Volume 5, Issue 3 March 2019

We put the "story" in Story City!



www.storycity.lib.ia.us

Story City Hours:	
Monday	10 am—8 pm
Tuesday	10 am—8 pm
Wednesday	10 am—5 pm
Thursday	10 am—8 pm
Friday	10 am—5 pm
Saturday	10 am—5 pm
Sunday	1 pm—5pm
Gilbert Hours:	
Tuesdays	3—7:30 pm

Wednesdays 10 am—2 pm Thursday 3—7:30 pm Saturday 10—12 pm





ntroducing Brainfuse: free online expert help for job seekers, veterans and their families. Through Brainfuse, we are able to offer extensive job assistance, veteran support tools and help with college skills.

JobNow is our new career assistance tool. You'll have access to live job coaching, a resume lab that includes feedback on formatting, key words, transferable skills and more, and eParachute which offers a self -assessment to discover a career or academic path suited to your interests and skills.

VetNow is a support tool for veterans and their families. It includes a live navigator

Free online expert help

for job seekers, veterans, and their families



which allows vets to connect with experts to learn more about eligible VA benefits and community resources.

The College Skills section includes access live tutoring, practice tests for SAT, ACT, GED, GRE and more, and versatile study tools.

Visit www.storycity.lib.ia.us and click on the Brainfuse graphic to start!

<image>

Fast Facts from Bertha B

Monthly Statistics from January 2019 Items Checked Out4,274 Patron Visits2,534 eBooks363 Downloadable Audio278 Reference Questions130 New Library Cards7 **<u>REMINDER:</u>** Take care of your library materials! Please keep them away from pets, liquids and extreme temperatures.

Find us on Facebook and Instagram or view upcoming events on our website: <u>www.storycity.lib.ia.us</u>



Bertha Bartlett Public Library 503 Broad Street

503 Broad Street Story City, Iowa 50248 207 Main Street Gilbert, Iowa 50105 SC Phone: 515-733-2685 Gilbert: 515-232 0087 Fax: 515-733-2843 scbbpl@windstream.net www.storycity.lib.ia.us

Moon Rocks

Have you ever wanted to see and hold something from space? Now is your chance! Rocks from the moon, otherwise known as "Moon Rocks" will be

on display at the library on March 9 from 10 am to 12 noon. The rocks are enclosed in thick plastic casings to protect them, but this is your opportunity to not only see and hold the rocks, but also get your picture taken with them. These rocks, which include core samples, pebbles, sand and dust from the lunar surface, were brought from the moon on the six Apollo missions. They are on loan from Johnson Space Center. This visit of the moon rocks to Story City is made possible by Virginia Swenson, a DMACC West Campus mathematics teacher who is a certified moon rock handler.

KOOL Makers Club

Happenings

Weekly After-School Fun for K-4th Grades Tuesdays, 3:45-4:30*

> KOOL Maker's Club is an after-school program for kids in kindergarten through 4th grades. We'll explore STEM and makerspace activities and learn more about the library.

*KOOL Makers Club will NOT meet on March 19 during Spring Break.

HOMESCHOOLERS CONCATENATE:

LIBRAR

A program specifically geared toward linking homeschooled children and parents together with other homeschooling families. Join us!

March 15 1 to 2 pm.





Puppies at Storytime

BERTHA BARTLETT PUBLIC

We're having a special storytime for National Puppy Day on **Friday, March 22**, at 10:30. We'll have several dog friends present for the kids to pet, play with and read to. It is sure to be a barking good time!



WI-FI PASSWORD

The Bertha Bartlett Public Library Wi-Fi password is: **Berthasplace**

*Ask us about wireless printing!

Storytime meets weekly in both Story City and Gilbert. Preschool Storytime in Story City on Fridays, 10:30 am Preschool Storytime in Gilbert on Thursdays, 10:30 am



Bartlett Book Club

Tuesday, March 26, 2-3 pm Kinne Wing *Secrets She Kept* By Cathy Gohlke



Timberland Book Club

1st Thursday, 2 pm Timberland Village Conference Room

KNIT PICKERS

Fridays, 10 am, BBPL Kinne Wing An open stitch/chat session!

