

OCTOBER
2023

ADULTS

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



Mu[♩]ic at the Library: *Katie Dancer*

Thursday, October 19
6:30-7:30^{PM}

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KATIE DANCER



LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES:
BAD MOON RISING:
ANTHROPOLOGY AND WEREWOLVES
MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 | 6:30-8:00PM



Programs for adults at the Missouri River Regional Library

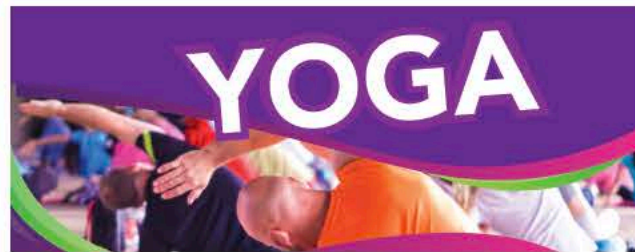


KNITTING & CROCHETING

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).



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.



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@mrml.org to see what books are coming up!



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

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



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.

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Films that matter



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.



FOUNDATION FALL TRIVIA FUNDRAISER

Saturday, October 7

5:30-10:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Join the MRRL Foundation at the 2nd Annual Trivia Night! Test your knowledge on a variety of topics while supporting the Library!

Drinks and desserts provided. Bring your own snacks to enjoy!

Doors open at 5:30pm, Trivia will start at 6:00pm.

\$25/ticket or \$300 for a table sponsorship (includes 8 tickets plus marketing at the event and on the library's social media/website)!

Want to play?
Register here!



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A library is a place
vibrating with ideas.

—Nancy Kunhardt Lodge

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Afternoon Creative Club

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!



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.

Music at the Library

MUSIC 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.

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

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.



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!



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!

DID YOU MISS A VIRTUAL PROGRAM?

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

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Lego Block Party
6:00-7:00PM
Pizza and Pages
6:45-7:45PM

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Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Meet the Author:
Jamie Sumner!
5:30-7:00PM
Knitting and Crocheting @ MRRL
6:00-7:45PM

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Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Tail Waggin' Tutors
11:00AM-12:00PM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM
Shelf Indulgence
6:00-7:30PM

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Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Ukulele Jam Session
1:15-2:45PM

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Rhyme Time
9:30-10:00AM,
10:15-10:45AM, &
11:00-11:30AM
First Friday Film
7:00-9:00PM

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Pokemon Card Playing Day
11:00AM-12:30PM
Foundation Fall Fundraiser
5:30-10:00PM

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Month Long Programs:

Teen Tiny Art Show
On Display 10/2-11/30

Bob Colvin Photography Exhibit
On Display 10/2-12/31

CLOSED
Staff Day

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How to Delete Yourself from the Internet
10:00-11:30AM
Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Novel Ideas
6:45-7:45PM
Proposition Library Drop-In
Post Election Listening Sessions
6:00-8:00PM

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Kidsight Free Vision Screening for Children
10:00-11:00AM
Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM
Evening Family Story Time
6:00-6:30PM

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Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Afternoon Creative Club
1:30-4:00PM
Dungeons & Dragons
6:00-9:00PM

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Sensory Play Day
10:15-11:00AM

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Teen After Hours
6:00-8:30PM

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Family Book Bingo
6:00-7:00PM
Loosely Bound Book Club
6:00-7:30PM

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Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Library Escape!
5:30-6:30PM &
6:45-7:45PM
How to Market for the Holidays
6:00-7:30PM

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Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Proposition Library Drop-In
Post Election Listening Sessions
2:00-4:00PM
Tail Waggin' Tutors
3:00-4:00PM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM

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Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Teen Anime Club
4:30-6:00PM
Bookworms
5:30-6:00PM
Ukulele Jam Session
6:15-7:45PM
Music at the Library!
6:30-7:30PM

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Rhyme Time
9:30-10:00AM,
10:15-10:45AM, &
11:00-11:30AM

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Kids After School: Pet Rocks
4:00-5:30PM
Chess Club
6:00-7:30PM
LU-MRRL Lecture Series
6:30-8:00PM

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Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Adult Craft
1:00-2:45PM
Genealogy
5:45-7:45PM
Adult Craft
6:00-8:00PM
Among Us
7:00-8:00PM

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Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM

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Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Minecraft @ MRRL
4:00-5:30PM
Dungeons & Dragons
6:00-9:00PM

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Family Movie Night
6:00-8:00PM

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Proposition Library Drop-In
Post Election Listening Sessions
9:00-11:00AM
Teen Monster Bash
6:00-7:30PM
Using Free Video Editing Software
6:00-7:30PM

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Happy Halloween!

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Trick or Treat at the Library
9:00AM-6:00PM
Halloween Storytime
10:30-11:00AM



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