



missoula public library

SPRING GUIDE



STORYTELLING • PROJECT COMMUNITY CONNECT • EARTH DAY



SPRING HIGHLIGHTS

Spark Curiosity. Make Connections. Thrive Together.

SPRING IS IN THE AIR

Getting to Know Spring Wildflowers

Location: Cooper Room B

Mon 4/8 6:00-7:00 PM



There's nothing like wildflower season in Missoula! Join local naturalist Drew Lefebvre for a presentation on some of our most iconic and beautiful species. Learn about a variety of local wildflowers, including tips and tricks for identification. Get ready to brush up on your wildflower knowledge just in time for spring.

Beginner-Friendly Birding

Location: Cooper Room B

Mon 5/6 6:00-7:00 PM



Don't be intimidated by learning to bird. Join local naturalist Drew Lefebvre for an introduction to identifying some of Missoula's most common feathered friends. You'll discuss identification skills, observation techniques, bird behavior, and more. Bring your questions and dive into spring birding.

Mushroom Identification with the Western Montana Mycological Association

Location: Cooper Room A/B

Tue 5/7 5:30-7:30 PM



Come and up your mycoliteracy game by learning how to identify mushrooms with some of Missoula's biggest mushroom nerds. Egan Jankowski-Bradley will talk about mushroom anatomy before breaking out into groups to identify different species of fungi brought along using portable keys and field guides.

STORYTELLING & CONVERSATIONS

Montana Conversations: *Trust Me* Documentary Showing with Rosemary Smith

Location: Cooper Room A

Mon 3/18 5:30-7:00 PM

Enjoy showing of the documentary, *Trust Me*, a film about how humankind has coped with new media since the advent of the printing press and how human brains are wired to respond to information viewed on media platforms and the physical and mental health effects.

100 Things to do in Montana Before You Die

Location: Cooper Room A/B

Tue 3/19 6:00-7:00 PM

From the towering western mountains to the rolling eastern plains, Montana's wide-open landscapes feature vast wilderness, quaint small towns, and fascinating sites. Join author Susie Wall in a conversational exploration of this wild and wonderful place when she discusses her new book. Fact & Fiction Bookstore will be on-hand with copies for sale.

Soup & Stories with All Nations Health Center

Location: Demonstration Kitchen

Mon 3/4, 3/18, 4/1 5:30-7:00 PM



All Nations Health Center and MPL invite you to join Soup & Stories 2024. Enjoy a soup recipe demonstration, mindfulness activity, and finish the evening with indigenous storytelling from people spanning the region. This is a hybrid event- there is limited in-person seating available on a first come basis. Zoom registration is available at: <https://linktr.ee/allnationsmissoula>. For questions contact Thomas at: tmccclure@allnations.health.

Featured storytellers:

March 4 - Helen Augare Carlson (Amskapii Piikan)

March 18 - Mike TalksDifferent (Nakoda)

April 1 - Linwood Tallbull (Northern Cheyenne)

Tales from the Trails: Wilderness Storytelling and Discussion

Location: Cooper Room A/B

Wed 5/15 6:00-7:30 PM



SELWAY BITTERROOT
FRANK CHURCH
FOUNDATION

The Wilderness Areas of the Northern Rockies are vast and beautiful yet many have not had the chance to experience the backcountry firsthand. Join the Selway Bitterroot Frank Church Foundation and Missoula Public Library for an evening of live storytelling from those who have spent their lives living, working, and protecting the Wildernesses that surround the Missoula community.

HELPING NEIGHBORS IN NEED

PROJECT COMMUNITY CONNECT



MARCH 27
10:00 AM-3:00 PM

SERVING OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED WITH FREE:

- MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION RECOVERY
- MEDICAL CARE
- HOUSING SERVICES
- VETERAN SERVICES
- PET VACCINATIONS & LICENSING
- LEGAL SERVICES
- HAIRCUTS
- EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

HOT FOOD
BEVERAGES
AND MORE!



SCAN
ME
FOR DETAILS

ALL UNDER ONE ROOF



This spring, Missoula Public Library and our All Under One Roof Partners invite you to join us for a week full of Earth Day programs and fun for everyone! Come and learn something new about the place we all call home.



Missoula Public Library:

MPL Watercolor Class Art Show

April 15th-30th - During Open Hours - Level 4

Students from Missoula Public Library's Watercolor Class display their works inspired by themes of climate, the Missoula environment, and the library itself.

Nature Journaling for Youth

April 20 - 12:00-1:30 PM - Art Box

Valerie Bayer and Kathy Settevendemie from Northern Rockies Nature Journaling teach nature journaling for kids aged 17 and younger. Take this hour to appreciate the beauty of nature and celebrate Earth Day.

Hush of the Land: Storytelling with Arnold "Smoke" Elser

April 22 - 6:00-7:30 PM - Cooper Room A/B

Join well-known packer, author, teacher, and outfitter Arnold "Smoke" Elser and Missoula writer and University of Montana instructor Eva-Maria Maggi, Ph.D., for a reading from their new book *Hush of the Land: A Lifetime in the Bob Marshall Wilderness*.

Nature Journaling

April 27 - 1:30-3:00 PM - Cooper Room A/B

Valerie Bayer and Kathy Settevendemie of Northern Rockies Nature Journaling will lead this adult class on nature journaling. Learn to connect with the natural world using a journal, curiosity, and focused attention.

Families First:

Costume Decorating and the Wild Walk Parade

April 20 - 10:00 AM-5:00 PM - FF Classroom

Join Families First for a drop-in costume decorating day! Come in to create your favorite animal mask and costume for Saturday's Wild Walk parade kicking off the start of the International Wildlife Film Festival. Supplies will be provided.

Missoula's Community Media Resource (MCAT):

Earth Ecology Stop Animation for Kids

April 20 & 27 - 1:00-3:00 PM - MCAT Studio

MCAT will provide Earth Ecology themed props for this drop in session!

Video Screening of Fires Around Missoula

April 25 - 3:00-8:00 PM - MCAT Edit Booth

Watch videos of hill fires that have erupted around Missoula in hot summer months. Local landmarks are featured in this omnibus collection of fires near the valley we call home. Missoula Health Department will have handouts on how to stay safe during fire season.

spectrUM Discovery Area:

Hands-On Ecology Science Demonstrations

April 16-27 - 2:00-6:00 PM - spectrUM

Celebrate Earth Day with spectrUM Discovery Area! Kids can participate in ecology themed experiments and demonstrations about everything from plants to fossils.

Big Sky High School Art Show at spectrUM

April 20 - May 20 - 10:00 AM-6:00 PM - spectrUM

Come visit spectrUM for a Big Sky High School climate watercolor art exhibition at spectrUM's museum.

UM Living Lab:

Air, Wildfire, and Smoke

April 25 - 3:00-5:00 PM - UM Living Lab

Enjoy hands-on activities and demos for elementary and middle school kids as they learn about one of the most pressing issues in our state with community experts on wildfire sciences, climate sciences, and air quality.

COMING TOGETHER

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Location: Cooper Room A/B

Wed 3/6 & Tue 5/21 11:00 AM-4:00 PM

Give hope this spring by donating at one of Missoula Public Library's blood drives. Make an appointment at RedCrossBlood.org enter sponsor code missoulalibrary or 59801, or call (800) 733-2767.

Story Time for Diverse Abilities

Location: Art Box

Mon 3/11, 3/25, 4/8, 4/22, 5/6, 5/20 1:00-2:00 PM

Engaging stories geared toward teens through adults with cognitive or other disabilities. This inclusive program aims to celebrate diversity and promote inclusivity.

Mental Health Matters: A NAMI Forum

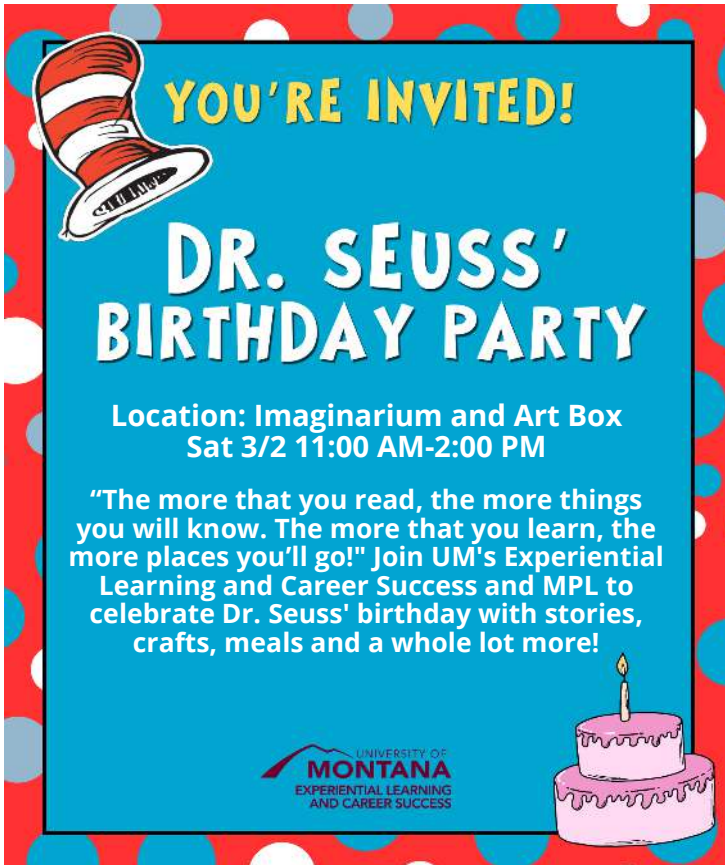
Location: Cooper Room A/B

Wed 5/29 6:00-7:30 PM

MPL partners with National Alliance on Mental Illness for part of NAMI's *In Your Own Voices* presentations. Join in on a discussion covering mental illness and the impact of NAMI; fighting stigma, providing support, educating the public, and advocating for policies that support the millions of people in the U.S. affected by mental illness.

SPRING 2024 | Kids and Families

PROGRAMS JUST FOR KIDS!

A blue rectangular invitation with a red border decorated with white and blue polka dots. In the top left corner is a red and white striped cat hat. The text "YOU'RE INVITED!" is in yellow. Below it, "DR. SEUSS' BIRTHDAY PARTY" is in large white letters. The location and time are listed below. A quote from Dr. Seuss is in the center. At the bottom right is a two-tiered pink birthday cake with a single candle. The University of Montana logo is at the bottom left.

YOU'RE INVITED!

DR. SEUSS' BIRTHDAY PARTY

Location: Imaginarium and Art Box
Sat 3/2 11:00 AM-2:00 PM

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go!" Join UM's Experiential Learning and Career Success and MPL to celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday with stories, crafts, meals and a whole lot more!

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA
EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING AND CAREER SUCCESS

Lyla in the Loop Watch Party

Location: Imaginarium
Thu 3/14 3:00-5:00 PM

Our friends at Montana PBS are hosting a special screening of the new animated family show Lyla in the Loop! Two episodes will be shown, and there will be fun swag for attendees. Lyla in the Loop is a funny and engaging animated series for kids aged 4-8. Lyla Loops and her fantastical blue sidekick, Stu, use creative and strategic problem-solving and critical thinking skills to help family, friends, and community! Lyla, Stu, and the whole Loops crew tackle challenges with humor and heart.



Cooking for Kids!

Location: Demonstration Kitchen
Thu 3/7, 4/4, 5/2 3:30-4:30 PM

Learn how to make tasty treats, simple meals, and fun foodstuffs at your local library! Kid-friendly recipes will be shared with young chefs, who will get the chance to make their own food to enjoy and take home.

Read with Dogs!

Location: Imaginarium
Every Tuesday 3:30-4:30 PM



Registered Pet Partners Therapy Dogs are just waiting for your child to read them a book. Great for hesitant readers or kids who just love dogs.

Lego Club and After School Meals

Location: Imaginarium
Every Friday 2:30-5:00 PM



Drop by anytime between 2:30-5 PM on Monday and Friday and create fantastic Lego structures! On Fridays, enjoy Food Bank After-School Meals for kids.

Stop Animation for Kids with MCAT

Location: MCAT Studio
Every Saturday 1:00-3:00 PM

A two hour workshop that fosters fun, computer skills, and artistic expression. Program suitable for ages 9-13.

Kids' Spring Chess Tournament

Location: Cooper Room A/B
Sat 5/11 10:30 AM-2:00 PM



Come and watch the Missoula Chess Club compete in their annual spring tournament! Kids 2-12 are invited.

DELIGHTFUL DISPLAYS

National Youth Art Month: Hellgate High School Art Show

Location: Cooper Room A/B
Fri 3/1 5:00-7:00 PM

Hellgate High School and MPL celebrate National Youth Art Month with this First Friday reception and juried exhibit. View artwork from beginning to advanced students taking visual arts courses at Hellgate High School. Hellgate's Jazz Band will provide entertainment for this reception. View artwork through March.

Irish Dancing with the Carroll-Henderson School of Irish Dancing

Location: Imaginarium
Sat 3/16 3:00-4:00 PM

Join dancers from the Carroll-Henderson School of Irish Dancing for a St. Patrick's Day performance followed by an introductory dance lesson! All ages are welcome.

MPL Watercolor Class Art Show

Location: Level Four
Mon 4/15 - Tue 4/30 10:00 AM-6:00 PM

Students from MPL's Watercolor Class display their works inspired by themes of climate, the Missoula environment, and the library itself.

Trashformations: Early Education Upcycled Art Show

Location: Cooper Room A/B
Fri 5/3 5:00-7:00 PM

MPL and Clark Fork School partner to bring art from early education classrooms across the Missoula area and beyond for this First Friday event. Dress in a upcycled or thrifted outfit to get a ticket for fabulous raffle baskets! Refreshments and light appetizers will be provided by the Friends of the Library.

SPRING 2024 | Adults and All Ages



4HISTORYBUFFS

Calling all history enthusiasts! Join guest speakers for lively and entertaining presentations of historical interest. Details at: <https://tinyurl.com/4HistoryBuffs>. Location: Cooper Room A/B

The Grizzly Bear in Frontier History

Fri 3/29 7:00-9:00 PM

Beyond Schoolmarms and Madams

Fri 4/26 7:00-9:00 PM

Steamboats Montana 1864 with Ken Robison

Fri 5/24 7:00-9:00 PM

GENEALOGY @ MPL

Western Montana Genealogical Society

Location: Blackfoot Boardroom
Tue 3/12 & 5/14 6:30-8:00 PM

Join for general genealogy discussions and tips on making your family history research more productive.

Western Montana Genealogical Society Work Day

Location: Blackfoot Boardroom
Sat 3/16, 4/20, 5/18 12:00-4:00 PM

This work day gives genealogists a chance to share ideas, resources, and support. All experience levels welcome!

New Genealogy Book Group

Join us for the library's new Genealogy Book Group! To join email: desireef@missoulapubliclibrary.org

The Last Slave Ship by Ben Raines

Sat 3/2 3:30-5:00 PM - Ellingson Room

Last Rights by Todd Harra

Sat 4/13 3:30-5:00 PM - Blackfoot Boardroom

The Forever Witness by Edward Humes

Sat 5/11 3:30-5:00 PM - Blackfoot Boardroom

LISTEN. ENGAGE. LEARN.

Windows 11 User Group

Location: Blackfoot Boardroom
Mon 3/13, 4/10, 5/8 2:00-4:00 PM

Want to be more confident using Microsoft Windows? Participants will have fun learning with instructor and facilitator, Dan Hubing. Prior to attending, download the User Group Tips PDF file, find updates, and get the latest Tips document by visiting: <http://tinyurl.com/Windows11UserGroup>.



First Reads with Montana Repertory Theatre *Dance Nation* by Clare Barron

Location: Cooper Room A/B
Sat 3/2 2:00-4:00 PM



Enjoy a staged reading series featuring local Missoula actors. If you are a theatre lover and you want to be the first to hear the plays the Rep is considering, don't miss this program! <https://tinyurl.com/MPLFirstReads>.

Wednesdays with the Mayor

Location: Cooper Room B
Wed 3/27 & 4/24 6:00-7:00 PM

Join Mayor Andrea Davis for in-person discussions of local affairs and answers to your questions on all topics to do with City governance in a relaxed setting.

Missoula Writing Collaborative First Friday Reception

Location: Level Four
Fri 4/5 5:00-7:00 PM



Missoula Writing Collaborative is celebrating their 30th Anniversary! Join MPL and MWC for a First Friday Opening Reception to enjoy some of the beautiful works created by their students, past and present. Art displayed April 1-14.

Movement Class with Gyrotonic Missoula

Location: Cooper Room B
Wed 5/1 10:00-11:15 AM

A flowing, low-impact class taught by Certified Trainer Kate Jordan Augusto. Based on the GYROKINESIS® Method, this class is intended to strengthen and mobilize the spine and joints, as well as calm the body through a seamless sequence of movement and breathing patterns.

AARP TaxAide Free Tax Preparation

Location: Cooper Room A
Tuesdays Until April 2



From students to seniors and everyone in-between, if you file a simple 1040 Form the AARP Foundation TaxAide would love to see you! Visit https://www.aarp.org/money/taxes/aarp_taxaide/ to make an appointment.

Oscars Watch Party

Location: Cooper Room A/B
Sun 3/10 5:00-9:00 PM

Lights, camera, OSCARS! Whether you're rooting for a Barbenheimer sweep or crossing your fingers for Montana's own Lily Gladstone, there's no better place to watch this year's Academy Awards than at the library! Complete an Oscars Ceremony BINGO card for your chance to win a prize (including one from The Roxy), submit picks for winners, and enjoy refreshments.

Come dressed in your best for our red carpet photo booth. Doors to the library will be open until 5:15 with the Oscars starting promptly at 5 p.m. so be on time! Attendees must enter from the library's Main St. entrance; all other doors are locked.



SPRING 2024 | AUOR Partner Programs



FAMILIES FIRST

Preschool Art with a Purpose

Location: Families First Classroom
Tuesdays 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

A program that gives children an opportunity to get creative while serving our community!

CDC Playgroup

Location: Imaginarium
Tue 3/5, 4/2, 5/7 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Kiddos aged 0-3 will experience play based activities. CDC will also offer free child development screenings.

Community Connections

Location: Families First Classroom
Fridays 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Mini-interactive exhibits for children that inspire hands on exploration and play while focusing on building empathy & kindness, social-emotional development, cultural expression, and imaginative and dramatic play.

Kids Cooking Class

Location: Demonstration Kitchen
Wed 3/20, 4/17, 5/15 4:00-5:00 PM

This class brings families together by teaching children and adults lifelong cooking skills that can ignite creativity, build self-esteem, and create memories.

Volunteer Days

Location: Families First Classroom
Wed 3/6 & 5/1, Mon 4/8 12:00-1:00 PM & 5:00-6:00 PM

If you want a chance to give back and create a positive change in our community, volunteering is a great option! visit: <https://www.familiesfirstmt.org/volunteer.html>.

International Woman's Day Celebration

Location: Families First Classroom
Fri 3/8 10:00 AM-5:30 PM

Celebrate International Women's Day with activities.

Summer Camp Expo

Location: Level Two
Sat 3/9 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

This free event is brought to you by 406 Families and Families First. Meet all the organizations hosting summer camps, enjoy activities, and grab a printed copy of our new "Summer Camp Guide" with more than 50 camps listed for 2024!

International Happiness Day

Location: Families First Office
Wed 3/20 10:30 AM-5:00 PM

Help us celebrate International Day of Happiness. Stop by to learn more about the Montana Happiness Project and get some great wellness tips. For details visit: <https://montanahappinessproject.com/>.

Families First 30th Birthday Party

Location: Families First Office
Wed 3/27 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Families First is turning 30 years old and we need your help to celebrate! Stop by our office for a treat and a chance to share your favorite Families First memory. Thank you for making these 30 years so wonderful.

Week of the Young Child Kick Off

Location: Families First Classroom
Sat 4/6 11:00 AM-1:00 PM

Come celebrate everything magical and fun about being a young kid. We will have art, sensory and dramatic play activities.

Wild Walk Costume Decorating

Location: Families First Classroom
Fri 4/19 10:00 AM-12:00 PM & Sat 4/20 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Come create your favorite animal mask and costume for Saturday's Wild Walk parade.

May Flower Planting

Location: Art Box or Parking Lot (Weather Permitting)
Sat 5/11 1:00-3:30 PM

Decorate a flowerpot and give to someone special.



Research Studies + Activities

The Minds Lab studies how young children's conception of others' minds inform their learning and their moral judgments.

UM Living Lab Appointment Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 3:00-6:00 PM
Friday 10:00 AM-1:00 PM & 3:00-6:00 PM
Saturday 10:00 AM-6:00 PM

Closures: March 18-23

Fun, brief, child-friendly research activities for kids. By appointment only: <https://tinyurl.com/mindslab>.

March Theme: Sticker Sharing Game

April Theme: Cardinal Numbers Game

May Theme: Novel Toy Game

Robot Obstacle Course Challenge

Location: UM Living Lab
Saturdays 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Hey kids do you like a challenge?! Then come and drive a human-sized robot through an obstacle course.

Air, Wildfire, and Smoke

Location: UM Living Lab
Thu 4/25 3:00-5:00 PM

Hands-on activities and demos for elementary and middle school kids as they learn about one of the most pressing issues in our state with community experts on wildfire sciences, climate sciences, and air quality.

SPRING 2024 | AUOR Partner Programs



To register for programs or for more details visit mcats.org or call (406) 542-6228

All About Podcasting Distribution

Location: MCAT Studio

Tue 3/19, 4/16, 5/14 5:45-7:00 PM

Join tech savvy instructor, Kathleen Shannon, to learn how to use the art and craft of audio to make compelling stories and podcasts. You can also learn how to distribute your podcast on Apple Music, Spotify and more.

Community Radio DJ Auditions

Location: MCAT

Every Sunday 2:00-5:00 PM

If you would like to have your own radio show, consider making an audition demo with help from MCAT staff.

Introduction to Podcasting

Location: MCAT Podcast Room

Tuesdays 5:30-6:30 PM & Thursdays 2:00-3:00 PM

Learn to use MCAT's podcasting equipment featuring headphones and microphones for up to four participants.

Learn Computer Video Editing

Location: MCAT

Mondays & Wednesdays 2:00-3:00 PM

Learn how to edit your videos with computer software.

Learn MCAT's 3 Camera Studio

Location: MCAT

Select Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 PM

Learn how to operate our 3 camera studio effects switcher. Call to arrange a custom workshop.

MCAT Tour & Training

Location: MCAT

Monday 5:30-6:30 PM & Saturdays 10:00-11:00 AM

Tour includes the studio, computer editing, podcast rooms, and cameras for check-out.

Music Sunday at MCAT Studio

Location: MCAT Studio

Every Sunday 12:00-1:30 PM

Record yourself and your friends playing music in MCAT's studio. We'll have lights and cameras - you supply the action!

Video Camera Tour

Location: MCAT

Every Tuesday 2:00-3:00 PM

Learn about MCAT's video cameras and find out which type might be right for your video project. Lessons are required before checking out cameras and accessories.

Virtual Reality Tour

Location: MCAT

Select Saturdays 4:00-5:00 PM

Drop into MCAT's media studio to experience the world of Virtual Reality. MCAT offers games and experiences with our VR headset.

KFGM Presents: The FreeSessions

Location: Cooper Room A/B

Mon 3/25, 4/29, 5/31 5:00-7:00 PM



FreeSessions is an improvised music and movement jam session to promote collaboration amongst creatives in Missoula. The aim is to cultivate a healthy musical eco-system across genres and ages, through the encouragement of active listening among all participants and a full acceptance of all musicians. Every month a curator presents a new piece of music, concept, or improvisation for the first 30 minutes. After, participants are invited to be a part of group improvisations throughout the evening. **Curators include; Naomi Moon Seigel, Cole Bronson, and Jay Bruns.** For details visit: <https://www.1015kfgm.org/>.



spectrUM Open Hours

Tuesday - Saturday 10:00 AM-6:00 PM

Discovery Bench Themes

Guided activities at our Discovery Bench every Tuesday-Saturday 2-6 PM. No registration required.

Nano Inventions	Tue 3/5 - Sat 3/9
Magic of Chemistry	Tue 3/12 - Sat 3/16
Aliens and Outer Space	Tue 3/19 - Sat 3/23
Robots and Coding	Tue 3/26 - Sat 3/30
Biology	Tue 4/2 - Sat 4/6
Wildfire Science	Tue 4/9 - Sat 4/13
Rocks, Minerals, and Fossils	Tue 4/16 - Sat 4/20
Plants and Animals	Tue 4/23 - Sat 4/27
Fun with Physics	Tue 4/30 - Sat 5/4
Color in Science	Tue 5/7 - Sat 5/11
Forensics	Tue 5/13 - Sat 5/18
Science Extravaganza	Tue 5/21 - Sat 5/24
Engineering	Tue 5/28 - Sat 6/1

Special Discovery Bench Activity Themes

Volcanos and Earthquakes	Fri 3/1
Self-Inflating Balloons	Fri 3/15
Robot Race Tracks	Fri 3/29
Fire Triangle	Fri 4/12
Plant Dissection	Fri 4/26
Star Wars Day	Fri 5/4
Nebula Spin Art	Fri 5/10
DNA Extraction	Fri 5/17
Cardboard Construction	Fri 5/31

Come Read With Us

2nd Wednesday Book Group

Location: Blackfoot Room and Online

Discussions are in the library and online. To join, email chrish@missoulapubliclibrary.org with "2nd Wednesday Book Group" in the subject line.

The Maid: A Novel by Nita Prose

Wed 3/13 6:30-7:30 PM

Housekeeping by Marilynne Roninson

Wed 4/10 6:30-7:30 PM

Memphis: A Novel by Tara Stringfellow

Wed 5/8 6:30-7:30 PM

3rd Wednesday Book Group

Location: Ellingson Room

Join us for this lively book discussion where new members always welcome! pamc9701@gmail.com

Paradise by Abdulrazak Gurnah

Wed 3/20 6:30-7:30 PM

When Paris Sizzled by Mary Auliffe

Wed 4/17 6:30-7:30 PM

In the Garden of Beasts by Erik Larson

Wed 5/15 6:30-7:30 PM

Potomac Library Book Club

Location: 29750 Potomac Rd., Potomac

Join your fellow Potomac Valley readers for a lively book discussion each month. For more information contact Kayla at: kaylaw@missoulapubliclibrary.org.

Wild by Cheryl Strayed

Wed 3/13 6:00-7:00 PM

One Sentence Journal

by Chris La Tray MT Poet Laureate Chris La Tray

Wed 4/10 6:30-7:30 PM

Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Garmus

Wed 5/8 6:30-7:30 PM

Frenchtown Book Club

Location: Frenchtown School/Community Library

Thu 3/21, 4/18, 5/16 5:45-8:00 PM

Meets the 3rd Thursday of each month. All are welcome to join. For details call (406) 626-2730.

Seeley Lake Library Book Club

Location: 456 Airport Dr., Seeley Lake

Thu 3/7, 4/4, 5/2 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

This book club meets the 1st Thursday of the month.

Swan Valley Community Library Book Chat

Location: 6811 Highway 83, Condon

Wed 3/13, 4/10, 5/8 1:00-3:00 PM

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Books are chosen by consensus. For details call (406) 754-2521.

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Wednesday 9 AM-8 PM

Thursday 9 AM-6 PM

Friday 9 AM-6 PM

Saturday 9 AM-6 PM

Sunday 12 PM-5 PM

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