Award-winning children's author & illustrator Brian Pinkney presents!

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Nine Locations, One Library

CENTRAL LIBRARY
515 Pine Street, Green Bay
920-448-4400
Mon-Thu 9 am - 8 pm
Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 9 am - 4 pm
Sun 12 pm - 4 pm (Sept. - May)

LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY
Central Library, 2nd Floor
Mon & Tues 1 pm - 5 pm
Wed 1 pm - 8 pm
Thurs & Fri 1 pm - 5 pm
Sat 1 pm - 4 pm

ASHWAUBENON BRANCH
1060 Orlando Drive, Green Bay
920-492-4913
Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm

DENMARK BRANCH
Located in Denmark High School
450 N. Wall Street, Denmark
920-863-6613
Mon & Wed 3:30 pm - 8 pm
Tue & Thu 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm

EAST BRANCH
2255 Main Street, Green Bay
920-391-4600
Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm

KRESS FAMILY BRANCH
333 N. Broadway, De Pere
920-448-4407
Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 4 pm

PULASKI BRANCH
222 W. Pulaski Street, Pulaski
920-822-3220
Mon & Wed 1 pm - 8 pm
Tue & Thu 9 am - 5 pm
Fri 1 pm - 5 pm

SOUTHWEST BRANCH
974 Ninth Street, Green Bay
920-492-4910
Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm

WEYERS-HILLIARD BRANCH
2680 Riverview Drive, Howard
920-448-4405
Mon-Wed 9 am - 8 pm
Thu & Fri 9 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 4 pm

WRIGHTSTOWN BRANCH
615 Main Street, Wrightstown
920-532-4011
Mon & Wed 1 pm - 8 pm
Tue & Thu 9 am - 5 pm

ABOUT PROGRAM REGISTRATION:
Library programs are free and open to the public but some require registration due to available space and/or supplies.

Ways to Register:
Call the hosting library (phone numbers listed above) or go to browncountylibrary.org/calendar
click on the program to view details
click on the icon and complete registration form
Online registration also gives you the option to receive friendly reminders in advance of the program!

ALL Brown County Libraries will be CLOSED on:
Friday, March 6...Staff Development
Sunday, April 12...Easter
Friday, May 15...Staff Development
Sunday-Monday, May 24-25...Memorial Day

browncountylibrary.org
Genealogy 101

Saturdays, March 7 - March 28, 2020
9:10 - 10:45 am
Bonus programs 10:50 am - Noon

Registration is appreciated but walk-ins are welcome.

Call the Local History & Genealogy Department at 920-448-5815 and leave a name, telephone number and the best time to call. A return call will be made to explain parking, what materials to bring, etc.

March 7
Court Records: Probate, divorce, civil, criminal & more
Bonus! Dutch Research with Carrie Drephal

March 14
Websites I: How to judge a good & great websites
Bonus! Belgian Research with Evelyn Reignier

March 21
Websites II: Free resources!
Bonus! Family Stories: Fact or Fiction? with Dave Miller

March 28
Computer Programs for Organization
Bonus! Joining the Daughters of the American Revolution with Shirley Ver Bruggen & the members of the Jean Nicolet Chapter of the D.A.R.

Aldo Leopold Weekend Celebration
Saturday, March 7
1:00 - 3:30 pm

Celebrate Aldo Leopold Week with a conservation fair! Booths will be hosted by local conservation organizations showcasing hands on activities, information on how to get involved, and more! Next, a attend community reading of select essays from the conservation classic A Sand County Almanac (bring a copy if you have one!) followed by a public screening of the Emmy award-winning documentary film Green Fire: Aldo Leopold and a Land Ethic for our Time, which explores the life and legacy of Wisconsin conservationist Aldo Leopold.

Coordinated in partnership with the Aldo Leopold Foundation.

Learning in the Library

HEALTHY LIVING FOR YOUR BRAIN & BODY
Presented by the Greater Wisconsin Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Learn the latest research on diet, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement and how to incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging.

Tuesday, March 24 | 10:30 am

SHIPWRECKS OF GREEN BAY & DOOR COUNTY
Presented by Wisconsin Historical Society's maritime archaeologist, Tamara Thomsen. Explore some of Wisconsin's 700 shipwrecks through underwater video, historic photographs and archaeological discoveries! Learn how Wisconsin Historical Society documents these time capsules of our maritime past.

Tuesday, March 31 | 6:00 pm

UNDERSTANDING STUDENT LOANS & REPAYMENT OPTIONS
Student loans are often necessary for post high school education. Learn about the types of student loans, budgeting techniques, and repayment options. Presented by Eileen Gossen of NeighborWorks Green Bay.

Monday, April 6 | 6:00 pm

FINANCIAL WELLNESS

Registration required.

Wednesday, April 8 | 6:00 pm

STOP "WISH-CYCLING": RECYCLING RIGHT IN BROWN COUNTY
Wishful recycling is putting items that are not recyclable in your curbside bin. Prevent "wish-cycling" and instead learn how to recycle and compost correctly. Not sure if an item is recyclable? Bring it in and a Brown County Resource Recovery representative will let you know how to dispose of it properly.

Saturday, April 18 | 11:00 am

CONTAINER GARDENING
A special guest from the Brown County Extension will show you how to grow beautiful plants in small spaces.

Tuesday, May 12 | 6:00 pm

DEMYSTIFYING THE COMPUTER
Discover the many different components that make up a computer, learn what they do, and see how they can affect performance. Hear about the various options to consider when purchasing a new computer.

Wednesday, May 13 | 2:00 pm

COMPOSTING IN THE CITY
Learn how to compost in your home to recycle your food scraps and even some non-food waste (like pizza boxes). A representative from Brown County Resource and Recovery will talk about the Organics' Drop-Off program, and how your food waste can be re-used and recycled to keep it out of landfills.

Wednesday, May 13 | 5:30 pm

HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE
Learn about ways hackers can get your information and how to keep your identity safe while you're online. Registration required.

Wednesday, May 20 | 2:00 pm
**Persistence of Perception:**
**A Spoken Word Preview**
**Thursday, April 9 | 5:30 - 6:15 pm**

Madison poet Nathan J. Reid presents an energetic, entertaining, and thought-provoking spoken word preview of his upcoming book, *Persistence of Perception* (Finishing Line Press). In a non-stop 45-minute performance, Reid will share stories about existence & death, purple powders & chipmunks, mended holes & bakie-wakie muncheons, all fusing together in what is certain to be a stirring and memorable event.

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**The Great War at Home & Abroad**
**Thursday, March 26 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm**

Central Library Lower Level Meeting Rooms

Over a century has passed since the end of the Great War. UWGB Professor, Eric Morgan, explores the origins of this global conflict and the United States' participation in it including the activism of dissenters such as Wisconsin's Robert La Follett. He will also explore the importance of Wisconsinites to the war effort. This talk accompanies a poster exhibit at the Central Library that takes a closer look at the war and its aftermath.

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**Intervals**
**Music Series**

Back by popular demand!
Enjoy a variety of live music performances by the fireplace every Tuesday in April.

- **April 7** - Bob Balsley (classical, country, rock, jazz)
- **April 14** - Indian Summer (folk-indie rock)
- **April 21** - Darren and Shelly from Daddy D Productions (hits from the 50’s - today)
- **April 28** - Dan Robinson (folk)
UntitledTown Book and Author Festival
April 23-26, 2020
This annual literary event promotes all aspects of book culture. Festival attendees can choose from a long list of readings, discussions, panels, workshops, and other events of interest to writers and readers at venues in downtown Green Bay. For details, visit untitledtown.org or facebook.com/untitledtown  Sponsored in part by the Friends of the Brown County Library.

"Diverse Author Perspectives" presents
award-winning children’s author & illustrator
Brian Pinkney
Monday, April 27 | 6:30 pm
5:45 pm Book sales courtesy of Lions Mouth Bookstore - book signing follows presentation
6:00 pm Doors open - seating on a first-arrival basis
6:30 pm Pinkney Presentation

Recommended for adults and students, grade 5 and up, this interactive presentation by acclaimed author and illustrator Brian Pinkney will entertain, and inform. Pinkney will share his sources of inspiration to inspire others. His books range from New York Times best seller, "Sit-In: How four Friends Stood Up by Sitting Down," to the Coretta Scott award-winning, "Hand in Hand: Ten Black Men who Changed America," to the now-classic picture book. "Max Found Two Sticks."

March 23-April 17 “Andrea Davis Pinkney Reading Challenge” for grades K-12  Read any four of the author’s many books and enter for a chance to win prizes! Ask your librarian for a reading record, booklist and details.

Diverse Author Perspectives is an annual collaboration between Brown County Library and the Green Bay Area Public School District. This program is funded in part with a grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services, which administers the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA).

Green & Gold: Through the Lens of a Sports Photographer
Thursday, April 30 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Join Chip Manthey for an engaging and informative presentation chronicling life as a professional sports photographer. For over two decades, Chip roamed the sidelines of Lambeau Field, Camp Randall, and numerous other Wisconsin sports venues, capturing some of the state’s greatest moments in sports history. His colorful stories, deep knowledge and specialized tricks of the trade will entertain fans while also inspiring those who are interested in pursuing a career behind the lens.

Around the Farm Table Cooking Demonstration
Thursday, May 14 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Join Inga Witscher, host of the PBS series Around the Farm Table for an entertaining and educational cooking demonstration. Inga will be showing us how to make a Smorgastrada, a Scandinavian style sandwich cake filled with smoked trout mousse with a cream cheese frosting. A passionate dairy farmer, Inga owns and operates a small organic dairy farm near Osseo, Wisconsin.
Storytimes feature age-appropriate books, songs, movement activities, and more.

Have fun with your children and reinforce pre-literacy and social skills.

Pre-Literacy Tips

Talking:
Ask your child questions, listen to their answers, and respond with interest — even if they are still in the babbling stage!

Singing:
Find objects that make noise: keys, pots, lids, wooden spoons, etc. Sing along to your new instrument.

Reading:
Listen to a picture book audio CD (ask at your library!) while you read along with your child.

Writing:
Show your child how to “write” letters with their finger on your palm or back. Do the same to them.

Playing:
Washing bedsheets? Before you do, use it as a parachute to make your child’s soft toy fly high.

Storytimes break is May 18 - June 6.
Visit the library during this time to check out books, attend programs, or play with our toys!

Regular storytime schedule resumes Monday, June 8.

Book Babies (Ages 0-2)

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MARCH 5: "SNOW" GAMES
Tinker and play games indoors with ping-pong balls and other pretend snow.

MARCH 12: MAKING RAINBOWS
Create a colorful mobile out of 3D paper hearts and clouds – and play with prisms.

MARCH 19: FUN WITH CODING
Explore how coding and circuits work with Ozobots®, Snap Circuits® and Code-a-pillars™.

MARCH 26: EGG-SPERIMENTS
Test and explore the amazing properties of eggs. Mother Bruce, the egg-loving bear, visits for 6:00 pm storytime (see page 8).

APRIL 2: SPRING WREATHS
Create an indoor wreath using a wire form and fabric.

APRIL 9: PIGGY BANK-MAKING - WITH THE BERENSTAIN BEARS
Celebrate National Money Smart Week by making a simple bank for your savings. Meet Brother or Sister Bear at our 6:00 pm storytime (see page 9).

APRIL 16: RECYCLING FOR KIDS
Join Sam from the Brown County Recycling program for stories, songs, games and activities that will help kids become their household recycling expert – just in time for Earth Day!

APRIL 23: FUN WITH TEXTURES AND PAT THE BUNNY!
Create your own touch-and-feel book or a simple “bunny bottom” picture inspired by Dorothy Kunhardt’s classic Pat the Bunny. This famous bunny will also hop in for storytime at 6:00 pm (see page 10).

APRIL 30: USE YOUR NOODLE
Try to build the tallest tower using marshmallows and pasta!

MAY 7: PAPER QUILLING
Learn the art of paper quilling as you create a piece of jewelry, a card or decoration – to keep or to give as a Mother’s Day gift.

MAY 14: TINKER WITH LOOSE PARTS
Creativity and engineering combine as play with a variety of odd parts, ranging from pieces of wood to strainers. The process is as important as the product!

SEUSS ON THE LOOSE STORYTIME
To celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday this week, we'll play with words, create our own silly rhymes, create a Seuss craft, and maybe meet a Thing...1 or 2!
Tuesday, March 3 | 6:00 - 6:30 pm

PICNIC & PLAY: DINO-MIGHTIES
Public Health Nurse Sara Lornson and Recreation Specialist Cindy Lee will lead this roar-worthy introduction to dinosaurs from Apatosaurus to Zephyrosaurus. Bring a picnic blanket & a healthy snack.
Wednesday, March 4 | 10:15 - 11:15 am

ALDO LEOPOLD WEEKEND CELEBRATION
See page 3
Saturday, March 7 | 1:00 - 3:30 pm

LEGO® CLUB
Drop in to build with LEGO® bricks and see some LEGO® models on display.
Mondays
March 9, April 13 & May 11 | Ages 4 & up | 4:00 - 5:45 pm

YOU’RE IN LUCK EVENING STORYTIME
Join us for this special evening storytime in honor of lucky St. Patrick’s Day! Following storytime, make a lucky rainbow craft to take home.
Monday, March 9 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

MOVEMENT & MINDFULNESS FOR KIDS
Instructor Mary Gerndt leads simple yoga poses that parents and children can do together. Bring a mat if possible. Space is limited. Registration required.
Tuesdays
March 11 & 25
April 8 & 22
May 6
6:00 - 7:00 pm

PUPPET PALOOZA
Laugh along as children are introduced to the art of puppet theater through short, simple stories and songs acted out with puppets. Enjoy participation songs and rhymes told with puppets.
Wednesday, March 11
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Families | 10:30 - 11:00 am
COLORS ABOUND: STORYTIME FOR 1s & 2s
Families and groups with little ones can dance, sing and enjoy simple stories that introduce basic colors. Stay for After Crafters and paint a masterpiece of color in a baggie.

Thursday, March 12 | Ages 1-2 | 9:30 - 10:00 am

MESSY MARVINS & NEAT NELLIES
Have them get messy or stay neater, but bring your babies ready to create their own masterworks at our age-appropriate, parent-led art stations. Materials supplied. Replaces BOOK BABIES storytime.

Thursday
March 12, April 9 & May 14 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

HARRY POTTER SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS
No school? Stop in to try your hand at some wizardry magic with Harry Potter science experiments.

Thursday, March 12 | 10:30 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 1:30 pm

STEP-IT-UP STORYTIME: COLORS IN MOTION
Jump right in for high-energy stories, songs and movement activities with ribbons and props that help teach colors. Stay for After Crafters: bubblewrap printing.

Thursday, March 12 | All ages | 10:30 - 11:00 am

MOVIN’ WITH NEW FUSION
New Fusion Dance incorporates movement and dance into this special storyline.

Fridays
March 13, April 10 & May 8 | 9:30 - 10:00 am

OVER & UNDER THE RAINBOW WITH “THE DADS”
Our favorite Storytime Dads will lead this lively storyline about colors and opposites, complete with parachutes, dance ribbons and more. Stay for After Crafters to play with toys and games that teach colors and other concepts.

Friday, March 13 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

FAMILY STORYTIME & LOOSE PARTS PLAYTIME
A story about imagination kicks off this creative playtime to help your child empower their creativity.

Friday, March 13 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

DESIGN YOUR OWN VIDEO GAME WITH BLOXELS
Use one of the library's Bloxel gameboards and iPads to create backgrounds, characters, and more. Registration required through the library's online events calendar or call 448-5846.

Monday & Tuesday, March 16 & 17 | Ages 8 & up | 1:30 - 3:00 pm

GOOD LUCK STORYTIME
This special afternoon storytime is in honor of lucky St. Patrick's Day! Enjoy stories, songs and a lucky rainbow craft to make and take home.

Monday, March 16 | 4:00 - 4:30 pm

STORIES BY STARLIGHT
An evening of stories followed by a special craft. Jammies welcome!

Monday, March 16 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm

SPECIAL STORYTIME: GREEN, GREEN, GREEN!
In honor of St. Patrick's Day, this special storytime is all about the color green!

Tuesday, March 17 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

LOCAL HOMESCHOOL HANG-OUT
Meet up at the library to socialize with other local homeschool families. Activities will be available for both younger ages, tweens and teens. Great networking opportunity for adults!

Tuesdays
March 17, April 21 & May 19 | 1:00 - 3:00 pm

STOMP ROCKETS
Blast off! Create a sounding rocket and learn about this tool that scientists use to study outer space. Presented by the Children's Museum of Green Bay.

Tuesday, March 17 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

SPRING BREAK ART: MARBLE PAINTING
Have fun and get (a little) messy while creating a masterpiece rolling marbles through paint. Fun for all ages! (Adults must accompany and assist children under 8 years old).

Wednesday, March 18 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

'I SURVIVED...’ THE PESHTIGO FIRE
Try to escape the Peshtigo Fire at the library. This fire happened at the same time as the Great Chicago Fire featured in the I Survived the Great Chicago Fire, 1871 book but was even bigger!

Thursday, March 19 | Ages 8-12 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

EGG-CELLENT FUN WITH MOTHER BRUCE
What does a slightly grumpy bear do when his eggs hatch before he can eat them? Find out when we learn about eggs and meet Bruce, the bear from Ryan T. Higgins’ popular picture books. Stay to play chef or customer in our restaurant-themed play area, “Bruce’s Omelet Shop.”

Friday, March 20 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

Thursday, March 26 | All ages | 6:00 - 6:30 pm

MOTHER BRUCE & OTHER UNCOMMON PARENTS
Not all families look alike and sometimes you can find your family in unusual ways that you weren’t expecting. Enjoy stories about uncommon parents including Mother Bruce, who makes a special appearance after storytime!

Monday, March 23 | 9:30 - 10:30 am

ADVENTURES WITH BEARS STORYTIME WITH SPECIAL GUEST BRUCE
Enjoy silly and adventurous bear tales before meeting Bruce the Bear, the adorably grumpy star of Ryan Higgins' popular picture books. Stick around for a teddy bear cookie snack and a camping-themed craft.

Tuesday, March 24
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Ages 3-5 | 10:30 - 11:00 am
WIND TUNNELS WITH THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF GREEN BAY
Join the Green Bay Children's Museum and engineer your own flying apparatus using recycled materials and test it out in a wind tunnel.
Tuesday, March 24 | 11:00 - 12:00 pm

PLASTIC FUSION
Join the Children's Museum of Green Bay and use heat to fuse pieces of plastic sheets together to create your own plastic masterpiece.
Tuesday, March 24 | 2:30 - 3:30 pm

BRUCE THE BEAR
Meet Bruce the Bear from Ryan T. Higgins' popular books! Don't forget your camera!
Wednesday, March 25
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Families | 10:30 - 11:00 am

BRUCE THE BEAR STORYTIME
Bruce the Bear from the Ryan Higgins picture books comes out of hibernation to join in a rousing storytime! Let's go on a bear hunt and see what we find! You're welcome to bring your own teddy bear to meet Bruce.
Wednesday, March 25 | 6:00 - 6:30 pm

FAMILY GAME DAY
Join us for a day of fun and games! Games for kids of all ages will be available all day. Bring your family or a group of friends to play.
Friday, March 27 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

LOOSE PARTS STORYTIME & FREE PLAY
Enjoy books that encourage creativity and imagination followed by playtime with our Loose Parts collection – an assortment of wood blocks, cardboard tubes, strainers, scarves and more. This type of play is inspired by the Reggio Emilia philosophy.
Friday, March 27 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 11:00 am

BRUCE THE BEAR STORYTIME
Bruce the Bear from the Ryan Higgins picture books comes out of hibernation to join us for our rousing storytime! Let's go on a bear hunt and see what we find!
Friday, March 27 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

LEGOS IN THE LIBRARY
Drop in to build with LEGO® bricks and you may even see some of your LEGO® models go on display.
Monday, March 30 | Ages 4 & up | 3:30 - 7:30 pm

WAKE UP, IT'S SPRING! STORYTIME
Arrive in your favorite pajamas and learn about how and where animals sleep. Warm up with songs, stretches and a spring story. By the time storytime is over, you'll be wide awake and ready to create a spring-y craft to take home.
Tuesday, March 31
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Ages 4-6 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

"B" IS FOR BOOKMOBILE JENN STORYTIME
Bookmobile Jenn, the driver of our "Library on Wheels," will lead stories and songs. Stay to climb aboard the Bookmobile parked outside. Check out books, and get a photo in the driver's seat!
Friday, April 3 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

LOOSE PARTS PLAY DAY
Help your child empower their imagination and creativity with our Loose Parts collection. Loose Parts provide an open-ended environment for your child to play and explore using things like glass gems, scarves and wood blocks. This type of play is inspired by the Reggio Emilia philosophy.
Friday, April 3 | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

Be a "Money Smart" Kid - with the Berenstain Bears!
It's never too early to learn the importance of money! Stories, songs and activities will present simple concepts related to counting, saving and spending money. In recognition of National Money Smart Week, Brother and/or Sister Bear from the book The Berenstain Bears’ Trouble With Money will make an appearance at storytime - bring your camera!
Friday, April 3 | 10:00 am
Monday, April 6 | 9:30 am
Monday, April 6 | 4:00 pm
Tuesday, April 7 | 9:30 am & 10:30 am
Tuesday, April 7 | 10:15 am
Tuesday, April 7 | 6:00 pm
Wednesday, April 8 | 10:30 am
Thursday, April 9 | 6:00 pm
Friday, April 10 | 10:00 am

"Game of Life" Money Smart Event
Sunday, April 5
1:00 - 3:00 pm
Ages 8-12. Drop in to learn basic financial literacy skills by playing a life-size version of the Game of Life. Kids will start with a financial scenario, and then travel around the library making decisions about real-life situations designed to help them understand where money comes from, how it is earned, saving and spending, and wants versus needs. It is never too early to begin learning important financial lessons and instill healthy money habits!
EVENING EASTER TALES AND EGG HUNT
An evening of Easter tales followed by an egg hunt and a special craft. Jammies Welcome!
Wednesday, April 6 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm

EGG HUNT WITH HATCH'EM ACRE
Drop in to meet live baby animals visiting from Hatch'em Acre and hunt for eggs in the library!
Tuesday, April 7 | 9:30 - 11:30 am

SPECIAL STORYTIME: HIPPITY HOPPITY BUNNIES!
Hop along with stories, songs and activities all about bunnies!
Tuesday, April 7 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

DIY PAPER SQUISHY
Squish, squeeze, and fidget with your one-of-a-kind squishy creation. Make your own stress ball-like paper squishes. From winking emojis to cute food, what can you dream up?
Friday, April 10 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm

APRIL SHOWERS BRING FLOWERS: EVENING STORYTIME
No showers here! Enjoy an evening storytime blooming with beautiful flowers! Stay to make a paper bouquet to take home!
Monday, April 13 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

THE WOW OF WIND TUNNELS DROP-IN
Drop in to create a flying apparatus out of recycled materials. Set your creation in our wind tunnel to see if it soars! Hosted by the Children's Museum of Green Bay.
Tuesday, April 14 | 3:00 - 4:00 pm

HOPPY SPRING STORYTIME
Who needs an Easter bunny? Hop around with our special guest, Hoppy the holiday kangaroo, for a truly HOPPY Spring storytime! Jump, sing and join Hoppy on a Spring parade around the library.
Tuesday, April 14 | 6:00 - 6:45 pm | Thursday, April 16 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

PEEPS DIORAMA AWARD CEREMONY
Judging is done and the votes have been counted. Tonight's the big night! Did your diorama win the "Peep-le's Choice" award? Find out tonight as we congratulate the winners in each category. (Need not be present to win.)
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EARTH DAY EVERY DAY STORYTIME
Stories and songs will illustrate 10 ways that even little kids can show they care for nature and the environment. Stay for After Crafters: use scissor skills to make a crown from recycled material.
Friday, April 17 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

BUNNY TALES
Hop in for favorite stories and songs about rabbits and meet a larger-than-life version of the famous rabbit from Dorothy Kunhardt's classic book Pat the Bunny. Stay for After Crafters: and create a “bunny bottom” portrait.
Friday, April 17 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

MY FIVE SENSES STORYTIME FEATURING PAT THE BUNNY
Pat the Bunny visits this interactive storytime that focuses on using all five senses.
Tuesday, April 21 | 10:15 - 10:45 am

PAT THE BUNNY
Explore the five senses, make your own touch and feel book, and meet Pat the Bunny! Don't forget your camera!
Wednesday, April 22
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Families | 10:30 - 11:00 am

HAPPY 50TH BIRTHDAY EARTH DAY!
Celebrate 50 years of Earth Day by making seed balls using native plant seeds, clay, and soil. Grow flowers that the bees, and other pollinators, will love.
Wednesday, April 22
Ages 4 & up | 4:00 - 7:00 pm

RHYTHM, RHYME & PARACHUTE PLAY
Groove to the beat of rhymes, rhythmic stories, and songs. Dance with simple instruments and have fun with our parachute.
Thursday, April 23
Ages 1-2 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Ages 3-5 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

LOOSE PARTS PLAYDATE
Help your child empower their imagination and creativity with our Loose Parts collection. Loose Parts provide an open-ended environment for your child to play and explore using things like glass gems, scarves and wood blocks. This type of play is inspired by the Reggio Emilia philosophy.
Friday, April 24 | 9:30 - 10:30 am

READ WITH OUR CELEBRITIES STORYTIME
Join local Ashwaubenon celebrities Rocky Bal-BOOYAH, Village President Mary Kardoskee, local school Principals Andrew Bake (Valley View) and Peter Marto (Pioneer) and more surprise guests at our storytime to celebrate National Library Week.
Friday, April 24 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

DIVERSE AUTHOR PERSPECTIVES: ANDREA DAVIS PINKNEY
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Monday, April 27 | 6:30 pm
WE LOVE MOM!
Let’s celebrate Moms with stories and activities!

Tuesday, May 5 | 10:15 - 11:00 am
MESSY STORYTIME & GOOD, CLEAN FUN
Stories and songs about dirt and messy things meet their match in this storytime featuring our life-size clothes line, Mrs. Wishy Washy, and more. Stay to “clean up” at our pretend laundromat play & learn stations.

Friday, May 1 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am
MAY THE FOURTH BE WITH YOU
Star Wars fans! Share your fandom with little ones as we sing, dance, rhyme and maybe twirl a lightsaber in a galaxy far, far away! Costumes optional. Stay for After Crafters: Make Yoda ears for your little one!
Monday, May 4

Ages 0-2 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Ages 2-3 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

MOTHER’S DAY STORYTIME
Moms are the best! Celebrate all things mothers (Grandmas, Aunts and Sisters too!) with books about all the great women in our lives. Stay after to make a simple keepsake to give to the mother figure in your life.

Monday, May 4 | 9:30 - 10:30 am

CELEBRATE MOTHERS WITH A SPECIAL STORYTIME
Join us for a special storytime celebrating any important women in your life! Stay after story time to create a homemade card to give to a loved one.

Monday, May 4 | 4:00 - 4:30 pm

DIY PAPER SQUISHIES
Squish, squeeze and fidget with your one-of-a-kind squishy creation. Make your own stress ball-like paper squishies. From winking emojis to cute food, what can you dream up?

Tuesday, May 5 | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?
Kids and their adults can pot their own plant to take home. Hear garden stories and welcome spring with this May Day family storytime!

Wednesday, April 29 | 10:15 - 11:15 am

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Wednesday, May 6 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

HAND-CLAPPIN’, FOOT-STOMPIN’ STORYTIME WITH “THE DADS”
Our favorite Storytime Dads will tune you in to their favorite get-up-and-move stories and songs. Stay for After Crafters: make an egg shaker rhythm instrument.

Friday, May 8 | Ages 3-6 | 10:00 - 10:30 am

MUSIC WITH MISS MAGGIE
Storytime favorite, the Musical Miss Maggie, will turn our regular storytime into a tune-filled singalong. Bring your singing voice and we’ll supply the musical instruments to ring in spring in song.

Friday, May 8 | 10:15 - 11:00 am

LEGOS IN THE LIBRARY
Drop in to build with LEGO® bricks and you may even see some of your LEGO® models go on display.

Monday, May 11 | Ages 4 & up | 3:30 - 7:30 pm
IN THE BOX-ING RING!
What are the best toys? BOXES! After stories and play, build and unpack boxes at this special evening playtime event.
Tuesday, May 12 | 6:00 - 6:30 pm

PICNIC & PLAY: SPACE EXPLORERS
This stellar introduction to the solar system is led by Recreation Specialist Cindy Lee and Public Health Nurse Sara Lorson. Feel free to bring a picnic blanket and a healthy snack.
Wednesday, May 13 | 10:15 - 11:15 am

STORIES BY STARLIGHT
An evening of stories followed by a special craft. Jammies welcome!
Monday, May 18 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm

PLANT A SEED: EVENING STORYTIME
How does your garden grow? This evening storytime will be all about seeds, planting, and growing. Stay afterwards to make a planting craft!
Monday, May 11 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

UP IN THE AIR STORYTIME
We'll read some silly stories that are set in the sky and then create a "raining cats & dogs" picture using spray bottles and watercolor paint. Dress to make a bit of a mess. Umbrellas not required!
Tuesday, May 12
Ages 2-3 | 9:30 - 10:00 am
Ages 4-6 | 10:30 - 11:00 am

MOMMY & ME TEA PARTY
Enjoy a special story time followed by a tea party and craft.
Tuesday, May 12 | 10:15 - 10:45 am

Save the date!
Summer Reading Adventure Kick-off!
Saturday, June 13 | 10 am - Noon
Central Library

Kids! Teens! Adults!
**ALDO LEOPOLD WEEKEND CELEBRATION** See page 3
Saturday, March 7 | 1:00 - 3:30 pm

**RETO YARN ART**
What can you create with tacky glue and yarn? Make your very own nostalgic masterpiece.
Monday, March 9 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**WRITE ON! TEEN WRITING GROUP**
Hang out with other teen writers at this monthly creative writing group. Talk about ideas, complete writing challenges, and if you're feeling brave, share your own work! Ages 12-18.
Mondays | 6:00 - 7:00 pm
March 9, April 13 & May 11

**STARTING TO SEW: FEED SACK TOTE BAGS**
Re-purpose a feed sack into a tote bag perfect for shopping at the farmer's market or grocery store. Assorted chicken feed bags will be available or bring your own woven plastic feed sack. Registration recommended; walk-ins accepted if space allows.
Wednesday, March 11 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**HARRY POTTER SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS**
No school? Try your hand at some wizardry magic with Harry Potter inspired science experiments.
Thursday, March 12 | 10:30 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 1:30 pm

**BE A KID AGAIN**
Remember the smell of Play-Doh®? The fun of Perler Beads®? Go back a time before homework and responsibilities--drop in and play the way you did when you were little. Friendship bracelets, blowing bubbles, coloring, and more!
Saturday, March 14 | 1:00 - 3:00 pm

**MASQUERADE MURDER MYSTERY**
The mayor is hosting a masquerade ball in the old Bloodwood Castle. Tickets to the event sold out in record time. You're alarmed. You didn't purchase your ticket - it was placed in your mailbox in an unmarked envelope. Can you figure out who dunit before it ends? Registration required. Open to sleuths ages 11+. Saturday, March 14 | 6:00 - 9:00 pm

**HOMESCHOOL HANGOUT**
Meet up at the library to socialize with other home-schooled tweens/teens. Board games, crafts and snacks will be set out in a casual atmosphere where connections can be made and interests shared. Ages 10-17.
Mondays | 1:00 - 3:00 pm
March 16, April 20 & May 18

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Meet up at the library to socialize with other homeschool families in the area. Activities available for both younger ages and tweens/teens. Adults will have an opportunity to share ideas.
Tuesday, March 17 | 1:00 - 3:00 pm
March 17, April 21 & May 19

**SPRING BREAK ART - MARBLE PAINTING**
We've got your marbles! Have fun and get a (little) messy while you create a masterpiece rolling marbles through paint. Fun for all ages! (Adults must accompany and assist children under 8 years old).
Wednesday, March 18 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**FAMILY GAME DAY**
It's a day of fun and games! Games for kids of all ages available all day. Bring your family or a group of friends and drop in to play.
Friday, March 27 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

**LEGOS IN THE LIBRARY**
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Monday, March 30 & May 11 | 3:30 - 7:30 pm

**RAISING CHICKENS - MORE THAN JUST A CUTE DECORATION**
Learn how to get started raising chickens, choosing a breed, building a coop, raising chicks, chicken care, collecting and storing eggs, and more. A real, live chicken may even make an appearance.
Wednesday, April 1 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**INTERVALS** See page 4
Tuesday, April 7 - 28
6:30 - 7:30 pm

**ESCAPE ROOM - THE TROUBLE WITH MAGIC**
It's all fun and games until you can't find the key! Ages 10+. Registration required.
Look for clues, solve puzzles, and beat the 1 hour time limit in this fun group challenge. Bring your family or friends. Register online or by phone. Must have 4-8 people to book the room.
Wednesday, April 8 & Thursday, April 9
During library open hours

**DIY PAPER SQUISHY**
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Friday, April 10 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm
Tuesday, May 5 | 4:30 - 5:30 pm
TURN YOUR T-SHIRT INTO A TOTE BAG

Make something new out of something old! Bring your own old t-shirt and learn how to turn it into a new(ish) trendy tote bag; no sewing required. Perfect to carry all your books! Ages 10+.

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See page 3

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NOT YOUR GRANDMA’S GAME NIGHT

Move beyond Monopoly! An expert from Gnome Games will be on hand to teach you that game you’ve been wanting to try and to show off some you haven’t seen before. Games provided, or bring a favorite from home to share. For teens and adults, grades 6 and up.

Monday, April 20 | 5:30 - 7:30 pm

HAPPY 50TH BIRTHDAY EARTH DAY!

Celebrate 50 years of Earth Day by making seed balls so that you can plant the dioramas and the seeds. Participants will use native plant seeds, clay, soil, and water to make a seed ball. Recommended for ages 4 through adults.

Wednesday, April 22 | 4:00 - 7:00 pm

Learn to write computer code and build small electronics with ARDUINO!

Arduino is a credit card-sized, programmable microcontroller that can read sensors, turn on lights, run motors, and more, based on the code you write.

Tuesdays | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

INTRODUCTION TO ARDUINO - April 28

For beginners ages 10-18; parents welcome to attend. This hands-on session introduces the basics of coding and inventing with Arduino.

After you attend an Introduction to Arduino session, you may participate in Arduino Club project sessions in the future.

ARDUINO CLUB: RGB LEDS & SERIAL MONITORS - May 5

Use an RGB (red, green, blue) LED to light up different colors and create a vibrant “mood light” that turns on when the lights are dimmed in a room. Then learn how to use Arduino’s serial monitor to receive and send data, track temperature and light in the room, and control LED lights from a computer.

ARDUINO CLUB: PIEZOS & POTENTIOMETERS - May 12

Piezos (also called buzzers or speakers) can be used to make noises or sense pressure. Learn how to play music using code, create a unique musical instrument and sense knocks. Add complexity to Arduino projects by using a potentiometer knob to control a variety of components.

ARDUINO CLUB: DC & SERVO MOTORS - May 19

Take Arduino to the next level with motors! DC motors can be found everywhere from remote control cars to CD players. Control these motors with our Arduinos. Use hobby servo motors to make exact movements for projects that require precision.

Space is limited. Registration required; call 448-5846.
For additional dates and details, see www.browncountylibrary.org/Arduino
LOOKING FOR A BOOK CLUB TO JOIN? WE HAVE SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

MONDAYS

**BCCWC Book Club** | 1:00 pm
March 2 - *The Life We Bury* by Allen Eskens
April 6 - *Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine* by Gail Honeyman
May 4 - *Homecoming* by Yaa Gyasi

**Murder & Mayhem Book Group** | 1:00 pm
March 10 - *Ruth Ware*
April 14 - *Clare O'Donohue*
May 12 - *Christopher Reich*

**ABC Readers** | 10:30 am
March 17 - Title to be announced
April 21 - Title to be announced
May 19 - Title to be announced

**Cookbook Club** | 6:30 pm
Feel free to bring an item & recipe to share that fits the theme!
March 17 - Irish food
April 21 - African food, with guest speaker Pat from Taste of Ethiopia
May 19 - Breads

TUESDAYS

**Nothing Serious Book Group** | 1:00 pm
March 18, April 15 & May 20
No hard questions, no group picks, no deadlines; just conversation about all things BOOKS!

**Walk and Talk Book Club** | 5:30 pm
Wear your walking shoes for this on-the-go conversation!
May 20 - *Code Girls* by Liza Mundy

**Literary Palette- a book to art club** | 6:00 pm
March 18 - *Conversations with Friends* by Sally Rooney
April 15 - *Rain Reign* by Ann M Martin
May 20 - *Bloom and Doom* by Beverly Allen

**Science Fiction & Fantasy Book Club** | 6:30 pm
March 11 - *Magic's Pawn* by Mercedes Lackey
April 8 - *The Hum and the Shiver* by Alex Bledsoe
May 13 - *This is How You Lose the Time War* by Amal El-Mohtar and Max Gladstone

**Women's Club of De Pere Book Club** | 2:00 pm
March 25 - *The Dutch House* by Ann Patchett
April 29 - *Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine* by Gail Honeyman
May 27 - *The Women in the Castle* by Jessica Shattuck

WEDNESDAYS

**Book and a Movie** | 7:00 pm

**STITCH IN**

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

**LIBRARY TIME FOR ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

Join Miss Katie for a time with tales and tunes.

**ADULT VITA TAX PREPARATION**

Volunteers trained under the IRS/TAX AIDE Program of AARP/VITA help with tax form preparation for elderly, low and middle income residents. **Appointments required; call (920) 465-2575 to register.**

**REGISTER TO VOTE**

Your vote, your voice. Volunteers from the Coalition of Voting Organizations of Brown County (COVO) will be onsite to assist in voter registration. Bring a valid Wisconsin ID and your utility or phone bill if your ID does not have your current address.

**BOOK AND A MOVIE**

Gather your friends for a fun night out at De Pere Cinema, 417 George St., to discuss the book and watch the film. FREE admission, concessions available for purchase. Call the branch for more information.

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Re-purpose a feed sack into a tote bag perfect for shopping at the farmer's market or grocery store. Assorted chicken feed bags will be available to create your bag, or bring your own woven plastic feed sack. **Registration recommended:** walk-ins accepted if space allows.
MEET THE COMPUTER
Through hands-on experience, learn basic computer terminology and how to navigate in Windows 10. Registration required.

- Thursday, March 12 | 1:00 - 2:00 pm

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- Saturday, March 14 | 6:00 - 9:00 pm

MONDAY MOVIE MATINEE
Mondays | 1:00 pm

- March 16
  Downton Abbey
  2019, PG, 2 hr 2 min
  Starring Michelle Dockery, Hugh Bonneville, Maggie Smith

- April 20
  Judy
  2019, PG-13, 1 hr 58 min
  Starring Renée Zellweger, Jessie Buckley, Finn Wittrock

- May 18
  A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood
  2019, PG, 1 hr 49 min
  Starring Tom Hanks, Matthew Rhys, Chris Cooper

UN-MANIC MONDAY
De-stress yourself with adult coloring pages! Try some brain games! Relax or challenge! All materials provided.

- Mondays | 6:00 - 7:00 pm
- March 16, April 20 & May 18

OPEN PHOTO STUDIO
Family photo, professional headshot, senior photo…Grab a friend to be your photographer and register to use our photo studio equipment. Lighting and backdrops provided. You only need to provide the camera. Registration required.

- Tuesday, March 17 | 11:00 am - 7:00 pm
- Saturday, April 4 & May 2 | 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

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- Tuesdays | 1:00 - 3:00 pm
- March 17, April 21 & May 19

ONE-ON-ONE TECH TUTORING
Learn more about using your tablet, eReader, phone, computer, software or more! Schedule a 30-minute session with our Tech Tutors to learn about a technology topic of your choice. See inside cover for library phone numbers.

- CEN  Central Library
- ASH  Ashwaubenon
- DK  Denmark
- EA  East
- KR  Kress

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LITERARY PALETTE - A BOOK TO ART CLUB

- Wednesdays | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

March 18
Conversations with Friends by Sally Rooney. Read this delightful Irish author’s debut novel and craft your own Celtic knot bracelet.

April 15
Rain Reign by Ann M Martin. This beautiful middle-grade book will captivate readers of all ages. Come ready to learn some easy watercolor techniques.

May 20
Bloom and Doom by Beverly Allen. April showers bring may flowers in this quirky mystery. Channel your inner florist and create one-of-a-kind book page flowers.

MEMORY CAFE AT KRESS
A fun, comfortable environment for people with early-stage memory loss and their companions or caregivers. Enjoy projects, discussion, and the company of others on the same journey. Facilitated by Brown County Memory Café.

- Thursdays | 1:00 - 3:00 pm
- March 19, April 16 & May 21

NIGHTCRAFTERS - SPRING BOOK WREATH
Decorate your home for spring with a wreath crafted from recycled books. All supplies provided. Registration required; register online or call 448-9824.

- Thursday, March 19 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

CONVERSATION CAFE AT KRESS
Bring your own topics and share conversation and community with other Brown County adults. Brown bag lunches are welcome! A project of Brown County’s Connecting Our Community from Many Directions.

- Fridays | 11:30 am - 1:00 pm
- March 20, April 17 & May 29

CREDIT SCORES MADE SIMPLE
Not sure what your credit score means? Join Toby Olsen from Denmark State Bank to better understand credit scores. Learn about what is considered a good or bad score, how credit scores are calculated, and what you can do to improve your own credit score.

- Monday, March 23 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

HEALTHY LIVING FOR YOUR BRAIN AND BODY See page 3

- Tuesday, March 24 | 10:30 - 11:30 am
LEARN TO NERD

APPLE IPAD BASICS I
New to using iPads and want to learn the basics? Learn the essentials and then have time to ask questions. Bring your own iPad or watch ours on the big screen. Held at the Aging & Disability Resource Center, 300 S. Adams St. Registration required, call 448-4300.

DREAMERS AND DOERS

THE GREAT WAR AT HOME AND ABROAD

FAMILY GAME DAY
Join us for a day of fun and games! We'll have games for kids of all ages available all day. Bring your family or a group of friends and drop in to play.

OPEN PHOTO STUDIO
Save money on a family photo, professional headshot, or senior photo. Grab a friend to be your photographer and register for a timeslot to use our photo studio equipment. Lighting and backdrops provided. You only need to provide the camera. Registration required.

UNDERSTANDING STUDENT LOANS & REPAYMENT OPTIONS

WEIGH YOUR OPTIONS: COMPARING COST OF CARE WHERE YOU LIVE
It's never too soon to plan for the future. An ADRC representative will present options to help you find the care you need where you want to live. Learn about in-home care options, housing options, respite care, and more. Registration required.

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JOIN US FOR OUR MONEY SMART WEEK PROGRAMS!

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS CONCERNING FINANCIAL SCAMS
Find out how to protect yourself from financial scams and know your rights if you fall victim to a scam. Presented by Jolene Dufek of the Elder Rights Project, Legal Action of Wisconsin/Green Bay.

COOKING ON A BUDGET
Learn tips to help you prep, shop smart, and maximize your kitchen appliances and gadgets. Presenter Abby Ledvina, Nutrition Program Assistant, will also answer any questions about nutrition, cooking for one or two, and foods for better brain health. Presented by the ADRC. Registration recommended.

FINANCIAL WELLNESS

SOCIAL SECURITY OVERVIEW
Learn how Social Security works and can benefit you. Join us for an informational session with a representative from our local Social Security office who will discuss Medicare, retirement, and much more.
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Wednesday, April 8 & Thursday, April 9
During library open hours
Look for clues, solve puzzles, and beat the time limit in this fun group challenge. Call to register.
Friday, April 10 | 1:00 - 5:00 pm
Monday, April 13 | 5:30 - 8:00 pm

INTERNET 101
Become familiar with basic terms, domain names, websites and internet browsers. Learn about common search engines, search strategies and tips on how to evaluate websites. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills recommended. Registration required; register online or call 448-5824.
Thursday, April 9 | 1:00 - 3:00 pm

PERSISTENCE OF PERCEPTION: A SPOKEN WORD PREVIEW See page 4
Thursday, April 9 | 5:30 - 6:15 pm

INTRODUCTION TO BEEKEEPING
Interested in starting your own backyard beehive? Learn about beekeeping basics from a representative of the Brown County Beekeepers Association; includes information on starting a colony and the equipment, time and cost required.
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NATIONAL BOOKMOBILE DAY
Learn about the role of bookmobiles throughout the United States, and specifically here in Brown County.
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Monday, April 27 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm

GARDENING WITH NATIVE PLANTS
An informative presentation about the benefits of incorporating native and pollinator plants into your landscape design. Presented by Justin Kroening, owner of Stone Silo Prairie Gardens in DePere and member of Wild Ones, a non-profit organization that works to preserve biodiversity.
Wednesday, April 29 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

GREEN AND GOLD: THROUGH THE LENS OF A SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHER See page 5
Thursday, April 30 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

CREATIVE AGING
The young at heart will love this two-week introduction to watercolor painting! Learn how art can positively impact memory, mobility, and community engagement. All materials provided. Registration required. Attendance at both sessions is required.
Friday, May 1 & 8 | 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

DIGITIZING MEMORIES
Declutter and preserve your memories by digitizing your photos. Get one-on-one instructions and time with our high-resolution scanner, which can scan multiple photos at once! Bring your photos and a USB flash drive. One hour time slots available. Registration required.
May 4 - May 9
During library’s open hours

ABCD’S OF MEDICARE
Learn all about the Medicare program, including its different parts, enrollment information and coverage options. Presented by the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC). Registration recommended. Call ADRC at 448-4300 to register.
Wednesday, May 6 | 9:30 - 11:30 am

GEOCACHING 101
This May marks 20 years since the first geocache was placed. Learn more about what geocaching is and then set off to find your first geocache! A limited amount of GPS units available or bring your own GPS or smart phone to use.
Wednesday, May 6 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

SPANISH & ENGLISH CONVERSATION HOUR
Meet other language learners & keep your language skills sharp with informal activities & conversation in both español & English. All levels welcome. ¡ Mantenga sus habilidades en inglés o español con actividades y conversaciones bilingües y informales. Todos los niveles son bienvenidos.
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DIY MAGNETS
Make one set of magnets for yourself and one set to give as a gift—personalize them for a friend, teacher, or use them for a Mother’s Day present.
Saturday, May 9 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

CONTAINER GARDENING See page 3
Tuesday, May 12 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

DEMYSTIFYING THE COMPUTER See page 3
Wednesday, May 13 | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

COMPOSTING IN THE CITY See page 3
Wednesday, May 13 | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

MEDICARE TOOLS: MANAGING BENEFITS ONLINE
Learn about online tools available to navigate your Medicare benefits, access resources, and compare plan options. Presented by the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC). Registration recommended.
Thursday, May 14 | 1:00 - 2:30 pm

AROUND THE FARM TABLE COOKING DEMONSTRATION See page 5
Thursday, May 14 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE See page 3
Wednesday, May 20 | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

PAINT NIGHT IN THE LIBRARY
Join us at the library to paint your own masterpiece led step by step by an instructor. All materials provided. Registration recommended; walk-ins accepted if space allows.
Thursday, May 20 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

NIGHTCRAFTERS - FOLDED BOOK ART
Learn how to fold pages of a book to create a beautiful design. All supplies provided. Registration required; register online or call 448-5824.
Thursday, May 21 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm

STROKE AWARENESS, PREVENTION & YOU
May is Stroke Awareness Month. New interventions may reverse or reduce the possibilities of experiencing a stroke, if provided early enough. Experts from the Neuroscience Stroke Center at Aurora BayCare Medical Center will share preventative measures you can take and the latest in treatments and therapies.
Thursday, May 28 | 4:00 - 5:00 pm

DIY MAGNETS
Make one set of magnets for yourself and one set to give as a gift—personalize them for a friend, teacher, or use them for a Mother’s Day present.
Saturday, May 9 | 2:00 - 3:00 pm

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE FRIENDS BIG BOOK SALE COMING THE FIRST WEEK OF MAY!
VISIT BIGBOOKSALE.ORG FOR MORE INFO
The Bookmobile travels to locations throughout Brown County.
The public is welcome at all stops and special events.

Morrison Community Stop (Near Way-Morr Park)
County Roads G & Z, Greenleaf  54126
**Tuesdays**  
March 3, April 7 & May 5 | 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Dyckesville Community Stop
@ Sweet Seasons, 6189 Tielens Rd, Luxemburg, WI 54217
**Mondays**  
March 9, April 13 & May 11 | 3:30 - 6:30 pm

Hollandtown Community Stop
@ St. Francis Church, 433 County CE, Hollandtown 54130
**Tuesdays**  
March 17, April 21 & May 19 | 4:30 - 6:30 pm

Ledgeview Community Stop
@ Ledgeview Municipal Building, 3700 Dickinson Rd, De Pere 54115
**Tuesdays**  
March 24, April 28 & May 26 | 5:00 - 7:00 pm

**Special Events:**

"B" IS FOR BOOKMOBILE STORYTIME  
**Friday, April 3 | 10:00 - 10:30 am**
Bookmobile Jenn, the driver of our "Library on Wheels," will lead stories and songs. Stay to climb aboard the Bookmobile parked outside. Check out books, and get a photo in the driver's seat! For ages 3-6.

NATIONAL BOOKMOBILE DAY!  
**Wednesday, April 22 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm**
Learn about the role of bookmobiles throughout the United States, and specifically here in Brown County.

WATCH FOR THE BOOKMOBILE AT THE BIG EVENT (AT HERITAGE HILL)  
**Saturday, May 30 | 9:30 am - 3:30 pm**
BCL's Bookmobile will again be one of the many attractions at The Big Event presented by Encompass Early Education and Care, Inc. Bring your library card to borrow books! For event details, visit www.encompasswi.org/events/the-big-event