**Registration for May programs begins Thursday, April 21 @ 9:00 am**

**LIBRARY HOURS**
Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 8 pm
Friday - Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm
Sunday: 12 pm - 5 pm

**CROMAINE CLOSING DATES:**
- Sunday, May 8: Closed for Mother’s Day
- Friday, May 13: Closed for staff in-service
- Sunday, May 22: Last day of Sunday hours before summer
- Saturday, May 28 through Monday, May 30: Closed for Memorial Day Holiday

When Cromaine is closed, the materials return, wireless in the parking lot and virtual library services on our website are all open.

### PROGRAM KEY

| R | REGISTER | Registration required for this program or kit: register online or by phone |
| V | VIRTUAL | This program is held virtually. See the program listing online for details |
| K | TAKE-HOME KIT | Stop by the library to pick up a kit |
| D | DROP-IN | No registration necessary for this kit or program |

### ALL AGES

#### I LOVE MY CROMAINE LIBRARY PHOTO CONTEST
May 1 through May 21
Show your library love by submitting a photo inspired by books or the Cromaine Library! Submit an 8x10 print photo to the Youth Desk or by email to ysm@cromaine.org along with an entry form by Saturday, May 21 at 5:00 pm.

#### STAR WARS WEEK
May 2 through May 7
Stop by the Youth Department any time this week to enjoy Star Wars and Baby Yoda themed fun.

#### FRIENDS USED BOOK & BAKE SALE
Thursday, May 19 through Saturday, May 21, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Sunday, May 22, 12:00 to 1:00 pm
FREE DAY!
Thousands of books and media for sale, plus delicious baked goods! Everyone is welcome and Friends memberships are available, too.

#### MEMORIAL DAY PARADE: REMEMBER & HONOR
Monday, May 30 @ 11:00 am
The historic Memorial Day Parade is back, and you are invited to walk with us as we celebrate our favorite hometown Library! Meet in the Hartland Middle School at Ore Creek parking lot. Strollers, wagons and bikes are welcome. Parade begins at noon!

#### CHILDREN’S Gardening Week
May 31 - June 4
Stop by the Youth Department any time this week to celebrate National Children’s Gardening Week with a fun activity.

#### YOUTH, TWEEN & TEEN

#### Tween & Teen Take-Out Boxes
Wednesday, May 11 by 8:00 pm
Sign up to receive a box filled with one or two library books hand-picked just for you, plus a sweet or savory treat and other fun surprises! This month’s theme: Bones or No Bones, inspired by TikTok’s Noodle the Pug. These boxes are funded by the Friends of the Cromaine Library. For grades 5 through 12.

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**Zoom Events**
This is a live Zoom event. Register with valid email to receive the access link. An email confirmation will be sent to you with your unique, nontransferable link to attend the virtual event. Please check both your inbox and your spam folder. Registration closes at 10:00 am the day of the event.

#### CROMAINE PRESENTS:
**GORDON THE MAGICIAN**
Saturday, May 7 @ 2:00 pm
The entire family is sure to love this performance with magic tricks and jokes for every age! Meet in the Hartland Music Hall.

#### BOOK CHARACTER SCAVENGER HUNT
May 16 through May 27
Can you find all of the book characters hidden outside and in the Library’s windows? Pick up a scavenger hunt sheet from the Youth Desk.
CUPCAKE WARS
Bring your creativity and get ready to battle in this multi-round competition! Cupcakes and decorating supplies will be provided.
Grades K-4: Monday, May 9 @ 4:30 pm
Tweeen: Monday, May 9 @ 6:30 pm
Teen: Thursday, May 12 @ 3:30 pm

TAIL WAGGIN’ TUTORS
Tuesday, May 17 @ 6:30 pm
Develop a love of reading and practice your reading skills with a caring and patient canine friend!

MAKE “YOUR” MARK WORKSHOP
Wednesday, May 18 @ 4:30 pm
Children will learn how important respect for others and self-respect are to their everyday lives, and that EVERY time they are with someone, they leave a mark! Presented by Coaching Kids 4 Success. For ages 7 through 10.

TWEEN BOOK CLUB
Monday, May 23 @ 6:30 pm
Read outside your comfort zone! Sign up to receive a craft and a copy of this month’s book: The Blackbird Girls by Anne Blankman.

ADULT
CROMAINE’S DESERT ISLAND FAVORITES VIDEO
Monday, May 2 @ 10:00 am
Each month, Adult Services Librarian Erik and a guest discuss their favorite items from Cromaine’s collections that embrace a common theme. This month: Speculative fiction.

YOGA WITH DEBBIE
Mondays, May 2 & 16 @ 6:30 pm
Wednesday, May 11 @ 10:00 am
Join Debbie on the South Lawn. Beginners welcome! Bring your own mat, and register for each session separately.

MICHIGAN DISCOVERED
Thursday, May 5 @ 6:30 pm
Join Ron Rademacher for a road trip across Michigan to more than a dozen destinations most travelers have missed, including the underground rathskeller in the Irish Hills, the gravity mystery in Frankfort, and more!

ADULT CRAFT KITS
Fridays, May 6 and 20, All Day
May 6: Birdseed Ornaments
May 20: Sun Prints

RESUME REVIEW WITH MICHIGAN WORKS!
Monday, May 9 - All Day
Half-hour appointments for resume review are made directly with Michigan Works! resume expert, Patty Sudbay. Call 517-552-2106 or email her at psudbay@mwse.org to arrange your appointment. Meetings are held by telephone or Zoom. Other dates available upon request.

VIDEO: MARKETPLACE TO MEDICARE
Friday, May 13 @ 1:00 pm
Join MMAP for the Marketplace to Medicare program. Please register with a valid email address to receive the pre-recorded video.

PERENNIAL PLANT EXCHANGE
Saturday, May 14 @ 9:00 am
Bring your perennials to the Cromaine parking lot! Label them with name, color, height and sun/shade loving. Master gardener on hand to answer questions. Held rain or shine. Co-sponsored with the Hartland Home & Garden Club.

CRAFT A KOREAN LANTERN
Tuesday, May 17 @ 1:00 pm
Join the Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project to create a beautiful Lotus Flower lantern and enjoy a short documentary film.

CROMAINE LIBRARY WRITERS
Tuesday, May 17 @ 6:30 pm
Join us for this dedicated time to work on your creative writing project, get feedback from fellow participants and find motivation to unleash the story inside of you.

THE HISTORY OF BOURBON
Wednesday, May 18 @ 6:30 pm
Join Phil Kollin, an Executive Bourbon Steward and Louisville Certified Tourism Ambassador, as he guides us through the basics, legends, and fascinating history of bourbon whiskey while also dispelling some commonly held myths.

PANL DISCUSSION: SUMMER MUST-READS
Monday, May 23 @ 12:00 pm
The Book & Author Society welcomes four powerhouses of women’s fiction - Lori Foster, Sarah Morgan, Brenda Novak and RaeAnne Thayne - to a panel discussion about their latest works, summer reading, and more!

MEDICARE QUESTIONS? THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY MMAP TEAM HAS ANSWERS
Monday, May 23 @ 6:00 or 7:30 pm
MMAP (Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program) provides unbiased information/assistance to Medicare beneficiaries and caregivers. Confidential appointments are available at 6:00 and 7:30. Meetings are held via telephone call from an MMAP representative’s private/unlisted phone number so be sure to answer at your start time. To register, call 810-632-5200, ext. 104.

BLADES OF THE CIVIL WAR
Monday, May 23 @ 6:30 pm
Join Jerry Berg of the Swordsmanship Museum and Academy in Caledonia, Michigan to learn about the blades used during the American Civil War.

MAKE YOUR OWN LOTION WITH RACHEL A. SADOWSKI
Tuesday, May 24 @ 6:00 pm
Learn how to make your own quality moisturizing lotions for everyday use. You will leave the class with four ounces of your own handmade lotion!

ALE TOGETHER NOW
Wednesday, May 25 at 6:30 pm
Join Michelle for fun, facts, and samples! Must be 21 or older.

BOOK CLUBS
MYSTERY BOOK CLUB
Tuesday, May 10 @ 6:30 pm
All Her Little Secrets by Wanda M. Morris.

NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB
Thursday, May 12 @ 6:30 pm
The Icepick Surgeon: Murder, Fraud, Sabotage, Piracy, and Other Dastardly Deeds Perpetuated in the Name of Science by Sam Kean.

FICTION BOOK CLUB
Thursday, May 26 @ 6:30 pm
Our Darkest Night by Jennifer Robson.