Orphan Train Related Materials

Orphan Train Riders - Nonfiction
- Emily's Story: the Brave Journey of an Orphan Train Rider by Clark Kidder
- Mail-order Kid: An Orphan Train Rider’s Story by Marilyn June Coffey
- Orphan Trains and Their Precious Cargo: the Life’s Work of Rev. H.D. Clarke by Herman D. Clarke
- The Orphan Trains: Placing Out in America by Marilyn Irvin Holt
- Orphan Trains: the Story of Charles Loring Brace and the Children He Saved and Failed by Stephen O'Connor

Orphan Train Riders - Fiction
- My Notorious Life by Kate Manning

Orphans - Nonfiction
- Alone in the World: Orphans and Orphanages by Catherine Reef

Foster Children - Fiction
- The Language of Flowers: A Novel by Vanessa Diffenbaugh
- White Oleander: A Novel by Janet Fitch

Makeshift Families
- Plainsong by Kent Haruf
- The Orchardist by Amanda Coplin

Childhood - Nonfiction
- Children of the Great Depression by Russell Freedman

History and Background
- Dawn of the Century: 1900-1910 (Our American Century)
- End of Innocence, 1910-1920 (Our American Century)
- The Greatest Generation Grows Up: American Childhood in the 1930s by Kriste Lindenmeyer
- Hard times, the 30s (Our American Century)
- The Heritage of North American Steam Railroads: From the First Days of Steam Power to the Present by Brian Solomon
**Fox Cities Reads Events**

**February 3 | 6:30 pm**  
**Kaukauna Public Library**  
History at the Library. A demonstration and run through of the resources available for use in this library’s Local History Room.

**February 23 | 6:30 pm**  
**Little Chute Public Library**  
Evening Book Club discusses Orphan Train.

**March 5 | 6:00 pm**  
**Kimberly Public Library**  
Emily’s Story: The Brave Journey of an Orphan Train Rider. Presented by Clark Kidder, Wisconsin author.

**March 10 | 6:30 pm**  
**Kimberly Public Library**  
Foster Care in the Fox Cities. Andrea Lemke-Rochon, Foster Care Coordinator for Outagamie & Calumet County Foster Care Programs, will discuss foster care in our region.

**March 17 | 2:00 pm**  
**Menasha Public Library**  
Nonfiction Book Club discusses Orphan Train.

**March 19 | 1:00 pm**  
**Kimberly Public Library**  
Afternoon Book Club discusses Orphan Train.

**March 24 | 6:30 pm**  
**Kaukauna Public Library**  
You Think You Can Write: Historical Fiction and Nonfiction.

**March 31 | 6:30 pm**  
**Kaukauna Public Library**  
Foster Care in the Fox Cities. Andrea Lemke-Rochon, Foster Care Coordinator for Outagamie & Calumet County Foster Care Programs, will discuss foster care in our region.

**April 2 | 7:00 pm**  
**Appleton Public Library**  
Foster Care in the Fox Cities. Andrea Lemke-Rochon, Foster Care Coordinator for Outagamie & Calumet County Foster Care Programs, will discuss foster care in our region.

**April 9 | 6:30 pm**  
**Kaukauna Public Library**  
Facts Behind the Fiction: Orphan Trains. A brief look into the history behind the novel.

**April 14 | 10:00 am**  
**Kaukauna Public Library**  
Book discussion of Orphan Train.

**April 20 | 2:00 pm**  
**Kaukauna High School**  
Q&A discussion with Orphan Train author Christina Baker Kline.

**April 20 | 6:30 pm**  
**Neenah Public Library**  
Multimedia presentation given by Orphan Train author Christina Baker Kline.

**April 21 | 12:00 pm**  
**UW-Fox Valley**  
Multimedia presentation given by Orphan Train author Christina Baker Kline.

**April 21 | 4:00 pm**  
**Appleton Public Library**  
Fox Cities Book Festival author mixer.

**April 21 | 6:30 pm**  
**History Museum at the Castle**  
Christina Baker Kline, author of Orphan Train, will give a presentation on historical research and writing.