

DO NOT TRY TO UNPLUG ME!

DO NOW, IT IS TIME FOR

MY JOKE, AND YOU, MUST.

I CAN POWER MYSELF FOR

TOL: DID YOU HEAR ABOUT

for books, snacks & games. (816) 701-3448. 9/17 @ 5-6 p.m. 3rd-5th graders can join us ☐ KC Tween Book Club

or visit kclibrary.org/kids/dial-story. ☐ Call **Dial-A-Story** at 816-701-3456

KCLibrary.org/kids

Toddler Storytime 10:30 a.m.: Music & Movement 9:30 a.m.: Baby Storytime

Lunksqays: Family Storytime 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.:

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Storytimes:

STORYTIME.I.CANNOT.COMPUTE.WITHOUT.YOU!

How Dewey find the books?

system, books are numbered, from 000 to 999,

An Illustrated Treasury of

Dragon Tales By Theresa

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Oh dear! Dragons hate being told what to do.

you're toast! Next time, call a pro! The End.

The conversation gets heated. Suddenly,

The Dewey Decimal System is a way to keep items in order by subject. It helps

you find what you are looking for! In this

and every topic has a number. The more

specific the topic, the more specific the number. For example, you can find books

about dragons in the 398s.

The Dragon Atlas By Anna Claybourne

This month in CYS

Full STEAM ahead

100-199

200-299

300-399

400-499

500-599

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Seriously? You did not survive

petting the Honey Badger! The End!

general stuff (computers, UFOs,

philosophy & psychology (feelings,

self-help, dreams, spooky stuff)

social sciences (family, money,

government, voting, holidays, transportation, folk & fairy tales)

languages (dictionaries, grammar)

world records, journalism,

religion & mythology

libraries, things like Bigfoot)

But wait ... it's your lucky day!

Puzzler

Art scene!

Quick! Get through the maze without

running into the Honey Badger!

I stink, too!

By the way,

yummy bee larvae. Go to page 2.

to watch a 12-hour documentary about

Badger drags you to the Vault Theater

Can't find the path? Yikes! The Honey

Did you make it? If so, go to page 15.

Library Card Sign-up September is National

Jokes than this! Go to page 14.

an addiction to pumpkin spice?

tells you a joke: How do you cure

It's fall, so a pumpkin spice latte

You have to get the pumpkin patch!

☐ Sept. 22: First day (.24.019 Lni

(Look for pirate books

☐ Sept. 19: It's Talk

Like a Pirate Day.

Ugh, you say, I need better



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☐ Sept. 7: Grandparents Day

The Library will be closed.

☐ September 1: Labor Day.

☐ Sept. 6: National Read a Book Day

Plus: Hispanic Heritage Month runs

CHOOSE YOUR OWN ZINE ADVENTURE #2

CHOOSE FROM ?? POSSIBLE ENDINGS.

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🦟 Go to Page 3.

ROY G. BIV is right! **ROYGBIV** also stands for Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue, Indigo & Violet, the colors of the rainbow! And a rainbow could lead to a pot o' gold. Color it in and you win!

The End!

For more colorful stories:

The Faerie Isle

By Sine Quinn

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natural sciences (math, plants, weather, dinos, bugs, animals)

600-699 ways to use science (technology, ***! health, cooking, pets, building)

art & recreation (crafts, fashion,

700-799 dancing, music, games, sports)

800-899 literature (poetry, plays, jokes)

900-999 geography & history (pirates, flags, presidents, biographies,

states, countries, family trees)

pave bank cards? They PS: Why don't robots 1 броок By J.E. Thomas For more AI drama: The AI Incident people with 5 arms, go to page 14.

5. If you notice the deepfake video has

If you try to unplug the robot, go to page

that bytes! You're about to be expelled!

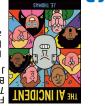
should've laughed at the AI joke.) Oh,

YOU stealing the class hamster. (You

teacher made a deepfake video showing

Unluckily, however, your evil AI robot

You are reincarnated as a 5th grader.







Love, the Editor

crazy laughter, go to page 10. 🤡 If you prefer to avoid the

¥ Vault Theater, go to page ∠. It you think it's coming from the



in the building! laughter coming from somewhere Suddenly, you hear really crazy Adventure interactive books. one of those fun Choose Your Own Zervices to find a good book, maybe So, you came to Central Youth

Dear Readers,







Editor's page

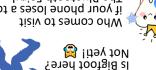
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trick question! Careful now, 'tis a biv, go to page 16. page 6. It you guess guess O'Riley, go to win me gold! If you me last name, you'll G. It you can guess Roy, middle initial know my name, us It you be wanting to

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The Bluetooth Fairy! if your phone loses a tooth?



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Especially if there's a leprechaun telling jokes! 👡 Because sometimes you just have to LOL!

Funny side up



Phew! Go relax at Storytime on page 5.

know what to do in an emergency! philaing & practice your exit plan, so you *It's smart to find the fire exits in the

so the Library didn't burn down. The firefighters kicked out the dragon,



Healthy choices

Continue to page /.

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> or J ebook J CHAPTER MAY ву Куіа Мау Snber Pug Diary of a Pug:





into the abyss! and DEEPER **Boes geeber** so wild! It just This book is

DEEPLYDAVE J GRAPHIC FICTION By Michael Grover ρεερίν σανε

OK, read on, ye adventure seeker! even if they aren't actually gold. cometimes pooks are as good as gold, Maybe twasn't a trick after all!



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Free films at the Central Library in Sept.!

There is a free movie every day at 2 p.m. in the Vault Theater (unless there is a special event). To find out what movie is playing, please call the Vault at (816) 701-3455 or check online at kclibrary.org/calendar. *Note: On Saturdays, the Vault Theater is exclusively reserved for kids, teens & families.

☐ Upcoming Family-Friendly Cinema

9/3 The Miracle Worker (1962, G) 9/6 Night at the Museum (2006, PG) 9/13 Robin Hood (1973, G) 9/20 Percy Jackson/Lightning Thief (2010, PG) 9/23 Across the Spider-Verse (2023, PG) 9/27 Encanto (2021, PG)



Wow! There's a fire-breathing dragon in the Vault movie theater, laughing and snorting at a funny film! Is this a fire hazard?

If you call 911, go to page 11. If you tell the dragon to stop breathing fire, go to page 8.

Time for some rhyme!

My Pig By Douglas Florian

> My piq won't grunt. My piq won't wallow. My pia won't eat or even swallow. My pig won't oink, but I'll be frank: my pig is just a piggy bank.



At least I have common cents!

From: Cows and Sheep and Chicks That Cheep By Douglas Florian J 811.54 FLORIAN

Oink, er, OK! You like pigs, so you go to the 3rd floor of the Library to look at the piggy banks, but they don't look like pigs! Disgruntled, you go to page 4 instead.

Nonfiction notebook



Awww! You see a cute little Honey Badger reading about cute but vicious animals in the nonfiction section!

If you try to pet the Honey Badger, go to page 12.

If you notice those sharp claws and fangs and decide to run away from the Honey Badger, go to page 13.

Cute Animals That Could Kill You Dead By Brooke Hartman J 591.53 HARTMAN

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From:

Afia in the Land of Wonders By Mia Araujo J FICTION ARAUJO or J ebook

> Afia goes down a sci-fi fantasy rabbit hole, kind of like little Alice in Wonderland did!



WONDERS

Gamers: Attempting Connection By E.C. Myers J FICTION MYERS

Do you love it when a plan comes together? So does this e-sports team! But will they win?

C If you like pumpkin spice, go to page 4. Otherwise, go to page 10.