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Virtual DIY Homesteading All Day

Virtual Bedtime Stories 7:00-7:30PM

Virtual Pizza & Pages 7:00-8:00PM

Don't Forget Missouri Women! (Virtual) 7:00-8:30PM

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Kids Take & Make STEAM Craft: Paper Helicopters & Hoop Gliders All Day

Virtual Loosely Bound Book Club 6:00-7:30PM

Bloggers Belong (Virtual) 6:30-7:30PM

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Music in the Library: Curtis & Loretta—When There's Good to Be Done: Songs of Unsung Heroes (Virtual Concert) 7:00-8:15PM

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Virtual Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM

Virtual Knitting & Crocheting 6:00-8:00PM

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Kids Take & Make Craft: Recyclables Art All Day

Virtual Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM

Silk Scarf Dyeing in the Park-3 Sessions 5:00, 5:30, & 6:00PM

Virtual Novel Ideas 7:00-8:00PM

Virtual LU-MRRL Lecture Series 7:00-8:30PM

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Virtual Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM

Introduction to Google Drive Options (Virtual) 11:00AM-12:00PM

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Virtual Preschool Story Time 10:30-11:00AM

Take and Make Crafts: Painted Dot Mandalas All Day

Fiction at Noon 12:00-1:00PM

Introduction to Google Drive Options (Virtual) 3:00-4:00PM

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Family Outdoor Story Time 10:30-11:30AM

Virtual S.A.G.A 4:30-5:30PM

Yoga in the Library 5:30-6:30PM

Poetry Night: The Voice Within Us 6:00-7:00PM

Microsoft Word Basics: How to Navigate (Virtual) 6:00-7:30PM

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Microsoft Word Basics: Creating & Editing Documents (Virtual Program) 6:00-7:30PM

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Slack Basics Virtual Class 10:00-11:00AM

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Virtual Dungeons & Dragons 6:00-8:30PM

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Social Media Platforms You've Never Heard of Until Now (Virtual) 2:00-3:00PM

Bookworms 4:00-5:00PM

Climate Change and Your Health (Virtual) 7:00-8:30PM

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Yoga in the Park 9:00-10:00AM

Five New Chrome Extensions for Google (Virtual) 10:00-11:00AM

Virtual Minecraft @ MRRL 4:00-5:30PM

STEAM Night: Bristle Bots 5:30-6:30PM

Virtual Dungeons & Dragons 6:00-8:30PM

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Virtual Rhyme Time 10:30-11:00AM

First Friday Film: The Divine Order 7:00-8:30PM

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How To Sensory Play: Uses for Pool Noodles 10:30-11:00AM

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Qigong: Movement Exercises with Meditation in the Park! 9:00-11:00AM

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MISSOURI RIVER REGIONAL LIBRARY

Sign up for weekly UPDATES at www.mrrl.org

SEPTEMBER 2020

SEPTEMBER IS HUNGER ACTION month

FOOD FOR FINES

JOIN THE LIBRARY IN TAKING ACTION BY PARTICIPATING IN FOOD FOR FINES

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM = \$1 OFF YOUR OVERDUE FINES

ACCEPTING DONATIONS THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 20-26

Food donations will go to the Samaritan Center.

GET CARDED.

It's National Library Card Sign-Up Month! Get a FREE replacement card during September.

MASKS ARE REQUIRED FOR AGES 10 AND UP AT ALL INDOOR PROGRAMS

TECH CLASSES

Reservations required online at www.mrrl.org.

TECH TIME: ONE-ON-ONE COMPUTER CLASSES

Monday Afternoons & Tuesday Evenings | 573-634-2464, ext. 241

MICROSOFT WORD BASICS: HOW TO NAVIGATE (VIRTUAL)

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 2 | 6:00-7:30 p.m. | via Ring Central

This class will explore the tools to navigate around Microsoft Word 2016 or Higher. A link will be emailed to you the day of the class, so you may enter the class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

MICROSOFT WORD BASICS: CREATING & EDITING DOCUMENTS (VIRTUAL)

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 9 | 6:00-7:30 p.m. | via Ring Central

The class will explore creating and editing documents in Microsoft Word 2016 or higher. We highly recommend that you have basic knowledge of how to navigate Microsoft Word. A link will be sent to your email the day of the class, so you may enter the class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

SLACK BASICS (VIRTUAL)

THURSDAY, SEPT 10 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | via Ring Central

Learn the basics of a new communication site. A code will be sent to you the day before class, so you may enter the class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE DRIVE OPTIONS (VIRTUAL)

TUESDAY, SEPT 15 | 11:00am - 12:00pm | via Ring Central

Learn the basics of what Google Drive can do for you! A code will be sent to your email the day before class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

MICROSOFT WORD ADVANCED TIPS (VIRTUAL)

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 16 | 6:00-7:30 p.m. | via Ring Central

We highly recommend that you have a basic knowledge of Microsoft Word. A link will be sent to your email the day of the class, so you may log in to class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF UNTIL NOW (VIRTUAL)

THURSDAY, SEPT 17 | 2:00-3:00 p.m. | via Ring Central

There are hundreds of social media sites. Learn about four of them in this informative class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

BLOGGERS BELONG (VIRTUAL)

MONDAY, SEPT 21 | 6:30-7:30 p.m. | via Ring Central

Are you a blogger? Have you considered starting a blog? Would you like to connect with other bloggers? Melanie A. Peters of Intentergy.com will discuss blogger connections, digital resources, and organization and planning for blog success. Register at www.mrrl.org.

INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE DRIVE OPTIONS (VIRTUAL)

TUESDAY, SEPT 22 | 3:00-4:00 p.m. | via Ring Central

Learn the basics of what Google Drive can do for you! A code will be sent to your email the day before class. Register at www.mrrl.org.

FIVE NEW CHROME EXTENSIONS FOR GOOGLE (VIRTUAL)

THURSDAY, SEPT 24 | 10:00-11:00 a.m. | via Ring Central

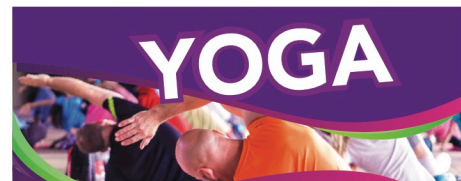
Google Chrome has many extensions, learn the five best extensions for 2020. Register at www.mrrl.org.



VIRTUAL KNITTING & CROCHETING

Tuesday, September 1
6:00-8:00 p.m. | Meeting via Zoom

Hop online and craft with us on Zoom! Knitters, crocheters, and fiber artists of all types are welcome.

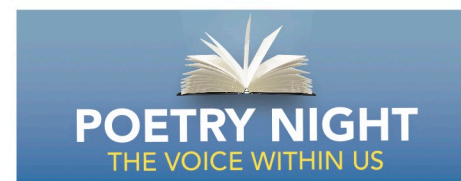


YOGA

Wednesdays
5:30-6:30 p.m.
Art Gallery (East)

Thursdays
9:00-10:00 a.m.
Library Park

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. Registration is required at www.mrrl.org for the Wednesday sessions. Masks will be required on Wednesdays but can be taken off when class begins.



POETRY NIGHT: THE VOICE WITHIN US

Wednesday, September 2
6:00-7:00 p.m. | Mark Twain Room

An informal group for poetry lovers. Participants are encouraged to bring their favorite poem or poems to read aloud, followed by group discussion. Participants are also encouraged to bring poetry they have written to read aloud. This non-judgmental group will offer constructive criticism and discussion of individual works. Open to ages 17 and up. Masks are required.



FIRST FRIDAY FILM: THE DIVINE ORDER

Friday, September 4
7:00-8:30 p.m. | Art Gallery

Set in Switzerland in 1971 where, despite the worldwide social upheavals of the previous decade, women were still denied the right to vote. When unassuming and dutiful housewife Nora is forbidden by her husband to take a part-time job, her frustration leads to her becoming the poster child of her town's suffragette movement. Her newfound celebrity brings humiliation, threats, and the potential end to her marriage, but, refusing to back down, she convinces the women in her village to go on strike...and makes a few startling discoveries about her own liberation.



SILK SCARF DYEING IN THE PARK

Tuesday, September 8
Three Sessions | Library Park
5:00-5:30pm | 5:30-6:00pm | 6:00-6:30pm

We'll provide the dye and scarf for you to color. Wear clothes that you don't mind getting dirty. Depending on the outdoor temperature, you might want to bring a water bottle. If it rains we will try again next week, same place and time. Please register for a session at www.mrrl.org.

DID YOU MISS A VIRTUAL PROGRAM?

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



VIRTUAL LU-MRRL LECTURE SERIES: BROTHERHOODS OF CONSERVATIVE WHITE MEN IN CONTEMPORARY AMERICA

Tuesday, September 8
7:00-8:30 p.m. | Program via Youtube

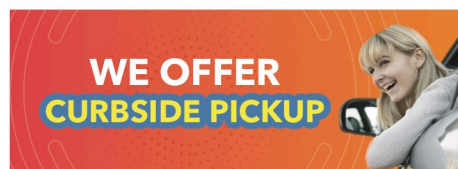
This talk will feature Dr. Mick Brewer, assistant professor of communication studies at LU, where he teaches courses in interpersonal communication, culture and theatre, and speech/communication theory. He will discuss some of the ways in which masculinity is tied to and shaped by national identity and how it becomes modified through and within friendships and other relationships. Dr. Brewer's research has won multiple awards at regional and national conferences, has been published in the academic journal *Sexuality & Culture*, and will soon appear in a 2021 book.



VIRTUAL DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Thursdays, September 10 & 24
6:00-8:30 p.m. | Virtual Program

Are you an adventurer at heart? Play Dungeons & Dragons with us online! 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 will be virtual for the foreseeable future. Please contact Megan at mehmertm@mrrl.org for more information or to sign up.)



WE OFFER CURBSIDE PICKUP



QIGONG: MOVEMENT EXERCISES WITH MEDITATION

Saturdays, September 12 & 26
9:00-11:00 a.m. | Library Park

Qigong is a mind-body cultivation practice consisting of coordinated body-posture, movement, and meditation. The meditation component follows the earlier movement component. This form of Qigong is from the Falun Gong practice.



VIRTUAL DIY HOMESTEADING

Monday, September 14
All Day | Event on Facebook

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 (virtual!) class where we'll learn how to DIY various items for your home. This month, we're learning how to make simple, homemade crusty bread! Find the recipe under the event on our website at www.mrrl.org/event/virtual-diy-homestea-ding-1



DON'T FORGET MISSOURI WOMEN! (VIRTUAL PROGRAM)

Monday, September 14
7:00-8:30 p.m. | Program via Youtube

You know that 2020 is the 100th anniversary of female voting rights in the United States...but so much of the excitement is focused on women in the big cities that it's easy to forget how much of that history took place right here at home. Learn a little more about the amazing work of Missouri women with Margot McMillen, author of *The Golden Lane* and other books about notable Missouri women.



CLIMATE CHANGE & YOUR HEALTH (VIRTUAL PROGRAM)

Thursday, September 17
7:00-8:30 p.m. | Program via Youtube

Technical difficulties prevented a recent showing of this program; it will be available on YouTube with a link forthcoming.

Gary Leabman, a Climate Reality representative, will look at how the rapidly changing climate is affecting health and healthcare. Allergists are busier than ever, and asthma is affecting more people. Cases of COPD are on the rise. Deaths and cancer are prevalent in communities near coal-fired power plants. And these are just air-quality issues. Water and land degradation issues are plentiful. Many cases of depression and PTSD are mental health effects of this climate crisis. This presentation will provide information to make important decisions for yourself and on behalf of future generations.



VIRTUAL LOOSELY BOUND BOOK CLUB

Monday, September 21
6:00-7:30 p.m. | Meeting via Zoom

Looking for your next great read? Join us at our newest book club! Instead of reading the same book each month, members read a book related to the theme of the month. Discussion and recommendations abound! This month, we're reading about conspiracy theories! Ages 18 and up. Note: this event requires a password to attend. Password is: 9VUUmp



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FICTION AT NOON

Tuesday, September 22
12:00-1:00 p.m. | Mark Twain Room
Available in person and virtually via Zoom

Fiction at Noon is an adult book discussion group, where critically acclaimed works of fiction are chosen and discussed every other month. The book for this month will be *Full Dark House* by Christopher Fowler. Claudia Cook (Library Director) and (MRRL Friend) Kathy Morehouse are the discussion leaders. Masks are required if you attend the discussion in person.



MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY: CURTIS & LORETTA-WHEN THERE'S GOOD TO BE DONE: SONGS OF UNSUNG HEROES (VIRTUAL CONCERT)

Monday, September 28
7:00-8:15 p.m. | Concert via Youtube

The Minneapolis-based, award-winning husband and wife duo Curtis Teague and Loretta Simonet gathered a stellar cast of characters for a collection of songs, written by Loretta, about real-life, ordinary people who overcame seemingly insurmountable challenges and came out stronger for the journey. The story-songs highlight courage, resilience, kindness and determination. There's a rich tapestry of inspiration and riveting drama offered by the people she sought out to interview and write about: a couple who married "against the odds" in 1947, a WWII vet whose ship was sunk by kamikazes and who saved another man's life, a woman who donated a kidney to a little girl she'd never met, a couple raising kids on the severe end of the autism spectrum, and more. Before each song, Curtis and Loretta tell how they found that person, and what led up to the challenges they faced. All the songs are presented with Curtis & Loretta's signature tight vocal harmonies and array of stringed instruments, including folk harp, mandocello, guitars, and clawhammer banjo.