

# Beyond the Book

## The Kennedy Free Library

Book 4 Chapter 6

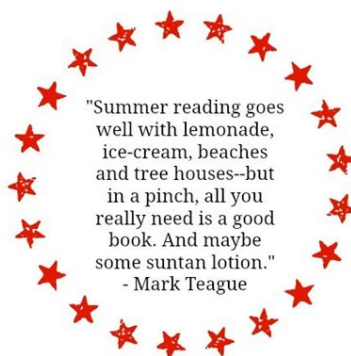
June 2024

### BOOKMARKS

June is arguably the busiest month of the year for many people. The school year ends, summer jobs begin, agriculture is in full swing. Vacations are taken, picnics are planned, concerts are attended. We have a small window here in the Town of Poland to pack as much into the sunshine time as possible. I've learned in my soon to be 50 years, it's incredibly important to work other things into your schedule as well. Like the NOT working things into your schedule. Sitting in a rocking chair on your front porch chatting with the neighbors. Laying in the damp grass, staring at the stars. Jumping in the creek with your friends at the end of a hot summer day spent in the hay field. In this short span of frantic activity, don't forget to stop; to rest, and to reflect. As Always....

Lead, Read, Succeed!

Dawn M. Swanson



#### Library Hours:

Monday—Closed

Tuesday—9am-5pm

Wednesday—9am-7pm

Thursday—9am—5pm

Friday—9am—7pm

Saturday—9am—Noon

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#### Next Board Meeting:

July 16, 2024

At 5:30pm @ the library.

\*All meetings are open to the public.

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The winner of the Lego Challenge is Zenia G!!!

Congratulations!

Lego Challenge for June: *Make a cactus!*



## Open Book:

### Southern Man by Greg Iles

Fifteen years after the events of the Natchez Burning trilogy, Penn Cage is alone. Nearly all his loved ones are dead, his old allies gone, and he carries a mortal secret that separates him from the world. But Penn's exile comes to an end when a brawl at a Mississippi rap festival triggers a bloody mass shooting—one that nearly takes the life of his daughter Annie.

As the stunned cities of Natchez and Bienville reel, antebellum plantation homes continue to burn and the deadly attacks are claimed by a Black radical group as historic acts of justice. Panic sweeps through the tourist communities, driving them inexorably toward a race war.

## BETWEEN THE LINES

Jimmy's mother has three kids June and July.

What is the name of the third kid?

See Dawn for the answer!



## TURN THE PAGE:

**Flag Retirement Ceremony at Hultquist Park June 12 at 6pm. Hotdogs provided. Please bring dish to pass and table service.**

**Give Big CHQ is June 13. Make sure to keep the library up on Facebook all day to see all of our fun and exciting announcements.**

## Calendar:

June 1 Radio club 12:30pm

11 Book Club 6pm

12 Flag Retirement Ceremony  
6pm

13 Give Big CHQ

14 Flag Day

16 Father's Day

22 End of School Bash 10am

28 Bookworm Book Club 5pm

*Last Libratory of the school year....Learned about Picasso and created our very own one-of-a-kind works of art!*

