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## Galva Library News

■ by BRENDA NABERHAUS  
GALVA LIBRARIAN

**Books & Brew:** Oct. 7 at 1:30 p.m. Come and join me for a sweet treat and good conversation! I promise, no over-baked goodies this time!

**Kids Crafts:** Oct. 14 at 4:15 p.m. Come and decorate a tote bag for Halloween!

**Book Club:** Oct. 16 at 6:30 p.m. Mind Games by Nora Roberts is the selection for this month. Thea Fox is getting the life she always wanted. She’s become a renowned video game designer, a job that allows her to move back to her childhood home in Redbud Hollow, Kentucky. Now she lives in her own cozy cottage, down the road from her beloved Grammie and the house

where she grew up. And when her new neighbor turns out to be her teenage crush, the gorgeous lead singer of Code Red, Tyler Brennan, it seems that life can’t get any better. However, it hasn’t been easy getting here. Thea carries the burden of a special ability, one that she shares with her Grammie. They can both see into people’s minds and souls. Sometimes, they can even see the future. Grammie calls it a gift, but ever since the day when Thea saw her parents get murdered in a dream, it’s felt like a curse. Thanks to her vision, the police caught the man who did it and put him behind bars. But no matter how far away the killer is, Thea can still hear his twisted thoughts and witness his

evil acts. He knows it because he can see into her mind too—and now he’s made it his mission to get the ultimate revenge.

**Glue & Giggles:** Oct. 21 at 6 p.m. We will be making lighted wine bottle scarecrows. Let me know if you plan to attend, as supplies are limited! If you don’t like to craft, you are still welcome to come and enjoy the giggles for FREE!

**Books for Babies:** Let me know if you know of any newborns in the area. We want to send them a little something to welcome them to Galva and the library.

Notary Services are available at the library, whenever Brenda is working. No charge for this service.

## Schaller Library News

■ by BRENDA NABERHAUS  
SCHALLER LIBRARIAN

**Community Coffee:** Oct. 1 and 15 at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome to come join the fun and laughter!

**After School Program:** Oct. 6 at 4 p.m. In true Halloween style, come and learn about bats!

**Book Club:** Oct. 20 at 2 p.m. The Happiest Man on Earth by Eddie Jaku is this month’s selection. Born in Leipzig, Germany, into a Jewish family, Eddie Jaku was a teenager when his world was turned upside-down. On Nov. 9, 1938, during the terrifying violence of Kristallnacht, the Night of Broken Glass, Eddie was beaten by SS thugs, arrested, and sent to a concentration camp with thousands of other Jews across Germany. Every day of the next seven years of his life, Eddie faced unimaginable horrors in Buchenwald, Auschwitz, and finally, on a forced death march during the Third Reich’s final days. The Nazis took everything from Eddie—his family, his friends, and his country. But they did not break his spirit. I have several copies at the library; stop in and borrow one.

**Crafts & Conversation:** Oct. 22 at 2 p.m. Stay tuned, still deciding on this

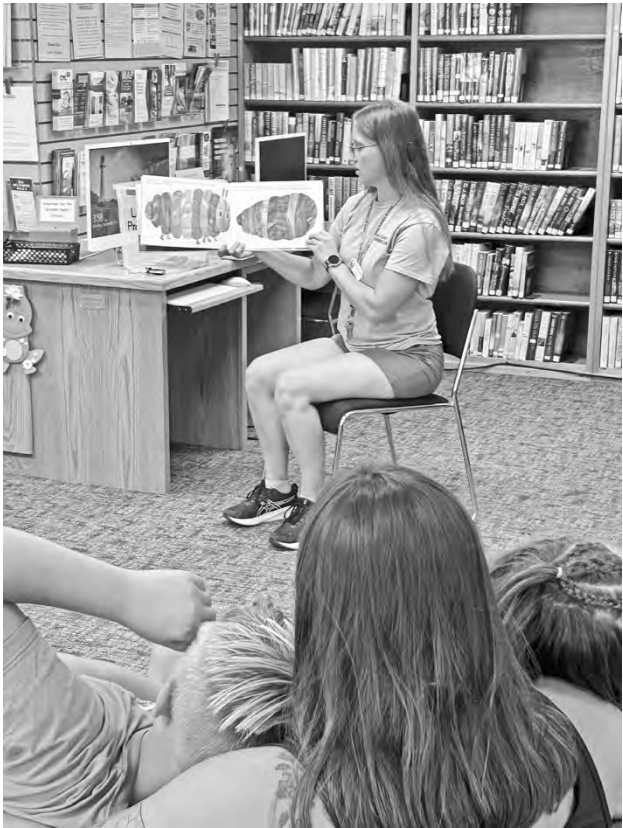


Photo courtesy Schaller Public Library  
Youth in the After School Program learned about monarch butterflies.

project.

**Bingo:** Oct. 27 at 4 p.m. Come join us for a little fun and some good laughs. No money exchanged!

**Books for Babies.** Help me out and let me know of any babies born here in town. We want to welcome them to our community and give them a book. Readers make leaders!

**Notary Service** is available at the library at no cost.

**Dolly Parton’s Imagination Library** is available in Sac County, with assistance from the First Christian Church, Sac City. You can go online to [imaginationlibrary.com](http://imaginationlibrary.com) to get registered, or stop in the library. The library has paper forms to fill out, or we can assist in filling the form out online. This is available to all children under age five that live in Sac County!

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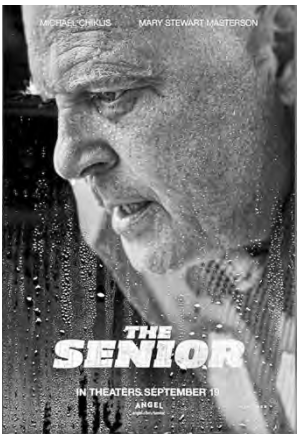
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