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MISSOURI RIVER REGIONAL LIBRARY

FEBRUARY 2021

KIDS & TEENS

Request books, kits, and multimedia items to be delivered to our new Anytime Lockers at the Capital Mall!

MONDAY
FEBRUARY

01
ALL DAY

KIDS TAKE AND MAKE: LOVE BUGS AND PAPER HEART STRUCTURES

For ages 5-11. No reservations needed. Get ready for Valentine's Day with a kit filled with supplies to create a pom pom love bug and a set of cool paper heart structures. Glue not included. Kits will be available at the Children's desk starting Monday, February 1. Come on in while supplies last!

WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY

03, 10, 17, 24
ALL DAY

PRESCHOOL TAKE AND MAKE CRAFT KIT

For ages 5 and under. No reservations needed. A small craft kit for preschoolers. A different craft will be available each week, and will go along with the virtual family story time offered that same week. Themes will vary depending on which stories we choose. Kits will be available at the Children's desk starting each Wednesday morning, and will be offered through the rest of the week while supplies last. Grab a kit, and listen to that week's story time online!

SENSORY PLAY KIT AND VIRTUAL INSTRUCTION: BATHTIME FUN

A how-to guide for using sensory play. Miss Donna will share some great bathtime fun sensory play ideas using items such as homemade play dough and paints. Kits available at the library while supplies last starting Thursday, February 11. The video will be available to view starting Friday, February 12.

KIDS TAKE AND MAKE: CRAFT STICK HARMONICA

Ages 5-11. A STEAM craft/activity kit. Create a harmonica using craft sticks and other materials. Kits will be available at the Children's desk starting Monday, February 22. Come in while supplies last!

THURSDAY
FEBRUARY

04
ALL DAY

TEEN TAKE AND MAKE CRAFTS: SHARPIE TIE-DYED FACE MASKS

Since you still need to be wearing masks anyway, you might as well make one that's colorful and unique to you. Tie-dyeing with Sharpie markers is fun and easy (and not nearly as messy as traditional tie-dye). Register today and we'll send you an email when your kit is ready to pick up. Register online at mrml.org/events/month.

(6th-12th GRADE)

TEEN TAKE AND MAKE CRAFTS: DIY STRESS BALLS

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FRIDAY
FEBRUARY

12
10:30-11:00AM

MONDAY
FEBRUARY

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ALL DAY

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children



VIRTUAL BEDTIME STORIES

EVERY MONDAY | 7:00-7:30 p.m. | Facebook

Virtual bedtime stories for young ones. Visit our Facebook page to hear new stories read each week! This program is prerecorded, so feel free to watch the video at any time. Join in on the fun on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.

VIRTUAL PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

EVERY TUESDAY | 10:30-11:00 a.m. | Facebook

We may not be able to meet in the same room, but that doesn't mean we can't enjoy stories together! Watch a new story time each week. Join in the fun on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.

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VIRTUAL FAMILY STORY TIME

EVERY WEDNESDAY | 10:30-11:00 a.m. | Facebook

A new prerecorded online family story time will be posted each Wednesday. As an added bonus, combine story time with one of the preschool craft kits that will be available to pick up at the Children's circulation desk starting each Wednesday morning. These kits will be offered the rest of the week as supplies last, and will be based on the weekly theme we choose for story time. Join in the fun on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.

PEOPLE YOU SHOULD KNOW: PICTURE BOOK BIOGRAPHY

EVERY THURSDAY | 10:30-10:45 a.m. | Facebook

Join us for a new story reading series where we highlight picture book biographies on interesting people. Visit our Facebook group each Thursday to watch the reading of a new featured biography. Join in on the fun on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.

VIRTUAL RHYME TIME

FRIDAYS, FEB 5 & 19 | 10:30-11:00 a.m. | Facebook

A special time for babies and their caregivers. We may not be able to meet in the same room, but that doesn't mean we can't enjoy stories, music and movement together! A new Rhyme Time is posted on the first and third week of the month. Join in the fun on Facebook. This program is prerecorded, so feel free to watch the video at any time. Join in on the fun on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.



SENSORY PLAY KIT AND VIRTUAL INSTRUCTION: BATHTIME FUN

FRIDAY, FEB 12 | 10:30-11:00 a.m. | Facebook

A how-to guide for using sensory play. Miss Donna will share some great bathtime fun sensory play ideas using items such as homemade play dough and paints. Kits available at the library while supplies last starting Thursday, February 11. Find the video on our MRRL Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mrrlkids>.



KIDS TAKE AND MAKE: LOVE BUGS AND PAPER HEART STRUCTURES

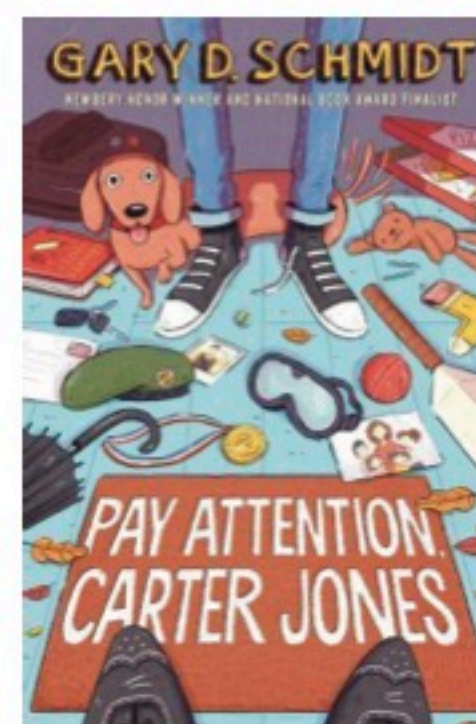
MONDAY, FEB 1 | All Day

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KIDS TAKE AND MAKE: CRAFT STICK HARMONICA

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VIRTUAL BOOKWORMS:

Pay Attention Carter Jones by Gary D. Schmidt

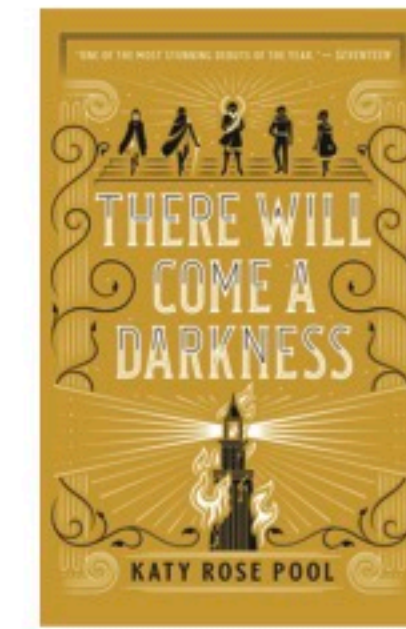
THURSDAY, FEB 18

4:00-5:00 p.m. | Zoom

Bookworms is our book discussion group for 3rd-5th grade students. The first 10 participants receive a free copy of the book before the discussion. Please check with the Children's Desk in the Main Library to receive your copy of the book. We will be reading *Pay Attention Carter Jones* by Gary D. Schmidt in February.

Registration required at <https://www.mrrl.org/events/month>.

teens (6th-12th grade)



VIRTUAL PIZZA & PAGES:

There Will Come a Darkness by

Katy Rose Pool

MONDAY, FEB 1 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Zoom

Pizza & Pages is our high school book group. We'll be meeting virtually via Zoom for the foreseeable future. The book we'll be discussing for February is *There Will Come a Darkness* by Katy Rose Pool. Copies of the book are available for registered participants. This book is also available as a downloadable audiobook through Hoopla. Registration required at <https://www.mrrl.org/events/month>.



VIRTUAL S.A.G.A.

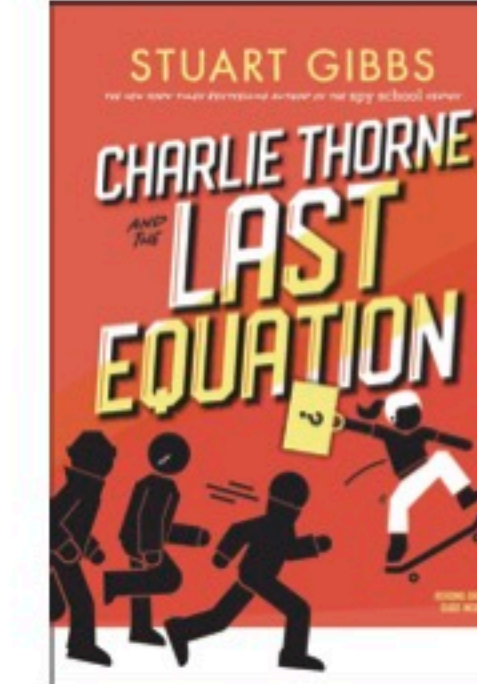
WEDNESDAY, FEB 3 | 4:30-5:30 p.m. | Via Zoom

SAGA is a teen-led group dedicated to discussing matters of importance to the LGBTQAI+ community. Teen allies are also welcome! SAGA is currently meeting virtually. Please email Courtney at watersc@mrrl.org for the link to join.

TAKE & MAKE CRAFTS: SHARPIE TIE-DYE FACE MASKS

THURSDAY, FEB 4 | All Day | Virtual Program

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VIRTUAL NOVEL IDEAS:

Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation by Stuart Gibbs

TUESDAY, FEB 9 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Zoom

Novel Ideas is our 6-8th grade book group. We'll be meeting virtually via Zoom for the foreseeable future. February's book will be *Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation* by Stuart Gibbs. Copies of this book are available for registered participants. Registration required at <https://www.mrrl.org/events/month>.

AMONG US

TUESDAY, FEB 16 | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | Virtual Program

Join us for an evening of Among Us! Register today and we'll email you a link to our Among Us Discord channel on February 16th. If you've never played before, Among Us can be downloaded for free on mobile devices or purchased for PC online.

Register online at <https://www.mrrl.org/events/month>.

TAKE & MAKE CRAFTS: DIY STRESS BALLS

THURSDAY, FEB 18 | All Day | Virtual Program

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MINECRAFT @ MRRL

THURSDAY, FEB 25 | 4:00-5:30 p.m. | Virtual Program

Hop online and join our private Minecraft server! Register today and we'll send you an email with all the technical stuff. Register online at <https://www.mrrl.org/events/month>.

teens & adults



VIRTUAL YOGA | AGES 12+

THURSDAYS | 10:00-11:00 | Zoom

Rejuvenate your mind and body. Join us live streaming into your homes.

Join us on Zoom at

<https://zoom.us/j/99465497262?pwd=LzFnc1RsS0ZRdGhSZFN5ZGJTNmQrQT09>



VIRTUAL DUNGEONS & DRAGONS | AGES 12+

THURSDAYS, FEB 11 & 25 | 6:00-8:30 p.m.

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.