

PRIME TIME FAMILY READING TIME®

FREE Family Reading Program

Listen to Stories Talk about Books

Families with children aged 6 and older will enjoy discussing children's stories about friendship, curiosity, and respect.

**Saturdays @ 10:30 a.m.
Sept. 24 – Oct. 29, 2011**

Peter White Public Library
217 N. Front Street
Marquette, Michigan

**Call Lynette at 226-4318
to sign up today!**

Healthy snacks provided.





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Dear Parent:

You are invited to attend a fun and exciting reading program at the Peter White Public Library. The program, called PRIME TIME FAMILY READING TIME®, is designed for families to help their children improve reading skills and enjoy reading together.

There are many things that families and friends can do to both encourage and help a child's interest and skill in reading. PRIME TIME is a special six-week program of storytelling, reading, and discussion for **parents and children aged 6 to 12**. PRIME TIME doesn't just help to improve reading skills; it also helps families learn to talk about books in ways that increase classroom success. The programs are free and transportation assistance is available. Special story-times will be offered simultaneously for younger brothers and sisters, 3 to 5 years old.

Programs are presented by a discussion leader and a storyteller who use award-winning children's books to:

- encourage parents and children to read and talk about books as a family activity;
- show them how to identify and discuss the ideas and values in children's books;
- help parents and children learn how to choose books and use library resources.

Families who want to participate must pre-register by completing the attached form and returning it to the Peter White Public Library, 217 N. Front Street, Marquette, MI 49855. Call the library at 226-4318 for more information. PRIME TIME programs will be held every Saturday, September 24 through October 29 from 10:30 am to Noon. A healthy lunch will be provided during the program. Join us for six weeks of stories, new friends, and fun!

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