



MAY ADULT PROGRAMS



Fiber Arts Club

Thur., May 2 at 12pm

Bring your work-in-progress, problem piece, or brand-new pattern and enjoy the company of like-minded crafters during

this informal Fiber Arts Club.



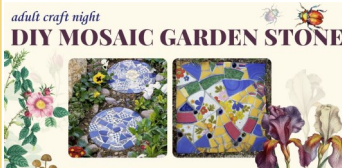
FREE RANGE ARTS & CRAFTS

Free Range Arts & Crafts

Thur., May 2 at 6pm

The craft vault is open and everything from needle felting to clay sculpting awaits. Enjoy a coloring book, practice with

pastels, or bring your own project to finally finish, it's up to you. Ages 21+ are welcome to bring an adult beverage if desired.



Round 2: DIY Mosaic Garden Stone

Thur., May 9 at 6pm

Due to popularity, we are offering another round of this

adult craft program. Priority is given to those on the waitlist for the original offering. Celebrate the start of the gardening season with a beautiful mosaic stepping stone. Adult crafters will design and decorate their own concrete paver, learn how to apply grout to their mosaic, and go home with a unique piece of outdoor art.



Puzzle & Game Exchange

Thur., May 16 from 12-2pm

Spend the winter mastering a board game

or completing jigsaw puzzles? Refresh your collection during this fun swap! Swing by anytime between 12-2pm. Swap includes board games, card decks/games, jigsaw puzzles, and new or lightly used puzzle books. Items must include all the pieces. You are not required to bring an item to enjoy the exchange; please feel free to come and claim a game, no swap required.

farmer's market tote bag



DYO Farmer's Market Tote Bag

Thur., May 23 at 6pm

Kick-off Farmer's Market season with a DYO (design-

your-own) tote bag. Adult crafters will make their own stamps then use them to decorate their canvas tote. Shopping local and eliminating plastic bags never looked so good.



The Science Fiction Genre

Thur., May 30 at 6:30pm

Have almost no interest in science fiction (sf) and know nothing about it?

Love sf and want to understand the genre better? Or maybe you fall somewhere between love and hate, and just want to broaden your literary knowledge. Whatever the case, this program (and, arguably, science fiction) is for you. From the depths of the ocean to the reaches of space, from urban alleys to pathways of the mind, and everywhere in between, this rich genre boldly goes where no genres have gone before.

Why is registration important? Some events fill quickly; many events require supplies; the event may be cancelled if minimum registration is not met; important updates are sent by email. So let us know you are coming!



Closed for Memorial Day on Monday, May 27, 2024

Montana Shared Catalog App



It's back! Did you miss the Montana Shared Catalog App? Search for "Montana Shared Catalog" in your app store.

Once downloaded, sign in by entering your library card number and PIN. If you don't remember your PIN, the staff at the front desk can help you.

You can use the app to search the catalog, place or cancel holds, renew items, and access MontanaLibrary2Go, the Montana History Portal, State Publications, Montana Field Guide, Species Snapshot, Map Viewer, and more! You can even link accounts if your family chooses.

Drop-in craft

The theme this month is Making Memories, in celebration of Mother's Day and Memorial Day.

Swing by the Library to create a memory stone — perfect for holding a photo, small artwork, or sticker — then go out and make some wonderful memories this spring.



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**GET YOURS BEFORE THEY'RE GONE!
\$5**



Little Seed Library

Little Seed Library is a free, community-supported source of seeds. The Seed Library stays open thanks to seed donations from both individuals and businesses. A big thanks to everyone who donated. We would like to offer a special thanks to the generous donation from Montana Survival Seeds! Due to this donation, there are enough seed packets for this planting season.

After you've planted, please consider donating leftover seeds to the library. Or consider growing a row for harvesting seeds to donate to the library! And thanks to all the teens who packed seeds, drew art, and help keep the seed library going strong.





Spring Soirée

DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR TICKETS!

An evening of hors d'oeuvres, drinks, and discussion with Montana authors* to benefit the **North Valley Public Library**

Saturday, May 4, 2024

5:30pm - \$25/per person

Old Feed Mill Community Room - 407 Main St.

(next to the Hat Edit and Discovery Fitness) - **Stevensville**

* Montana authors include: Marty Essen, Linda Fifer, Miranda Heberle, Mark Lewing, Becky Lovejoy, and Anne Marie Scott.



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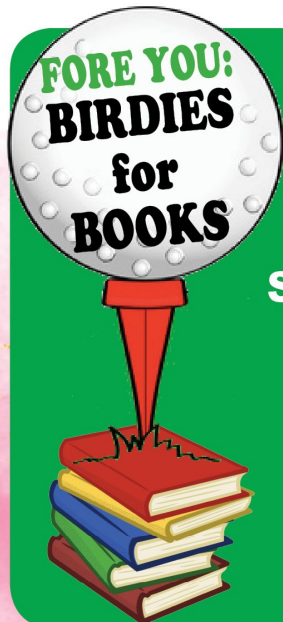
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You can purchase your tickets at the **North Valley Public Library**.
For full information and questions contact:

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2024

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MAY YOUTH & TEEN PROGRAMS

Babies, Toddlers, & Preschoolers (Ages 0-5)



Wednesdays at 10:30am
Join this dynamic early literacy program readying your child to read.

Share in the fun singing, clapping, reading, and dancing while connecting with other young families in our community.

Baby & Me Storytime

Wednesdays at 10am
Ages 0-2

For Parents/Grandparents with babies 0-2 years. Nursery rhymes, music and stories to engage those amazing young minds.



Pet Partners Read with Me™



Zoom



Neon

Read to Dogs

Wednesday May 8
11:30am-12:30pm

Monday May 13
4:30pm-5:30pm



Science (Ages 8-12)

SCIENCE Squad

on Wednesdays with Science Officer Lisa

Hey explorers, investigators, and inventors ages 8-12! Experience the universe through Legos®, food, experiments and more.

Wednesdays at 2:30pm ~ Registration Required



Art for Kids (Ages 5-10)

1st & 3rd Monday of every month at 4:30pm

Calling all crafty kids! Lone Rock Kindergarten teacher Crystal Grant presents creative

activities. Whether it is painting, drawing, making cards, or mobiles, you'll go home with a handmade treasure in this hand-on learning program.

May 6 — Yarn-wrapped ornaments for Mother's Day



Roleplaying Games for Teens

Ages 12-18
Tuesdays at 4pm

Enter the world of Dungeons & Dragons! We are accepting new players for a homebrew campaign. Register online on the library's calendar. For more information email Emily at emilys@northvalleylibrary.org



Open World Fridays for Teens



Ages 12-18
Fridays at 4pm

That Friday Thing with an all-access pass to all the cool stuff at the library. Choose to do what's available or do something else exciting.

Register online through the library calendar. You need not attend all sessions.