Read for In-N-Out Burgers Kris Wiley for The News Review

Who knew books and burgers go together so well?

Turns out, In-N-Out Burger does because their Cover to Cover Club rewards children's reading with burgers.

Roseburg Public Library invites local youth ages 4 to 12 to participate in the program now through April 13. A Roseburg Public Library card is not required.

Parents and children may pick up the reading log at the library. Alternately, school groups may email staff at library@cityofroseburg.org, and we will work through the details with a designated adult.

The log allows youth to track their reading in one of two ways. They may count the number of books or minutes they read (parents or caregivers may read to children). When they read five books or five hours, they are eligible for a gift card for a free hamburger or cheeseburger at In-N-Out.

Youth may continue to read and receive up to three burgers for their efforts.

Each time a milestone is reached, stop by the library's front desk. We distribute the gift cards, track the number of children participating and log the number of books or minutes read.

Happy reading and eating!

Spring Break Activities

The library is ramping up youth programming during spring break.

From 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, March 25 through Saturday, March 30, the StoryWalk® will be on display at Stewart Park near the YMCA. Children and families can walk along the multiuse path and enjoy reading "The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse" by Eric Carle.

This project is made possible by the Douglas County Cultural Coalition, Friends of the Roseburg Public Library and the City of Roseburg Parks Department.

The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, Vt., and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. Storywalk® is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson.

Youth Services Librarian Aurora Ropp will lead activities throughout the week. From 4-5 p.m. Tuesday, March 26, there will be a hands-on activity for pre-K children through fifth

graders; from 3:30-5 p.m. Wednesday, March 27, there will be Legos and other building objects for all ages; and from 4-5 p.m. Thursday, March 28, there will be seasonal kids crafts.

Aurora will lead Storytime at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday, March 27 and Thursday, March 28. The program is perfect for ages 2-5 and their caregivers, although all children and families are welcome.

All programs are free. A Roseburg Public Library card is not required.

For more information and a full list of programs, visit the library's website at www.roseburgpubliclibrary.org.

This Week's Library Events

Tuesday, March 19, 10 a.m. – Grab-and-go craft kits while supplies last

Wednesday, March 20, 10:15 a.m. - Storytime with Aurora

Wednesday, March 20, 3 p.m. – STEAM program for elementary students

Thursday, March 21, 10:15 a.m. – Storytime with Aurora

Thursday, March 21, 3-5 p.m. – Teen volunteer hours

Thursday, March 21, 6:30 p.m. – Geology & geobotany of Mt. Eddy presented by Larry Broeker