BELL MEMORIAL PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Bell Bulletin

Library Hours: Monday— Thursday: 9:00 am—5:00 pm Friday & Saturday: 9:00 am—5:00 pm Sunday: 1:00 pm—5:00 pm

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Welcome to our new YA Coordinator, Elyza Oswald to Bell

February 2019

Welcome our new YA/Teen Coordinator, Elyza Oswald, to Bell Memorial Public Library! Elyza has been with BMPL since 2011. She started out as a circulation clerk. She is the co-owner of Pete & Freddy's Pages Aplenty Used Bookstore

along with her sister, Maddie Anweiler. You can find them on Facebook and Instagram (@pagesaplenty). Elyza also has a small business working alongside her husband; Brandon called Yeti and Boo Crea-

tions. They make leather items, recycled art as well as, fiber art. As YA Coordinator, Elyza hopes to develop relationships with teens in our area by creating a space that is welcoming. Some programs she is planning to bring to the library include: Board Game Night, Crazy History Night, Trivia Challenge, Teen Crafts, Movie Night, Oscar Bracket Night and Podcasting just to name a few. She is definitely

open to suggestions.

Elyza recently started a Teen Book Club which already had its first meeting January 15th. They are currently reading "The Darkest Minds" by Alexandra Bracken. Teen Book Club is open to teens age 13-19.

If you're interested in joining, just let her know. Elyza can be reached on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm at the library. Her email address is: <u>EAnweiler@bell.lib.in.us</u>. There are several ways to find out about future YA programs happening at the library. We can be found on Facebook BMPL Teen Page). Also, check out local newspapers such as Times Union and The Roch-

ester Sentinel and Ink Free News for weekly press releases. Valley students can check out the Facebook page "Viking Reads".

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Recipe: Valentine Truffles

4:35 Prep 0:05 Cook Makes 24

INGREDIENTS

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I180g white chocolate, chopped
1/4 cup thickened cream
1/2 teaspoon strawberry essence Pink food
coloring
180g milk chocolate, chopped
Pink heart sprinkles, to decorate



Step 1 Place white chocolate and cream in a heatproof, microwave-safe bowl. Microwave on medium-high (75%) for 1 to 2 minutes or until melted and smooth, stirring with a metal spoon after 1 minute. Stir in essence. Tint mixture pink with food coloring. Cover. Refrigerate for 3 to 4 hours or until rm.

Step 2 Line a tray with baking paper. Roll heaped teaspoons mixture into balls. Place on tray. Freeze until rm.

Step 3 Place milk chocolate in a heatproof, microwave-safe bowl. Microwave on medium-high (75%) for 1 to 2 minutes, stirring halfway during cooking with a metal spoon, or until melted and smooth. Using a fork, dip trues in melted chocolate, shaking o excess. Return trues to tray. Top each with a pink heart. Refriger-ate until set. Serve.

What's on the Menu?

We are thinking of starting a Recipe Swap group here at the library. Each person attending would bring a dish of some sort (can be an appetizer, casserole, dessert etc.) for everyone to sample and enough copies of said recipe to share with everyone in case others want to try to make your recipe at home. Potential meeting nights would be either a Tuesday or a Thursday evening. Contact Billie at 574-353-7234 for more information.

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~Creative Corner~

Please join us on Thursday, February 21st from 5:00-7:00 pm for Creative Corner. This month, we are doing Coffee & Canvas. We will be painting the picture shown on the right. (color patterns may vary). Cost of the class will be \$5.00. We kindly request that you sign up to ensure that we have enough materials for everyone. Sign up sheets are located at the main circulation desk. Creative Corner is for adults only ages 18+. For more information, please contact Billie or Sharon at 574-353-7234.



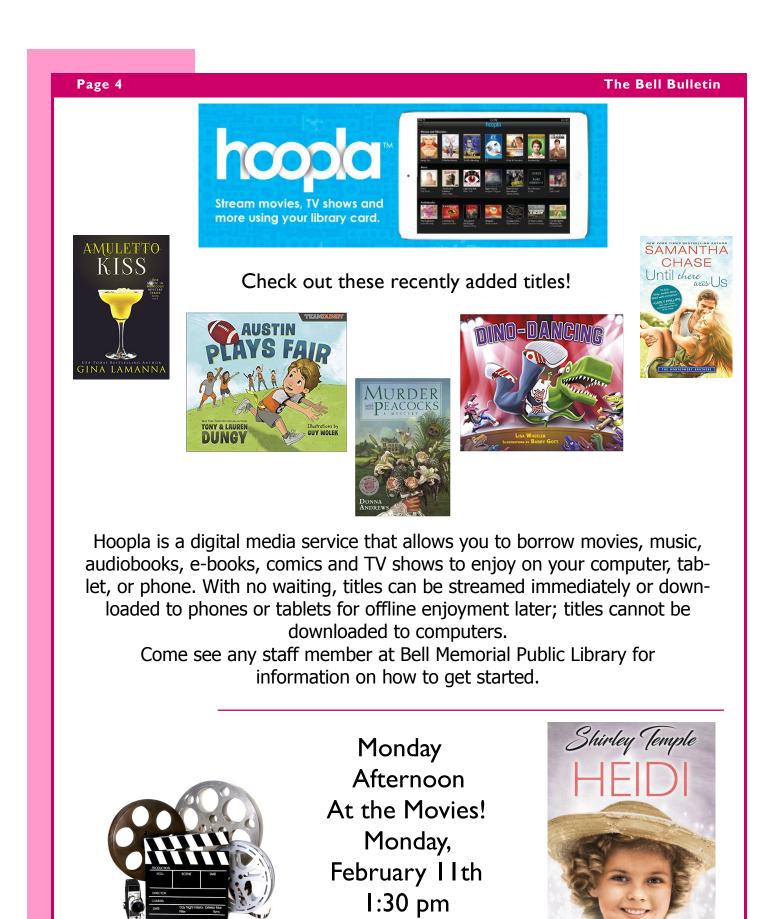
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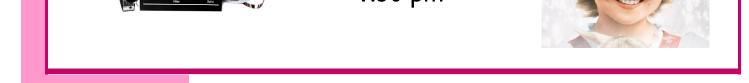
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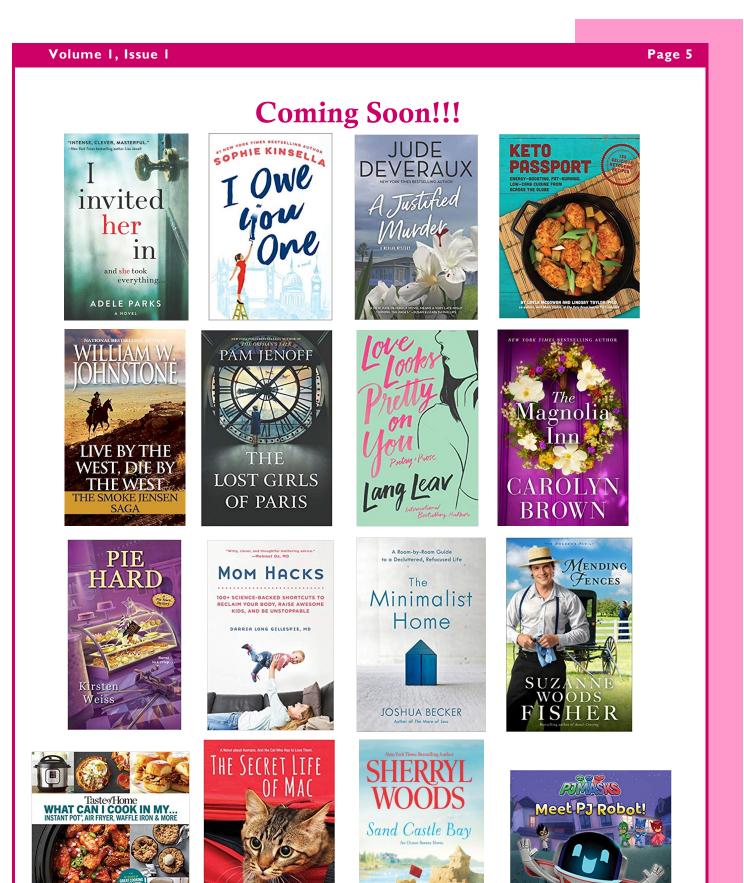
Preschool Story Hour: Every Friday at 10:00 am Anti-Valentine Teen Party: Please join us on Tuesday, February 12th starting at 4:00 pm. for an Anti-Valentine party. Teen Book Club: Thursday, February 15th from 4:00-6:00 pm If you are interested in joining, please contact Elyza at 574-353-7234.

Sumba & Yoga!

Calling all ZUMBA & YOGA fans! Please join us every Wednesday night here at Bell Memorial Public Library for ZUMBA & YOGA classes. ZUMBA begins at 5:30 pm and YOGA begins at 6:45 pm. ALL LEVELS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND! For more information, please contact Eva Mudd at 574-253-5593 or evamudd@yahoo.com. Ask to join her Facebook group "EVA'S ZUMBA AND YOGA COMMUNITY CLASSES".









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