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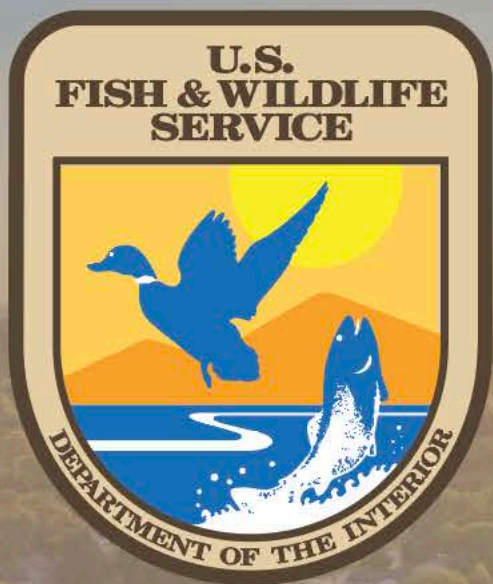
Winter Weather Preparation Workshop

Monday, November 6 | 6:00-7:00PM
Mark Twain Room

THE LIBRARY WILL BE

**CLOSED
FOR VETERAN'S DAY**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH



Big Muddy Fish and Wildlife Refuge

Thursday, November 16 | 6:30-8:00PM | MRRL Art Gallery

THE LIBRARY WILL
BE CLOSED FOR

Thanksgiving

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CLOSING EARLY 5PM

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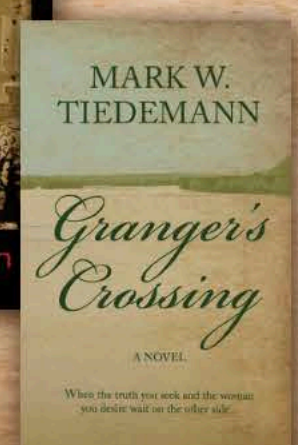
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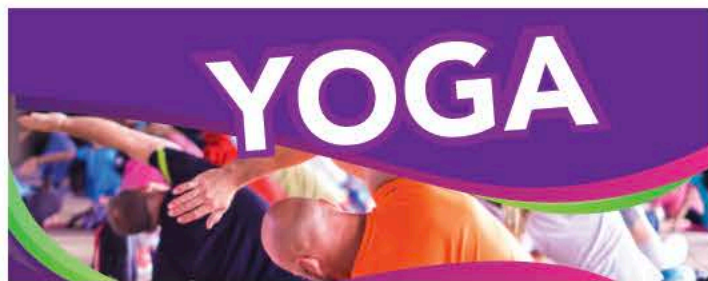
Missouri Historical Fiction

Thursday, November 30 | 6:30-8:00PM

MRRL Art Gallery



Programs for adults at the Missouri River Regional Library



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, November 1

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, November 2

1:15-2:45 p.m. | Truman Room

Thursday, November 16

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!



FIRST FRIDAY FILM: COME SEE THE PARADISE

Friday, November 3

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

In 1936, intermarriage is illegal in California. Jack McGurn and Lily Kawamura elope to Seattle where they have a daughter. When Pearl Harbor is attacked, Lily, her family, and thousands of other Japanese-Americans are "relocated" to internment camps. Jack tries desperately to keep his family together, but the grim specter of war threatens to tear them apart.

Dennis Quaid and Tamlyn Tomita star in this powerful film.



PUZZLE AND BOARD GAME SWAP

Saturday, November 4

11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Same old puzzles and games got you down? Ready for a new one? If so, clean off that puzzle and game shelf and exchange them to keep your collection fresh! We will have tables set up for puzzles of all difficulties (kids to 1000+ pieces) as well as a table for games for you to "shop" from. Come get some new-to-you puzzles and games to give you a fun way to bond during those upcoming holiday festivities!

Please make sure that all puzzles and games have all the pieces before the event.



WINTER WEATHER PREPARATION WORKSHOP

Monday, November 6

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

Winter is coming! Are you ready for it? Join us as Nicholas Tietz, Emergency Management Director for Cole County, presents how to make sure that your house and vehicle are ready for the winter season ahead.



DESIGNING HOLIDAY CARDS WITH CANVA

Tuesday, November 7

6:00-7:30 p.m. | Truman Room

Want an easy, user-friendly way to create holiday cards for your friends and family? Join us as we explore Canva, a graphic design platform that can be used to create cards, social media posts, and other visual content for professional and personal use. Free to use with options for paid subscriptions, Canva is extremely intuitive software used by millions. Attend virtually or in person. Registration required.



KNITTING & CROCHETING

Tuesday, November 7

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).



AFTERNOON CREATIVE CLUB

Thursday, November 9

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

Thursday, November 9

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.



ADULT ART CLUB

Monday, November 13

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

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GET ACTIVE! WITH THE NEWS TRIBUNE

Thursday, November 16

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. | Mark Twain Room

Stop by the library to activate your News Tribune digital subscription and learn more about the News Tribune's app, website and newsletters. News Tribune staff will be there to answer any questions and help you "Get Active!"

BIG MUDDY FISH AND WILDLIFE REFUGE

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Thursday, November 16

6:30-8:00 | MRRL Art Gallery

Established in September 1994, the Big Muddy Fish and Wildlife Refuge is part of the national Wildlife Refuge System.

Tim Haller, park ranger at the Big Muddy, will explain the refuge's history, development, and purpose to restore a natural flood plain habitat for fish and wildlife.



LOOSELY BOUND BOOK CLUB

Monday, November 20

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 "books about books." 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.

LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES

LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES: STUDENT READING

Monday, November 27

6:30-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

This program will feature readings from the work of students in Eli Burrell's Creative Writing classes.

Burrell is a member of Lincoln University's English faculty.



FICTION AT NOON

Tuesday, November 28

12:00-1:00 p.m. | Truman Room

This month we are asking that everyone bring a favorite 2023 book and food dish to share with the rest of the group. Discussion leaders, Claudia and Kathy, will be hosting the annual holiday luncheon.



DIY HOLIDAY CARD MAKING

Tuesday, November 28

1:00-2:45 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

6:00-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Get a head start on the upcoming holiday season as we make some handmade holiday cards! Everyone will get to make 3 cards to take home.

MISSOURI HISTORICAL FICTION

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Thursday, November 30

6:30-8:00 p.m. | MRRL Art Gallery

Two Missouri authors will discuss their new historical fiction titles:

The Black Harvest: A Novel of the Civil War by Daren Dean takes readers into a group of bushwhackers who continue to fight in the spirit of stubborn defiance the Show Me state became known for. Dean teaches English at Lincoln University and is the author of several novels. His short fiction has been nominated for the Pushcart Prize three times and shortlisted for the Missouri Author Award.

Granger's Crossing, by Mark Tiedemann, is set in the aftermath of the Battle of St. Louis in 1780. The author is a native of St. Louis and a longtime bookseller at Left Bank Books. He is the author of Compass Reach and other speculative fiction titles.

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- 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

Lego Block Party
6:00-7:00PM
Winter Weather Preparation Workshop
6:00-7:00PM
Pizza & Pages
6:45-7:45PM

Teen Art Club
5:30-7:00PM
Adult Art Club
7:00-9:00PM

Facebook for Beginners
10:30-11:45AM
Loosely Bound Book Club
6:00-7:30PM
Adult TBA
6:30-8:00PM

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

Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Designing Holiday Cards with Canva
6:00-7:30PM
Knitting & Crocheting at MRRL
6:00-7:45PM
Adult TBA
6:30-8:00PM

Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
How to Back Up Computer Files
6:00-7:00PM
Author Lecture TBA
6:30-7:30PM
Novel Ideas
6:45-7:45PM

Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Teen Makers @ MRRL: Pouring Cups
6:00-7:30PM
Kids STEAM Night: Snap Circuits
6:30-7:30PM

Preschool Storytime
10:30-11:00AM
Fiction at Noon
12:00-1:00PM
DIY Holiday Card Making
1:00-2:45PM
Genealogy
5:45-7:45PM
DIY Holiday Card Making
6:00-8:00PM

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

Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM
Evening Family Story Time
6:00-6:30PM

Kidsight Free Vision Screening for Children
10:00-11:00AM
Family Story Time
10:30-11:30AM
Tail Waggin' Tutors
3:00-4:00PM
Yoga
5:30-6:30PM

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10:30-11:30AM

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10:30-11:30AM
Yoga
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9:30-10:30AM
Ukulele Jam Session
1:15-2:45PM
Meet the Author: Jared Reck
6:00-7:30PM

Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Afternoon Creative Club
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Dungeons & Dragons
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Get Active! With the News Tribune
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4:30-6:00PM
Bookworms
5:30-6:00PM
Ukulele Jam Session
6:15-7:45PM

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Thanksgiving Holiday

Yoga
9:30-10:30AM
Missouri Historical Fiction
6:30-8:00PM

Rhyme Time
9:30-10:00AM, 10:15-10:45AM, & 11:00-11:30AM
Family Book Bingo in Taos
6:00-7:00PM
First Friday Film
7:00-9:00PM

Sensory Play Day
10:15-11:00AM

Rhyme Time
9:30-10:00AM, 10:15-10:45AM, & 11:00-11:30AM
Family Movie Night
6:00-8:00PM

Big Muddy Fish and Wildlife Refuge
6:30-8:00PM

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Thanksgiving Holiday

Pokemon Card Playing Day
11:00AM-12:30PM
Puzzle and Board Game Swap
11:00AM-1:00PM

CLOSED
Veteran's Day

Teen After Hours
6:00-8:30PM

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