

# At Your Library

Events for January  
& February 2025



*Sign up for our relaxed  
Winter Reading program  
for adults, teens & kids!*

Enjoy the comforts of a good  
book and take home a prize  
during Winter Reading  
January 13-February 28.

See page 23 for details!



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Holts Summit kids  
hang out in the reading fort  
they made at the library.  
And adult readers in  
Columbia sample new titles  
during our "Winter Book  
Tasting" program.

# Friends of the Library Book Sales

These hard-working volunteers raise money for their libraries by sorting and reselling donated used books, music and other items at the following sales.

## Friends of the Columbia Public Library

(573) 817-7110 • [www.dbrl.org/friends-cpl](http://www.dbrl.org/friends-cpl) • Cash or checks only. All proceeds support library services.

### First Wednesday Sales

**February 5: Gardening, Travel & Nature • Noon-3 p.m.**

First Wednesday sales offer some of the very best books that have been donated to the Friends. There is NO SALE on January 1.

**Lobby Sales** Wednesdays & Saturdays • Noon- 3 p.m. (except Jan. 1 & Feb. 5)

## Friends of the Southern Boone County Public Library

(573) 657-7378 • [www.dbrl.org/friends-sbc](http://www.dbrl.org/friends-sbc) • All proceeds support library services.

### Saturday Book Sales

Saturdays, January 11 & February 8 • 9 a.m.–Noon

Get a book bag to fill with as many books as it will hold for \$5. Or you can shop the Friends' book cart during library open hours.

*The Friends accept donations of gently used books during library open hours. Donations are reviewed for addition to the library collection before being sold. See donation details at [www.dbrl.org/friends](http://www.dbrl.org/friends).*



## FREE Tax Help at the Columbia Public Library January 31–April 12, by appointment

Free income tax service at the Columbia Public Library is provided through Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA), an IRS affiliate.

Starting January 17, call (573) 443-3161 to schedule an appointment.

### HOLIDAY HOURS All libraries are CLOSED December 31 and January 1.

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**Our services are accessible to you.** In compliance with the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, the Daniel Boone Regional Library will arrange for accommodations such as sign interpretation or alternative audiovisual devices to help you participate in library programs and/or meetings or access services. We ask that you make requests for accommodations with as much lead time as possible prior to the scheduled program, service or meeting. To make arrangements, please call (573) 443-3161 or send email to [help@dbrl.org](mailto:help@dbrl.org).

# January & February | ONLINE EVENTS

## Live Events via Zoom

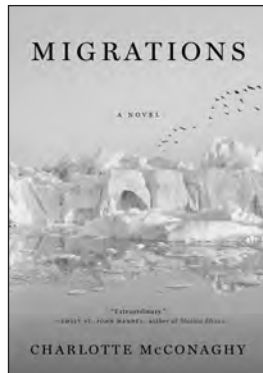
### The Wonders of Migration

Thursday, January 16, 6-7 p.m.

Revisiting the 2024 *One Read* pick, Charlotte McConaghy's "Migrations," come explore the wonders of bird migration. Dana Ripper of the Missouri River Bird Observatory will discuss the prescient messages in "Migrations" and how birds are a harbinger for what might be to come. Participants will be entered into a prize drawing.

Adults & teens.

Register for a Zoom link: [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online) ▶



### Mountain Sam Wheelock: A Story and a Song

Thursday, February 13, 7-8 p.m.

Mountain Sam Wheelock is an authentic part of the heritage of the southern Appalachians and the sound of his Tennessee voice resonates sorrow and joy in every note and story. He offers modern electric folk music layered with a personal memoir. It's a heartfelt journey into the heritage of a regional people. Don't miss this virtual concert!

Adults & teens.

Register for a Zoom link: [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online) ▶



### Circle of Three: A Songwriters Evening

Wednesday, January 22  
7-8 p.m.

Three accomplished and inspiring songwriters will join us virtually tonight to share their talents across the miles: Tracy Newman (California), Tom Smith (Massachusetts) and Kim Wallach (New Hampshire).

Adults and teens.

Register for a Zoom link: [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online) ▶



## Hybrid Events Online & In-Person

### LUNCH & LEARN PRESENTATIONS

Co-sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Columbia-Boone County. **Adults.** Register to get Zoom links at [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online) or attend in person at the Columbia Public Library ▶

### CoMo Preservation

Wednesday, January 8  
Noon-1 p.m.

Come hear from CoMo Preservation representatives Dee Wasman, Matt Fetterly and Elena Vega about their work to preserve the historic architecture of Columbia, Missouri.



### The Power of Positive Parenting Workshop: Setting Limitations and Boundaries

Tuesday, February 4, 6-7 p.m.

Parents will learn how to set boundaries and limits with their children, with a special emphasis on screen time. Presented by Catherine Miller, M.Ed., with the Boone County Early Childhood Coalition.

Adults. Register for a Zoom link: [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online) ▶



Wednesday, February 12, Noon-1 p.m.

Topic and program speaker to be announced. For updates, please visit [www.dbrl.org/events](http://www.dbrl.org/events).



# ONLINE EVENTS | January & February

**Live Online Author Series** Register to get a link: [www.dbrl.org/online-author-series](http://www.dbrl.org/online-author-series)

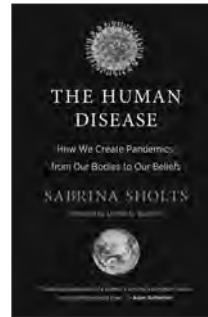


**TJ Klune**

**The Magic of Found Family**  
Wednesday, January 15, 6-7 p.m.

Come have a magical moment with New York Times bestselling author TJ Klune as he chats online about his "Cerulean Chronicles," with special emphasis on his newest in the series, "Somewhere Beyond the Sea."

Adults.



**Smithsonian Curator  
Sabrina Sholts**

**How We Create Pandemics,  
From Our Bodies to Our Beliefs**  
Tuesday, February 4, 1-2 p.m.

Join us for an enlightening online discussion with Smithsonian curator Sabrina Sholts as she talks about how the very fact of being human increases our pandemic risks — and gives us the power to save ourselves.

Adults.



**Amanda Montell**

**Notes on Modern Irrationality**  
Thursday, January 23, 1-2 p.m.

Join us online to chat with bestselling author Amanda Montell about her newest book, "The Age of Magical Overthinking: Notes on Modern Irrationality." With a delicious blend of cultural criticism and personal narrative, Montell turns her erudite eye to the inner workings of the human mind and its biases.

Adults.



**Waubgeshig Rice**

**Dystopian Tropes From an  
Indigenous Perspective**  
Tuesday, February 11, 6-7 p.m.

In this online discussion, bestselling author Waubgeshig Rice will talk about his newest book "Moon of the Turning Leaves," the hotly anticipated sequel to the bestselling novel "Moon of the Crusted Snow."

Adults.

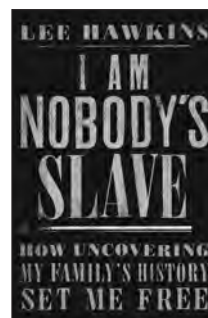


**Seth Fishman**

**An Inside Look at Working  
With a Literary Agent**  
Tuesday, January 28, Noon-1:30 p.m.

You're writing a book (or thinking about it), but what happens next? Join us online for an inside look into working with an agent and the beginning stages of the publishing process with Seth Fishman, vice president and literary agent at The Gernert Company.

Adults.



**Pulitzer Prize Finalist  
Lee Hawkins**

**"I Am Nobody's Slave"**  
Tuesday, February 18, 1-2 p.m.

We welcome you to a virtual conversation with journalist and author Lee Hawkins as he talks about examining his family's legacy of post-enslavement trauma and resilience in his riveting memoir, "I Am Nobody's Slave: How Uncovering My Family's History Set Me Free."

Adults.

*The Online Author Series is supported by David Lile honorarium funds. Check the website for more upcoming events in this series.*

**4** *The talks are all recorded for later viewing. Find the program archives at [www.library.org/dbrl](http://www.library.org/dbrl).*

# January Events | ASHLAND

Southern Boone County Public Library, 109 North Main Street, Ashland



## Family Story Time

Mondays in January & February • 9:30-10 a.m.

Join us for rhymes, stories and fun! Families, ages birth-5.



## Health on Wheels Outreach Visits

Wednesdays, January 8 & 22

Wednesdays, February 12 & 26

3-6 p.m.

Come visit the Health on Wheels van from the Columbia/Boone County Department of Public Health and Human Services for free services like health assessments, blood pressure checks, pre-diabetes questionnaire screenings, COVID-19 test kits, health information and referrals to community resources. Stop in while the van is in the Southern Boone County Library parking lot.

Adults, 18 and older.

## Tuesday, January 14

### Paper Crafting: Seasonal Decorations for Reusable Wreaths

2-3:30 p.m. • 6-7:30 p.m.

Come make some winter-themed paper crafts to decorate a grapevine wreath. Keep the wreath for yourself and bring it back for subsequent programs to update it with new crafts for the season. We'll also introduce you to our excellent online crafting resource Creativebug.

Adults. Register: [www.dbri.org/register-ashland](http://www.dbri.org/register-ashland)

## Wednesday, January 15

### Chess: Play & Learn

2-4 p.m.

Come enjoy one of the world's oldest games with other enthusiasts. You can play face-to-face with those of varying skill levels. Those new to the game can ask questions and get advice from the more experienced players. We'll have some other games for you to try out, too.

Players of all ages and experience levels are welcome.

## Monday, January 20

### Button Up, It's Cold Outside! Make Your Own Pin-Back Buttons

2-4 p.m.

Spend a winter afternoon crafting your own pin-back buttons. We will have a button-maker, supplies, and a variety of images and decorations. You can also bring your own pictures, drawings or decorations to make into a button!

All ages. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.





Valentine's Day Crafts, Feb. 12

## Monday, January 27

### Is Your Child on Track?

9-11 a.m.

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

## Wednesday, January 29

### What You Need to Know About the Better Business Bureau

3-4 p.m.

Khesha Duncan, Columbia Regional Director of the Better Business Bureau will share a brief history of the organization and its mission to protect consumers. Learn about the free consumer services BBB offers and top scams to watch out for, as well as how to protect yourself and how to recover in the event you are scammed.

Adults.

## Saturday, February 1

### Take Your Child to the Library Day

Drop in all day!

Discover your local library on this special day! Come explore the library with your child and pick out a free book to add to your home collection (while supplies last).

Families.

## Tuesday, February 11

### Paper Crafting: Quilt Block Heart Cards

2-3:30 p.m. · 6-7 p.m.

At our February card classes, we'll make two cards with a heart quilt block pattern, perfect for Valentine's Day or any other heartfelt occasion. Bring paper crafting scissors and your favorite adhesive, if you have them. Step-by-step instructions and supplies are provided.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-ashland](http://www.dbrl.org/register-ashland)

## Wednesday, February 12

### Valentine's Day Crafts

2-4 p.m.

We'll have a variety of craft projects available with a Valentine's Day theme for this drop-in program. Make something for your valentine or for yourself!

Adults, teens and school-age kids.

## Wednesday, February 19

### Chess: Play & Learn

2-4 p.m.

Come enjoy one of the world's oldest games with other enthusiasts. You can play face-to-face with those of varying skill levels. Those new to the game can ask questions and get advice from the more experienced players. We'll have some other games for you to try out, too.

Players of all ages and experience levels are welcome.

## Monday, February 24

### Is Your Child on Track?

9-11 a.m.

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

# January Events | COLUMBIA

Columbia Public Library, 100 West Broadway, Columbia (Unless otherwise noted.)

## Children's Story Times

in the Children's Program Room



### Baby Story Time

Mondays in January & February  
10-10:30 a.m.

For the tiniest library patron, join us for rhymes, songs, stories and fun. Ages birth-12 months with an adult.

### Toddler Story Time

Thursdays in January & February (except Jan. 2)  
9:30-10 a.m. & 10:30-11 a.m.

Join library staff for rhymes, songs, stories and fun. Ages 12-36 months (walking confidently) with an adult.

### Preschool Story Time

Tuesdays in January & February (except Jan. 7, Feb. 25)  
9:30-10 a.m. & 10:30-11 a.m.

Join staff for rhymes, songs, stories and fun. Ages 3-5 years with an adult.

### Evening Family Story Time

Tuesday, February 11 · 6-6:30 p.m.

Enjoy stories, songs and activities for your family. Ages 13 months-5 years with an adult.

### Also See: Sensory-Friendly Story Times

January 15 & February 19 (see pages 10 and 17)

## Thursday, January 2

### First Thursday Book Discussion: "Hello Stranger"

Noon-1 p.m. Children's Program Room

Join us to discuss "Hello Stranger" by Katherine Center, a winsome tale of a woman overcoming adversity and learning to lean on the people who care about her. A dash of humor and an endearing love story make the pages fly.

Adults.



## Friday, January 3

### Coding With Fiero

2-3:30 p.m. Training Center

Learning to code can be fun when you use the library's free resource Fiero Code! We'll give a demonstration and let you do some hands-on play with this useful resource that teaches you to build websites, video games and apps or learn coding languages. Bring your library card or Fiero login information.

Ages 8-18. Parents and caregivers welcome.

## Tuesday, January 7

### Stuffedie Snuggle Party

9:30-10 a.m. · 10:30-11 a.m. · 6-6:30 p.m.

Children's Program Room

Snuggle your favorite stuffed toy while we read a cozy story. Afterward, we'll make mini-scarves to keep your fluffy friend warm through the winter.

Families, ages 2-5.

### Parents as Teachers: Parenting Resources Table

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Area

The Columbia Public Schools Parents as Teachers program offers events, classes, screenings, personal visits and other resources. Drop by their table to ask questions, sign up for screenings and more. CPS PAT services are free of charge to families living within the Columbia Public Schools attendance area from the time of pregnancy to kindergarten entry.

Adults.





Health Insurance Marketplace & Medicaid, Jan. 8 & 11

## Wednesday, January 8

### Is Your Child on Track?

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

### Lunch & Learn: CoMo Preservation

Noon-1 p.m. Friends Room & Online via Zoom

Hear from CoMo Preservation representatives Dee Wasman, Matt Fetterly and Elena Vega about their work to preserve the historic architecture of Columbia. Co-sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Columbia-Boone County.

Adults. No registration needed to attend in person. To attend via Zoom, register at [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online).

### Health Insurance Marketplace & Medicaid Open Enrollment Assistance

1-5 p.m. Training Center

Licensed Navigators from Missouri Connections for Health will help you review eligibility, compare options and enroll in 2025 Health Insurance Marketplace plans (Healthcare.gov) or Medicaid (MO HealthNet). Call (573) 817-8300 ext. 214 with questions. No appointment necessary. For full information and a list of documents to bring with you, see the online listing at [www.dbrl.org/health-enrollment](http://www.dbrl.org/health-enrollment).

Adults.

## Technology Help Sessions

### Device Advice & Tech Help Drop-in

Tuesdays & Fridays • 2-3:30 p.m. (except Jan. 3, Feb. 11)

Training Center, Second Floor

Library trainers can help you with the basic functions of your Windows, Android Chrome or Apple laptop or device. You can also use self-paced tutorials to work on keyboarding skills. Staff are unable to troubleshoot or repair malfunctioning equipment. **Adults.**

### One-on-One Tech Help

Library staff can also schedule an in-person or virtual one-on-one appointment to help with your tech questions.

To book a session, call the library or use our Tech Help Request Form at [www.dbrl.org/tech-help-request](http://www.dbrl.org/tech-help-request).

## Friday, January 10

### Stories and Activities for Adults With Disabilities

10-10:45 a.m. Children's Program Room

Join us for books, songs and movement! After story time, we'll have an interactive activity designed just for you.

Adults with a caregiver.

## Saturday, January 11

### Free Magazine Day

9 a.m.-1 p.m. Friends Room

Looking for magazine back issues for crafts, research or other projects? Come browse dozens of children's and adult magazines and comics from 2023 that can be yours for free!

First come, first served. If the library closes or opens late due to inclement weather, this program will take place the next day, Sunday, January 12, 1-5 p.m.

### Health Insurance Marketplace & Medicaid Open Enrollment Assistance

10 a.m.-2 p.m. Training Center

See Jan. 8. No appointment necessary. **Adults.**





Intro to Bullet Journaling, Jan. 13

## Saturday, January 11

### TRYPS Theater: Live at Eleven

11-11:30 a.m. Children's Program Room

At this workshop, children play games, sing, dance and act out books. Presented by TRYPS Children's Theater, Columbia's professional theater group for young audiences.

Ages 3-8.

## Sunday, January 12

### Tunes at Two: Thom Howard

2-3 p.m. Reading Balcony

Local musicians provide a musical backdrop at the Columbia Public Library on the second Sunday of every month. This month we present guitarist Thom Howard.

## Monday, January 13

### Reading to Rover

5:30-7 p.m. Children's Program Room

Children will read for 15 minutes to one of Ann Gafke's Teacher's Pet Therapy Dogs while a handler oversees them. It's a fun way to improve children's literacy skills. All dogs are certified therapy dogs. Please note, depending on attendance, your family may need to wait for a dog.

Kindergarten age and older.

## Monday, January 13

### Intro to Bullet Journaling

6-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Feeling disorganized or overwhelmed? Bullet journaling is a customizable approach to organizing your to-do lists and goals. Join us to discuss the process and get tips on how to start. A notebook and a few other supplies will be provided, but you are welcome to bring your own colorful pens, markers, stickers and washi tape if you wish.

Ages 12 to adult. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Tuesday, January 14

### Memory Café:

#### Fun With Memory Kits

10-11:30 a.m. Friends Room

Enjoy music, movement, crafts and conversation along with light refreshments. This month we're focusing on the library's Memory Care Kits.

For adults experiencing dementia accompanied by a personal care partner who will also participate.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)



### Library Apps for Your New Device

2-3:30 p.m. Studio

Did you receive a Kindle or an iPad as a present during the holidays? Sign up and join us to learn more about your new mobile device and some of the free library apps that you can use on tablets and phones.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Chess: Play & Learn

5:30-7:30 p.m. Children's Program Room

Come enjoy one of the world's oldest games with other enthusiasts. You can play face-to-face with those of varying skill levels. Those new to the game can ask questions and get advice from the more experienced players.

Players of all ages and experience levels are welcome.



Sensory-Friendly Story Time, Jan. 15



Cookware Swap, Jan. 18

## Tuesday, January 14

### Read Harder Challenge 2025

6:30-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Are you ready for another year of reading harder? Join us to kick off the 2025 Read Harder Challenge. Whether you're ready to commit or just curious, you'll learn more about the program and how to participate. This challenge, created by Book Riot, encourages you to read more diversely.

Adults.

## Wednesday, January 15

### Sensory-Friendly Story Time

10-10:45 a.m. Children's Program Room

Enjoy a story time for children with low sensory needs. We'll offer a comfortable, positive environment with soft lighting, music, stories and additional time for exploration and transitions.

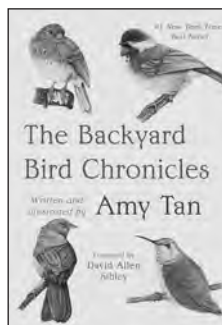
For children ages 3 to 6 years and their caregivers.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Book Discussion With the Columbia Audubon Society

6:30-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Join the Columbia Audubon Society for a discussion of best-selling author Amy Tan's "The Backyard Bird Chronicles." In this charming collection of journal entries and sketches, the author shares her search for solace and the resulting connection to nature. Adults.



## Thursday, January 16

### "The Body as Territory"

#### Documentary Film Screening

6-8 p.m. Friends Room

Join writer and photographer Tracy L. Barnett for a screening of "The Body as Territory," a short film by The Esperanza Project, followed by a discussion. The Esperanza Project is a nonprofit, bilingual online magazine and media empowerment project covering social and environmental change-makers in the Americas.

Adults and teens.

## Saturday, January 18

### Is Your Child on Track?

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

### Cookware Swap

11 a.m.-1 p.m. Friends Room

Calling all cooks! Do you have cookware and kitchen utensils you no longer need? Bring your extra pots, pans, spatulas and measuring spoons to our cookware swap and take home something new to aid you in your next culinary adventure!

Adults and teens. For guidelines about what to bring, visit [www.dbrl.org/swap](http://www.dbrl.org/swap).



Taste of True/False, Jan. 19

## Sunday, January 19

### Taste of True/False: "So Late So Soon"

2-4 p.m. Friends Room

Get a taste of the True/False Film Fest experience! Enjoy music from a local musician, be greeted by a queen, grab a treat and then take a seat to watch the heartwarming documentary "So Late So Soon." Following the film, a Ragtag Film Society representative will host a Q&A to satisfy all your T/F curiosities, and we'll give away door prizes to a few lucky attendees!

Adults and teens.

## Monday, January 20

### Sherry McBride-Brown Volunteer Fair

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Friends Room

On this National Day of Service, we honor the legacy of Martin Luther King Jr., and we celebrate our friend and library colleague, the late Sherry McBride-Brown, with an event designed to help you discover how you can have a positive impact on your community! Speak with organizers from local nonprofits and find a group to volunteer with.

Adults and teens.

### Knights of the Kids Table

2-4 p.m. Children's Program Room

Join us for a kid-friendly introduction to Dungeons & Dragons-style tabletop role-playing games. You'll learn the attributes, basic rules and general goals of these games. We'll supply you with the characters and dice; all you need is your imagination!

Ages 8-12 with parents remaining in the building.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)



Volunteer Fair, Jan. 20

## Monday, January 20

### Lifelong Learning: Using Popular Online Resources

6-7:30 p.m. Training Center

Take charge of your own lifelong learning experiences! Come learn how to access some of our most popular free online resources like Consumer Reports, Creativebug, Mango Languages and Morningstar Investing Center, plus online editions of major newspapers. Investigate our complete curated lists of local and national resources and find ones that will benefit you.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Tuesday, January 21

### Drop-in Genealogy Help

9:15-11:15 a.m. Training Center

Drop in for help with researching your family history.

Adults.

### KidSight Vision Screening

9:30-11:30 a.m. Children's Area

Bring your child for a free KidSight vision screening. It only takes a few seconds, and you'll receive the result instantly.

Ages 6 months and older.



Tarot & Talk, Jan. 21

## Tuesday, January 21

### Tarot & Talk

6-7:30 p.m. Children's Program Room

This self-directed program will allow you the chance to meet up with other tarot-loving folks. We'll provide the space, snacks and a free journal. And we'll have some tarot decks on hand, but feel free to bring your own.

Adults and teens. Registration is not required, but space is limited.

### Socrates Café

6:30-8 p.m. Conference Room B

What, in moral terms, do we owe to strangers? Must science and religion inevitably be opponents? Is widespread human happiness possible? Join us to think through, examine and discuss philosophical questions in the spirit of Christopher Phillips' book "Socrates Café." No preparation is required; just come with questions and an open mind.

Adults.

## Thursday, January 23

### Drop-in Genealogy Help

5:30-7:30 p.m. Training Center

Drop in for help with researching your family history.

Adults.



Retro Crafts, Jan. 27

## Saturday, January 25

### Jump Into Reading

11 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

Reading aloud to children improves both comprehension and vocabulary — two skills key for learning to read. Members from the Jumpstart program will read selected books with small groups of children. Different books are selected each month.

Designed for children ages 3-5. Drop by any time during the program. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

### Crafternoon: It's Snowing Pom-Poms!

2-4 p.m. Friends Room

Join in for whimsical winter fun using small pom-poms to create flowers and napkin rings. All supplies will be provided.

Adults only. Register beginning January 10:  
[www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Monday, January 27

### Google Docs and Sheets

6-7:30 p.m. Training Center

Pick up some tips and tricks on using Google's web-based productivity suite. You'll learn how to navigate Google Docs for word processing and Sheets for spreadsheets. We'll start with how to create files, and then show you how to collaborate on projects with others. Bring your Google account and password.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Retro Crafts

6-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Join us to make retro crafts like friendship bracelets, shrinky dinks, Perler beads and buttons! Retro snacks also provided!

Teens & adults. Registration not required, but space is limited.



## Tuesday, January 28

### American Red Cross Blood Drive

10 a.m.-2 p.m. Friends Room

To donate, bring your photo ID. You should feel well the day of donation and have plenty to eat and drink. Make an appointment: [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org).

Donors must be age 17 or older and weigh at least 110 lbs.

### Silent Book Club

6-7:30 p.m. Quiet Reading Room

Join the most casual book club in town — there's no required reading! Bring your own book and enjoy conversations with other book lovers and one whole hour of silent reading.

Adults.

## Wednesday, January 29

### New Year, New Digital Life: Finding Peace of Mind Through Good Digital Habits

6-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Many people spend six to eight hours a day on digital devices looking at news, shopping online or scrolling through social media. In this workshop, we'll discuss how to navigate the digital world while preserving our peace of mind and quality of life. Bring your smartphone for some hands-on tips.



Adults and teens.

## Thursday, January 30

### "Free for All: Inside the Public Library": Documentary Film Screening

6-8 p.m. Friends Room

Enjoy a screening of "Free for All," a film about a simple idea that shaped a nation and the quiet revolutionaries who made it happen. From the women behind the "Free Library Movement" to today's library workers, meet those who created an institution where everything is free and doors are open to all. Directed by Dawn Logsdon and Lucie Faulknor and presented in partnership with KMOS.

Adults.



"Free for All: Inside the Public Library" Film, Jan. 30

## Friday, January 31

### Building Connections With Your Child: A ParentLink Workshop

10-11 a.m.

Children's Program Room

Join Parentlink and other parents for a lively discussion about positive discipline and connection. Discuss fun and easy ways to connect with your child and learn how connection impacts cooperation. In this safe environment, you will have time to reflect, ask specific parenting questions and talk with other parents.

Parents and their children of all ages are welcome.



## Saturday, February 1

### Take Your Child to the Library Day

Drop in all day! Children's Area

Discover your local library today! Come explore with your child and pick out a free book to take home (while supplies last).

Families.

### Stories in Art, Art in Stories

11 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

Nurture your child's interest in reading, visual literacy, creative thinking and language development. In this session, a picture book will provide the jumping-off point for an art project that encourages active looking, listening, imagining and creating. Presented by the Columbia Art League.

Ages 5-9, parents welcome.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Saturday, February 1

### **More Than Sad: Mental Health Workshop for Parents**

3-4 p.m. Friends Room

The "More Than Sad" family of programs has taught over a million students, parents and educators how to be smart about mental health. Parents will learn how to recognize signs of depression and other mental health issues, initiate conversations with children and get them help. Presented by the Compass Health Network prevention team.

Adults. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Sunday, February 2

### **Winter Garden Forum**

1:30-3:30 p.m. Friends Room

Get fresh ideas for a new gardening season from two experts! State entomologist Rosalee Knipp will talk about "Plant Pests on the Horizon" and Debi Kelly, field specialist in horticulture and the State Extension master gardener coordinator, will present "Tulips: From Discovery to Today." Presented by the Discovery Garden Club. Light refreshments served.

Adults.

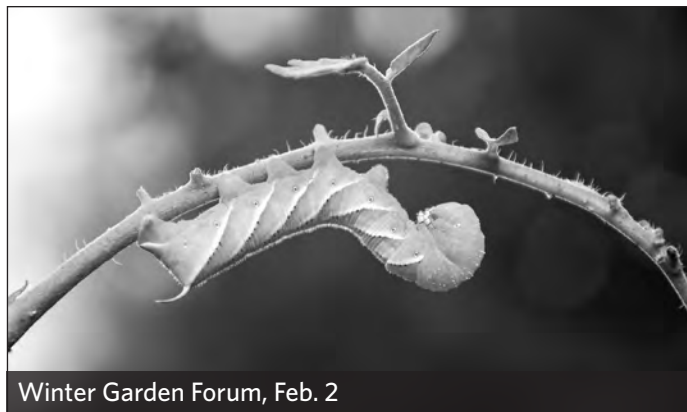
## Monday, February 3

### **Carter G. Woodson and the Meaning of Black History Month**

6-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Explore the life and work of Carter G. Woodson with Dr. Mike Jirik, assistant professor of Black Studies at MU. Learn how Woodson's life experiences and study of Black history informed his outlook for the purpose and meaning of what has become Black History Month and consider the legacy of Woodson's vision in relation to how Black History Month is often practiced today.

Adults and teens.



Winter Garden Forum, Feb. 2

## Tuesday, February 4

### **Adult Mental Health First Aid**

9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Friends Room

This full-day, in-person training will teach you how to reach out and provide initial support to an adult who may be developing a mental health or substance use challenge, and help connect them to the appropriate care. Presented by Compass Health Network and offered for free by Missouri's Department of Mental Health. Lunch is provided.

Adults who live or work in Missouri.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Wednesday, February 5

### **Is Your Child on Track?**

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

## Thursday, February 6

### **Parents as Teachers: Parenting Resources Table**

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Area

The Columbia Public Schools Parents as Teachers program offers events, classes, screenings, personal visits and other resources. Drop by their table to ask questions, sign up for screenings and more. CPS PAT services are free of charge to families living within the Columbia Public Schools attendance area from the time of pregnancy to kindergarten entry.

Adults.

## Thursday, February 6

### First Thursday Book Discussion: "The Quickening"

Noon-1 p.m.

Children's Program Room

We'll discuss "The Quickening," an astonishing, vital book by Elizabeth Rush about Antarctica, climate change and motherhood. This is an account of the first research voyage in 2019 to the Thwaites Glacier, also dubbed the doomsday glacier. Rush's book "Rising" was a finalist for the Pulitzer Prize in general nonfiction.

Adults.



## Friday, February 7

### Library After Dark: Lock-In for Grown-Ups

6:30-8:30 p.m. Children's Program Room

Leave the grown-up world behind and immerse yourself in a night of fun, crafts and pizza at this after-hours program just for ages 18 and older. Spoiler alert: story time and parachute play will be offered! Enter at west end of main parking lot.

Adults. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Saturday, February 8

### TRYPS Theater: Live at Eleven

11-11:30 a.m. Children's Program Room

At this workshop, children play games, sing, dance and act out books. Presented by TRYPS Children's Theater, Columbia's professional theater group for young audiences.

Ages 3-8.

### Historic Preservation Workshop

1-4 p.m. Friends Room

Columbia's Historic Preservation Commission, in conjunction with CoMo Preservation and the Missouri State Historic Preservation Office, will present an in-depth, hands-on historic preservation workshop exploring the topics of historic tax credits, historic districts and National Register Listings for Missouri residents.

Adults.

## Sunday, February 9

### Tunes at Two: Tim Langen

2-3 p.m. Reading Balcony

Local musicians provide a musical backdrop at the Columbia Public Library on the second Sunday of every month. This month we present fiddler Tim Langen.

## Monday, February 10

### Reading to Rover

5:30-7 p.m. Children's Program Room

Children will read for 15 minutes to one of Ann Gafke's Teacher's Pet Therapy Dogs while a handler oversees them. All dogs are certified therapy dogs. Please note, depending on attendance, your family may need to wait for a dog.

Kindergarten age and older.

## Tuesday, February 11

### KidSight Vision Screening

9:30-11:30 a.m. Children's Area

Bring your child for a free KidSight vision screening. It only takes a few seconds, and you'll receive the result instantly.

Ages 6 months and older.

### Poetry Out Loud

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Friends Room

Local high school students will compete for a spot on the Missouri state team at this poetry recitation competition. Come observe and encourage the students as they perform their poems. This program of the National Endowment for the Arts and the Poetry Foundation is coordinated locally by the Office of Cultural Affairs with the Missouri Arts Council.

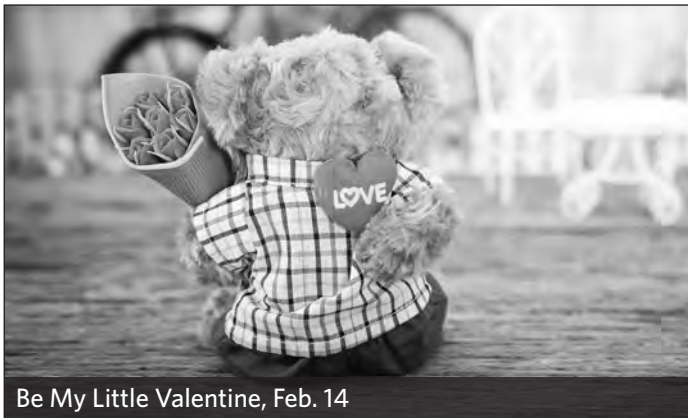
Teens and adults. (Alternate weather date: February 19.)

### YouTube 101

2-3:30 p.m. Training Center

YouTube is a great resource to find how-to tutorials, music videos, shows — almost anything you could want to view in video format. During this introductory course, get a general overview of YouTube, learn how to find what you're looking for and watch videos.

Adults & teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia) **15**



Be My Little Valentine, Feb. 14

## Wednesday, February 12

### Lunch & Learn

Noon-1 p.m. Friends Room & Online via Zoom

Topic and program speaker to be announced. For updates, please visit [www.dbrl.org/events](http://www.dbrl.org/events). Co-sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Columbia-Boone County.

Adults. No registration needed to attend in person. To attend via Zoom, register at [www.dbrl.org/register-online](http://www.dbrl.org/register-online).

### 10 Healthy Habits for Your Brain and Body

Noon-1 p.m. Children's Program Room

For centuries, we've known that the health of the brain and the body are connected. Join us to learn about research studies on diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement. Then use hands-on tools to help you incorporate recommendations from the studies into a plan for healthy aging. Presented by the Greater Missouri Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association.

Adults.

### Valloween Party

6-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Ghosts are white, vampires are undead. Valentine's Day would be better if it was Halloween instead! Bring your best fiends and join us for a creepy craft time! Snacks provided.

Teens and adults.

## Friday, February 14

### Be My Little Valentine

9:30-10:15 a.m. · 11-11:45 a.m. Friends Room

Join us for a Valentine's Day celebration with dancing and activities. Fancy clothes welcome.

Birth to age 5 with an adult.

### Stories and Activities for Adults With Disabilities

10-10:45 a.m. Children's Program Room

Join us for books, songs and movement! After story time, we'll have an interactive activity designed just for you.

Adults with a caregiver.

## Saturday, February 15

### Is Your Child on Track?

10 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

The Boone County Early Childhood Coalition offers a quick, free screening to assess your child's well-being and social-emotional health.

For Boone County families with ages 2 mos. to 5 yrs.

## Tuesday, February 18

### Drop-in Genealogy Help

9:15-11:15 a.m. Training Center

Drop in for help with researching your family history.

Adults.

### Narcan and Opioid Education

Noon-1 p.m. Friends Room

Learn how to identify the signs of an opioid overdose and how to administer naloxone (also known as Narcan) to reverse it. Understand why it's important for everyone in our community to carry Narcan and for supplies of it to be available. Presented by Dave Zellmer and Alec Mundle, Health Program coordinators with the Columbia/Boone County Health Department.

Adults and teens.



## Tuesday, February 18

### Chess: Play & Learn

5:30-7:30 p.m. Children's Program Room

Come enjoy one of the world's oldest games with other enthusiasts. You can play face-to-face with those of varying skill levels. Those new to the game can ask questions and get advice from the more experienced players.

Players of all ages and experience levels are welcome.

### Socrates Café

6:30-8 p.m. Conference Room B

Join us to discuss philosophical questions in the spirit of Christopher Phillips' book "Socrates Café." No preparation required; just come with questions and an open mind.

Adults.

### Read Harder Challenge Check-in

6:30-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

Gather with other readers who are taking on the challenge. Discuss which reading tasks you've completed and get inspiration for those tasks you may be stuck on.

Adults.

## Wednesday, February 19

### Sensory-Friendly Story Time

10-10:45 a.m. Children's Program Room

Enjoy a story time for children with low sensory needs. We'll offer a comfortable, positive environment with soft lighting, music, stories and additional time for exploration and transitions.

For children ages 3 to 6 years and their caregivers.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Missouri's Black Newspaper Publishers: Racial Uplift Influencers

6:30-7:30 p.m. Friends Room

From the late 19th century through World War I, Black newspaper editors and publishers instructed the Black community in politics, economic empowerment and community betterment. Dr. Debra Greene will discuss how these institutions were an instrument of racial uplift.

Adults.



Android Basics, Feb. 20

## Thursday, February 20

### Parentlink: Parenting Resources Table

10-11 a.m. Children's Area

ParentLink meets families where they are to help them get where they want to grow. Drop by their table to see how they can help support you as a parent, caregiver or professional. Ask questions and find resources to make sure your family's needs are met.

Adults.

### Android Basics

1:30-3 p.m. Studio

Whether you're a longtime Android user or you've recently switched from an iPhone, let us help you get the most out of your device. Learn to navigate the home screen, manage apps and browse the internet using your Android phone or tablet. Bring your mobile device, Google address and password.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Crafternoon: Introduction to Embroidery, Part Two

2-4 p.m. Friends Room

Join us to learn new and more complex embroidery stitches. You do not need to have attended "Introduction to Embroidery, Part One" in October to attend this session. Supplies provided.

Adults only. Register beginning February 6: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Drop-in Genealogy Help

5:30-7:30 p.m. Training Center

Drop in for help with researching your family history. Adults.

## Friday, February 21

### After-Hours Open Mic Night

6:45-9 p.m. Quiet Reading Room

Join us for an evening of artistic expression at this after-hours event, whether you have something to share or just prefer to listen. Refreshments provided. Doors open at 6:45 p.m. Please arrive by 7:15 p.m.

All music-makers and poets welcome, high school age to adults. To perform, please register at [www.dbrl.org/open-mic](http://www.dbrl.org/open-mic).

## Saturday, February 22

### Jump Into Reading

11 a.m.-Noon Children's Program Room

Reading aloud to children improves both comprehension and vocabulary — two skills key for learning to read. Members from the Jumpstart program will read selected books with small groups of children. Different books are selected each month.

Designed for children ages 3-5. Drop by any time during the program. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

### Represent!: The Importance of Representation in Children's/YA Literature

Noon-1 p.m. Friends Room

Are you a children's or young adult book enthusiast who believes our collective culture thrives when everyone is heard, seen and felt? Then join us as we discuss the importance of representation in children's and young adult literature with a panel of authors giving their insights and experiences followed by a Q&A. Presented by FREEAIR Books.

Adults, teens and families with school-aged children.

## Sunday, February 23

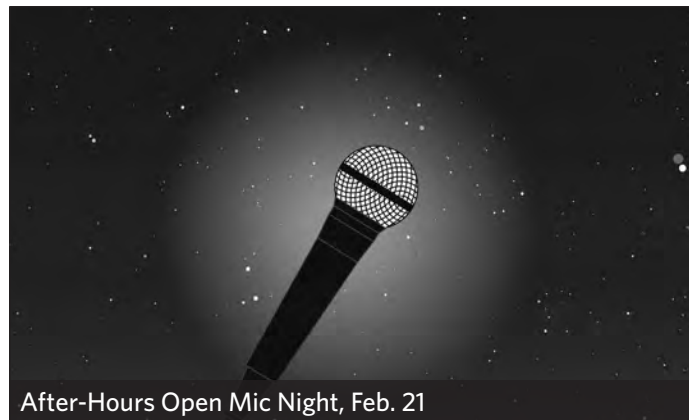
### Studio Photography: An Introductory Workshop

1-4 p.m. Vidwest Studios, 1600 Business Loop 70 East

In this hands-on workshop, learn the basics of digital photography, creative lighting, when to use a phone camera versus an interchangeable lens camera, working with models and more. Led by photographer Jonathan Asher and presented in partnership with and on location at Vidwest Studios.

Adults and teens ages 15 and older.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/vidwest](http://www.dbrl.org/vidwest)



After-Hours Open Mic Night, Feb. 21

## Monday, February 24

### Substack for Writers and Creatives

12:30-2 p.m. Training Center

Learn how to share personal essays, poems and artwork on the free-to-use platform, Substack. Made for writers and creatives to offer a way to interact with fans and manage an email list, Substack is now a popular platform for many online communities to share information.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

### Sensory-Friendly Discovery Time

6-6:45 p.m. Children's Program Room

This session is designed for children with low-sensory needs. We'll provide a comfortable, positive environment with soft lighting. Meet other parents and children, read to your child and get ideas for activities to develop learning skills.

Parents with children ages 5 and younger.

## Tuesday, February 25

### Youth Mental Health First Aid

9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Friends Room

This full-day, in-person training will teach you how to reach out and provide initial support to youth who may be developing a mental health or substance use challenge, and help connect them to the appropriate care. Presented by Compass Health Network. Open to those who live or work in Missouri. Offered for free by Missouri's Department of Mental Health. Lunch provided.

Adults. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)



An Introduction to 3D Printing, Feb. 26



Knights of the Kids Table, Feb. 28

## Tuesday, February 25

### Discovery Time

9:30-10:15 a.m. · 10:30-11:15 a.m. · 6-6:45 p.m.

Children's Program Room

Meet other parents and children, read to your child and get ideas for activities you can do to develop learning skills.

Parents with children ages 5 and younger.

### Silent Book Club

6-7:30 p.m. Quiet Reading Room

Join the most casual book club in town — there's no required reading! B.Y.O.B. (bring your own book, that is), and enjoy conversations with others and a whole hour of silent reading.

Adults.

## Wednesday, February 26

### Discovery Time

9:30-10:15 a.m. · 10:30-11:15 a.m. Children's Program Room

See Feb. 25. Parents with children ages 5 and younger.

### An Introduction to 3D Printing

6-7:30 p.m. Training Center

From rapid industrial prototyping, to makerspace hobbies, to fine art, 3D printing is an evolving technology with a wide range of uses. Learn all about how 3D printers work, what they're being used for and how to use different software to design an object to print. At the end of the class, we will see a 3D printer in action.

Adults and teens. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

## Thursday, February 27

### Hungrytown Concert

7-8 p.m. Friends Room

Enjoy the music of Hungrytown, a duo made up of Rebecca Hall and Ken Anderson. Through years of touring and tireless devotion to many classic genres of music, this duo has become a true artistic hybrid, presenting Celtic and Americana, ballads and psychedelia, sunshine and darkness, joy and despair, not only within the same album, but within the same song.

Adults and teens.



## Friday, February 28

### Knights of the Kids Table

2-4 p.m. Children's Program Room

Join us for a kid-friendly introduction to Dungeons & Dragons-style tabletop role-playing games. You'll learn the attributes, basic rules and general goals of these games. We'll supply you with the characters and dice; all you need is your imagination!

Ages 8-12 with parents remaining in the building.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-columbia](http://www.dbrl.org/register-columbia)

# FULTON | January Events

Callaway County Public Library, 710 Court Street, Fulton



## Family Story Time

Mondays in January & February · 10-10:45 a.m.

Join us for rhymes, stories and fun! Families, ages birth-5.

## Baby & Toddler Time

Tuesdays, January 7 & February 4 · 10-10:45 a.m.

Enjoy books, songs and play! Ages birth-36 months.

## Wednesday, January 8

### Adult Craft & Hobby Hour

2-3 p.m.

Join us for an afternoon of crafting, knitting, sewing and more! Enjoy a relaxing hour of good company while you work on your current project or make use of adult coloring pages and other supplies provided by the library.

Adults.

## Tuesday, January 14

### Adult Mental Health First Aid

9 a.m.-5 p.m.

This full-day, in-person training will teach you how to reach out and provide initial support to an adult who may be developing a mental health or substance use challenge, and help connect them to the appropriate care. Presented by Compass Health Network and offered for free by Missouri's Department of Mental Health. Bring along a lunch.

Adults who live or work in Missouri.

Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-fulton](http://www.dbrl.org/register-fulton)



Messy Time, Jan. 21

## Tuesday, January 21

### Messy Time 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Dive in with your child for sloppy fun with play dough, paint and cereal. Dress for a mess and bring a towel.

Ages 1-5.

## The Life-Changing Impact of Organ Donation

2-3 p.m.

A presenter from the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Organ and Tissue Donor Program will talk about the transformative effects of organ, eye and tissue donation, and the importance of registering as a donor. Learn about their vital mission to educate the public, maintain a statewide donor registry and save lives through this meaningful initiative.

Adults and teens.

## Friday, January 31

### American Red Cross Blood Drive

11 a.m.-3 p.m. Legends Rec-Plex, 808 State Street

Whether you're a regular donor or it's your first time, we welcome everyone to roll up their sleeves for this great cause! Every donation can make a life-saving difference. This program is co-sponsored by City of Fulton Parks & Rec.

Make an appointment at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org).

You must be age 17 or older (16 with parental consent) and weigh at least 110 lbs. Bring your photo ID.





American Red Cross Blood Drive, Jan. 31



Romance Book Club, Feb. 11

## Tuesday, February 11

### Romance Book Club

1-2 p.m.

Calling all romance readers! Join us to share a favorite romance novel with fellow enthusiasts. Whether it's an unforgettable character, a poignant theme or a passage that stays with you, come ready to discuss what makes your pick special. Together, we'll dive into the charm and magic of the romance genre.

Adults.

## Wednesday, February 12

### Adult Craft & Hobby Hour

2-3 p.m.

Join us for an afternoon of crafting, knitting, sewing and more! Enjoy a relaxing hour of good company while you work on your current project or make use of adult coloring pages and other supplies provided by the library.

Adults.



## Tuesday, February 18

### Learn About the NAACP

2-3 p.m.

Anna Braxton, president of the Fulton chapter of the NAACP, will discuss the history and importance of this organization. The mission of the NAACP is to fight for human dignity, to strive on all levels to be a leader in the field of civil rights and to serve local communities.

Adults and teens.

### A Special Family Event!

## Take Your Child to the Library Day

Saturday, February 1

All DBRL Locations

Come explore the library with your child on this special day and pick out a free book to add to your home collection (while supplies last).

Families, all ages.



# HOLTS SUMMIT | January & February Events

Holts Summit Public Library, 188 West Simon Boulevard, Holts Summit



## Family Story Time

Thursdays in January & February (except Jan. 2)  
10-10:45 a.m.

Join us for rhymes, stories and fun! Families, ages birth-5.

## Thursday, January 9

### Adult Craft & Hobby Hour 4-5 p.m.

Join us for an afternoon of crafting, knitting, sewing and more! Enjoy a relaxing hour of good company while you work on your current project or make use of adult coloring pages and other supplies provided by the library.

Adults.

## Saturday, January 11

### Snack and Chat Book Discussion: "The Flower Sisters" With Author Michelle Collins Anderson

Noon-1 p.m.

Join us for a special book discussion with Michelle Collins Anderson, author of "The Flower Sisters." Drawing on the little-known true story of a tragic explosion at an Ozarks dance hall, this nostalgic novel is a folksy, character-driven portrayal of small-town life, split-second decisions and the ways family secrets reverberate. Come meet the author and learn about her inspiration.

Adults.



## Wednesday, January 22

### Messy Time 10-11 a.m.

Dive in with your child for sloppy fun with play dough, paint and cereal. Dress for a mess and bring a towel.

Ages 1-5.

## Saturday, February 1

### Take Your Child to the Library Day

Drop in all day! See previous page for details.

## Tuesday, February 4

### Embroidery for Beginners 4-5 p.m.

Looking to learn something new? Join us for an introduction to embroidery. We'll learn the chain stitch and make a rainbow design. All materials will be provided.

Adults. Register: [www.dbrl.org/register-holts-summit](http://www.dbrl.org/register-holts-summit)

## Thursday, February 13

### Adult Craft & Hobby Hour 4-5 p.m.

See Jan. 9. Adults.

## Tuesday, February 25

### Snack and Chat Book Discussion: "Nothing More Dangerous" 4-5 p.m.

Allen Eskens' novel "Nothing More Dangerous," about small town loyalties and racial tension, was a journey that took the author 20 years to complete. Some reviewers count this novel as one of the greatest novels about our country's racial divides. Come discuss this important work of fiction.

Adults.

## Wednesday, February 26

### Messy Time 10-11 a.m.

See Jan. 22. Ages 1-5.

# VISIT THE BOOKMOBILE



<b>Auxvasse</b> Security Bank parking lot	12:30-6 p.m.,* 1st & 3rd Thursdays	Jan. 2 & 16	Feb. 6 & 20
<i>*Please note: Our visits to Auxvasse will be shifted earlier by one hour for the duration of the evening construction project on I-70.</i>			
<b>Columbia Battle Crossing</b> Schnucks Parking Lot, 5410 Clark Ln.	1:30-6 p.m., 1st & 3rd Fridays	Jan. 3 & 17	Feb. 7 & 21
<b>Columbia North Rangeline</b> North Moser's parking lot, 4840 Rangeline St.	1:30-6 p.m., 1st & 3rd Wednesdays	Jan. 15	Feb. 5 & 19
<b>Hallsville</b> City Hall	1:30-7 p.m., 2nd & 4th Tuesdays	Jan. 14 & 28	Feb. 11 & 25
<b>Harrisburg</b> Lions Club Park	1:30-7 p.m., 2nd & 4th Wednesdays	Jan. 8 & 22	Feb. 12 & 26
<b>Rocheport</b> 205 Central Ave.	3-6:30 p.m., 2nd & 4th Thursdays	Jan. 9 & 23	Feb. 13 & 27
<b>Sturgeon</b> Prenger Foods	1:30-7 p.m., 2nd & 4th Mondays	Jan. 13 & 27	Feb. 10 & 24

The Daniel Boone Regional Library bookmobile offers thousands of books, music, movies and more for all ages. You can browse on board or, when you place an item on hold, choose a bookmobile stop as your pickup point. For more information, visit [www.dbrl.org/bookmobile](http://www.dbrl.org/bookmobile) or contact bookmobile staff at 1-800-324-4806 or [outreach@dbrl.org](mailto:outreach@dbrl.org).

## Winter Reading

**A Reading Program for All Ages**  
January 13 - February 28



To sign up and learn more, visit:  
[www.dbrl.org/winter-reading](http://www.dbrl.org/winter-reading)



**Warm up your winter by reading a good book and earning cool prizes when you participate in Winter Reading!**

Starting Monday, January 13, sign up yourself or your whole family online for our annual Winter Reading program and set your own reading goals. When you finish, you'll receive a prize, and have a chance to win gift cards at some of your favorite local businesses.

### Winter Reading Kickoff Food Drive

We'll kick off this year's Winter Reading program with a food drive benefiting The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri and Serve, Inc.

**Bring in shelf-stable food items for donation January 13-31.**

Donate at your library or bookmobile stop. Donated items earn you a chance to enter into a prize drawing.



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## Daniel Boone Regional Library Service Locations



### Callaway County Public Library

710 Court Street, Fulton, MO 65251  
(573) 642-7261

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.



### Columbia Public Library

100 West Broadway, Columbia, MO 65203  
(573) 443-3161, 1-800-324-4806

Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.\*  
Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

*\*Curbside pickup closes at 7 p.m.*



### Southern Boone County Public Library

109 North Main Street, Ashland, MO 65010  
(573) 657-7378

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.



### Holts Summit Public Library

188 West Simon Boulevard, Holts Summit, MO 65043  
(573) 606-8770

Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Library-To-Go lockers available 24/7



### Bookmobiles & Outreach Department

P.O. Box 1267, Columbia, MO 65205-1267  
1-800-324-4806 • outreach@dbrl.org



### Library-To-Go Hallsville (at Prenger Foods)

409 Route B, Hallsville, MO 65255  
Every day, 7 a.m.-8 p.m.



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