Trimming the library tree

The holiday spirit abounds at Scenic Regional Library of Owensville. A event titled “Help Us Trim Our Tree” kicked off on Wednesday, Dec. 25, bringing in a few teens who helped make Christmas ornaments and garland out of old books for the library – and some to take home. The Friends of the Library assisted Sheri White with this event. Currently on display at the library through the month of December are Santa Claus figurines in the glass case in the front lobby. The Owensville library will be closed for the holidays on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year’s Eve and New Year’s Day. Activities at the library will start back up with a Voices of the Holocaust presentation at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 7. UP OWLS Storytime returning Wednesday, Jan. 8 at 10 a.m.; the first meeting of the Library Sci-Fi Club for ages 10 and up at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 9; and Read, Build, Play returning Saturday, Jan. 11 at 10:30 a.m. To register for events at the library, call 437-2188, visit the branch or online to sceniregional.org.

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