

CLASSES & EVENTS

For Adults at Brown County Library

March - May 2018

All Brown County Library locations will be CLOSED Monday, May 28, 2018.



browncountylibrary.org

Central Library

THURSDAYS 6:00 pm

Come Color Club 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.

SATURDAYS 9:10-10:45 am

Bonus programs 10:45 am-Noon

15th Annual Genealogy 101: Research, Record and Preserve Family History

**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 w/Dave Miller

**March 17 More Computer Databases:
*More New, Free & What's at the Library***

Bonus! Finding Connections in your
Ancestry DNA Results with
Carrie Drephal

**March 24 Computer Programs:
*What Program to Use to Record Data.***

Bonus! Irish Research with Dave Miller.



All programs are held in the
Central Library Auditorium.
Free parking on Saturdays.



An Original Music Series

12:30 - 3:00 p.m.

(Doors open at 12:00 pm)

Central Library Auditorium

www.facebook.com/stacksnsteeples

March 4

Good Luck and Fun with Atoms

March 11

Christopher Gold and The Chocolateers

SATURDAYS 12:00-2:00 pm

March 3 & 24

Parent Café Parenting is the most important job you'll ever have - and you deserve a break! Enjoy a free lunch and childcare on us at a Parent Cafe! After sharing a family lunch, relax and engage in conversation with other parents facing similar daily struggles, joys, and questions around raising children. Parents from all ages and walks of life are welcome! Free! Attend either or both dates!

Call 430-1153 to register and for childcare.

TUESDAY, March 6 5:30-7:00 pm

Shakespeare and Performance

Workshop Sponsored by UWGB, Actors From the London Stage, a traveling troupe of talented thespians founded by Sir Patrick Stewart, lead an interactive workshop that includes dynamic activities that allow participants to enjoy the power and pleasure of Shakespeare's plays from personal experience. Activities will be drawn from Shakespeare's witty, fast-paced, hilarious and provocative comedy *The Taming of the Shrew*, which they will perform on March 10 (see below). Don't miss this unique opportunity to interact with some of

SATURDAY, March 10 1:00-3:30 pm

Film Screening & Panel Discussion:

Saving Snow Northern Wisconsin is one location featured in this new documentary about communities whose livelihoods depend on winter sports and how to cope with climate change. *Organized by the Citizen Climate Lobby and the League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay.*

SATURDAY, March 10 3:00 pm

The Taming of the Shrew Performance

Actors From the London Stage perform Shakespeare's witty, face-paced, hilarious, and provocative comedy. Founded by Sir Patrick Stewart, this troupe of five talented professional actors cover the wide range of the comedy's characters - in the tradition of medieval traveling theatre. With limited props and cast, they rely on dynamic performances to bring the text to life. This accessible and problematic Shakespeare comedy entertains even as it questions romantic conventions, social status, and gender norms. Purchase advance tickets through Ticketstar.com or at the door (cash only). Sponsored by UWGB.

Central Library continued

TUESDAYS 6:00 pm

Great Books Discussion Sponsored by
UWGB Humanities Department

March 13

The Overcoat, by Nikolai Gogol
Presenter: Kevin Kain

April 10

End of the Affair by Graham Greene
Presenter: Emily Ransom

May 8

The Old Woman Magoun by Mary Freeman
Presenter: Jennie Young

THURSDAYS 6:00-7:30 pm



**Modern Marketing in a Digital
World Series**

March 15 - Website Design

Your website is your 24/7 store front. Learn how website design affects sales, marketing, search engine optimization, customer experience and credibility.

March 22 - Social Media

Consumers want to do business with brands they know, like and trust. Learn how to humanize your business, elevate your brand's digital personality and the strategy and tools to drive social media success.

March 29 - Blogging

Blogging not only provides relevant information to your customers and prospects, but it also is a great tool in your search engine optimization strategy. Learn how to blog efficiently and effectively.

April 5 - Search Engine Optimization

Search Engine Optimization makes sure your website can be found when your prospects are searching. Learn the search engine optimization basics to confidently manage your SEO.

April 19 - Email Marketing

Email marketing is a cost-effective and targeted way to increase brand awareness and drive calls to action. Learn the basics of a successful email campaign strategy and content.

April 26 - Pay-Per-Click Advertising

Pay-Per-Click advertising is a highly targeted, cost effective and measurable tool to get your message in front of your most valuable prospects on desktop or mobile devices 24/7. Learn about keywords, targeting, audiences and budgeting.

THURSDAYS 6:30-7:30 pm

Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Club

March 15 *Binti* by Nnedi Okorafor

April 19 *Red Shirts* by John Scalzi

May 17 *Queen of the Tearling* by
Erika Johansen.

FRIDAY, March 16 10:30-11:30 am



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

TUESDAYS 6:00 pm

March 20, April 17 & May 15

Cookbook Club Are you a fan of the Great British Bake-Off? Is the kitchen your sanctuary? Meet others who revel in creating culinary delights. Participate in the group discussion and munch on treats with other local foodies.

FRIDAY, March 23 10:30 am-12:30 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. Call 448-5825 to register.

MONDAYS 6:00 pm

Book to Action Book Club Participate in a fun book discussion AND engage with our community. Read books focused on a different topic each month. Meet to discuss the books, and hear about volunteer opportunities in our area focused on that month's topic and available resources. Please register at Customer Service. Books are available at the start of the month.

March 26: Sexual Assault Awareness

This month's book club will be held off-site at the Volunteer Center, 984 9th Street.

April 23: Community Gardens & Farmers Markets

May 21: Mental Health Awareness for Our Military & Veterans

Central Library continued

SUNDAY, April 8 1:00-3:00 pm

Exhibit Opening: Coney Island: Visions of an American Dreamland

This exhibit brings to life the excitement of Coney Island, showing how its magnetic world of attractions has become a touchstone for American mass culture and popular recreation. Throughout the exhibition, artifacts display how the modern American mass-culture industry was born at Coney Island. The exhibition investigates the rise of American leisure and traces Coney Island's influence on amusement parks and popular culture throughout the country. Photographs, ephemera, film clips, and hands-on interactives immerse visitors in the experience of Coney Island.

The exhibit will be on display through May 25.

WEDNESDAY, April 18 6:00-7:30 pm

Silent Movie Night Join Mary Huelsbeck from the Wisconsin Center for Film and Theater research and organist Tom McNeely in a discussion about the era of silent film. We'll be recreating the experience of what it was like with films featuring Fatty Arbuckle, Buster Keaton, and more. Bring the family, grab some popcorn, and kick back for a fun family movie night. **A Coney Island Event.**

THURSDAY, April 19 6:00-7:30 pm

Resorts, Roller Skating and Rides: The Evolution of Bay Beach Join Dennis Jacobs from the Brown County Library as he chronicles some of the more unique and surprising facts about our favorite park! **A Coney Island Event.**

MONDAY, April 23 6:00-7:30 pm

Future of Bay Beach Amusement Park

Join Jason Arnoldi from the from Green Bay's Parks, Recreation, and Forestry Department as he outlines the current and future plans regarding the rides and attractions of our favorite park!

A Coney Island Event.

WEDNESDAY, April 25 3:00 pm



Money Smart Week: Who Gets Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate?

Learn about the steps you can take to reduce or prevent family conflict when distributing your long loved life possessions as you down size or deal with the "stuff" of a loved one.

WEDNESDAY, April 25 6:00-7:45 pm

Recycling & Resource Recovery in Brown County

A representative of the county's recycling and related initiatives will update you on what's new and little-known but eye-opening facts and services. *Includes educational displays on environmental topics and community organizations arranged by the League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay.*

THURSDAY, April 26 2:00 pm



Money Smart Week: Protecting

Yourself from Identity Theft Identity theft can wreak havoc by seriously damaging credit, financial reputation, and a person's reputation. Join Amanda Ashmann, at Work Program Consultant for Wells Fargo as she discusses steps to take to help safeguard from identity theft.

SUNDAY, April 29 12:00-3:30 pm

Breathe: A Self-Care Expo

Self-care is any activity that we do deliberately in order to take care of our mental, emotional, and physical health; that's what this event is all about. Information tables, tea samples, documentaries, and more will be open to the public throughout the event. Call 448-5825 or email bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us to register for yoga at 1:00 pm, and/or meditation at 2:15 pm.

MONDAY, April 30 6:00 pm

Model Yachts Damian Schumacher will discuss and demonstrate the allure of model yachts. Get up close with a variety of models reflecting the advancement and evolution of this enduring pastime.

A Coney Island Event.

TUESDAY, May 1 6:30-7:30 pm

THURSDAY, May 3 10:00-11:00 am

Library Resources for English

Language Learners This program will explain how to get a library card and how to use library computers. It will also explain where to find books, audiobooks and computer programs to practice English. Some resources will be provided in Spanish, but this program is for anyone learning English.

Central Library continued

tech **Introduction to Lynda.com** Learn about computer resources using Lynda.com as an instruction guide, offered FREE with your Brown County Library Card. To register, call 448-5825 or e-mail bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us

May 7 - 10:00 am - Noon Email

May 10 - 10:00 am - Noon Microsoft Word

May 23 - 10:00 am - Noon Microsoft Excel

MONDAY, May 7 6:00-7:30 pm

Airplane! Join members of Green Bay Model Aircraft Club as they discuss the history and resurgence of radio controlled aircraft. View models up close, study how they work, and learn how to get started with your own model aircraft.

A Coney Island Event.

WEDNESDAY, May 9 6:00-7:30 pm

tech **Evaluating Internet Health Information** How can you tell the good from the bad? What are some reputable websites? Learn how to be a more-informed consumer of health information. Registration is not required.

SATURDAY, May 12 11:00 am-3:00 pm

Coney Island Carnival Come one! Come all! Experience the wonder of Coney Island amusement park right here in Green Bay! Our family-friendly event includes carnival games, crafts, balloon animals and a themed movie to wrap up the day! Don't forget to tour the traveling Coney Island Exhibit! Free parking! Funded by the Friends of the Brown County Library.

11:00 am-3:00 pm

Demonstration by award-winning sidewalk chalk artist Jessica Helminiak

11:30 am-12:30 pm

Performance by comedy duo Miller and Mike

1:00-2:00 pm

Visit from K.A.E.A.R. founder Jamie Kozloski and some exotic animals

WEDNESDAY, May 16 6:00-7:30 pm

tech **Introduction to Medline Plus: Part I** The MedlinePlus website is sponsored by the National Library of Medicine and is a premiere site for researching health concerns in layman's terms. Basic internet skills required. Space is limited, call 448-4400 option 7 to register.

SATURDAY, May 19 1:30 pm

Streets of Green Bay: A Historic Walking Tour

Learn about Green Bay's interesting and unique history as you walk along the downtown streets. Join us on South Washington Street to learn about how the community changed from La Baye to Astor then finally Green Bay. *Tour will meet on South Washington near the Adams - Washington Street triangle. Space limited. To register, call 920.448.5825 or email bc_library_fiction@co.brown.wi.us*

SATURDAY, May 19 3 pm AND 5:30 pm

Radio Madness Productions Presents:

Old Time Radio Theater Join us for entertaining and unique performances of the old time radio shows *Gunsmoke* and *X Minus One*. Shows feature guest host, Norman Gilliland from Wisconsin Public Radio, live musical accompaniment and sound effects. Admission: \$10 adults, \$5 for seniors and children under 12. Visit www.facebook.com/radiomadnessproductions for more details. Doors open 30 minutes before the show. You won't want to miss this!

WEDNESDAY, May 23 6:00-7:30 pm

tech **Introduction to Medline Plus:**

Part II This session on the MedlinePlus website highlights searches for drug and supplement information and the site's medical encyclopedia - all in understandable language. Basic internet skills are required. (*Attendance at Part 1 is not a prerequisite.*) Space is limited, call 448-4400 option 7 to register.

THURSDAY, May 24 6:00-7:30 pm

Roller Coaster! Join Tim Hornberger from PROTO as he discusses the history, engineering, and appeal of rollercoasters. Learn more about the roller coasters of Bay Beach, past and present at this engaging event for all of the family.

A Coney Island Event.



Ashwaubenon Branch

TUESDAYS 1:00-2:30 pm

March 6 & April 3

 **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 pre-register.

MONDAYS 6:00 pm

March 12 & 26, April 9 & 23, May 14

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.

MONDAYS 10:30 am

Coffee and Books with the Boys

For our dedicated male readers: Join our group devoted to the exchange of ideas and conversation over fiction and non-fiction books.

March 19 *Devil in the White City*
by Erik Larson

April 16 *Janesville: An American Story*
by Amy Goldstein

May 21 *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*
by Ken Kesey

TUESDAYS 10:30 am

ABC Readers Join us for a lively discussion and treats!

March 20 *Plainsong* by Kent Haruf

April 17 *Learning to Swim* by Sara Henry

May 15 *The Life We Bury* by Allen Eskens

WEDNESDAY, March 14 6:00 pm

Karaoke Night! Bring a friend and channel your inner Elvis or Celine. Enthusiasm required - skills optional! Fun for all.

MONDAY, March 19 6:00 pm

Making Music Night Bring your musical instrument or just your voice - whether you're a beginner or an expert - and show off your skills at our open music night. Come to play a tune, hum a few notes or just listen and enjoy! All ages welcome.

WEDNESDAY, April 18 6:00 pm

Poetry Open Mic Gear up for Untitledtown! Bring your poetry - mellow, powerful, rhyming or otherwise - to share and read aloud; hear others' work and get inspired! We'll kick off the event with a creative writing exercise to get you warmed up!

TUESDAY, April 24 1:00 pm

 **Social Media Workshop** The workshop will be an introduction to Facebook & Twitter. Create accounts, interact with others online, and manage your privacy settings. Bring your laptop or mobile device to follow along.

Celebrate Older Americans Month in May

Stop in at the Ashwaubenon Branch during the month of May and see if you can identify **Mystery Items from the Past** (displayed from the collections of the Ashwaubenon Historical Society) and try your hand at weekly **Trivia from the Decades!** Weekly entries with correct answers will be entered in a drawing for prizes.

 **Digital Memories** Do you have boxes of old family photos or slides you never look at? Bring a thumb drive and digitize them using our equipment. Library staff will get you started. Call 492-4913 to schedule for a two hour block of time during the month of May.

WEDNESDAY, May 2 6:00 pm

 **Cyber Security for Seniors** Learn how to identify and avoid Cyber theft, scams and hacking. Learn how to create and *remember* secure passwords and more with August Neverman, Chief Information Officer with Brown County Technology Services.

THURSDAY, May 10 1:00-2:30 pm

Work-Out For Your Brain Back by popular demand! Your brain is like 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. Presented by the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County. Please call 492-4913 to hold your space.

WEDNESDAY, May 16 1:00 pm

B10-I21-N38-G41-Q56 Are these the lucky numbers? Come with your friends to play BINGO. If you're lucky, you could win a prize!

SATURDAY, May 19 10:30 am-Noon

Dan & Michelle of the Copper Box You'll be tapping along with Dan & Michelle as they perform Czech, German and Big Band music on accordion and sax.

Denmark Branch

WEDNESDAYS 6:00-7:30 pm

March 7, April 18, May 9

Wii Bowling Tournament If you enjoy bowling, but don't have the opportunity to get to a lane as often as you'd like, stop by the library and give virtual bowling a try. Wii Bowling uses motion controls to simulate the experience of bowling. Compete against your friends in this library event.

MONDAY, March 19 6:30 pm

 **Save More When You Shop Smart**

Denmark resident, Tiffany Binsfeld, shares her knowledge and couponing skills to help you save. Discover where to find great deals, useful coupons, and apps that save you money. Seating is limited, please call 863-6613 to reserve your spot.

WEDNESDAY, April 11 5:30-7:30 pm



Preserving the Past: Photo Digitization

Many of us love to look back on our scrapbooks filled with pictures as we fondly remember past birthdays, holidays, vacations, and other special moments. With the advances in digital photography, film itself is rapidly becoming another one of those memories. Stop by the library any time during this 2-hour program. Bring along your favorite photos (along with a CD, flash drive, or other storage medium) and library staff will help you to digitize them. Space is limited, please call 863-6613 to register.

MONDAY, May 14 5:30-6:30 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.

East Branch

THURSDAYS 2:00 pm

R-E-A-D Book Club Come for a book discussion and stay for a bite to eat!

March 1 *Hillbilly Elegy* by J.D. Vance

April 5 *The Twelve Lives of Samuel Hawley* by Hannah Tinti

May 3 *Where'd You Go, Bernadette* by Maria Semple

TUESDAY, March 13 6:00 pm

Declutter and Organize Your Home

Get an early start on spring cleaning. Learn how to declutter your home and get rid of items you no longer need. Simplify and organize your life. Presented by Juli Schmiel, Managing Consultant with Clever Container.

MONDAYS 1:00 pm

Monday Movie Matinee

March 19: *Wonder* Based on the New York Times bestseller, *WONDER* tells the incredibly inspiring and heartwarming story of August Pullman, a boy with facial differences who enters fifth grade, attending a mainstream elementary school for the first time. Starring Julia Roberts and Owen Wilson. PG, 2017, 1 hr, 53 min

April 16: *Darkest Hour* During the early days of World War II, the fate of Western Europe hangs on the newly-appointed British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, who must decide whether to negotiate with Hitler, or fight on against incredible odds. PG-13, 2017, 2hr 5 min

May 21: *Crooked House* In Agatha Christie's most twisted tale, a spy-turned-private-detective is lured by his former lover to catch her grandfather's murderer before Scotland Yard exposes dark family secrets. PG-13, 2017, 1 hr 55 min

TUESDAY, April 24 5:00 pm



Social Security Overview

Join us for an informational session with a representative from our local Social Security office. The program will cover retirement; spousal, children and survivor benefits; delayed retirement and suspension options; and Medicare basics.

East Branch continued

WEDNESDAY, May 9 6:30 pm

 **Save More When you Shop Smart** Denmark resident Tiffany Binsfeld shares her knowledge and couponing skills to help you save. Discover where to find great deals, useful coupons, and apps that save you money.

THURSDAY, May 17 10:30 am-Noon

Workout For Your Brain Your brain is like 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 920-391-4600 to register.

Kress Family Branch

MONDAYS 1:00-2:30 pm

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

March 5 *Persuasion* by Jane Austen

April 2 *Maisie Dobbs* by Jacqueline Winspear

May 7 *The Elegant Gathering of White Snows* by Kris Radish

TUESDAYS, March 6 - 27 6:30 pm

Intervals Music Series Enjoy music and dance.

March 6
Folk Indie Rock by *Indian Summer*.

March 13
Popular songs from the 60s to today by *Darren & Shelly, from Daddy D Productions*.

March 20
Americana with old-time radio sound by *Badgergrass*.

March 27
A seasonal favorite from talented young dancers by *Heritage Academy of Irish Dance*.

WEDNESDAY, March 7 1:00-3:00 pm

 **My Smart Phone 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. Registration required, please call 448-4407 to sign up!

THURSDAY, March 8 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. *This program was rescheduled from January.*

SATURDAYS 10:30 am

March 10 & April 14

Writer's Workshop Facilitated by Brittiyana Koren, editor and founder of Written Dreams Publishing. *March Topic:* The Do's and Don'ts of Dialog. *April Topic:* Using the Five Senses in Writing with guest author Barbara Raffin.

THURSDAYS 1:00-3:00 pm

March 15, April 19, May 17

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 11:30 am-1:00 pm

March 16, April 20, May 18

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.

SATURDAY, March 24 11:00 am-3:00 pm

Enter Steven's Universe: A Countdown to Comic-Con Event Calling all Crystal Gems! Spend the afternoon with all your Beach City friends - enjoy sing-alongs, crafts, trivia, a costume contest and more.

WEDNESDAYS 2:00-3:30 pm

Women's Club of De Pere Book Club

Join us for a discussion each month.

March 28 *Fairy Tale Interrupted* by RoseMarie Terenzio

April 25 *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng

May 30 *Blue Monday* by Nicci French

Kress Family Branch continued

SATURDAY, April 7 1:00-4:00 pm

Adopt, Don't Shop: Animal Rescue Fair

Animal lovers of all ages will enjoy this event. Meet visitors from animal rescues; local experts from Exceptional Equestrians and Country Care Animal Complex; as well as a special appearance by the Green Bay Police Department's K-9 unit! Browse their booths, meet their furry friends, attend FREE presentations, or stop by the puppy photo booth!

TUESDAY, April 10 6:30 pm

Friends Trivia Reboot: Back by Popular

Demand! 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). Call 448-4407 to save a spot. Come by yourself or with a group! Could we BE more excited?!

SATURDAY, April 14 12:30 pm

Wilderness Canoeing Author Rich Annen will share his family's experiences in navigating Minnesota's Boundary Waters by canoe. Gather tips on equipment and safety for your own canoe excursion.

SATURDAYS 11:00 am

April 28 & May 26

Gen-Z Writer's Forum Topics for high school and college-age writers, facilitated by Brittiany Koren of Written Dreams Publishing. April guest: author Evan Michael Martin on Writing Fantasy Villains. May topic to be announced.

SATURDAY, May 5 11:00 am

GRAPHOS: St. Norbert College Literary

Journal Drop in for a Student Author Reading by the Kress Library fireplace. Copies of the Spring 2018 edition of Graphos will be available.

SATURDAY, May 5 12:00 pm

Meet Author Mary Grace Murphy

Creator of the Wisconsin Noshes Up North Culinary Mystery series. With novels set in Brown, Oconto and Marinette counties, Mary Grace welcomes bibliophiles and foodies for some down-home book and food chat.

SATURDAY, May 19 11:00 am

Bicycle Adventure

Authors Tracy and Peter Flucke share events of their *Coast to Coast on a Tandem* bicycle trip. See their tandem bicycle, learn more about bicycle advocacy and safety from founders of the organization We Bike, etc., LLC.

Pulaski Branch

MONDAYS 5:00-6:00 pm

March 5, April 2, May 7

Make friends with your eReader

 Library staff will guide you through downloading eBooks from OverDrive to your Kindle, Nook, or other device. All ages welcome!

TUESDAYS 3:00 pm

March 6, April 3, May 1

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!

WEDNESDAY, March 14 6:00-7:30 pm

Essential Oils and Sleep

Learn how essential oils can promote a good nights sleep. Discover causes of sleep deprivation, how to fall asleep faster, and stay asleep longer. Get ideas of what essential oils you can use and how to use them. You will go away with different ideas to try, plenty of handouts, as well as a roller bottle of an oil that you choose to help you get started with a good night's sleep.

MONDAYS 6:00 pm

March 19, April 16, May 21

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

Pulaski Branch continued

MONDAYS 6:30 pm

Read It or Not, Here I Come! Join us for book club each month.

April 2 *The Life We Bury* by Allen Eskens

May 7 *The Heart Goes Last* by Margaret Atwood

WEDNESDAY, April 11 6:00-7:30 pm

Essential Oils and Personal Care

Essential oils have vast applications for personal care, including beautifying the skin and hair, cleansing the mouth, gums, and teeth, as well as other general hygiene. Because each essential oil has a unique chemical profile to provide different benefits, it is easy to use them in your routine for personal hygiene. Learn different ideas to try, why you would want to implement essential oils into your routine, as well as a personal hygiene product made with essential oils that you make so you can start your journey.

WEDNESDAY, April 18 6:00 pm

Candy Science Family Fun Who knew science could look (and taste!) so good? Join us for all kinds of fun as we play with our leftover Easter candy and do some fun experiments. Science Rules! *Kids under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult.*

WEDNESDAY, May 9 6:00-7:30 pm

Essential Oils and Fitness Essential oils and healthy habits go hand in hand. Essential oils have uplifting, energizing, invigorating, and motivating properties. Come learn how you can implement essential oils into your fitness routine for respiratory health, for muscles as well as making over your gym bag. Get information on becoming more healthy, staying healthy and even how to enhance your routine - all with essential oils. You also will receive handouts and a roller of an essential oil that you choose to help you implement essential oils into your routine.

Southwest Branch

THURSDAYS 1:00-2:30 pm

March 1 - April 5

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

MONDAYS 6:30 pm

Spanish-Inglés Studio

March 5: *The 33/Los 33 Part One*

Watch the movie in Spanish with English subtitles while you play BINGO to maximize your comprehension.

March 19: *The 33/Los 33 Part Two*

Watch the movie in Spanish with English subtitles. Discussion to follow.

April 2: *Movie Night: Coco*

Immerse yourself in the traditions of Day of the Dead while we watch the children's movie *Coco*, in Spanish with English subtitles.

April 16: *Storytelling* Telling a story well in another language can be a challenge. Get some practice by sharing a story about yourself (or a made up story) with the group. We'll talk about ways to tell good stories.

May 7: *What would you do?* If you were in public and your pants ripped? You were lost and your phone battery died? Or your wallet was empty when you tried to pay for groceries? Practice the conditional tense while you answer these questions and more.

May 21: *All about you!* Get to know each other better while you practice how to talk about yourself with a simple dice game.

WEDNESDAYS 1:00 pm

March 14 & 28, April 11 & 25, May 9 & 23

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!

MONDAYS 1:00 pm

March 19, April 16, May 21

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 conversations about all things BOOKS!

Southwest Branch continued

TUESDAY, March 27 6:00 pm



What is the Cloud? You've heard about "The Cloud," but what is it and how can it benefit you? Learn more about what it is, the pros and cons of cloud-based storage and how to get started using the Cloud in your everyday life!

TUESDAY, April 24 2:00 pm



Understanding Reverse Mortgages
Reverse Mortgages are financial tools for homeowners 62 years of age and older. Learn what it is, how it works, and the positives and negatives associated with Reverse Mortgages so you can determine if a Reverse Mortgage is right for you.
Presented by Jim Cullen of CIBC Bank USA, a consultant who has been working with the reverse mortgage program since 2004.

TUESDAY, April 16 2:00-6:00 pm



Digitizing Memories 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, which can scan multiple photos at once! Call 492-4910 or email bc_library_southwest@co.brown.wi.us to book your time slot.

WEDNESDAY, May 16 6:00 pm

Learn to Zentangle Discover the art of meditative doodling using the Zentangle Method. Zentangle is an easy to learn and relaxing way to create beautiful drawings using repetitive patterns, and can help relieve stress and calm your mind. Learn the basic method, try a few patterns and create drawings to take home with you.

SATURDAY, May 19 11:00 am-1:30 pm

Southwest Celebrates 60 Years!
Help us celebrate the 60th anniversary of the opening of the Southwest Branch! Reminisce with old photos from the Southwest scrapbooks, test out your knowledge with 50s trivia, view cars from the era (provided by The Automobile Gallery) and dance to 50s and 60s tunes with the popular local band The Dirty Martinis! *Suitable for all ages, bring a lawn chair to enjoy the music outside!*

Weyers-Hilliard Branch

March - April

The 2nd Annual Peeps Diorama Contest! Pick up rules and entry forms starting March 1. Drop off your dioramas between March 26-31 and come back to vote on your favorites April 2-7. The winner of each age group wins fame, glory, and a \$10 gift card of their choice!

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! 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 1:00 pm

March 1 & 15, April 5 & 19, May 3 & 17
Library Time for Developmentally Disabled Adults Join Miss Katie for a time with tales and tunes.

FRIDAY, March 2 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Oscars All Day The Academy Awards are right around the corner and we're rolling out the red carpet for a fun day of movie viewing! Join us as we show this year's, or year's past, Oscar-nominated films. Call 448.4405 after Feb.15 for a complete line-up. We will also have ballots printed out for those who would like to participate in our Pick the Winner contest. The person who comes closest to predicting the winners in each category wins a fabulous prize!

Weyers-Hilliard Branch continued

MONDAY, March 5 1:00-3:00 pm

Memory Matters Join us for a presentation from the Alzheimer's Association's Vicki Johnson as she presents the 10 Signs of Alzheimer's. Afterwards get a free memory screening from a member of the ADRC staff. Space is limited. Please call the ADRC at 448-4300 to register for this program and for a free individual memory screening after the presentation.

WEDNESDAY, March 7 6:00 pm

Creative Corner: DIY Paper Bead

Bracelet Have you ever wondered what to do with all of those old magazines lying around the house? Learn how to make paper beads out of old magazine pages. Space is limited, please call 448-4405 to register.

TUESDAYS 1:00 pm

M&M Book Group

March 13 Harlan Coben's characters are ordinary people who find their lives invaded by extraordinary circumstances. Fans of the Myron Bolitar mystery series enjoy the finely plotted puzzles, Myron's strong moral fiber, and the behind-the-scenes glimpse into the world of sports. Coben's suspense employs similar strong characters, a rapid-fire plot, and a first person point of view, allowing the readers to experience each plot twist and emotion with the protagonist. *Start with: Tell No One*

April 10 Linda A. Fairstein's Alexandra Cooper novels offer dangerous, intriguing puzzles filled with gritty forensic and fascinating historical details. Her suspenseful Legal Thrillers combine solid investigative work with atmospheric settings involving historic locations in New York City. Like real-life DAs, Alex and her partners are responsible for several cases at a time. Legal questions and procedures fill these provocative and fast-paced thrillers, along with suspense and danger, including Alex's personal jeopardy. *Start with: Final Jeopardy.*

May 8 Readers return to Ian Rankin's Inspector John Rebus not only for his detection skills, but for a disturbing look into the inner workings of a good man struggling with a rising tide of evil. Rebus is a dedicated cop who puts too much of himself into each case, which leads to disastrous relationships both professionally and personally. Set in Edinburgh, Scotland, Rankin's intimate knowledge of the city goes beyond the street map to the relationships between the wealthy and the poor. *Start with: Hide and Seek.*

WEDNESDAYS 5:00-7:00 pm

March 28, April 18, May 23

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.

TUESDAYS, April 3 & May 29 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.

TUESDAY, April 10 6:00 pm

Peeps Diorama Awards Night Did your Peeps contest entry win the "Peep-le's" Choice award? Are you the winner in your age group? Find out tonight at our awards ceremony! Join us as we congratulate the winners in each category. *Need not be present to win.*

SATURDAY, April 21 11:00 am-3:00 pm



What's It Worth? Antique

Collectible Appraisal Event Have you ever wondered about the story and value behind that piece of art, toy, or brooch that's been handed down for generations? Or maybe it was purchased at a flea market? Antique expert Mark Moran will offer insights on your item, including an informative opinion on its value. Registration is required to have up to two items appraised. Call 448-4405 to reserve a spot.

MONDAY, April 23 6:00 pm



Design on a Dime

Decorating your home or workspace can be expensive, but it doesn't have to be! You will learn some simple strategies to spruce up a space on a budget. Sign up early! Space is limited. Call 448-4405 to reserve your spot.

TUESDAY, April 24 6:00 pm



Home Selling 101

As spring and summer approach there is one thing that's for sure, it's going to be hot. Not just the temperature, but the real estate market as well! Stop in to learn what you can do to get your home sold for above asking price and in less time! From leveraging technology and marketing to learning how to use your agent to get the most money possible. Call 448-4405 to reserve your spot. *Hosted by Alex Young and Mike Higgins of the Caleb Hayes Real Estate Group.*

Weyers-Hilliard Branch continued

WEDNESDAY, April 25 6:00 pm



**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. We will discuss 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.

WEDNESDAY, May 9 6:00 pm

Creative Corner: Scrabble Tile Craft

Creation Join us for a fun evening of Scrabble Tile creation. We will be attaching Scrabble tiles to scrapbooking paper that you will be able to bring home and frame. All materials will be provided. If you have specific paper you'd like to use, feel free to bring it along. Space is limited, please call 448-4405 to register.

WEDNESDAY, May 16 6:00-7:00 pm

All You Wanted To Know About Being a

Foster Parent Interested in becoming a foster parent but don't know where to begin? Come learn the realities of foster care in Brown County and what the needs of the children of Brown County are. Join us for an informational session presented by Brown County's Child & Family Services.

SATURDAY, May 19 6:00 pm

**An Evening at the Library: Murder
Mystery**

Join us for a special after hours event. It's time for the Walgrave Astoria hotel's annual costume ball. It's a night of fun, until one of the guests ends up dead. Will you be the victim, the killer, or the one who solves the crime? Open to teens and adults. Register by calling 448-4405 or email greatens_al@co.brown.wi.us to receive your character information.

WEDNESDAY, May 23 1:00-3:00 pm

Stroke Awareness Program Are you at risk of having a stroke? Do you know the signs and symptoms? In coordination with National Stroke Awareness Month, join us for an informational presentation on the signs and symptoms of strokes along with the treatment options available. *Presented by BayCare Clinic's Rachel Reas, RN and Stroke Coordinator Melisa Engebose, RN.*

Wrightstown Branch

MONDAY, March 12 6:00 pm

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

WEDNESDAY, March 28 5:30 pm

Cake Decorating Cake decorator, Desiree Horan will demonstrate how to decorate floral cupcakes just in time for Easter. Registration is required due to limited space and supplies. Please call 532-4011.

WEDNESDAY, April 4 1:30 pm

Afternoon Bridge at the Library

Stop in with four of your friends and play bridge with us.

MONDAY, April 16 5:00 pm

Open Chess Night at the Library

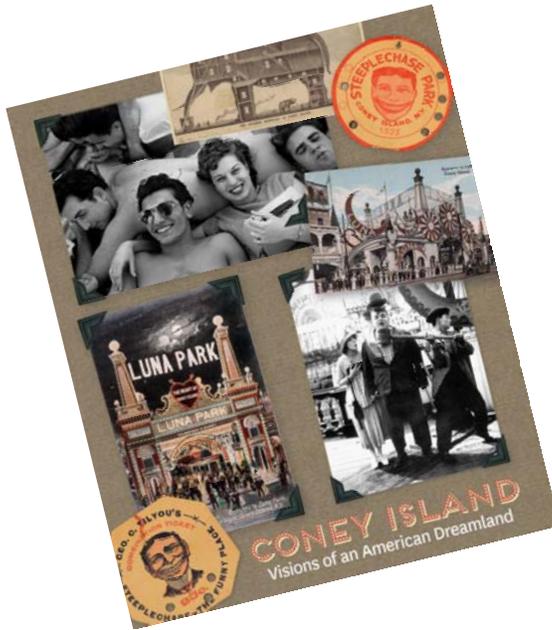
Drop in for a friendly game of chess.

What to Read Next?

Future Favorite Books Personalized Reading Suggestions

Are you looking for something new to read? Our reading specialists are here to help you find books you're going to love. Just fill out and submit our online questionnaire at: www.browncountylibrary.org/books-movies-music/future-favorite-books/ and you'll receive 3 personalized suggestions within 4 days' time.

Coney Island: A Touring Exhibit



For more than 150 years, Coney Island, a strip of sand at the mouth of New York Harbor, | has occupied a singular place in the American imagination. From a beginning as a watering hole for the wealthy, through its transformation into an amusement and entertainment mecca for the masses, to its struggle for renewal in recent decades, an extraordinary array of artists have viewed Coney Island as a microcosm of the American experience. The exhibition brings to life the excitement of Coney Island, showing visitors how its magnetic world of attractions has become a touchstone for American mass culture and popular recreation.

Coney Island: Visions of an American Dreamland opens April 8 and runs through May 25 at the Central Library. See Central's event pages for related programs.



UntitledTown Book & Author Festival

Thursday, April 19 through Sunday, April 22

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PREVIEW for Friends Members Only!

Monday, April 9

4 - 8:00 p.m.

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From arranging flowers to tying a fly - learn it all and so much more!

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Watch for additional details to be revealed!

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