

# The Bell Bulletin

## February 2025

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### Library Hours:

Monday-Thursday:

9:00am-7:00pm

Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday:

9:00am-1:00pm

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### Pamper Yourself Event

Wednesday Feb 12th

Age: Teen & Adult

What to Expect:

**Pamper Yourself: DIY Spa Creations**  
Indulge in some self-care at our Pamper Yourself event! Explore your creativity as you make your own bath salts, sugar scrub, shower steamers, and a personalized scented candle. All supplies are provided, and you'll have the freedom to craft at your own pace. Relax with tea and treats as you unwind and create your perfect spa experience—staff will be available for assistance if needed, but otherwise, it's all about you!



Time: 1pm-6:30pm

**\*\*Supplies will be limited. FIRST.COME.FIRST.SERVE\*\***  
Actual activities may differ based on availability

# PAINT BY NUMBER

Tuesday Feb 18th  
Ages 8+ At 4:30pm

Sign-up Required  
Actual canvas may differ

### Cooking Club

is back!!!

When: Tuesday Feb 4th!  
ALL AGES WELCOME

What's Cook'n: Spaghetti & Garlic Bread



Join us for a fun learning adventure! This month, we'll be showing you how to make semi-homemade spaghetti sauce and makeshift garlic bread. Plus, we have a special treat in store—On Top of Spaghetti will be our featured read! Don't miss out on this tasty and fun-filled experience!



\*7&Under MUST have an ADULT present\*

Time: Starts at 4:30pm

\*Requires Sign-Up\*



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# FREE Adult Programs

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## MOVIE MONDAY

February 10 at  
1pm in the Large  
Conference Room

BING CROSBY GRACE KELLY FRANK SINATRA

## High Society



with CELESTE HOLM • JOHN LUND  
and LOUIS ARMSTRONG

Join us for the movie *High Society* starring Bing Crosby, Grace Kelly, and Frank Sinatra.

With socialite Tracy Lord about to remarry, her ex-husband—with the help of a sympathetic reporter—has 48 hours to convince her that she really still loves him.

Popcorn & water will be provided.

## ADULT BOOKCLUB

February 11 from 5:30-7pm in our Reference Area

We will be discussing the book:

**Lies He Told Me** by James Patterson & David Ellis.

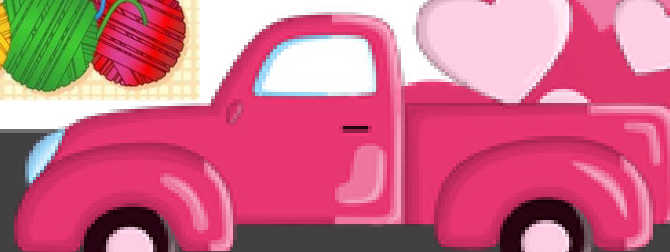
Everyone in Hemingway Grove, Illinois, knows David and Marcie Bowers. When David jumps into the Cotton River to save a drowning stranger, he's celebrated as a hero. For most people, newfound fame is a lifeline. For David Bowers, it's a death sentence. For Marcie Bowers, it's a test.



## proCRAFTinators!

Bring your projects and join fellow crafters as we work on the creative needlework we tend to put off.

Thursday, February 13  
from 2-4pm in our  
Reference Area.



# FREE JRs & Teens Programs

Questions? Contact Rachel: [rjohnson@bell.lib.in.us](mailto:rjohnson@bell.lib.in.us)

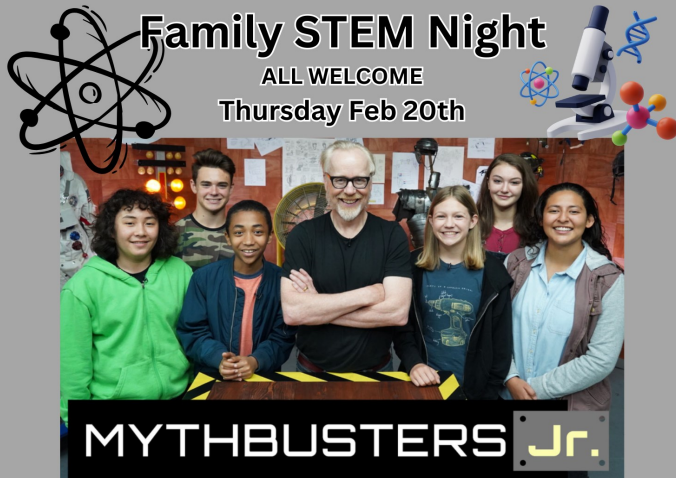


**Craft Corner**  
 Saturday Feb 15th  
 ALL WELCOME!

Flying Rocket Craft



Starts at 11am!



**Family STEM Night**  
 ALL WELCOME  
 Thursday Feb 20th

**MYTHBUSTERS Jr.**

Join us while we watch the nation's most talented kids have a chance to show off their amazing ingenuity and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) skills. MythBusters Jr. is a Science Channel show where a team of young scientists test myths and build projects. The show is a spinoff of the popular series Mythbusters. This will be projected on our "Big Screen". WHAT FUN!



**Tasty Tales and Treats**  
 Age: Teens (13+)  
 Tuesday Feb 25th  
 Tale: Smile- Raina Telgemeier

Short Book Synopsis:  
 Raina just wants to be a normal sixth grader. But one night after Girl Scouts she trips and falls, severely injuring her two front teeth, and what follows is a long and frustrating journey with on-again, off-again braces, surgery, embarrassing headgear, and even a retainer with fake teeth attached.

**Smile**

Treats: Smiley Face Cupcakes!

Time: Starts at 5pm!

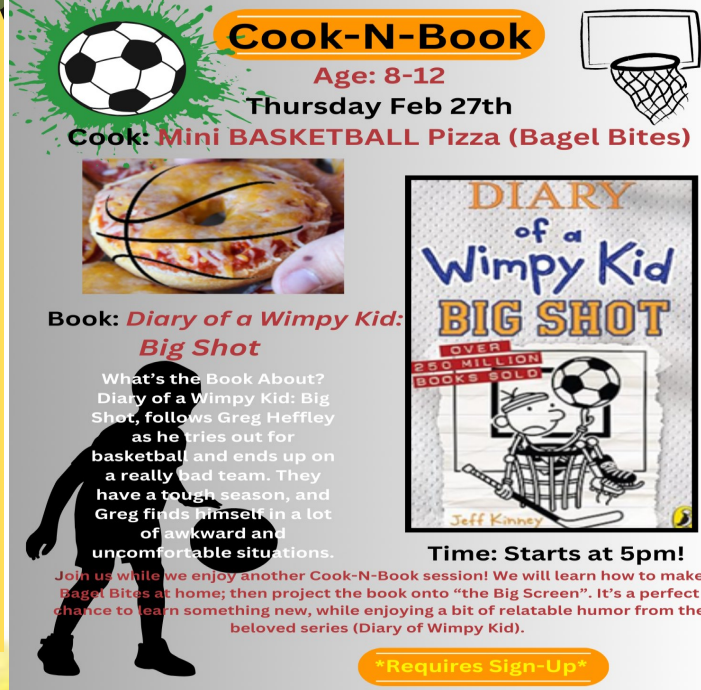
Join us while we enjoy a tasty tale and treat! The book will be projected on "the Big Screen" while we enjoy a cupcake SNACK ☺

**\*Requires Sign-Up\***



**STEM**

Time: Come anytime between 4pm-6:30pm  
 \*Water & Popcorn PROVIDED\*



**Cook-N-Book**  
 Age: 8-12  
 Thursday Feb 27th  
 Cook: Mini BASKETBALL Pizza (Bagel Bites)

**Book: Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Big Shot**

What's the Book About?  
 Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Big Shot, follows Greg Heffley as he tries out for basketball and ends up on a really bad team. They have a tough season, and Greg finds himself in a lot of awkward and uncomfortable situations.

Time: Starts at 5pm!

Join us while we enjoy another Cook-N-Book session! We will learn how to make Bagel Bites at home; then project the book onto "the Big Screen". It's a perfect chance to learn something new, while enjoying a bit of relatable humor from the beloved series (Diary of Wimpy Kid).

**\*Requires Sign-Up\***

# FREE KIDS PROGRAMS

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## Story Time – February 2025

### At 2pm

**February 7, 2025** – Winter animals/hibernation theme

Book: *I Don't Wanna Hibernate*  
Author: Anna Ouchchy  
Craft: Groundhog Snack



**February 14, 2025** – Valentine's Day theme

Book: *Happy Valentine's Day, Curious George!*  
Author: N. Di Angelo  
Craft: Heart Art Keepsake



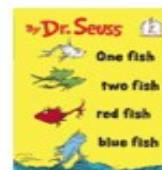
**February 21, 2025** – Kindness theme

Book: *The Magic of Friendship Snow*  
Author: Andi Cann  
Craft: Friends suncatcher



**February 28, 2025** – Dr. Seuss theme

Book: *One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish*  
Author: Dr. Seuss  
Craft: Red fish, Blue fish craft



# Charcuterie Board for Two



1. Get out a clean cutting board, alternatively a big plate or platter works fine.
2. Unwrap the cheese and separate and fluff out the meat. Assemble on the board.
3. Add the chocolate, fruits, nuts and whatever else you're using.
4. Serve with bread and whatever you like to drink.

- ◆ Marinated artichokes, olives, and/or roasted peppers
- ◆ 2 oz. soft cheese, such as brie
- ◆ 2 oz. hard cheese, such as cheddar or gouda
- ◆ 1 or 2 fruits, such as cherries, grapes, sliced oranges or strawberries
- ◆ Crusty bread, sliced
- ◆ 2 sliced meats, such as prosciutto and salami
- ◆ Nuts, such as roasted almonds or cashews
- ◆ 1 bar of good chocolate, broken
- ◆ Optional: dried fruit, jam, mustard or small pickles

Gilbert the Goblin is the first to admit that he was, ahem, mistaken—unicorns actually throw the best tea parties, and dragons make delicious ice cream soup. This time, though, he can absolutely confirm that **YETIS ARE THE WORST!** Sure, they seem cool and mysterious, but once you meet one, he's **CERTAIN** they're not all they're cracked up to be! And that's what Gilbert plans to do: meet a yeti. That is, if he can find one...but how hard can that be?

**Story-Walk**  
Program Runs Feb 6th-13th



Escape into the world of **Yetis are the Worst** with an indoor Story-Walk! Follow a path through the library, where each station reveals a page of this entertaining and funny story. A Story-Walk inside you say? YES! Stay warm and cozy **inside**, while enjoying a great interactive book experience! Perfect for young readers and families looking for an adventurous, wintry escape!

**DON'T miss out on our Photo Opp at the end!**

\*Starts in front of YA Room\*

# FEBRUARY 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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9	10 <b>Movie Monday</b> 1pm 	11 <b>Adult Book Club</b> 5:30-7pm 	12 <b>Pamper Yourself</b> 1:00-6:30pm	13 <b>Story Walk ENDS</b> proCRAFTinators 2-4pm	14 <b>Storytime</b> 2pm 	15 <b>Craft Corner</b> 11am-1pm 
16	17  	18 <b>Paint by Number</b> 4:30pm	19	20 <b>Family STEM Night</b> 4-6:30pm	21 <b>Storytime</b> 2pm	22
23	24 <b>Library Board Meeting</b> 6:30pm	25 <b>Tasty Tales &amp; Treats</b> 5pm	26	27 <b>Cook N Book</b> 5pm	28 <b>Storytime</b> 2pm	