



Dear Parents and Guardians:

It is time to start a new school year! Please note the time change for the after school program this year: **2:30-4:00PM**. This is a free service the library provides the community on Wednesday afternoons. Registration forms will be sent home the first week of school. Please return them to the library by September 5th so we can be sure to have enough supplies and volunteers.

Programming officially begins on Wednesday, September 12th. See the reverse side for a schedule of activities! All children who come to after-school programming are expected to follow some basic rules: **children will listen to the staff and volunteers, be respectful of others feelings and property, participate in scheduled library activities, and help clean up before leaving.** Children who cannot follow the rules or refuse to participate in the scheduled activity will be asked to leave. If school is cancelled for any reason, then the library will not have programming. For safety and liability reasons, we ask that children do **NOT** play outside on library property.

Please make arrangements for your child(ren) to be picked up at the library promptly after programming at 4:00PM. If you have any questions or concerns, you can call the library at 515-859-3820. You may also like our Facebook page at [facebook.com/aldenpubliclibrary](https://www.facebook.com/aldenpubliclibrary) to keep up with activities and changes to programming!

Thank you,

Elaine Bahr, Youth Services Director

Attached : Tentative Fall 2018 Schedule