

# LIBRARY PROGRAMMING

POLK COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM













# SPECIAL EVENTS

#### FREE SEED LIBRARY

Start prepping for your spring garden with free seeds from the Fair Play Library! While supplies last.

Fair Play Library

# A STEP BACK IN TIME

Learn what life was like long ago with stories and activities, presented by the Daughters of the American Revolution. For ages 4–8

Rayl Family Library, Bolivar Sat., April 6, 11:00am

# SOLAR ECLIPSE VIEWING PARTY

Polk County is in the path of 90% totality during the solar eclipse! View it at the library with viewing glasses that will be available to the first 50 people. An alternative viewing method will be available. All ages welcome.

Rayl Family Library, Bolivar Mon., April 8, 1:30pm

#### CREATING A POLLINATOR GARDEN

Learn how to create a beautiful garden that benefits butterflies, bees and other pollinators from a master gardener. All ages welcome.

Rayl Family Library, Bolivar Tues., April 9, 6:00pm

### **BUTTERFLY EXTRAVAGANZA**

Meet and learn about the library's newest members: a group of caterpillars! Discover how pollinators help our ecosystem, help us name our caterpillars and then watch them through their journey to become butterflies!

All ages welcome.

Rayl Family Library, Bolivar Tues., April 16, 4:00pm

# **BUTTERFLY RELEASE**

Our caterpillars are now butterflies! Join us to release them into the wild.

All ages welcome.

Rayl Family Library, Bolivar May TBD

# LIBRARY NEWS

ALL BRANCHES WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 8 FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT & MONDAY, MAY 27 FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

# **BOLIVAR PROGRAMMING**

# Children

### <u>Baby Bookworms</u>

Join Mrs. Beth for a story time filled with music and movement geared towards the youngest of readers!

Mondays at 9:30am Ages 0-2

### Story Hour

Join us for a fun and interactive story time! Enjoy books, activities and crafts.

Mondays at 11am Ages 3-5

### Bookish Beginnings

A fun mix of stories, games, and crafts, sparking joy and creativity!

Mondays at 4:00pm Ages 6-8

#### Future Innovators: STEAM Club

Dive into the world of STEAM, exploring and learning through hands-on activities in science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics. Each month will have a different STEAM focus.

1st Thursdays at 4:00pm Ages 9-12

# Teens

# Snack Squad

Travel the food world without leaving town! Each month will feature snacks and activities from a different country. Limited space available. <u>Registration is required</u>.

2nd Tuesdays at 4:00pm Ages 13-18

# Make It! Teen Craft Class

Try your had at a new craft and have fun with friends in this class meant just for teens! All supplies will be provided.

Registration is required.

Apr. 27, 12:30pm: NO CLASS

May 18, 12:30pm: No Sew Taco Pencil

**Pouches** 

# Adults

# **Novel Ideas Fiction Book Club**

Meet and discuss the monthly title with fellow fiction lovers.

Feb. 4, 12pm: Tom Lake by Ann Patchett May 2, 12pm: The Housekeepers by Alex Hay

#### Make It! Adult Craft Class

Try your had at a new craft and have fun with friends! All supplies will be provided. Registration & materials fee is required.

Apr. 27, 10:00am: NO CLASS

May 18, 10:00am: Mini Succulent Garden, \$5.00

### **Discord Book Chat**

Love to talk books, but don't have time for a traditional book club?

Join our Discord server and share what you've been enjoying! Search for **PolkCoLibrary Book Chat** to join!

# All Ages

# Monday Night at the Movies

Watch new releases and popular movies for free at the library! Popcorn & lemonade is provided. All ages welcome, viewer discretion is advised. Grab a Movie Night brochure for a list of the upcoming movies.

Mondays at 5:30pm

# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK SALE

Stop by the Rayl Family Library to purchase some great new reads! Proceeds benefit the Friends of the Library.

RAYL FAMILY LIBRARY, BOLIVAR

FRI-SAT, APRIL 26-27, 9:00-4:30

Donations accepted beginning April 22nd

# FAIR PLAY PROGRAMMING

#### Story Hour

Join us for a fun and interactive story time! Enjoy books, activities and crafts perfect for ages 3–5.

Wednesdays at 11:00am

# Science Night

Explore a world of science with projects for ages 5–8. <u>Registration is required.</u>

Apr. 23, 5:30pm: Very Berry Ink May 28, 5:30pm: Bug Vacuum

### <u>History Repeats Itself Book Club</u>

Do you enjoy historical fiction? Read a book by the monthly author, then join us for coffee, dessert, and discussion.

Apr. 2, 5:00pm: Fiona Davis May 7, 5:00pm: Kate Quinn

#### **Knit Wits**

Knit, crochet, learn something new, or teach us something new. 1st Thursday of the month.

Apr. 4 at 5:30pm May 2 at 5:30pm

# **Mystery Book Chat**

Love to solve a good mystery? Read a book by the monthly author, and join us for book discussion.

Apr. 18, 5:00pm: Liane Moriarty May 16, 5:00pm: Alice Feeney

# **HUMANSVILLE PROGRAMMING**

# Story Hour

Join us for a fun and interactive story time! Enjoy books, activities and crafts perfect for ages 3–5.

Thursdays at 11:00 am

# Lego Club

Spark your child's sense of imagination and creativity with LEGOs! Kids will build the monthly project and leave their creation on display at the library.

1st Monday of the month.

Apr. 1 at 4:00pm May 6 at 4:00pm

# <u>Dungeons & Dragons</u>

Create your character & learn the game. Then join the adventure & start playing!

Thursdays at 4:00 pm

- 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs.: Ragtag Adventures
- 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs.: Tyranny of Dragons

# Tuesday Night at the Movies

Enjoy free movies at the library! Popcorn and drinks are provided. All ages welcome, viewer discretion is advised. Grab a Movie Night brochure for a list of the upcoming movies.

Apr. 9 & 23, May 14 & 28 at 5:00 pm

# <u>Pinterest Pick-up</u>

Easy take home craft kits! All supplies are provided. While supplies last.

April's kit: Floral Embroidery Hoop Craft May's kit: Fairy Lantern

# WE NOW HAVE ONLINE PROGRAM REGISTRATION!

To register online, click on the program flyer on our website homepage or scan the QR code on the back of this brochure. If you need assistance registering, feel free to call 417-326-4531.

# MORRISVILLE PROGRAMMING

### **Diamond Painting Club**

BYOP: Bring Your Own Painting! Bring the painting you've been working on to Diamond Painting Club and share in your favorite hobby with others! First time participants will receive a Diamond Painting Kit provided by the library upon registration. 2nd & 4th Fridays of the month.

Apr. 12 & 26 at 1:00pm May 10 & 24 at 1:00pm

#### Take Home Craft Kits

Easy take home craft kits! All supplies are provided.

TO GET MORE INFORMATION ON PROGRAMS AND EVENTS HAPPENING AT POLK COUNTY LIBRARY AND TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS,







# RAYL FAMILY LIBRARY

1690 W Broadway St. Bolivar, MO 65613 417-326-4531

# **HUMANSVILLE LIBRARY**

101 S Ohio St. Humansville, MO 65674 417-754-2455

# FAIR PLAY LIBRARY

104 N Elm St. Fair Play, MO 65649 417-654-5013

# MORRISVILLE LIBRARY

5308 S Main Ave. Morrisville, MO 65710 417-756-2181

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