimate Game On! champion.

### **Let's Dig In! Cooking Club (R)**

***Thursdays | 2:00 PM | Bryant***

Join Ms. Becca and Ms. Jordan as we cook, create, and dig into our delicious concoctions. Check the online calendar for what we'll be cooking each week and possible allergy warnings.

### **Creation Station**

***Mondays | 2:00 PM | Benton***

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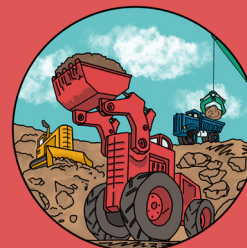
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# Teen Reading Challenge

## AGES 13-18

### Primitive Gaming

***Mondays | 3:00 PM | Bryant***

Beat your boredom and put your gaming skills to the test. Join Ms. Tamartha for an hour of board games and card games that are sure to be a blast!

### Creation Station

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### Minecraft Tuesdays

***Tuesdays | 4:30 PM | Minecraft***

Join us in our virtual Minecraft realm to play and hang with friends. You are also welcome to join our Teens Discord chat rooms! If you need access to Discord please email Mrs. Cheyenne at cheyenneg@salinecountylibrary.org

### Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians (R)

***Wednesdays | 3:00 PM | Benton***

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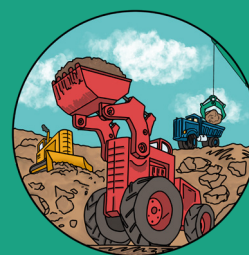
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Enter drawings each week for a chance to win:

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| Week 1 - Metal Detector                     | Week 5 - Robot Vacuum               |
| Week 2 - Outdoor Greenhouse                 | Cleaner                             |
| Week 3 - At-Home Spa Package                | Week 6 - Cricut Joy                 |
| Week 4 - Bluetooth Double Subwoofer Speaker | Week 8 - Nintendo Switch Lite       |
|   | Grand Prize - Android Tablet Bundle |



# Adult Reading Challenge

## AGES 18+

### From Drawing to Paint

**Tuesdays | 5:30 PM | Benton**

Love art but never know where to start? Creative but wanting to learn a new skill? This adult art series provides an outlet for creative expression and encouragement to unleash your inner artist!

### DIY Adventures

**June 1 & July 6 | 2:00 PM | Facebook**

Monthly grab & go craft kit for adults. A new craft is available on the first Wednesday of every month. June - Wire-wrapped crystal; July - meditation bracelet.

### True Crime Book Club (R)

**June 4 & July 2 | 2:00 PM | Bryant**

June - *The Demon in Disguise* by Ashley Elliot

July - *Couple Found Slain* by Makita Brottman

### Master Gardeners

**June 6 & July 11 | 6:00 PM | Benton**

Monthly presentation sponsored by the Saline County Master Gardeners and open to the public

### Just One More: A Virtual Concert

**June 6 | 7:00 PM | Facebook**

The Saline County Library is proud to present the barbershop quartet, Just One More. They will play some of your favorite songs, and you are bound to hear some new favorites as well.

### Meteorology 101 (R)

**June 7 | 6:30 PM | Benton**

Join KATV's James Bryant as he covers the basics of Meteorology. Get your questions answered as he goes over what you need to know. Registration is required for this event.

### Tai Chi for Beginners (R)

**June 10 & July 8 | 11:00 AM | Benton**

Treat your body and mind to the meditative practice of Tai Chi.

### Jackbox Game Night

**June 10 & July 8 | 7:00 PM | Pasta J Benton**

We're hosting a Jackbox Game Night! Jackbox games are a fun and innovative way to have fun and play games using an online

platform that still allows you to be in the same room.

### Mind-Body Wellness (R)

**June 11 & 25 & July 9 & 23 | 2:00 PM | Benton**

Treat yourself to a mind-body tune-up with our four-part series featuring gentle, restorative movement and introspective writing activities.

### SCL Bingo

**June 14 & July 12 | 7:30 PM | Benton**

On the second Tuesday of every month, the Saline County Library would love for you to join us as we play our monthly game of Bingo.

### Write Your Own Obituary (R)

**June 15 | 11:00 AM | Benton**

Why let your family decide how you should be remembered? Take control of your legacy by writing your own obituary.

### Adult D&D Night (R)

**June 15 & July 20 | 7:00 PM | Benton**

Do you love playing D & D? SCL will be hosting an adult D & D night. Come out and play a one-off game with us.

### Carpool Cinema (R)

**June 17 & July 15 | 7:00 PM | Benton**

Have you ever wished you could go back in time and experience movies the way they did back in the 50s where you could sit in the comfort of your car and watch a horror movie with a bag of popcorn and soda? Now you can!

### SCL Trivia Night

**June 21 & July 19 | 7:30 PM | TBD**

The Saline County Library is now hosting Trivia Night in person!

### Splatter Painting Party (R)

**June 23 | 6:00 PM | Benton**

**June 30 | 6:00 PM | Bryant**

Channel your inner Jackson Pollock to create a colorful splatter painting!

### Solve-A-Murder: Who Killed Veronica Falcone? (R)

**June 24 | 6:00 PM | Benton**

Reopen the case. Find the body. Identify the killer and close the case! With 3 different mysteries to solve in order to play the game,

this case will challenge your investigative abilities.

### Game Show

**June 28 & July 26 | 7:30 PM | Facebook**

SCL is hosting our monthly gameshow. See if you can beat your friends and family and get the most questions right to earn bragging rights.

### When the Ice Melts Author Talk

**June 30 | 7:00 PM | Capaci's Coffee & Tea in Hot Springs**

Ashlyn Ohm, author of *A Year in the Woods*, announces her debut work of fiction at this in-person event, also to be streamed on the Saline County and Garland County Library Facebook pages. *When the Ice Melts* is a hope-filled tale of how losing a dream can often mean finding yourself.

### Author Talk with Wanda E. Brunstetter

**July 5 | 6:00 PM | Facebook**

Saline County Library is hosting an author talk with New York Times bestselling author, Wanda E Brunstetter. Get a glimpse of how she writes and some stories about her most popular books.

### Dyeing Techniques (R)

**July 14 | 6:00 PM | Benton**

**July 20 | 6:00 PM | Bryant**

Hands-on Japanese fabric dyeing techniques with all materials supplied.

### Understanding Alzheimers & Dementia

**July 20 | 12:00 PM | Benton**

Understanding alzheimer's and dementia may be hard for someone who has never had to care for someone that has had dementia. We want to help you understand.

### What Are You Laughing At? (R)

**July 22 | 7:00 PM | Benton**

We may not have Drew Carey or Wayne Brady, but we know how to have some fun, and we want you to tell us our improv skits!

### Potterpalooza (R)

**July 30 | 6:00 PM | Benton**

Calling all Wizards and Witches aged 21 & older! Grab your wands and robes for a magical evening of grown-up fun at the library.

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# JUNE 2

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<b>13</b> <b>Fancyful Fairytales</b> 9:00 AM   Bryant <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online	<b>14</b> <b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>SCL Bingo</b> 7:30 PM   Benton	<b>15</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Write Your Own Obituary*</b> 11:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton <b>Adult D&amp;D Night*</b> 6:00 PM   Benton	<b>16</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant	<b>17</b> <b>Summer Reading Celebration</b> 10:00 AM   Coronado Center HSV <b>Rising Star Players*</b> 10:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig In to Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Carpool Cinema*</b> 7:00 PM   Benton	<b>18</b> <b>Summer Reading Fishing Derby</b> 11:00 AM   AR Health Center Pond
<b>20</b> <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online	<b>21</b> <b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>Trivia Night</b> 7:30 PM   US Pizza	<b>22</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton	<b>23</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Splatter Painting Party*</b> 6:00 PM   Benton	<b>24</b> <b>Rising Star Players*</b> 10:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig In to Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Solve-A-Murder: Who Killed Veronica Falcone?*</b> 6:00 PM   Benton	<b>25</b> <b>Mind-Body Wellness II*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton
<b>27</b> <b>Animology*</b> 10:00 AM & 1:00 PM   Springhill Elementary Gym <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online	<b>28</b> <b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>SCL Game Show</b> 7:30 PM   Facebook	<b>29</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton	<b>30</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Adultish Book Club</b> 5:45 PM   Benton <b>Splatter Painting Party</b> 6:00 PM   Bryant* <b>When the Ice Melts</b> 7:00 PM   Capaci's	<b>* = Registration Required</b> <b>**Find detailed information including exact age limits and locations by visiting the pages on the back of the calendar or our online calendar!**</b>	

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<div> <div>Adults</div> <div>Children</div> <div>Teens</div> <div>Tweens</div> <div>All Ages</div> </div> <div> <p><i>* = Registration Required</i></p> <p><i>**Find detailed information including exact age limits and locations by visiting the pages on the back of the calendar or our online calendar!**</i></p> </div>					
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<b>Fancyful Fairytales</b> 9:00 AM   Benton <b>Monday Afternoon Book Club</b> 1:00 PM   Benton Chamber <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online <b>Master Gardeners</b> 6:00 PM   Benton	<b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>SCL Bingo</b> 7:30 PM   Benton	<b>13</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton	<b>14</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Dyeing Techniques*</b> 6:00 PM   Benton	<b>15</b> <b>Rising Star Players*</b> 10:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig In to Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Carpool Cinema*</b> 7:00 PM   Benton	<b>16</b>
<b>18</b> <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online	<b>19</b> <b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>Harry Potter Trivia</b> 7:30 PM   US Pizza	<b>20</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Understanding Alzheimer's &amp; Dementia</b> 12:00 PM   Benton* <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton <b>Dyeing Techniques*</b> 6:00 PM   Bryant <b>Adult D&amp;D Night*</b> 7:00 PM   Benton	<b>21</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant	<b>22</b> <b>Rising Star Players*</b> 10:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig In to Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>What Are You Laughing At?*</b> 7:00 PM   Benton	<b>23</b> <b>Mind-Body Wellness IV</b> 2:00 PM   Benton*
<b>25</b> <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Primitive Gaming</b> 3:00 PM   Bryant <b>Summer Island Time*</b> 4:00 PM   Nintendo Switch Online	<b>26</b> <b>Music &amp; Movement Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Game On!*</b> 2:00 PM   Benton <b>Minecraft Tuesdays</b> 4:30 PM   Minecraft <b>From Drawing to Paint</b> 5:30 PM   Benton* <b>SCL Game Show</b> 7:30 PM   Facebook	<b>27</b> <b>Mini Makers*</b> 10:30 AM   Bryant <b>Dig Deeper: Lorebrarians*</b> 3:00 PM   Benton	<b>28</b> <b>Camp Jurassic*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Let's Dig In! Cooking Club*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant <b>Adultish Book Club</b> 5:45 PM   Benton	<b>29</b> <b>Rising Star Players*</b> 10:00 AM   Benton <b>Dig In to Storytime*</b> 10:30 AM   Benton <b>Creation Station*</b> 2:00 PM   Bryant	<b>30</b> <b>Potterpalooza*</b> 6:00 PM   Benton

# Meet the Staff

## Belinda, Library Assistant

**Belinda is a Library Assistant** and has been at the Saline County Library for 17 plus years. It is her dream job because she gets to see the newest books that are published and talk about them with her co-workers and the patrons. Her favorite thing is to hear people rave about a book, especially if it was a recommendation from her! She is a voracious reader (her husband says she is addicted to reading) who despises coffee in any way, shape, taste or smell. She is also a pretty good baker, enjoys sewing and cross stitch, is a sort of clean freak, and a perfectionist. She loves to go on long drives around our beautiful state, and she and her husband are trying to visit all 53 of our state parks.



## WHAT UNIQUE ITEMS AND SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE?

### Library of Things Categories:

- Kitchen
- Outdoors & Recreation
- Health & Wellness
- Board & Card Games
- **Arts & Crafts**
- Video Games
- Learning Kits
- Language Learning
- Entertainment
- Tools & Equipment
- Hotspots
- Book Club Kits

### Services Offered:

- Computer Lab
- Free WiFi
- Online Resources
- Passport Application Assistance
- Public Notary
- Makerspace
- Entertaining & Informative Events
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