MARCH 2020

SUN  1 Read Across America Day 10:30AM-1:30PM
2 Block Party 6:30-7:30PM
3 Pizza & Pages 7:00-8:00PM
MON  2 Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM
TUE  3 Family Story Time 10:30-11:30AM
4 Ancestry.com* 1:00-4:00PM
5 S.A.G.A. 4:30-5:30PM
6 Yoga 5:30-6:30PM
WED  4 Yoga 9:00-10:00AM
5 ERIC Database 10:00-3:30PM
6 Make It @ Mrrl: Purr Painting 6:00-8:00PM
THU  5 Rhyme Time 10:00-10:30AM
6 First Friday Film: Motherless Brooklyn 7:00-8:30PM
FRI  6 Origami: Movement Exercises with Meditation 9:00-11:00AM
SAT  7 Origami: Movement Exercises with Meditation 9:00-11:00AM

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KIDS & TEENS

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BOOK SALE

DIY Homesteading 6:30-7:30PM
LU-MRRL Lecture Series: Fake News and You 7:00-8:30PM

KINDERRANC WITH MIDMO CONSERVATORY OF DANCE

10 10:30-11:15AM

BODIES, MINDS, & SPIRITS

11 4:00-8:00PM

12 9:00-8:00PM

13 9:00-8:00PM

14 9:00-8:00PM

TEEN AFTER-HOURS

7:00-9:00PM

STEAM AFTERSCHOOL

15 4:00-5:30PM

16 6:00-7:30PM

17 6:00-7:30PM

18 7:00-8:30PM

MOVIE NIGHT: Knives Out 6:00-8:15PM

PRE-SCHOOL STORY TIME

22 10:30-11:00AM

23 10:30-11:00AM

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ART GALLERY

THURSDAY MARCH 5
6:00PM-8:00PM

THURSDAY MARCH 12
6:00PM-7:30PM

THURSDAY MARCH 19
7:00PM-8:30PM

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS JUNIOR!

This is Dungeons and Dragons, kid-style! This event is for young players who are not old enough to join the regular D&D event. Please register children only, but parents are welcome to watch! (Note: There are two sessions per month. Please only sign children up for one session per month; the campaign/story will be the same for both sessions!) Register at www.mrri.org.

TRUMAN ROOM

BOARD GAME NIGHT (6th-12th GRADE)

Come play board games with us! We’ve got a wide variety of games, from classics like Risk and Sorry to the soon-to-be-classics like UNstable Unicorns and Munchkin.

ART GALLERY

TUESDAY MARCH 10
10:30AM-11:15AM

TUESDAY MARCH 17
6:00PM-8:00PM

TUESDAY MARCH 24
6:00PM-7:30PM

STORYTELLING CONCERT

Join us for an evening of lively storytelling from national and regional storytellers, who are sure to entertain you with their classic tales. Storytellers include Rosie Cutrer, Larry Brown, Loretta Washington, and Bobby Norfolk.

ART GALLERY

WEDNESDAY MARCH 11
10:30AM-11:30AM

J C READS: FAMILY STORY TIME FEATURING GUEST READER!

Special guest reader Captain Darren “Bear” Reuter from the Jefferson City Fire Department is joining us for a J C Reads week family story time. J C Reads is an area-wide reading literacy initiative. Don’t miss it!! ART GALLERY

KEY

- Adults
- Computer
- Kids
- Teens
- Teens & Adults

Make it @ Mrrl: Purr Painting (6th-12th Grade)

Try your hand at purr painting, a mesmerizing method of abstract painting that yields colorful, marbled works of art. Reservations required at www.mrri.org.

ART GALLERY

KINDERRANC WITH MIDMO CONSERVATORY OF DANCE

For ages 3-6. Come and enjoy 45 minutes of ballet, tap and tumbling with MidMo Conservatory of Dance. No experience or shoes necessary.

ART GALLERY

J C Reads: Family Story Time featuring a Guest Reader!

Ancestry.com* 1:00-4:00PM
S.A.G.A. 4:30-5:30PM
Yoga 5:30-6:30PM

An Orphan Train Story: The Mystery of Joseph Aner Markway 7:00-8:30PM

*One-On-One Genealogy 45 minute sessions are offered on Wednesdays from 12:00-12:45PM. Registration is required.

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JC READS: DROP EVERYTHING AND READ!
FRIDAY, MARCH 13 | 9:30-10:00 a.m. | Art Gallery
JC Reads is a special-area-wide reading literacy initiative. To celebrate this program, join us in dropping everything and reading for twenty minutes! It all starts at 9:30 am. For youngest ones, we will have a special story time in the Children’s department.

SENSORY PLAY DAY (AGES 3 AND UNDER)
FRIDAY, MARCH 13 | 10:15-11:15 a.m. | Art Gallery
Drop in and enjoy an open learning and play time featuring a variety of sensory activity stations.

STEAM AFTER SCHOOL: TOWER POWER
MARCH 16 | 4:00-5:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Grades 1-3.
This building challenge invites the tallest possible towers from a variety of materials, including toothpicks, marshmallows, straws, plastic eggs and more.

KIDSIGHT FREE VISION SCREENING FOR KIDS
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | Art Gallery
Representatives from Kidsight will be here to offer free, vision screening for children six and under.

STEAM NIGHT: SNAP CIRCUITS
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
For ages 8-12. Registration required and limited to 20 participants. Create an electronic alarm, power a helicopter blade, or design other simple electronics using kits.

STORYTELLING CONCERT
THURSDAY, MARCH 19 | 7:00-8:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Join us for an evening of lively storytelling from national and regional storytellers, who are sure to entertain you with their classic tales. Storytellers include Rosie Cutler, Larry Brown, Loretta Washington, and Bobby Norfolk.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: THE LION KING (2019)
FRIDAY, MARCH 20 | 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Blankets and pillows welcome. Light snacks will be provided.

DIY HOMESTEADING | AGES 18+
MONDAY, MARCH 9 | 6:30-7:30 p.m. | Truuman Room
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 class where we’ll learn to DIY various items for your home. You can even take home your creation! This month we’ll be learning how to make granola! Registration required.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS | AGES 12+
THURSDAY, MARCH 12 & 26 | 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Are you an adventurer at heart? Come play Dungeons & Dragons with us! You might stump your way through an army of orcs, or go on a noble quest to rescue a whole town. You decide! This program is for both beginners and experienced players. If you’ve ever wanted to learn to play, this is the event for you!

LOOSELY BOUND BOOK CLUB | AGES 18+
MONDAY, MARCH 16 | 6:00-7:30 p.m. | Truuman Room
Book nerd! Have you been wanting to join a book club, but haven’t found the right one? Look no further! Loosely Bound Book Club is a book club at the library where a theme or genre is chosen each month, and you get to choose your own book related to that topic! Coffee and snacks provided, followed by discussion. The theme for this month is unsolved mysteries.

MOVIE NIGHT: KNIVES OUT | AGES 18+
MONDAY, MARCH 23 | 6:00-8:15 p.m. | Art Gallery
It’s another 18+ movie night at the library! Join us as we watch the movie Knives Out, a murder mystery starring Daniel Craig, Chris Evans, Jamie Lee Curtis, and many other big names! Popcorn and soda provided. Ages 18 and up.

PIZZA & PAGES: Dry
by Neal Shusterman & Jarrod Shusterman
MONDAY, MARCH 2
7:00-8:00 p.m. | Truuman Room
Pizza & Pages is our 9th-12th grade book group. Pizza and soda are served at every meeting. Reservations required at www.mnrl.org.

S.A.G.A.
WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 4 & 18 | 4:30-5:30 p.m. | Truuman Room
SAGA is a dynamic teen-led group dedicated to discussing matters of importance to LGBTQ+ teens in a supportive, confidential environment. Allies are also welcome!

MAKE IT @ MRRL: POUR PAINTING
THURSDAY, MARCH 5 | 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Try your hand at pour painting, a mesmerizing method of abstract painting that yields colorful, marbled works of art. Reservations required at www.mnrl.org.

NOVEL IDEAS:
The Golden Compass
by Philip Pullman
TUESDAY, MARCH 10
7:00-8:00 p.m. | Truuman Room
Novel Ideas is our 6th-8th grade book group. Free copies of the book are provided for the first 14 participants. Light refreshments will be served. Reservations required at www.mnrl.org.

MINECRAFT @ MRRL
THURSDAY, MARCH 26 | 4:00-5:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Collaborate and compete on our private server! Ages 10-18.
Logins and laptops are provided, but limited to the first 15 participants, and are distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis.

TEENS & ADULTS

TEEN AFTER-HOURS
SATURDAY, MARCH 14 | 6:00-9:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Party in the Library! Free pizza, soda, and gaming after the library closes. Doors will be locked after 6 p.m. to please arrive on time.
To improve security, we now required advance registration for Teen After-Hours. Only teens who are registered to attend will be allowed entry.

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