FOUNDATION TRIVIA FUNDRAISER
SUPPORT YOUR LIBRARY AND TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE!
$25 A TICKET
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7 | 5:30-10:00 PM | MRRL MAIN FLOOR

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 9TH

Music at the Library:
Katie Dancer
Thursday, October 19
6:30-7:30 PM

LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES:
BAD MOON RISING: ANTHROPOLOGY AND WEREWOLVES
MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 | 6:30-8:00PM
KNITTING & CROCHETING
Tuesday, October 3
6:00-7:45 p.m. | Truman Room

Come knit or crochet! We provide basic lessons and yarn, but you need to bring your own knitting needles or crochet hook. Ages: 16 and up (teens & adults).

UKULELE JAM SESSION
Thursday, October 5
1:15-2:45 p.m. | Truman Room
Thursday, October 19
6:15-7:45 p.m. | Truman Room

Spent some time having fun and making music. Regardless of your experience, bring a ukulele and join the group!

FIRST FRIDAY FILM: OFFICIAL SECRETS
Friday, October 6
7:00-9:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Based on true events, this film follows Katherine Gun, a British intelligence agent, and her decision to leak a shocking memo to the press, resulting in an international firestorm and exposing a vast political conspiracy. Keira Knightley and Ralph Fiennes star in this thriller set prior to the invasion of Iraq.

YOGA
Wednesdays
5:30-6:30 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery
Thursdays
9:30-10:30 a.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.

DROP-IN ELECTION LISTENING SESSIONS

PROPOSITION LIBRARY DROP-IN POST ELECTION LISTENING SESSIONS
Tuesday, October 10
6:00-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery
Wednesday, October 18
2:00-4:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery
Monday, October 30
9:00-11:00 a.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

As the library Board of Trustees and Administration begins to regroup and move forward post-election, director Claudia Young wants to hear from you. Please drop by to share your ideas, opinions, and feedback on expanding library service in our community.

Choose from one of three opportunities.

Shelf Indulgence Book Club

SHELF INDULGENCE
Wednesday, October 4
6:00-7:30 p.m. | Truman Room

Looking for avid readers and stimulating conversation? You’ve found us! A new book will be selected each month to discuss. Librarians at the Information Desk are available to help find a copy for each attendee! Indulge yourself and dig into some great literature with other book lovers. Check with the reference desk or email luebberingm@mril.org to see what books are coming up!

Kanopy is now available at your public library!
Over 30,000 movies, documentaries, and kid favorites

“"A library is a place vibrating with ideas.”
—Nancy Kushardt Lodge
**Afternoon Creative Club**

**Thursday, October 12**
1:30-4:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Every now and then an afternoon needs to be dedicated to creative, relaxing endeavors. Join us at the library's new Afternoon Creative Club where you can meet other gamers and crafters. Enjoy collaborating on jigsaw puzzles, playing Scrabble, or learning a new crafting hobby. The library will provide games and art material, you bring the fun and willingness to try something new!

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**Dungeons and Dragons**

**Thursdays, October 12 & 26**
Ages 12+
6:00-9:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery & Truman Room

Are you an adventurer at heart? Play Dungeons & Dragons with us! The excitement is real and the escapades are never-ending! You might stomp your way through an army of orcs, or go on a noble quest to rescue a whole town. You decide!

Whether you are a long-time adventurer or brand new to the game, you are welcome to join us.

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**Loosely Bound Book Club**

**Monday, October 16**
Ages 18+
6:00-7:30 p.m. | Truman Room

Looking for your next great read? Instead of reading the same book each month, members read a book of their own choice related to the theme of the month. This month’s theme is “something wicked.” Feel free to interpret that however you like! We can’t wait to hear what you read! Discussions and recommendations abound! Ages 18 and up.

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**Music at the Library**

**Muisc AT THE LIBRARY: KATIE DANCER**

**Thursday, October 19**
6:30-7:30 p.m. | Truman Room

Join local musician Katie Dancer for a program of flute music in a variety of genres. Katie holds an undergraduate degree in music education and began her career as an instrumental music teacher and soon after launched a private flute studio that remains active today. She then completed a graduate degree in performance from the University of Missouri-Columbia, studying with Professor Alice Dade and performing with the University Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, and Flute Choir. Since then, she has performed with the Missouri Symphony Orchestra (2012-present), Odyssey Chamber Music Series, Howard & Smith Flute & Guitar Duo, and the Southside Philharmonic Orchestra. She also enjoys collaborating with other professional musicians to provide music for weddings, festivals, recitals, and other special events.

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**LU-MRRL Lecture Series**

**LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES: BAD MOON RISING: ANTHROPOLOGY AND WEREWOLVES**

**Monday, October 23**
6:30-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Humans have been fascinated and terrified by monsters for millennia. One of the enduring myths is the werewolf, a human that purportedly transforms into a wolf. Or does it? The multitude of tales concerning these creatures were and continue to be woven into our histories, medical diagnoses, and even our past and current moralities, guiding human behaviors and interactions in both positive and negative ways. Join Dr. Christine Elisabeth Boston, associate professor of anthropology and sociology, as she takes a bite out of what the European notions of werewolves tell us about these societies and cultures throughout the ages and what it means to be human (and inhuman) today.

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**Adult Crafts**

**ADULT CRAFTS**

**ADULT CRAFT: WOODEN MASON JAR HANGER**

**Tuesday, October 24**
1:00-2:45 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Join us as we create a wooden mason jar wall/door hanging! Each participant will get a mason jar to decorate with paint, and other various crafting materials. Bring out your inner artist and make a fun decoration for your house!

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**ADULT CRAFTS**

**ADULT CRAFT: DECOUPAGE WITH SHERRY KING**

**Tuesday, October 24**
6:00-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Join us as guest presenter Sherry King shows us some decoupage techniques!

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**Bookbox**

**A Free Book Subscription with Your Library Card!**


Check out the library’s version of a subscription box! Simply fill out a form, and a selector will choose 3-5 books for you based on your preferences. The books will be placed on hold for you for one week. You will receive an email once the books are ready to be picked up. Book boxes are for all ages! Please fill out a separate form for each person. Forms can be picked up at the library or filled out online. Visit [www.mrrl.org/mrrl-book-box](http://www.mrrl.org/mrrl-book-box)

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**DID YOU MISS A VIRTUAL PROGRAM?**

No worries, you can see our virtual video archives at [www.mrrl.org/virtual-programs](http://www.mrrl.org/virtual-programs)
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**KEY**

- Adults
- Computer
- Kids
- Teens
- Outreach

**Month Long Programs:**
- Teen Tiny Art Show On Display 10/2-11/30
- Bob Colvin Photography Exhibit On Display 10/2-12/31

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