

## November Events for Louis Latzer Memorial Library

**YA Book Club** kicks off November with **people in grades five through twelve** reading and discussing the book, ***Free Lunch*, by Rex Ogle**. The book follows the author's middle school experience of being a "poor kid in a wealthy school district". The group is **led by Kris Reed**, a gifted Middle School teacher. This group will meet on **Tuesday, November 1, at 7 p.m. in the Jennie Later Kaeser Children's Library**. If you haven't previously attended, this group knows no strangers, please come!

**Saluting Our Veterans: Wednesday, November 9, from 6:00-6:45 p.m.**, Krystle M. Huelsmann, a retired veteran, will present a "show and tell" about veterans who served in the military across time, using artifacts from different wars and times of peace.

**FRIENDSGIVING AT KORTE REC CENTER ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, FROM 4:30-5:15 P.M.**

Louis Latzer Library is partnering with Korte Rec Center for our **First Annual Friendsgiving!** Join us for **Thanksgiving stories, a craft, a game, and a Thanksgiving snack**. This will be a fast paced, fun event with our Korte Rec friends to celebrate a special time with gratitude. This event is free and open to the public.

**Illinois Family Reading Night at Louis Latzer Memorial Library Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 6 p.m.**

Louis Latzer Memorial Public Library is partnering with Highland Primary and Elementary School and St. Paul Catholic School as we celebrate Illinois Family Reading Night, an event celebrated throughout Illinois each year. This year we will meet at Latzer Library at 6 p.m. and proceed with our Parade of Pets around the Highland Town Square. (The pets need to be stuffed animals; please no real pets this time.) Following the Parade of Pets, we will return to Latzer Library for a last special appearance of Ardy the Clown who will be creating balloon animals for the participants. Pet stories and snacks will be shared. All ages welcome!

**Fabric Swap (for adult patrons) Saturday, November 19, from 10:00-11:30 a.m.**

**Do you have fabric that you no longer want? Do you have a new project that you would like to begin? Are you an avid crafter that enjoys gathering materials for future projects? This event may be for you! Bring your fabric to Latzer Library, beginning at 9:30 the morning of November 19, and prepare to have a "cakewalk with fabrics", selecting fresh fabrics for your crafty collection! (Yes, you may bring material ahead of time if you wish for this event.) Never been to a fabric swap before? Plan on having a great time and walk away with new ideas and a wide range of fabrics to help prepare for the upcoming holiday season!!!! Give it a try!**

***Thanksgiving Bingo for Kid...Come and play at Jennie Latzer Kaeser Children's Library 6:00 p.m.- 6:45p.m. on Wednesday, November 23, 2022 (Thanksgiving Eve)***

*Perhaps you have guests from out of town and just want to enjoy a festive Thanksgiving event as you prepare for the holiday!*

***Build a Gingerbread House***

***Wednesday, November 30, at 6 p.m., your child can build a little gingerbread house with you! We provide the milk carton, the graham crackers, the frosting, and some candies. Please consider bringing an extra bag of candy to share and construct an awesome holiday creation. We plan to have this project completed by 7 p.m.! Christmas carols will play while the creations are underway.***

***Our "Regular" events are ongoing....***

***Monday and Tuesday A.M. Storytimes continue at 10 a.m. for preschool age children with stories and crafts with Miss Josie! The Monday and Tuesday event are the same for each given week to allow flexibility with parent schedules.***

***Tuesday evening at 6 p.m. is Lego Club!***

***Upcoming: Dungeons and Dragons in late December....watch for details in the near future.***