Glen Carbon Centennial Library District



















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Newsletter

Plants of the Bible

Tuesday, April 16 6:00-7:00pm

St. Louis Master Gardener Speaker's Bureau Presents

From Genesis to Revelations, there are numerous references to plants in the Bible. This is a presentation on plants that were important to the people of the Bible and are referenced in their stories.

Registration required and available online.

Parent and Child Tea Partu

Saturday, May 11 1:00 pm

Celebrate Mother's Day with your favorite Prince(s) or Princess(es) at the library. EHS Drama Club members will gift us with a specially created skit, royal refreshments fit for a queen, and fun crafts and activities will make it a memorable day.

Registration required and available online.

PROGRAMMING-NEXT GENERATION (PNG)

Saturdays, April 13, 27 Thursdays, April 11, 25

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April 4 & 18

Baby Lapsit

Coming Up:

April 5

Classic Movie Friday! Please Don't Eat the Daisies (1960)

April 11 Spoken Word Poetry Event April 23 Cookbook Club— Picnic

adult programs

AARP Tax-Aide Service

Friday, April 12 · 9:00 - 12:00 pm AARP Community Room This service is intended for low- t Tax-Aide moderate-income taxpayers of any age. You do not have to be a member of

Appointment Required

Plethora of Pens

Monday, April 1 · 6:30 pm Conference Room

Facilitated by: Susan Carsell

This writing group encourages each other's creativity and gives support to one another's work.

Registration is required and available online.

Blood Drive

Thursday, April 4 · 3:00 - 6:00 pm Library Parking Lot

Give blood and help save a life. The Mississippi Valley RBC will be having a blood drive at the library. Come in and make a difference.

#MVRBC #WillYouGive

Friday at the Movies

First Friday · 11:00 am Conference Room

Showing: Please Don't Eat the Daisies (1960) starring Doris Day

Stitchin' in the Stacks

Fridays · 2:00 - 4:00 pm Conference Room

Do you like to Knit? Crochet? Embroider? Please bring your own sewing supplies.

Join other crafters at this weekly gathering to share crafting and conversation.

**This is a self-directed program.

Drop in.

Yoga

Saturdays, April 6, 13, 20, 27 · 9:30 am Community Room

Instructed by: Sarah Hartwig

Get fit and healthy when you join us for a calming session of yoga. Please bring your own yoga mat.

Registration is required, limited to 16, and available online.

New and Upcoming

Is there a program you would like the Library to offer? Is there a skill or subject that you would like to learn? Let us know by sending an email to: gle@glencarbonlibrary.org

Spoken Word Poetry Event

Thursday, April 11 · 6:00 pm Community Room - Family Friendly, Ages 6+

Spoken Word: a definition

A broad designation for poetry intended performancé. for Characterized by rhyme, repetition, improvisation, and word play. Spoken word can draw on music, sound, dance, or other kinds of performance to connect with audiences.

Opening Act: YOU Open Mic 6:00 - 6:30 pm

We are looking for volunteers to perform their work in front of a live audience. Sign up begins 5:30 pm that night. Limited to 5 minutes and must be family friendly.

Main Event: Riverwind Storytellers 6:30 - 7:30 pm

"Spoken Word: Poetry with Pizazz and Stories with Sass!"

Registration is required and available online.

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Paint Like an Artist

Thursday, April 18 · 6:00 - 7:30 pm Community Room

Instructed by Greta Pastorello

Working with acrylics, Greta will walk you through the process of duplicating a work of art.

Materials required:
*Pencil and eraser *Small basic set of acrylic paint (6 tubes: fundamental colors plus black and white) *2 brushes (small and medium) *Acrylic paper pad (12X9 in) or a couple of sheets of same paper.

Bring your own supplies or \$5 (to be paid at the help desk)

Registration is required, limited to 12, and available online.

Do 64000 National Donate Life Month

April 9 & May 13 Community Room A complete reading list with

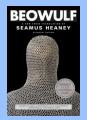
Glen Carbon Library Book

Second Tuesday of the Month · 6:30 pm

meeting dates is available online. Newcomers are always welcome!

April's Read:

Beowulf: A New Verse Translation by Seamus Heaney





May's Read:

The Language of Flowers by Vanessa Diffenbaugh

Back to the Basics-Recycling

Thursday, April 25 · 6:00 - 7:30 pm Community Room

Presented by: Madison County Resource Management Coordinator, Kim Petzing-Lehmann

world lately, and it can get confusing! Join Kim for a hands-on, interactive approach as we take a step back in time to some history of recycling and look forward at the current trends in the industry both locally and globally.

Registration is required and available online.

Medicare Q&A

Monday, April 15 · 6:00 - 7:00 pm Community Room

NOW-3RD MONDAY @ 6PM

Bring your questions on how to register and what is covered when you sign up for Medicare.

Registration is required and available online.

Cookbook Club

Tuesday, April 23 · 6:30 pm Youth Room

Presented by: Ellora Ladd

Check out the cookbook of the month, make a dish, and, if you like, bring it to share. This month's theme is **Picnic**.

Organ, Tissue Donor Drive

Monday, April 29 · 6:00 pm Community Room

Celebrate National Donate Life Month

There are many ways to celebrate with those we love. We will have a representative from the Organ/Tissue Donor Program, Life Goes On, and a representative from Be the Match, a registry for bone marrow donors.

Registration is required and available online.

youth programs

Virtual & Augmented Reality in the Library **Available on request as staffing permits.

Experience Virtual Reality (VR) & Augmented Reality (AR) in the library. Scheduled sessions are limited to 15 minute sessions on either our HTC VIVE Headset/computer system, Oculus Go portable headsets, or on our PS4 VR system. All users must sign a Release of Liability. Learn the basics of AR on our PNG tablets.

Pre-School Learning Lab

Mondays & Tuesdays · 10:00 am Wednesdays · 6:30 pm April 1 - 3 & 15 - 17 & 29 - 30 Youth Room

We combine all the elements of early childhood literacy into one hour of stories, songs, and activities. Wednesday evening sessions include STARS with Dogs with certified therapy dogs in the Library to encourage young readers to Sit Together And Read Stories to Dogs.

Drop-in.



Baby Lapsit

Thursdays · 10:00 am April 4, 18; May 2, 16 Community Room

Suggested for birth to 2 years.

Baby Lapsit is a gentle 15-minute story time of fingerplays, soft movement activities and a story shared with your baby. Fifteen minutes of playtime and social time will follow the program.

Drop-in.

Let's Go Fly a Drone

Saturday · 1:00 pm April 6 Miner Park or Youth Room

Flying drones responsibly is challenging and fun. Children ages 7 to 18 can learn the basics of flight from our certified pilot, Ms. Dezi, and take one of our library drones for a flight around Miner Park (WEATHER PERMITTING).

Registration is required and available online.

Girls Who Code & Augmented Reality

Wednesdays · 6:30 pm April 10, 24; May 8, 22 Youth Room

Girls Who Code is a nonprofit organization founded in 2012 that is working to close the gender gap in technology. Anyone, ages 7-18, can come to the library on Wednesday evenings to gain skills in programming, robotics, and AR. Computer coding and robotics will be highlighted March – May. Participants must be able to read and follow directions with minimal adult assistance.

Drop-in.

Independent Learning Libratory (I.L.L.)

Thursday · 1:00 pm April 11, 25; May 9, 23

One hour sessions will provide hands on experiences in computer programming, fine arts, history, and STEAM related subjects. If you're looking to supplement your child's education with additional independent learning, join us on Thursday afternoons.

Registration is required and available online.

Pop Up Pop Art

Saturday · 1:00 pm April 13, April 27, and May 11

Art is all around us, find fun art activities at the library. Themed sessions will include Black Out Poetry, Mother/Child Art.

Drop-in.

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Great Resources for Kids

The library offers several collections and databases that can help kids find current and reliable information.

Check out these great databases on our Research Databases Page:

Biography in Context

Coindexter

Driving-tests.org

Mango Languages

Opposing Viewpoints

The library offers fun interactive ebooks for children through Tumblebooks.

For older children and teens, check out TumbleBookLibrary and TeenBookCloud.

Escape Room

Saturdays · 1:00 pm April 20; May 18 Youth Room

Ages Kindergarten to 6th Grade

Break out of the winter doldrums with an Escape Room experience for kids. Each session will have a different theme and is open to kids and their parent/caregiver. All children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

Drop-in.

library services

Did you know?

We have an Ellison Die Cut Machine. It is a hand-operated, diecutting machine which uses steel rule die shapes to cut through paper quickly and easily. Cut shapes can be used for curriculum tools, scrapbook embellishments, party decorations, stationery, greeting cards, and invitations. Standard Size Die Cut Shapes (3in x 4 1/2in). Visit the Help desk to use the machine.

eresources

digital Check out current issues of magazines - no wait, no due dates, no returns. Ebooks, audiobooks are available too.

Borrow up to 5 items a month with your Library card. Available for Android, iOS, and online.

CloudLibrary Download on your PC

eBooks & eAudiobooks or by using CL app on your mobile device.

kanopy Find independent and foreign films along with thousands of instructional videos. Available for Android, iOS, Roku, Google TV, and online.

services

3D Printing

Take your 2D designs into the third dimension. The Library provides use of it's state of the art 3D printer to all Glen Carbon residents. Fill out a print request form online to get started.

Mobile Hotspots

Stay connected, wherever you are. Check out a mobile hotspot for instant, trouble-free wireless internet access. Easy to setup and use, they can be checked out for 2 weeks at a time.

Roku Streaming Stick

Catch up on your favorite shows on Hulu. Watch the latest Netflix original series. Grab some popcorn and settle in for these blockbusters available on the Vudu app:

Creed II, Fantastic Beasts the Crimes of Grindelwald, Green Book, Mary Poppins Returns, Mortal Engines, Ralph Breaks the Internet, Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse

Rokus require wireless internet and an HDMI port.

Kindle eReaders

Each month, new best selling titles are added to our pre-loaded ereaders. Our pre-loaded Kindles currently have over 40 titles from which to choose, and our YA Kindle offers a graphic novel collection and some cool apps. Kindles may be checked out for two weeks at a time and can be found at the Help Desk.

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Current Best Seller Titles:

- Cemetery Road by Greg Iles
- The Chef by James Patterson
- Daisy Jones and the Six by Taylor Jenkins Reid
- Run Away by Harlan Coben

Telescopes

Amateur stargazers rejoice. The Library loans Orion StarBlast 4.5" telescopes to Glen Carbon cardholders. Request online or at the Help Desk.

VR Headsets

Experience the world of Virtua Reality with a VR headset. Patrons will need to use their own smart phones and download apps from Google Play or the App Store.

Online Research Databases

Visit our online research page for a list of databases available to patrons 24/7.

<u>Ancestory Plus</u> – AncestryPlus provides access to more than 1.2 billion names, more than 3000 databases, primary source documents and images and a variety of genealogical research features – with new databases added daily. In Library Only.

<u>Career Builders</u>: Career Builders lets you apply to jobs faster, even from your mobile phone, post a resume to be found by registered employers, and create a Job Alert and more for free.

<u>FINRA</u> – FINRA Investor Education Foundation offers a wide range of resources to provide effective, unbiased financial and investor education. These tools will help you understand and meet your investor/financial needs. They offer a wide range of tools, including: Investor Alerts, Investor Tools, Educational Resources and much more.

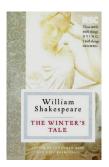
reader's advisory

2019 Reading Challenge

This year we are challenging ourselves to not only read more, but read better. Step out of your comfort zone and read something new with us. Each month we will announce a new theme and help you with suggested titles. Once you've read your book, submit an entry on our website or ask staff to be entered in a prize drawing at the year's end.

This month's theme is: A work of, or based on, Shakespeare



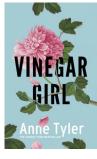




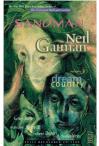








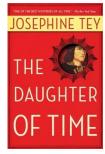






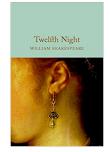


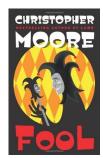






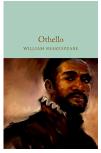


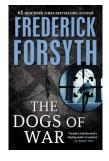


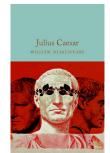


































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Closed Sunday, April 21 for Easter Closed Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day

When closed, library materials are not due.



be a friend

Friends of the Library

Who? Our friends are volunteers who share a common belief that the library is important to the intellectual and cultural growth of the community.

What? The members of this non-profit organization work to increase public awareness of all library services and assist in bringing funds to the library for special needs. With fun events like Holiday Tree Auction, the Friends of the Library are always looking for new ideas and programs to support the library.

When? The Friends of the Library meet on the second Wednesday of each month in the Community Room.

◆Become a member by picking up an application, which are available at the Help Desk.