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Among Us

7:00-8:00PM

Facebook and Instagram!

New Adults



TECH CLASSES

Register online at mrrl.org/events/month

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1 | 6:00-7:30p.m. | Mark Twain Room Overdrive is one of the most popular apps for reading e-books and e-audiobooks, all for free with your library card. In this class, we'll learn how to download and navigate the app, and take a look at ways to customize your experience and make reading free books even more enjoyable. Registration required.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 | 6:00-7:30p.m. | Mark Twain Room Want an easy, user-friendly way to create graphics? Join us as we explore Canva, a graphic design platform that can be used to create posters, social media posts, and other visual content. Free to use with options for paid subscriptions, Canva is extremely intuitive software used by millions. Registration required.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8 | 6:30-7:45p.m. | Mark Twain Room Are you a blogger? Have you considered starting a blog? Would you like to connect with other bloggers? Join us for the Bloggers Belong session! The discussion will be led by Melanie A. Peters of www.intentergy.com. Registration required.

GROW WITH GOOGLE: POWER YOUR JOB SEARCH

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9 | 9:00-10:00a.m. | Virtual Join Bryan Caplan, Speaker for Grow with Google, for an info-packed webinar dedicated to helping you find your dream job. In this 60-minute session, you will learn to discover new job opportunities using Google Search, and learn how to organize and enhance your job search experience using Google tools.

In this session we'll discuss best practices for:

- Discovering career opportunities using Job Search on Google
- Using Google Sheets to track the progress of job applications
- Creating a resume using Google Docs

OOGLE DRIVE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 | 6:00-7:30p.m. | Virtual Google Drive has a lot of components. Luckily, the library can help you navigate it! In this class, we will teach you on how to use Drive, with step-by-step instructions on how to upload, send, and organize files, and other tips and tricks to streamline your experience. Please note that this class is virtual! Registration required.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22 | 6:00-7:30p.m. | Mark Twain

Twitter is a popular social media app that millions of people around the world use every day. Learn how to use it effectively in this virtual class! We'll go over the basics of usage, from posting your own tweets to following interesting hashtags. Registration required.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 | 5:30-7:30p.m. | Mark Twain

Are you interested in learning more about your ancestors? Then come to our Genealogy class! We'll go over different databases you can use to find past family members, and help you begin to develop your family tree. Registration required.

3D PRINTING: THE BASICS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30 | 6:00-7:30p.m. | Mark Twain Room Interested in 3-D printing, but don't know where to start? Then this class is for you! We'll go over the basics of printing, from types of printers you can buy, to what software you need to get the job done. Registration required.

MUG PAINTING

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Monday, November 1 5:00-6:30p.m. | Truman Room

Learn how to decorate mugs with oil based sharpies that will be dishwasher safe! Take home 2 mugs of your own!



BOARD GAME NIGHT: WELCOME TO THE GAMER'S GUILD!

Tuesday, November 2 (Ages 12+) 5:30-8:00p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

For any and all teens and adults who love to game, this evening is for you! Bring your favorite board game or come learn one of the many games the library owns! We will focus on one board game type each month.Come learn to play or pick one of our many other games!



KNITTING & CROCHETING

Tuesday, November 2 6:00-8:00p.m. | Truman Room

Knitters, crocheters, and fiber artists of all types are welcome. In case of inclement weather, we will meet in the Truman Room.



YOGA

Wednesdays, November 3, 10, & 17 5:30-6:30p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery Thursdays, November 4 & 18 9:30-10:30a.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Rejuvenate your mind and body. All shapes, sizes, and abilities are welcome. Bring a mat (or towel) to class if you have one, but these are not required. Drop-ins welcome. No charge - library program.



POETRY NIGHT: THE VOICE WITHIN US

Wednesday, November 3 6:45-7:45p.m. | Mark Twain Room

An informal group for poetry lovers. Participants are encouraged to bring in their favorite poem or poems to read aloud, followed by group discussion. Participants are also encouraged to bring poetry they have written themselves to read aloud. Poetry writers are given constructive criticism with discussion. This is a non-judgmental participating group. Open to ages 17 and up.



ALCOHOL INK ART

Thursday, November 4 6:00-8:00p.m. | Truman Room

Alcohol ink art is a beautiful, mesmerizing way to express your creativity. Join us while local artist Holly Grantham demonstrates and teaches about this gorgeous medium. Every participant will make their own pieces to bring home!



FIRST FRIDAY FILM: 12 ANGRY MEN

Friday, November 5

7:00-9:00p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

This classic 1957 film deals with issues still relevant today in its portrayal of jurors in a murder case against a teenager accused of killing his father. The twelfth juror stands out in his belief of the defendant's innocence. Leading the powerhouse cast is Henry Fonda, Lee J. Cobb, Ed Begley and Jack Klugman. Critics have called this film a masterpiece, and "one of the best films ever made" (The Hollywood Reporter).

DID YOU MISS A VIRTUAL PROGRAM?

No worries, you can see our virtual video archives at www.mrrl.org/virtual-programs



VIRTUAL DIY HOMESTEADING

Monday, November 8 6:30-7:00p.m. | Virtual Program

Have you ever been interested in homesteading? Do you want to reduce the amount of chemicals in your home and food? Are you trying to go plastic free? Join us each month for a hands-on (virtual!) class where we'll learn how to DIY various items for your home. This month we are making fabric scrap wreaths. Please email Mariah at luebberingm@mrrl.org for more information.

AUTHOR TALK

AUTHOR TALK: BILL CLEVLEN

Thursday, November 9 6:30-8:00p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

National travel journalist and author Bill Clevlen will discuss his new book, Finding the American Dream: A Guided Tour of Places Where Americans Changed History. The book profiles 70 well-known Americans--inventors, leaders, entertainers and cultural figures--who overcame odds to achieve success in many fields. His book will be available for sale and signing after the program.



POP UP BOOK SALE: CHILDREN'S AND ADULT NON-FICTION

November 12-15

Join us for a pop-up used book sale in the Library Art Gallery (on our second floor). We will be featuring children's and adult nonfiction. Hardbacks are \$2 and paperbacks are \$1.

There will be a box sale on Monday with \$5 for a small box and \$8 for a large box.



LOOSELY BOUND BOOK CLUB

Monday, November 15 6:00-7:30p.m. | Truman Room

Looking for your next great read? Join us at our newest book club! Instead of reading the same book each month, members read a book related to the theme of the month. This month's theme is "it's all about the food!" Feel free to interpret that however you like! We can't wait to hear what you read! Discussion and recommendations abound! Ages 18 and up.



COSPLAY CREATIONS

Tuesday, November 16 6:00-7:00p.m. | Truman Room

Learn the ins and outs of cosplay. Come meet others with a love for being creative and unique. With local cosplayer, Shiloh Luebbering, we will explore make-up, wigs, the uses of 3D printing, and how to make your dream costume come true.



VIRTUAL DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

Thursday, November 18 Ages 12+

6:00-8:30p.m. | Virtual Program

Are you an adventurer at heart? Play Dungeons & Dragons with us online! You might stomp your way through an army of orcs, or go on a noble quest to rescue a whole town. You decide! (This program will be virtual for the foreseeable future. Please contact Megan at mehmertm@mrrl.org for more information or to sign up.)



A library is a place vibrating with ideas.

-Nancy Kunhardt Lodge



FRENCH FIDDLE TUNES AND TALL TALES: THE FRENCH CREOLE STORY

Monday, November 20 1:30-3:00p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Fiddler and cultural historian Dennis
Stroughnatt became acquainted with the
historically French Creole community of Old
Mines, Missouri, as a student three decades
ago and learned the community's music and
folklore from its tradition-bearers. He is now
recognized as one of the foremost experts
of French Creole culture of North America,
especially that of the old Illinois Country
(encompassing much of present-day Illinois,
Missouri and Indiana). Via 300-year-old
songs and stories, this program will take the
listener on a fascinating trip through the
French Creole history of Missouri.



Co-hosted with Missouri Humanities.



LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES: THE SILENCING OF GENERATIONAL TRAUMA: BLACK FEMALE STUDENTS & GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN COLLEGE

Monday, November 22 6:30-8:00p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

In 2011, the Obama Administration initiated long-overdue conversations around campus-based sexual violence, gender-based discrimination and sexual harassment. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 requires schools (K-12 and higher education) to develop, communicate, and implement policies and practices to respond to and prevent gender-based discrimination. Over the last 10 years, more and more students have found the courage to speak up regarding their peers' experiences and experiences of their own. However, Black female students are among the population least likely to report incidents, seek help or name their offender. Zakiya Brown is a doctoral student at Northcentral University and dean of students and Title IX coordinator at Lincoln University. She will describe her research findings and the impact of generational trauma on Black female survivors of campus-based sexual violence reporting behaviors.

NEW ADULT ANIME EVENING

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Wednesday, November 29 Ages 18 +

6:00-7:30p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Are you a Millennial, Zillennial, Gen X, Y, or Z? Join us to watch some of the best anime with others who appreciate it!



FICTION @ NOON

Tuesday, November 30 12:00-1:00 p.m. | Mark Twain Room

Fiction at Noon is an adult book discussion group where critically acclaimed works of fiction are chosen and discussed every other month. This month we are reading *The Supremes* by Edward Kelsey Moore.



GIVING TUESDAY

Tuesday, November 30

Library service in our community dates back to 1898 when a subscription library was founded. In 1899, two prominent Jefferson City residents decided to approach Andrew Carnegie in hopes of securing a monetary gift to build the city's first free public library.

Last year, supporters like you, along with matching funds from Central Bank, raised more than \$12,000 for virtual services, new online resources, and locker systems throughout the counties.

To achieve the Library's full potential, we need your help. A donation to the MRRL Foundation this year is a donation for the Library's future. Together, we can write a new story. A story we all can tell. A story where the library building finally fulfills its original destiny for a third floor. A story that will continue to unfold over the next 50 years.

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