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SPECIAL STORY TIME! FEATURING Captain Darren "Bear" Reuter 	1 Read Across America Day 10:30AM-2:00PM Block Party 6:30-7:30PM Pizza & Pages 7:00-8:00PM	2 Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM Knitting & Crocheting 6:00-8:00PM	3 Family Story Time 10:30-11:30AM Ancestry.com* 1:00-4:00PM S.A.G.A 4:30-5:30PM Yoga 5:30-6:30PM	4 Yoga 9:00-10:00AM ERIC Database 2:00-3:00PM Make It @ MRRL: Pour Painting 6:00-8:00PM	5 Rhyme Time 10:00-10:30AM 10:45-11:15AM First Friday Film: Motherless Brooklyn 7:00-8:30PM	6 Qigong: Movement Exercises with Meditation 9:00-11:00AM	7
8 JC READS WEEK DROP EVERYTHING AND READ March 8th-14th	9 DIY Homesteading 6:30-7:30PM LU-MRRL Lecture Series: Fake News and You 7:00-8:30PM	10 Kinderdance with MidMO Conservatory of Dance 10:30-11:15AM Novel Ideas 7:00-8:00PM	11 BOOK SALE! 4:00PM-8:00PM JC Reads: Family Story Time Featuring A Guest Reader! 10:30-11:30AM Grow with Google: Spring into Action 11:00AM-12:00PM Ancestry.com* 1:00-4:00PM Yoga 5:30-6:30PM	12 BOOK SALE! 9:00AM-8:00PM Yoga 9:00-10:00AM Databases MRRL Offers Dungeons & Dragons Junior! 6:00-7:30PM Dungeons & Dragons 6:00-8:30PM	13 BOOK SALE! 9:00AM-8:00PM JC Reads: Drop Everything & Read 9:30-10:00AM Sensory Play Day (Ages 3 and under) 10:15-11:15AM	14 BOOK SALE! 9:00AM-1:00PM Teen After-Hours 6:00-9:00PM	
15	16 STEAM After School: Tower Power 4:00-5:30PM Loosely Bound Book Club 6:00-7:30PM Don't Forget Missouri Women 7:00-8:30PM	17 Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM Board Game Night 6:00-8:00PM	18 KidSight 10:00-11:00AM Family Story Time 10:30-11:30AM Ancestry.com* 1:00-4:00PM S.A.G.A 4:30-5:30PM Yoga 5:30-6:30PM Excel Spreadsheets 2016 5:30-8:00PM Poetry Night: The Voice Within Us 7-8PM STEAM Night 7:00-8:00PM Snap Circuits 8:00PM	19 Yoga 9:00-10:00AM Storytelling Concert 7:00-8:30PM	20 Rhyme Time 10:00-10:30AM 10:45-11:15AM Family Movie Night: The Lion King (2019) 6:00-8:00PM	21 Qigong: Movement Exercises with Meditation 9:00-11:00AM	
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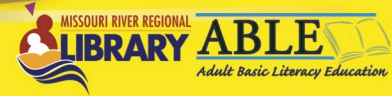
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March 11-14 2020



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ART GALLERY

THURSDAY
MARCH 12 & TUESDAY
MARCH 24
6:00PM-7:30PM

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS JUNIOR!
It's Dungeons and Dragons, kid-style! This event is for young players who are not old enough to join in 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.mrrl.org.
TRUMAN ROOM

TUESDAY
MARCH
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10:30AM-11:15AM

KINDERDANCE 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.
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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

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

JC 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 JC Reads week family story time. JC Reads is an area-wide reading literacy initiative. Don't miss it! **ART GALLERY**

THURSDAY
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19
7:00PM-8:30PM

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**

JC READS

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

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Please refer to our online event calendar (www.mrrl.org/events) for this month's dates. Bring your favorite book to read to a therapy dog. (TDI-Therapy Dogs International)

READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 2 | 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Celebrate the love of reading with a Read Across America day in the Children's Department. Enjoy a story time at 10:30 AM or 1:00 PM., as well as make-and-take bookmark crafts any time between 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.



BLOCK PARTY (AGES 5-12)

MONDAY, MARCH 2 | 6:30-7:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Free-building LEGO® time at the library! Bricks, mini-figures, and other specialty pieces—we provide the blocks; you provide the imagination!

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

TUESDAYS, MARCH 3, 17, 24 & 31
10:30-11:00 a.m. | Art Gallery
For ages 3-5. Stories and music for preschoolers.

FAMILY STORY TIME

WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 4, 11*, 18 & 25
10:30-11:30 a.m. | Art Gallery
All ages. Stories music, crafts and activities.
***Special guest** reader Captain Darren "Bear" Reuter from the Jefferson City Fire Department is joining us for a JC Reads week family story time. JC Reads is an area-wide reading literacy initiative. Don't miss it!



RHYME TIME

FRIDAYS, MARCH 6 & 20
10:00-10:30 a.m. | 10:45-11:15 a.m. | Truman Room
Ages 2 and under. A special time for young children and their caregivers. Stories, music, movement, and socialization.

KINDERDANCE WITH MIDMO CONSERVATORY OF DANCE

TUESDAY, MARCH 10
10:30-11:15 a.m. | Art Gallery
For ages 3-6. Come and enjoy 45 minutes of ballet, tap and tumbling with MidMo Conservatory of Dance. No experience or shoes necessary.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS JUNIOR

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

MONDAY, MARCH 16 | 4:00-5:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Grades 1-5. The building challenge is on! Create 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 quick, free vision screening for children six and under.

STEAM NIGHT: SNAP CIRCUITS

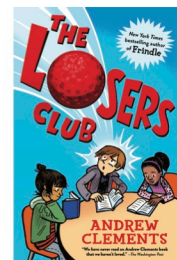
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
For ages 8-12. Registration required and limited to 20 participants. Create an electronic alarm, power a helicopter blade, or design other simple electronics using kits.

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 Cutrer, Larry Brown, Loretta Washington, and Bobby Norfolk.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: THE LION KING (2019)

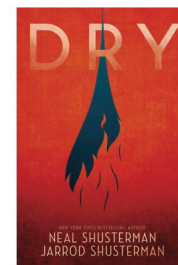
FRIDAY, MARCH 20 | 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Blankets and pillows welcome! Light snacks will be provided.
NOTE: This is an after-hours program—the library doors will be closed at 6:15 p.m.



BOOKWORMS: The Losers Club

By Andrew Clements
THURSDAY, MARCH 26
7:00-8:00 p.m. | Truman Room
Bookworms is our 3rd-5th grade book group. Free copies of the book are provided for the first 15 participants. Light refreshments will be available. Reservations required at www.mrrl.org.

teens (6th-12th grade)



PIZZA & PAGES:

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

S.A.G.A.

WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 4 & 18 | 4:30-5:30 p.m. | Truman 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

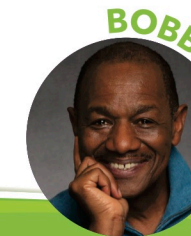
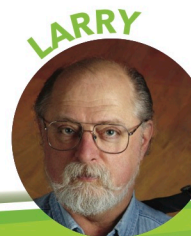
THURSDAY, MARCH 5 | 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Art Gallery
Try your hand at pour painting, a mesmerizing method of abstract painting that yields colorful, marbled works of art. Reservations required at www.mrrl.org.



NOVEL IDEAS:

The Golden Compass
by Philip Pullman
TUESDAY, MARCH 10
7:00-8:00 p.m. | Truman 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.mrrl.org.

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teens & adults

DIY HOMESTEADING | AGES 18+

MONDAY, MARCH 9 | 6:30-7:30 p.m. | Truman 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 how 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+

THURSDAYS, MARCH 12 & 26 | 6:00-8:30 p.m. | Art Gallery
Are you an adventurer at heart? Come play Dungeons & Dragons with us! You might stomp 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. | Truman Room
Book nerds! 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 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.**



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.

BOARD GAME NIGHT

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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.