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16	17 CLOSED Martin Luther King Jr. Day	18 One on One Technology Instruction 9:00AM-12:00PM	19 Grow with Google 9:00-10:00AM Lego Block Party 4:00-5:30PM	20 Front Porch Youth Book Club 4:30-5:30PM	21 Story Time 10:30-11:15AM Paint and Sip 6:00-9:00PM	22 Book Bingo 10:00-11:00AM
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* A Kids, Teens, and New Adults Winter Reading Program will be offered December 17-January 21. Sign up online at mrrl.readsquared.com to join today.

* An Adults Winter Reading Program will be offered January 1-March 4. Sign up online at mrrl.readsquared.com to join today.

JANUARY 2022
OSAGE COUNTY LIBRARY

winter **WORDS**
ADULT READING CLUB
JANUARY 1- MARCH 4
Submit Your Titles Online at mrrl.readsquared.com

Gentle **YOGA**
Monday, January 24 | 5:00-6:00PM

Happy New Year! **2022**
JAN 01 **CLOSED**
I HAVE A **DREAM**
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY
JAN 17 **CLOSED**

TECH CLASSES

Register Online at mrrl.org/events/month

ONE ON ONE TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTION TUESDAYS | 9:00a.m.-12:00p.m. | Virtual or In Person

Are you interested in learning how to better navigate the internet, become comfortable with computers or learn how to use a software program? One-on-one technology instruction is available through the library with an information technology specialist. Reservations are required and time slots are limited to 45 minute sessions. Having specific goals in mind helps staff tailor to your needs. These sessions are now available in person, but are also available virtually if needed. Please email millerb@mrrl.org or call 573-634-6064 ext. 257 to make an appointment.

INTERNET SECURITY AND SCAM PREVENTION WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5 | 4:00-5:00p.m. | Osage Branch Classroom

We will be discussing the world of internet scams and how to avoid them as well as how to identify them. The scams targeting our elders are getting more inventive and convincing so it's imperative to stay secure while browsing online and staying connected to family.

GENEALOGY THURSDAY, JANUARY 6 | 2:30-4:30p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

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.

BLOGGING FOR BEGINNERS WITH MELANIE PETERS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12 | 6:00-7:00p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Join us for this free, in-person session on blogging and what it takes to be a blogger. Bring your ideas and questions and prepare to start your blogging journey. You are welcome to bring your own device to use during the program. Hosted by Melanie A. Peters of www.intentergy.com.

GROW WITH GOOGLE: POWER YOUR JOB SEARCH WITH GOOGLE TOOLS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19 | 9:00-10:00 a.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

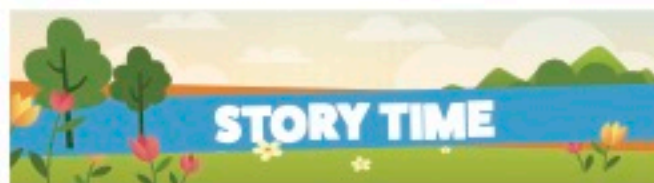
children



READING HEROES

MONDAYS | 2:00-5:30p.m. Every Half Hour | Osage Branch Classroom

Reading Heroes is a program providing one-on-one reading enrichment sessions for kids who've completed grades K-2. These sessions are led by a retired reading teacher and are available in half hour increments from 2:00 - 5:30 p.m. with the last session beginning at 5:00 p.m. Registration is required. Please call the Osage Branch at 573-897-2951 to enroll your child and feel free to email jettm@mrrl.org for more information or questions about this program.



STORY TIME

FRIDAYS | 10:30-11:15 a.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Join us in the Woodland Art Gallery of the Osage Branch for stories, songs and a whole lot of fun! Recommended for preschool ages. No reservations needed.



SENSORY PLAY DAY (AGES 3 AND UNDER)

MONDAY, JANUARY 10 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Drop in and enjoy an open learning and play time featuring a variety of sensory and activity stations.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: SPACE JAM: A NEW LEGACY

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Join us for a family movie in our Art Gallery. We are watching Space Jam: A New Legacy. We will be serving popcorn to enjoy during the show. Blankets and pillows welcome!



LEGO BLOCK PARTY

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19 | 4:00-5:30 p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Stop by the library to enjoy free-building LEGO fun. We provide the bricks, you provide the imagination! Recommended for ages 5 and up. No reservations needed.



FRONT PORCH BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20 | 4:30-5:30 p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Read this month's book choice, then join us in the library's art gallery for book talk, snacks and good times. This month's title is Small Spaces by Catherine Arden. Free copies of the book are available for the first five participants at the library. Please sign up by emailing jettm@mrrl.org, or feel free to call us or stop by the front desk.



BOOK BINGO

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

An hour of bingo fun for the family. Winning cards earn book prizes! All ages are welcome and no reservations are needed.

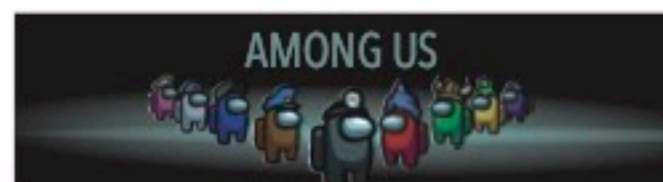
STORYBOOK LOOP @ THE OSAGE BRANCH

JANUARY 3-31 | Osage Branch Outdoor Area

We're creating a special seasonal storybook loop around the outdoor area of the Osage County Library.

Feel free to take a short spin around the yard while reading a festive tale displayed amid holiday decorations. A new story will be displayed in February. Seasons Readings!

teens (6th-12th grade)



AMONG US

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Virtual Program

Join us for an evening of Among Us! Register today and we'll email you a link to our Among Us Discord channel on the day of the event. If you've never played before, Among Us can be downloaded for free on mobile devices or purchased for PC online.

new adults



VIRTUAL DIY HOMESTEADING

MONDAY, JANUARY 10 | 6:00-7:00 p.m. | Facebook

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 will be making fire cider!

Please email Mariah at luebberingm@mrrl.org for more information.

18-25+

adults



FOCL BOOKSALE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15 | 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. | FOCL bookstore located in the library

Come and check out the Friends of the Osage County Library's book sale area and find deals on books, puzzles, DVDs and more! Call the Osage County branch at 573-897-2951 for more information.

Consider becoming a member of our Osage County Library support group- Friends of the Osage County Library (FOCL). Membership perks include invitations to future "Members Only" sales. Pick up a membership form today!

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PAINT AND SIP

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21 | 6:00-9:00 p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Join us for a relaxing evening of painting with local artist, Renee Hackmann. All materials will be provided to create a masterpiece that you can bring home with you at the end of the event. Wine will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. Space is limited, so be sure to register online or call the Osage County Library. You must be 21 + to attend.

Co-sponsored by the Friends of the Osage County Library



GENTLE YOGA

MONDAY, JANUARY 24 | 5:00-6:00 p.m. | Osage Branch Woodland Art Gallery

Join us at the Osage Branch to 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.