Hatch Happenings
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What do you do when the temperature is 101 and the heat index is 105 degrees? You come to the library to get cool, that's what! Find a quiet spot to read magazines, newspapers or your favorite book or go to the computer lab to spend some time and chill out.

We are into the third week of our Summer Reading Program and we still have many activities the whole family can enjoy.

Congratulations to Sarah Schiller, winner of the "Constellation Contest!" Sarah was one of many who guessed that the picture in our contest was the "big dipper." This week is going to be a little harder so be prepared to look it up in a star book!

Thursday, July 12, children and their favorite stuffed animal are invited to come to the library at 6:30 pm for "Bedtime Stories." Kids can come in their pajamas, listen to nighttime stories and tuck their animals in for a library sleepover. Animals may be picked up on Friday, July 13 along with a report of their evening antics. Only one stuffed animal per child. Parents—please make sure that your child can sleep without his friend for the night!

Join us at 11:00 am on Friday, July 13 when Dan Peterson from the Necedah Wildlife Refuge will be on hand to present a fascinating program on "Creatures of the Night."

Adults haven't been left out this summer! June 25th through August 3rd, patrons 16 and older can participate in our Adult Summer Reading Program, "Never Stop Dreaming!" For each book you read, you can enter to win some great weekly prize drawings.

Stay cool and "reach for the stars!"