

MUSSER PUBLIC

LIBRARY

NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2025



Wander into Winter at Musser Public Library!



This month at Musser, we invite you to wander your way into winter with festive fun at the library.

Craft some Christmas cheer with our Creative Escape craft night, Connection Craft make-take, or Jingle & Mingle activities. Sing spirited songs with Mr. Taylor and Ms. Becca at our Christmas Sing-Along, or test your knowledge at Holiday Trivia. You can also sign up to give back as a library volunteer, cozy up at home with a good book through our Home Delivery program, or take part in our Winter Reading Program.

This December, everyone is welcome to wander into winter at Musser Public Library!



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Looking for a Way to Give Back? Volunteer at Musser!



Volunteering in your community is a win-win! In addition to supporting community well-being, recent studies show that volunteering for the benefit of others has health benefits for the volunteer too. It can improve mood, build skills, boost confidence, and lower stress.

Volunteering at Musser Public Library is a wonderful way to help people, while also staying connected to your community. Library volunteers help with both ongoing tasks like shelving, straightening, and cleaning as well as special events and activities.

If you would like to donate your time, please check out the volunteer policy on our website at <https://musserpubliclibrary.org/volunteer> or contact Nichole at the library. Call 563-263-3065 Ext: 114 or email: ncolschemuscatineiowa.gov

Enjoy Library Materials Delivered Right to Your Door!

Do you have a hard time getting to the library? Enjoy a good book or borrow other library materials without even leaving your home!

Musser Public Library provides **FREE home delivery** of materials for patrons who are unable to come to the library. Senior citizens and those with physical challenges or limited mobility are encouraged to make use of this service. Deliveries may be made by the home delivery coordinator or by a library volunteer.



For additional information, call the library at 263-3065 and ask for Nichole, the home delivery coordinator. Happy reading!

CONNECTION CRAFT IS BACK!



Make-n-Take a Festive Ornament!

Just ask for it at the children's desk!

Winter Reading



Program

Musser Public Library
2026

For ALL AGES

December 15 - February 28

How to participate

- Get your Winter Reading bingo card from a staff member.
- Once completed, turn it in at the Children's Department Desk for a prize!



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Library Closures

Wednesday, December 24 - CLOSED

Thursday, December 25 - CLOSED

Wednesday, December 31 - Closing @ 3 PM

Thursday, January 1 - CLOSED



Next meeting:
December 3rd
12pm Room 104

Be on the lookout for our 2026 Friends of Musser Public Library calendar! For sale soon!

All proceeds support library programming!

Join the Friends and support your library today!



December Programs—Things you need to know Adults:

Musser Book Club

Mon, December 1st

7-8 PM | Room #017

As Long As The Lemon Trees Grow

By Zoulfa Katouh



Next book will be

The Last Unicorn

By Peter S. Beagle

Meeting January 5th



Creative Escape

Wed, December 3rd

6-8 PM | Room 301

Handmade Ornaments



No registration necessary

Holiday Trivia

Fri, December 12th

6:00 PM | Room 301



No registration necessary

Teens/Children:

Pearl City Jingle & Mingle

Friday, December 5th

5:30- 8:00 PM

2nd Street Entrance



Drop in to make a craft!
Share some holiday cheer!



Christmas Sing-Along

With Mr. Taylor and Ms. Becca

Monday December 22 | 10:30
Room 301

During this holiday week,
Christmas Sing-Along will
replace Baby Lap Sit and
Pre-School Storytime



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December 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
<p>Children</p> <p>Teen</p> <p>Adult</p>	<p>1</p> <p>9:30 Yoga For Littles</p> <p>10:30 Pre School</p> <p>Story Time</p> <p>7:00 Musser Book Club</p>	<p>2</p> <p>10:15 AM</p> <p>Homeschool</p> <p>Reading Games</p>	<p>3</p> <p>10:30 AM Baby</p> <p>Lapsit Story Time</p> <p>12-1 PM Friends of the</p> <p>Library Meeting</p> <p>6-8 Creative Escape</p>	<p>4</p> 	<p>5</p> <p>5:30-7:30PM</p> <p>Holiday Trivia</p> <p>Trivia starts at 6PM</p>	<p>6</p> <p>10:30 AM</p> <p>Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p>
<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>9:30 Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p> <p>10:30 AM PreSchool</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>9</p> <p>10:15 AM</p> <p>Homeschool</p> <p>Reading Games</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10:30 AM</p> <p>Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p> <p>10:30 AM</p> <p>Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>14</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>9:30 Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p> <p>10:30 AM PreSchool</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>16</p> <p>10:15 AM</p> <p>Homeschool Reading</p> <p>Games</p>	<p>17</p> <p>10:30 AM Baby Lapsit</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>10:30 AM</p> <p>Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>22</p> <p>10:30 Christmas</p> <p>Sing-Along</p> <p>with Miss Becca &</p> <p>Mr. Taylor</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p> 	<p>25</p> <p>LIBRARY CLOSED</p> <p>Christmas Day</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> <p>10:30 AM Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>28</p>
<p>29</p> <p>9:30 AM Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p> <p>10:30 AM PreSchool</p> <p>Story Time</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p> <p>10:30 AM</p> <p>Baby Lapsit</p> <p>Story Time</p> <p>LIBRARY CLOSING</p> <p>AT 3PM</p>	<p>1</p>  <p>LIBRARY CLOSED</p> <p>New Year</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p>

Check out our musserpubliclibrary.org events calendar for event locations and other details