

City of Hanska

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Happy Fall!
School is back in session and Harvest has begun. Keep an eye out for kids, buses and farm equipment during this busy season. Stay safe!

Hanska Community Library News

September 9th we took part in the Fireman's Pork Chop Dinner/Neighborhood Night Out. Beautiful weather and was a great night with visits to our table. We did the drawing for the Quilt donated to our Fund Raising efforts by the W-ELCA, Zion. The happy winner was Rebekah Jones. We had many books to give away courtesy capstone, Mankato, India Phillips Foundation, CA & a few from Scholastic Books.

Children's Night Out was Thursday, September 14. We only had five here, but had a fun time. October's Children's Night Out is Thursday, the 12th at 6:30 pm.

Thursday, September 21st was Hanska Community Library day at Bakers Square, Mankato. We took part in their "Lifting Forks for Funds" event. At the time we were there we saw eleven with our coupons. I realize it is a distance to drive and during work/school week but thank you to all who could make it.

We are taking part in their "Sweet Rewards" fund raiser as well so as soon as the pie gift cards come we'll let people know.

Our Used Book Sale at the New Ulm Civic Center on Saturday, the 23rd brought in \$180.25.

We received a nice donation from the Hanska High School class of 1967-68 (last class graduating in Hanska, so thanks much to them.)

Our Seasoned Citizen Book Club will meet Tues, October 17th at 9:30 am at the library.

Our book choice is "The Kitchen House", by Kathleen Grissom. This is the story of a white servant girl brought to a plantation to work in the kitchen with the slaves. Sounds like an excellent read.

Annual Hanska Community Library Halloween Party will be Friday, October 27th.

Saturday, October 28th is Zion Lutfisk Dinner. We will have pumpkins to paint as well as games to play. Come in your custom. This will be from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm.

Besides Halloween & Columbus Day October is National Bullying Prevention Week and Oct. 8th thru Oct 14th is National Fire Prevention Week. I have heard recently of several smaller towns dissolving their fire departments as unable to maintain it as volunteer. We are so lucky in Hanska to have a great all volunteer fire department. They put in many hours for training. There are many new rules and regulations to keep up with so thank a fireman for the dedication put into serving our area. When you see them.

Saturday, October 21st a few people who volunteer to go out on "Sharing Saturday's" will be at the library working with me to "catch up" on various library duties I've been unable to keep up with fund raising, grants, letters, thank you as well as time out when my 1st priority was being with husband through surgeries and post op care.

.Submitted by Darlene Nelson, Library Director



October Events:

Oct 12th – Children's Night @ the library

Oct 17th – Seasoned Citizens book club

Oct 27th – Halloween party @ the library

Oct 28th – Zion Lutfisk Dinner

REMINDER!
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PETS TO BE
LICENSED. STOP IN
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Library Hours:

Monday 9am - 5pm
Tue/Wed 12pm – 6pm
Thursday 2pm – 6pm