

July 2017

MISSOURI RIVER REGIONAL LIBRARY EVENTS CALENDAR



Friends Membership Meeting

Thursday, July 27
7:00 - 8:30 pm
Art Gallery

MRRL Friends volunteer and support the library! Interested in becoming a Friend? Make plans to attend this meeting, or stop by the library for an application!

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1:00-2:00 p.m., Art Gallery

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Bookmobile Cool Stops
10:30-11:30 a.m.
July 17: Eastland Gerbes
July 24: Lowes
July 31: Schutle's

Stop by the Bookmobile for our Monday Morning "Cool Stop"!

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 Picnic with the Bard 10:30-11:15 a.m.
2	3 LIBRARY CLOSSES AT 5PM	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY LIBRARY CLOSED	5 Family Fun 10:30 -11:30 a.m. Ancestry.com 1:00-4:00 p.m. Yoga 5:30-6:30 p.m.	6 Yoga 9:00-10:00 a.m. Beat The Heat 10:00-11:00 a.m. Beginning Ancestry 2:00-4:00 p.m. Hamilton Party! 6:00 -8:00 p.m.	7 Rhyme Time 10:00 -10:30 a.m. 10:45 -11:15 a.m. First Friday Film: "Lion" 7:00 -9:00 p.m.	8
9	10 Block Party 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tail Waggin' Tutors 7:00-8:00 p.m. Pizza & Pages 7:00 -8:00 p.m.	11 Storytime at the Bookmobile 10:30-11:00 a.m. Trash to Treasures 11:00-12:00 p.m. Beginning Word 3:00pm-4:00pm Novel Ideas 7:00-8:00 p.m.	12 Family Fun 10:30 -11:30 a.m. Ancestry.com 1:00-4:00 p.m. Yoga 5:30-6:30 p.m.	13 Yoga 9:00-10:00 a.m. Storytime at the Bookmobile 11:30-12:00 p.m. Pokémon Card 1:00-2:00 p.m. Beginning Ancestry 2:00-4:00 p.m. Table Top Gaming 5:30-8:00 p.m. Tail Waggin' Tutors 6:30-7:30 p.m. Music at the Library 7:00-8:30 p.m.	14 Family Friday 11:00-12:00 p.m.	15
16 Photo Club Reception 1:30-3:30 p.m.	17 Cool Stop 10:30-11:30 a.m. Baseball Cards 7:00-8:30 p.m.	18 Beginning Word Part 2 3:00-4:00 p.m. Make It @ MRRL: Franken-Toys 6:00-7:30 p.m.	19 Family Fun 10:30 -11:30 a.m. Ancestry.com 1:00-4:00 p.m. Yoga 5:30-6:30 p.m.	20 Yoga 9:00-10:00 a.m. Storytime at the Bookmobile 10:30-11:00 a.m. Anime Club 3:30-5:30 p.m. Snap Circuits Science 6:30-7:30 p.m. Bookworms 7:00-8:00 p.m.	21 Rhyme Time 10:00-10:30 a.m. 10:45-11:15 a.m. Family Movie Night: Pete's Dragon" 6:00-8:00 p.m.	22 Jay and Leslie's Laughing Matters: Plan to Laugh 1:00-2:00 p.m. Teen After Hours 6:00 -9:00 p.m.
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30	31 Cool Stop 10:30-11:30 a.m. UpCycle 6:30-8:30 p.m.					

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Events Calendar

CHILDREN

WEEKLY/MONTHLY

Family Fun

Wednesdays (July 5, 12, 19, 26)
10:30-11:30 a.m., Art Gallery

An hour of stories, crafts, and activities. A new theme each week. All ages.

Beat the Heat

Thursday July 6
10:00-11:00 a.m., MRRL Park

Beat the heat with cool games in the library park! Sidewalk chalk, hula hoops, jump ropes, parachute play, bubbles, and more. All ages.

Rhyme Time

1st & 3rd Fridays (July 7 & 21)
10:00-10:30 a.m.
10:45-11:15 a.m.
Storyhour Room

Ages 2 and under. For young children and their caregivers. Stories, music, movement, and socialization.

Block Party

Monday, July 10
6:30-7:30 p.m., Art Gallery

Free-building LEGO® time! Bricks, mini-figures, and other specialty pieces. We provide the blocks; you provide the imagination! Ages 5-12. Limited to 45 builders. Sign-in available 30 minutes before program.

Trash to Treasures

Tuesday July 11
11:00-12:00 p.m., Art Gallery

Turn recyclable materials into works of art! You decide what to create. A variety of materials will be available.

Pokémon Card Game Day

Thursday, July 13
1:00-2:30 p.m., Art Gallery

Bring your Pokémon cards to the library and challenge someone to a friendly duel. All ages and skill levels welcome. For those new to the game, someone will be available to demonstrate how to play.

Tail Waggin' Tutors

Thursday, July 13
6:30-7:30 p.m.
Monday, July 10 & 24
7:00-8:00 p.m.
Children's Department Play Area

All ages. Read to a trained therapy dog (TDI-Therapy Dogs International).

Story Time at the Bookmobile

Tuesday, July 11 & 25
10:30-11:00 a.m., Memorial Park

Thursday, July 13

11:30-12:00 p.m., Capital Mall

Thursday, July 20

10:30-11:00 a.m., Riverside Park

Story time in the great outdoors! Join us at the bookmobile around town.

Family Friday: On A Roll

Friday, July 14
11:00-12:00 pm, Art Gallery

Challenge your family to a race! Use a variety of materials to create hills, jumps and other obstacles for wacky marble and ball races.

Bookworms:

"House Arrest" by K.A. Holt
3rd Thursday (July 20)
7:00-8:00 p.m., Storyhour Room

Bookworms is our 3rd-5th grade book group. Free copies of the book are provided for the first 12 participants. Light refreshments are available. Reservations required. Contact Angie at ext. 253 to reserve your spot.

Family Movie Night: "Pete's Dragon" (PG)

Friday, July 21
6:00-8:00 p.m., Art Gallery

Family event. 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 pm.

Family Friday: Sun Fun

Friday, July 28
11:00-12:00 p.m., Art Gallery

Sun-related races, games, and activities for the whole family.

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Snap Circuits Science

Thursday, July 20
6:30-7:30 pm, Art Gallery

Create an electronic alarm, power a helicopter blade, or design other simple electronics using Snap Circuits kits. Ages 8-12. Registration required and limited to 20 participants. Contact Eric at 634-6064 ext. 229 or lyone@mrr.org.

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KidSight: Free Vision Screening for Children

Wednesday, July 26
10:00-11:30 a.m., Art Gallery

Representatives from KidSight will be at the library to offer quick, free vision screening for children six and under.

TEENS

MONTHLY

Pizza & Pages: "Girl in the Blue Coat" by Monica Hesse

Monday, July 10
7:00-8:00 p.m., Storyhour Room

Pizza & Pages is our 9th-12th grade book group. Free copies of the book are provided for the first 8 participants. Pizza and soda are served at every meeting. Reservations required. Contact Courtney at ext. 248 to reserve your spot.

Novel Ideas: "The Girl Who Circumnavigated Fairyland in a Ship of Her Own Making" by Catherynne M. Valente

2nd Tuesdays (July 11)
7:00-8:00 p.m., Storyhour Room

Novel Ideas is our 6th-8th grade book group. Free copies of the book are provided for the first 12 participants. Light refreshments are served at every meeting. Reservations required. Contact Courtney at ext. 248 to reserve your spot.

Table-Top Gaming Club

2nd Thursday (July 13)
5:30-8:00 p.m., Storyhour Room

Join us for our monthly board and card gaming event! We have a whole bunch of great games, but you're welcome to bring your own!

Anime Club

3rd Thursdays (July 20)
3:30-5:30 p.m., Art Gallery

Calling all otakus! Come watch anime, eat popcorn, and geek out with other fans.

Teen After-Hours

Saturday, July 22
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. so please arrive on time if you wish to attend.

Minecraft @ MRRL

4th Thursdays (July 27)
4:00-5:30 p.m., Art Gallery

Join us for new challenges! Construct, collaborate, and compete on our private server. We have logins and laptops, but you may bring your own. Space is limited and is first-come, first-served.

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COMPUTER CLASSES

Tech Time: One-on-One Computer Classes

Monday afternoons
Wednesday mornings & evenings

One-hour sessions by appointment. Call 634-6064 ext. 241. Learn the computer skill or program of your choice!

**All group computer classes require reservations:
573-634-6064 ext. 258.
In the Annex Conference Room.**

Ancestry.com

Wednesdays
(July 5, 12, 19, 26)
1:00-4:00 p.m.

Individual/small group assistance is given for your family tree research by a skilled library volunteer. All levels of researchers are welcome.

Beginning Ancestry.com

(July 6 & 13)
2:00-4:00 p.m.

This class is for those with very little experience using ancestry.com.

Learn a New Skill!

July 11, 3:00-4:00 p.m.-Beginning Word
July 18, 3:00-4:00 p.m.-Beginning Word Part 2: Text
July 25, 3:00-4:00 p.m.-Beginning Word Part 3: Objects

ADULTS

WEEKLY/MONTHLY

First Friday Film: "Lion"

Friday, July 7
7:00-9:00 p.m., Art Gallery

Dev Patel and Nicole Kidman star in this poignant film about a five-year-old boy who gets lost on a train, which takes him thousands of miles from his family in India. He learns to survive in Kolkata and eventually is adopted by an Australian couple. Years later, he uses Google Earth and his childhood memories to find his family and return home.

Yoga

Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Thursdays 9:00-10:00 a.m.
Art Gallery

Live instructor returns! Rejuvenate your mind and body. All shapes, sizes, and abilities welcome.

Fiction at Noon: "The Sweetest Hallelujah" by Elaine Hussey

Tuesday, July 25
12:00-1:00 p.m., Library Annex

An unforgettable story of two courageous women brought together by one extraordinary little girl.

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Jefferson City Photo Club Reception

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Club members have mounted an impressive exhibit of photographs, and they will be on hand to talk about their work. Light refreshments will be served.

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