

# CLASSES & EVENTS FOR ADULTS

at Brown County Library - January & February 2018

All Brown County Library locations will be CLOSED

Monday, January 1 and Friday, February 9, 2018

## Central Library

448-4400

**Job Search Tutor** Need help with your job search? Schedule a time for personalized assistance with any of your job search needs including review of job search websites, application questions, and resume or cover letter development. Please call 448-5825 to schedule a time.

### THURSDAYS

6:00-7:30 pm

**Come Color Club for Grown-Ups** Remember how much fun it was to while away the hours coloring when you were young? It still is! We will supply the coloring books, crayons and colored pencils. Come hang out at the library with fellow coloring enthusiasts and rekindle the artist in you.

## New Release Fridays

### Fridays

2:00 pm

January 5	<i>Home Again</i> PG-13, 2017, 1 hr 37min	February 2	<i>Battle of the Sexes</i> PG-13, 2017, 2 hr 1 min
January 12	<i>Dunkirk</i> PG-13, 2017, 1 hour 46 min	February 16	<i>American Made</i> R, 2017, 1 hr 55 min
January 19	<i>Victoria and Abdul</i> PG-13, 2017, 1 hr 51 min	February 23	<i>A Question of Faith</i> PG, 2017, 1 hr 44 min
January 26	<i>The Mountain Between Us</i> PG-13, 2017, 1 hr 52 min		

### January 8-13

All Library Hours

**New Year's Resolutions** Learn the history of New Year's Resolutions, find great books to get you started on creating a New Year for you, and contribute to others' resolutions by submitting a general resolution and taking one for you too!

## Mondays at the Movies

### Mondays

5:15 pm

January 8	<i>The Adventures of Buckaroo Banzai</i> PG, 1984, 1 hr 43 min	February 5	<i>Bring Me the Head of Alfredo Garcia</i> R, 1974, 1 hr 52 min
January 15	<i>Repo Man</i> R, 1984, 1 hr 32 min	February 12	<i>Harold and Maude</i> PG, 1971, 1 hr 30 min
January 22	<i>The Brother From Another Planet</i> R, 1984, 1 hr 50 min	February 19	<i>The Wall</i> R, 1982, 1 hr 33 min
January 29	<i>Barbarella</i> PG, 1968, 1 hr 38 min	February 26	<i>A Clockwork Orange</i> R, 1971, 2 hr 11 min

TUESDAY, January 9

2:00 pm

THURSDAY, January 25

6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, February 21

2:00 pm

**Don't Be Fooled by Fake News** The Internet is full of viral misinformation — how can we wade through it? Learn how to analyze news sources for credibility, use further tools for fact checking, and get your fake news questions answered.

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**TUESDAY, January 9**

**6:30 pm**

**Perspectives: Homelessness** Learn about this hidden yet pervasive problem in Green Bay. Watch a short documentary and listen to a panel of community experts. Ask questions and learn how you can help those experiencing this crisis.

**TUESDAYS**

**6:30 pm**

**Great Books Discussion** Sponsored by UWGB's Department of Humanistic Studies

Please check website for updates: [browncountylibrary.org/book-groups-2](http://browncountylibrary.org/book-groups-2)

**Introduction to Lynda.com**

**THURSDAYS**

Learn about computer resources using Lynda.com as an instruction guide, offered FREE with your Brown County Library Card. Call 448-5825 or e-mail [bc\\_library\\_fiction@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us) to register.

January 11 - 2:30 pm Microsoft Word

January 18 - 2:30 pm Microsoft Excel

January 25 - 10:00 am Email

**SATURDAY, January 13**

**10:00 am-3:00 pm**

**Level Up: Countdown to ComicCon** Feeling nostalgic for those days spent in the arcade? We'll be featuring retro game systems and games, trivia, and a game-themed escape room. No quarters needed! Costumes welcome.

**TUESDAY, January 16**

**2:30-3:30 pm**

**WEDNESDAY, January 17**

**5:30-6:30 pm**

**Meet the Computer** Through hands-on experience, learn basic computer terminology and how to navigate in Windows 10. Please call 448-5825 to register.

**THURSDAY, January 18**

**6:00 pm**

**Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Club** A pilgrimage to the realm of the Shrike, a part-god/part-killing machine, provides the travelers the forum to tell their incredible stories in *Hyperion* by Dan Simmons.

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Genealogy 101: *Research, Record and Preserve Family History***

Attend one, or all of these sessions, to learn how to research, record and preserve family histories. Call 448-5815 to register.

**SATURDAYS, January 20 - March 24**

**9:10-10:45 am, Bonus programs 10:45 am-Noon**

- January 20** Pedigree Charts & Family Group Sheets: *We're Ready to Go* A very important topic for beginners.
- January 27** Searching Vital Records: *The Clues They Hold*. Learn how to find valuable information in death, marriage and birth records.  
**Bonus!** Documentation: How to label and document.
- February 3** Searching Census Records: *More Than a Head Count*.  
**Bonus!** Organization: The key to efficient and effective research. How to not repeat work.
- February 10** Searching Newspapers: *Fit to Print?* Finding information in newspapers, how it makes the family history interesting.  
**Bonus!** Computer Basics with Carrie Drephal
- February 17** Searching Land Records: *How Do I Find the Property?*  
**Bonus!** Belgian/Alsace Research with Evelyn Reignier
- February 24** Searching Naturalization Records: *But they always voted!!* And how naturalization records can lead to passenger lists.  
**Bonus!** Dutch Research with Carrie Drephal
- March 3** Searching Court Records: *What They May Contain*  
**Bonus!** German Research with Carrie Drephal & Dave Miller
- March 10** Computer Databases: *What is New and What is Free*.  
**Bonus!** Chicago Research with Dave Miller
- March 17** More Computer Databases: *More New, Free & What's at the Library*.  
**Bonus!** Irish Research with Dave Miller
- March 24** Computer Programs: *What Program to Use to Record Data*. What's out there – the new and the old.



All programs are held in the Central Library Auditorium. Free parking downtown on Saturdays. For additional program topics visit [www.browncountylibrary.org/research-reference/local-history-and-genealogy-department/genealogy-101/](http://www.browncountylibrary.org/research-reference/local-history-and-genealogy-department/genealogy-101/)

## Central Library continued

**MONDAYS, January 22 & February 26**

**6:00 pm**

**Book to Action Book Club** Participate in a fun book discussion AND engage with our community. We will read books focused on a different topic each month, and then meet to discuss the books. Hear about volunteer opportunities in our area focused on that month's topic and available resources. Please register for the Book Club at the Customer Service Desk when you pick up your book.

**January: Autism Awareness** Books will be available for checkout at the Central Library-Customer Service Desk starting January 2.

**February: Child Abuse Prevention** Books will be available for checkout at the Central Library-Customer Service Desk starting February 1.

**TUESDAY, January 23**

**6:30 pm**

**Kitchen Gadgets: Show and Tell** Did you receive a new kitchen gadget over the holidays? Do you have a small appliance you can't live without? Bring your tried and true recipes to share and learn tips and tricks to get the most out of your machine. *Bonus:* We'll discuss the brand-new cooking club at the library!

**TUESDAY, January 30**

**2:30-4:30 pm**

**WEDNESDAY, January 31**

**5:30-7:30 pm**

**Internet 101** We will familiarize you with basic terms, explain domain names, practice visiting websites and introduce you to Internet browsers, and then move on to discuss common search engines, practice searching, learn search strategies and get tips on how to evaluate websites. Basic mousing and keyboarding skills recommended. Please call 448-5825 to register.

**TUESDAY, January 30**

**2:00 or 6:00 pm**

**NightCrafters: Art of Calligraphy** Create a beautiful piece of Japanese calligraphy through guided instruction by Miyuki Furukawa, certified calligraphist. Supplies will be provided. Call 448-5825 or email [bc\\_library\\_fiction@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us) to register.

**THURSDAY, February 1**

**6:15 pm**

**TV Trivia: Seinfeld** Do you \*heart\* NYC? Fascinated by the show about nothing? Now that Festivus has come and gone, join other fans of Elaine, Jerry, George and Kramer for a night of trivia, snacks, door prizes and fun! Please call 448-5825 or email [bc\\_library\\_fiction@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us) to sign up your team of up to 4 people. Many thanks to the Friends of the Brown County Library for sponsoring this program!

**February 5-10**

**All Library Hours**

**Where's the Love?** Find our Valentine Love displays throughout the library. Take a picture of each display you find, and email them to [bc\\_library\\_fiction@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us). Submitted pictures will be posted in the library. Hints for the displays can be found at the Customer Service Desk.

**MONDAY, February 5**

**2:00 pm**

**WEDNESDAY, February 7**

**6:30 pm**

**Winter Skin Care** When the temperatures drop it seems the skin become dry and flaking; lips begin to chap and crack. Learn ways to keep your skin and lips healthy during the winter months as well as a comparison between different lotions and lip care products. Presented by Ronda Behnke ND, CHom, RN.

**TUESDAYS, February 6 - April 10**

**Tax Preparation Assistance**

**AARP Tax Assistance: Free Homestead and Income Tax Preparation**

**TUESDAYS, February 6 - April 3 11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Volunteers trained under the IRS/TAX AIDE Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program are here to help you. This is a free service for elderly residents.

**Appointments are required.**

Call AARP at 920-393-3112 to see if you qualify and to set up an appointment.

**UWGB VITA Program: Free Homestead and Income Tax Preparation**

**TUESDAYS, Feb 6 - April 3 5:00-8:00 pm**

Volunteers trained under the IRS/TAX AIDE Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program are here to help you. This is a free service for elderly, low and middle income residents.

**Appointments are required.**

Call UWGB at 920-465-2575 to see if you qualify and to set up an appointment.

## Central Library continued



**SUNDAYS February 11– March 11**

**Noon**

**Stacks & Steeples Original Music Series February 11** Hydration Reggae and Vamp City; **February 18** Anne Dering and Good for the Soul; **February 25** Michael Sodnik and The Snowbirds; **March 4** Good Luck. and Panic on Panic; **March 11** Christopher Gold and The Chocolateers

### THURSDAYS

**2:30 pm**

**What's Up with Social Media?** Get an overview of popular social media sites, and discuss their functions in society in today's digital age. Please call 448-5825 or e-mail [bc\\_library\\_fiction@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us) to register.

**February 8** Facebook  
**February 15** Twitter  
**February 22** Pinterest

### THURSDAY, February 15

**6:00 pm**

**Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Club** *The Name of the Wind* by Patrick Rothfuss. A hero named Kvothe, now living under an assumed name as the humble proprietor of an inn, recounts his transformation from a magically gifted young man into the most notorious wizard, musician, thief, and assassin in his world.

### TUESDAY, February 20

**6:30 pm**

**Cookbook Club** We're starting a new book club at the library and want your input! Help shape the direction of our new cookbook book club (try saying that five times fast!) Come ready to participate in the discussion, stay for the treats!

## Ashwaubenon Branch

**492-4913**

### MONDAYS, January 8 & 22; February 12 & 26

**6:00 pm**

**Renaissance Dancing** Bring a partner and learn to do dance English Country Dances and Bransles from the Renaissance period. If you can step side to side and count to four, you can dance with us! Sponsored by the Society for Creative Anachronism's Barony of Windhaven.

### TUESDAYS, January 9 & 23; February 13 & 27

**1:00-2:30 pm**

**Book-a-Librarian** Schedule one on one time with a librarian for help with your device, filling out on-line forms, help navigating the web or other tech issues. Call 492-4913 to register.

### MONDAYS, January 15 & February 19

**10:30 am**

**Coffee and Books with the Boys** For our dedicated male readers. Join our new group devoted to the exchange of ideas and conversation over fiction and non-fiction books.

January 15 *The Monster of Florence* by Douglas Preston  
February 19 *Death in a Prairie House* by William Drennan

### TUESDAYS, January 16 & February 20

**10:30 am**

**ABC Readers** Join us for a lively discussion and treats!

January 16 *The Paris Wife* by Paula McLain  
February 20 *The Woman in Cabin 10* by Ruth Ware

### WEDNESDAYS, January 10 & February 14

**6:00 pm**

**Hallyu Wave** Do you love Lee Min Ho, Park Shin Hye, SHINee, and kimchi?? Do you long to call someone "oppa" or "noona"? Meet other K-drama and K-pop enthusiasts who are interested in all aspects of Korean popular culture - music, dramas, food, language, and fashion.

January 17 *Goblin, Gumi-ho, and Other Supernatural Beings*  
February 21 *PyeongChang, Winter Olympics and All Things Sports*

### MONDAY, January 22

**1:00-2:30 pm**

**Work-Out For Your Brain** Join Teri Bradford from the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County to explore a number of games that will help you engage, exercise and challenge your memory skills using pencil and paper. Please call 492-4913 to register.

### MONDAY, January 29

**1:00 & 6:00 pm**

**Be Mobile and Connect** Learn how to share your holiday photos with family, friends, and the digital community using video tutorials from Lynda.com, a resource available for all library card users. Explore different social media platforms including Flickr and Instagram. Learn how to access these online tutorials and continue education outside of the classroom. Bring your mobile devices to follow along or just come to learn more.

## Denmark Branch

863-6613

**MONDAY, January 8**

6:00 pm

**Star Wars - Jedi (K)night** Race against your friends in the Boonta Eve Classic, make your own lightsaber, show off your Star Wars knowledge during our trivia contest, and become one with the Force while making Star Wars themed crafts. There will also be a costume contest, so come dressed as your favorite character and have your picture taken with Darth Vader or R2-D2. Snacks and prizes, we will have. May the Force be with you, always!

**WEDNESDAY, January 10**

6:00-7:00 pm

**Mindfulness and Meditation** Come and learn how to lead a more stress-free, mindful life. Explore the benefits of mindfulness through breathing techniques and meditation. No prior experience or knowledge of meditation necessary.

**WEDNESDAY, January 17**

5:00-7:30 pm

**Family Game Night** Come play with us! We'll have board games, card games, and a Wii U on hand for Mario Kart and fast paced matches of Super Smash Bros. Drop in and play an old favorite or learn something new.

**MONDAY, February 19**

4:30-5:30 pm

**TechBoomer: Facebook** Learn how to use popular websites with TechBoomers' tutorials! This program will introduce you to TechBoomers and help you learn about (and more importantly, how to use) Facebook.

## East Branch

391-4600

**THURSDAYS, January 4 & February 1**

2:00 pm

**READ Book Club (Read-Eat-And Discuss)** Come for a book discussion and stay for a bite to eat.

January 4	<i>Book Share:</i> Share titles of books that you have enjoyed reading.
February 1	<i>Astrid and Veronika</i> by Linda Olsson

**MONDAYS, January 15 & February 19**

1:00 pm

**Monday Movie Matinee**

January 15	<i>Selma:</i> A chronicle of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s campaign to secure equal voting rights via an epic march from Selma to Montgomery, Alabama, in 1965. PG-13, 2014, 2hr 8 min
February 19	<i>Dunkirk:</i> Allied soldiers from Belgium, the British Empire and France are surrounded by the German Army, and evacuated during a fierce battle in World War II. PG-13, 2017, 1 hr 46 min

**TUESDAYS, January 16 & 30; February 13 & 27**

2:00-4:00 pm

**Tech Tutor** Schedule a 30 minute one-on-one session to learn more about the technology topic of interest to you. Bring your device and any passwords you may need. Please call 391-4600 to register.

**WEDNESDAY, January 17**

1:00 pm

**Hot Reads for Cold Nights** Stop in to hear about popular new books, upcoming releases, and read-a-likes. Enjoy hot chocolate as you find your next books to read this winter. If you can't make it today, stop in to pick up a copy of these new titles.

**TUESDAY, January 23**

6:00 pm

**Beat the Winter Blues** Do you feel sluggish, unmotivated, or have low energy? Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD) can emerge this time of year. Learn about what SAD is and how to start feeling better this winter. Presented by Pam Baranczyk, LCSW, CSAC, from the Bellin Psychiatric Center.

**WEDNESDAYS, January 24 & February 28**

1:00 pm

**Nifty Knitters** Come to knit or crochet and socialize with fellow knitters and crocheters.

**THURSDAY, January 25**

10:30 am - Noon

**Work Out for your Brain** Your brain is likely any other muscle in your body, if you don't use it you lose it. Explore brain games using pencil and paper to help you engage, exercise, and challenge your memory skills. Presented by the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County. Space is limited, please call 391-4600 to register.

**THURSDAY, February 8**

11:00 am

**TechBoomers** Learn how to use popular websites with video tutorials from TechBoomers.com. We will discuss what TechBoomers is, how to use it, and go through some tutorials for understanding how to use Gmail, a free email service.

**Tech Tutor** Received the gift of the latest gadget or gizmo for the holidays? Not quite sure how it works? Give us a call at 448-4407 to set up a one-on-one appointment with a librarian that will walk you through the ins and outs of your new phone, tablet, or e-reader!

**Bookish Bingo!** Start your New Year off right with a reading challenge during the month of January. See a librarian for an entry form, and check off five titles in a row to redeem for a special prize!

**TUESDAY, January 2**

**1:00-2:30 pm**

**MONDAY, February 5**

**1:00-2:30 pm**

**Brown County Community Women's Club (BCCWC) Book Club** All are welcome to join in monthly discussions.

January 2 *Big Snow Gap* by Adriana Trigiani

February 5 *The Dinner* by Herman Koch

**WEDNESDAY, January 10**

**1:00 pm**

**My Smartphone Can Do What??** Did you know your new phone can do a lot more than make calls and take pictures? Come to the library for a presentation on useful and FREE apps that you can download to your smartphone or tablet. Stay afterwards for Q & A and individualized tutoring.

**SATURDAYS, January 13 & February 10**

**10:30 am**

**Writers' Workshop** Join us the second Saturday of each month as we explore different topics through April. Facilitated by Brittiany Koren, editor and founder of Written Dreams Publishing.

January 13 *Don't Write Passively!*

February 10 *Write Characters That Live and Breathe*

**THURSDAYS, January 18 & February 15**

**1:00-3:00 pm**

**Memory Café at Kress** Memory Café is a fun, comfortable environment where people with early stage memory loss can relax, engage, and enjoy the company of others on the same journey. Companions and caregivers are welcome. Facilitated by Brown County Memory Café.

**FRIDAYS, January 19 & February 16**

**11:30 am - 1:00 pm**

**Conversation Café at Kress** A project of Brown County's *Connecting Our Community From Many Directions*. Meet friends, share news and ideas, enjoy occasional speakers. Brown-bag lunches welcome.

**THURSDAY, January 25**

**12:00 pm**

**Railroad Memories** Visiting author Gail F. Meintzer presents *Detours: A Memoir of a Railroad Man*. Meet the author, share his journeys in a railroading life, and join him for a post-program visit to the Green Bay Area Model Railroaders Club at the Kress Branch Library.

**MONDAY, January 29 & February 26**

**7:00 pm**

**Book and a Movie** Gather your friends for a fun night out at De Pere Cinema, 417 George St, to discuss the book and then watch the film! Free admission, concessions available. Call 448-4407 for more information.

January 29 *Zookeeper's Wife* by Diane Ackerman

February 26 *The Notebook* by Nicholas Sparks

## Friends Trivia Night!

**TUESDAY, January 30**

**6:30 pm**

Do you know all the words to Smelly Cat, dream of channel-surfing in Joey's recliner, or feel like Gunther owes you a coffee? Themed prizes and snacks will be available (but definitely not Rachel's trifle). Please call 448-4407 to save a spot, come by yourself or with a group! Could we BE more excited?!

**WEDNESDAYS, January 31 & February 28**

**2:00-3:30 pm**

**Women's Club of De Pere Book Group** Join us for a book discussion each month.

January 31 *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil* by John Berendt

February 28 *The Paris Architect* by Charles Belfoure

**WEDNESDAY, February 7**

**6:00 pm**

**With Love: The Lost Art of Letter Writing** Revive an old skill--handwriting letters. Learn about the history of writing letters and vintage valentines with author, librarian, and collector Sharon Verbeten. Along with a display of her 1940s-1960s valentines, she will delight with her collecting tips and tricks, followed by a chance to create your very own personal letters and letter art perfect for Valentine's Day and beyond!

## Pulaski Branch

822-3220

**TUESDAYS, January 2 & February 6**

3:00 pm

**Ladies' Craft and Laughs** Join us for an open "crafternoon." Bring your projects-crocheting, knitting, jewelry, scrapping or any other project you are working on. We'll have lots of fun together!

**MONDAYS, January 8 & February 5**

5:00-6:00 pm

**Make Friends with your eReader** Library staff will guide you through downloading eBooks from Libby to your Kindle, Nook, or other device. All ages welcome!

**MONDAYS, January 15 & February 19**

6:00 pm

**Un-Manic Monday** De-stress yourself with adult coloring pages! Try some brain games! Relax or challenge! All materials provided.

**WEDNESDAY, January 24**

3:00-7:00 pm

**Escape Room: You Be the Detective** Put your knowledge to the test and see if you can crack our mind-bending puzzles that will give you the key to escape. Make it a date night or bring along your best group of friends to find out if you can beat the clock before another crime is committed! Only enter if you dare. Please call 822-3220 for your group of four to secure your chance to escape.

**MONDAY, January 29**

3:00-7:00 pm

**Puzzle-Mania** Drop in anytime during this event to beat the boredom of winter with our huge assortment of puzzles. Try your hand at traditional puzzles, crosswords, Sudoku, brain teasers and much, much more! We'll even have a "Make Your Own Puzzle" station! So what are you waiting for? Grab a friend or your family and see if you can crack these puzzles! All ages welcomed and encouraged to attend!

**FRIDAY, February 16**

1:00-3:00 pm

**Memory Matters** Worried about your memory? Join the Alzheimer's Association and Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County as they discuss the warning signs of Alzheimer's and separate myth from reality. After the presentation, ADRC staff will conduct memory screens to help identify possible changes in memory for those who are interested. To register please call the ADRC at 448-4300.

**WEDNESDAY, February 28**

3:00-7:00 pm

**Indoor Winter Games** Think you got what it takes to compete in the Winter Olympics...or just want to have some fun away from the cold? Drop in anytime during this event and show us what you got as you vie for bragging rights (and maybe a sweet reward) in our fabulous indoor games. We'll have snowman bowling, indoor hopscotch, paper airplane races, snowball toss, and fidget spinner hockey. Bring some friends or the whole family! All ages welcomed and encouraged to attend!

## Southwest Branch

492-4910

**THURSDAYS, January 4 - April 5**

1:00-2:30 pm

**Wii Bowling League** Give Wii Bowling a try and make new friends! This casual league runs weekly through April 5. Please call 492-4910 to reserve your spot!

**SATURDAY, January 6**

10:30 am-Noon

**Everything You Need to Know about Legal Life & Legacy Planning** Estate planning is a lifelong process, not a one-time decision. Learn the basics of estate planning documents including wills, trusts and powers of attorney. Learn what you should be considering in your own estate planning documents and how you can best protect yourself and your family. *Presented by Attorneys Kevin Davidson and Greg Vanevenhoven, Davidson Law Office, LLP & The Estate Planning Group.*



**MONDAYS, January 15; February 5 & 19**

6:30 pm

**Spanish-Inglés Studio**

January 15 Story Cubes and a variety of conversation starters will be available for self-directed conversation with other people learning Spanish or English.

February 5 Read the 1962 short story *One of These Days* by Nobel Prize winner Gabriel García Márquez in English or Español and discuss with the group.

February 19 Bilingual talk about those magical/horrific teenage years.

**MONDAYS, January 15 & February 19**

1:00 pm

**Nothing Serious Book Group** Intimidated by book clubs but find yourself telling your friend/neighbor/mailman about the great book you've just read? Try our seriously fun group. No hard questions, no group picks, no deadlines; just coffee, cookies, and conversation about all things BOOKS!

## Southwest Branch continued

**WEDNESDAY, January 17**

**6:00 pm**

**Craft Night: Visualizing a Great 2018!** Start the new year off right by creating a vision board. A vision board collects your inspirations all in one place to motivate and encourage you. Join us to build your own board with goals for a successful and happy 2018! *Registration required, please call 492-4910 or email bc\_library\_southwest@co.brown.wi.us.*

**TUESDAY, January 23**

**2:00-6:00 pm**

**Digitizing Memories** Ready to jumpstart your New Year's resolutions? Help declutter and preserve priceless memories by digitizing photos. Schedule a one-hour appointment to get one-on-one instructions and time with our high-resolution scanner. Please call 492-4910 or email bc\_library\_southwest@co.brown.wi.us to book your time slot.

**WEDNESDAYS, January 24; February 14 & 28**

**1:00 pm**

**Southwest Card Sharks** Join us for a casual afternoon of cards including cribbage, rummy and more! Play some old favorites or try something new. Bring a friend or make new ones!

**WEDNESDAY, January 31**

**6:00 pm**

**Giant Cross Stitch** Cross-stitching never looked so cool! Create large-scale Valentine's Day décor with canvas and yarn. *Registration required, call 492-4910 or email bc\_library\_southwest@co.brown.wi.us.*

**SATURDAY, February 10**

**10:30-11:30 am**

**Homemade Kombucha** You may have tried store bought kombucha, but did you know that you can make it at home? Learn the basics of homemade Kombucha, from your very first batch to experimenting with new flavors! *Registration required, please call 492-4910 or email bc\_library\_southwest@co.brown.wi.us or call 492-4910.*

**TUESDAYS, February 13, 20, & 27**

**6:00 pm**

**Introduction to Microsoft Word** Learn the basics of Microsoft Word using Brown County Library's online learning resource, Lynda.com. This three part class includes hands-on practice and independent study. *Space is limited, please call 492-4910 or email bc\_library\_southwest@co.brown.wi.us to register.*

**WEDNESDAY, February 28**

**5:30-7:30 pm**

**Totally Radical Escape Room** It's 1986! Use cutting edge technology from the 80s and your knowledge of the most righteous decade to get back to present day. You'll only have 15 minutes before you're like, stuck in the past forever! *Registration required, call 492-4910 or email BC\_Library\_Southwest@co.brown.wi.us to register.*

## Weyers-Hilliard Branch

**448-4405**

**TUESDAYS**

**2:00-3:00 pm**

**Tech Tutors** Schedule a 30-minute one-on-one session with one of our tech experts to learn more about the technology topic of interest to you. An open time to learn, discover, or ask a question about operating your computer, software, tablet or smartphone, using the library catalog, or downloading library eBooks, magazines and music! Please call 448-4405 to schedule your session.

**THURSDAYS**

**10:00 am**

**Stitch-In** Bring your needlework, yarn, needles or hooks to connect and create by the fireplace.

**THURSDAYS, January 4 & 18; February 1 & 15**

**1:00 pm**

**Library Time for Developmentally Disabled Adults** Join Miss Katie for a time with tales and tunes.

**THURSDAY, January 4**

**9:00 am-5:00 pm**

**On-the-Spot Trivia** Celebrate National Trivia Day with a drop-in trivia challenge. No books, no internet, just your brains. Know enough random stuff and you could take home a small prize!

**TUESDAY, January 9**

**1:00 pm**

**M & M Book Club** J. D. Robb is a pseudonym under which Nora Roberts writes a series of futuristic romances/police procedural mysteries, featuring Eve Dallas and her billionaire husband Roarke. Police Investigator Dallas, an outspoken advocate for victims, fights crime in a futuristic landscape, where violence always threatens and the murders are particularly grisly. Start with: *Naked in Death*.

**WEDNESDAY, January 10**

**6:00 pm**

**Creative Corner: Fast, Fun Finger Crochet** Did you know you can crochet a scarf with out the use of needles? All you need is some yarn and your own two hands! You provide the yarn and we will provide the instruction! Space is limited, please call 448-4405 to register.

**MONDAY, January 15**

**6:30 pm**

**Modern Day Slavery: Human Trafficking in our Own Backyard** Human trafficking is the business of buying and selling people for the purpose of physical or sexual exploitation. It is modern day slavery. And it is something that happens every day in Northeast Wisconsin. Join us for an informative program on this epidemic presented by a representative from Eye Heart World, a non-profit whose purpose is to bring awareness to the plight of human trafficking victims and survivors and to educate the public on how to fight the sex trade.



## *Weyers-Hilliard Branch continued*

**WEDNESDAY, January 24**

**6:00 pm**

**Game of Thrones Trivia Night** Now that winter is here, why not test your GoT knowledge while you wait for the next season? Call all of your little birds to enter as a team of 2-6 friends, co-workers or family members to try to claim the Iron Throne. Space is limited, please call 448-4405 or email [bc\\_library\\_howard@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_howard@co.brown.wi.us) to register your team.

**TUESDAY, January 30**

**6:00 pm**

**Friends & Family Game Night** Come play with us! We'll have board games, card games, and the Wii ready to go. Drop in and play an old favorite or learn something new.

**WEDNESDAY, January 31 & February 28**

**5:00 pm**

**Outside the Lines Adult Coloring Club** Do you want to unleash your inner child? Does coloring allow you to relax and forget about the stress of the day? Well stop by our Adult Coloring night! All supplies will be provided. You are welcome to bring your own materials and join our group of coloring aficionados.

**SATURDAY, February 3**

**12:00-3:00 pm**

**Do You Want to Build a Snowman?** Can't make it to Lake Geneva for the National Snow Sculpting competition this weekend? We can't either, so we're going to sculpt right here! Bring your family and friends and make a snowman at the library. Carrots and coal provided; you may bring other supplies, but we can't guarantee they won't blow away. *Subject to snow conditions.*

**WEDNESDAY, February 7**

**6:00 pm**

**Creative Corner: Paint Night at the Library** A talented artist will guide you through each step of the featured painting. You will leave the class with your own masterpiece. Please bring a blank 11"x14" canvas, all other materials are provided. Space is limited. Please call 448-4405 or email [bc\\_library\\_howard@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:bc_library_howard@co.brown.wi.us) to register.

**TUESDAY, February 13**

**1:00 pm**

**M & M Book Group** Robert Crais writes Hardboiled Mystery in his Elvis Cole series. Whimsical personal eccentricities refresh the stereotype of his world-weary gumshoe, Elvis. Liberal humor and a little romance set an upbeat tone. His standalone Suspense/Thrillers offer tension-filled, high-stakes plots. Start with: *The Monkey's Raincoat*.

**WEDNESDAY, February 21**

**6:00 pm**

**Bad Art Night** Come make something TERRIBLE! You're invited for a night of bad art creation. Leave your talent at the door and make a mess with paint, glitter, and anything else we may have laying around! Worst "work of art" gets a "prize". Space is limited, please call 448-4405 to register.

## **Wrightstown Branch**

**532-4011**

**MONDAY, January 8**

**6:00 pm**

**Tech Gear Support** Did you get a new smartphone, tablet, or iPad for the holidays? Need help downloading the Libby App to your new device? Stop in with your device and we can help.

**MONDAY, January 22**

**6:00 pm**

**Holistic Healing** A holistic approach to healing your body and hope for your spirit. Teri Postell of Jadin Acupuncture will give a presentation on Acupuncture and Reiki. Learn about the benefits of ancient medicine. Please call 532-4011 to register.

**WEDNESDAY, February 7**

**6:00 pm**

**Valentines for Veterans** Stop in and make a Valentine for a Veteran. Hosted by local resident, Linda Verboomen. Please call 532-4011 to register.

**WEDNESDAY, February 14**

**6:00 pm**

**A Valentines Movie Night at the Library: An Affair to Remember** Starring Cary Grant and Deborah Kerr. PG, 1957, 1 hr 59 min

**WEDNESDAY, February 21**

**6:00 pm**

**Knitting Night at the Library** Come in from the cold to knit or crochet with us, and enjoy a cup of cocoa while you are here.