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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.

* 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.

PROGRAM KEY

Use this key to find out more about programs!

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.

D 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.

R 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.

D 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.

D 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.

R 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!

D 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

R K 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.

R **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

Tween: Monday, May 9 @ 6:30 pm

Teen: Thursday, May 12 @ 3:30 pm

R **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!

R **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.

R **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

R **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.

R **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.

R **MICHIGAN REDISCOVERED ***

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!

K **ADULT CRAFT KITS**

Fridays, May 6 and 20, All Day

R **May 6: Birdseed Ornaments**

D **May 20: Sun Prints**

R **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.

R **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.

D **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.

R **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.

R **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.

R **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.

R **PANEL 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!

R **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.

R **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.

R **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!

R **ALE TOGETHER NOW**

Wednesday, May 25 at 6:30 pm

Join Michelle for fun, facts, and samples! Must be 21 or older.

BOOK CLUBS Community Room

D **MYSTERY BOOK CLUB**

Tuesday, May 10 at 6:30 pm

All Her Little Secrets by Wanda M. Morris.

D **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.

D **FICTION BOOK CLUB**

Thursday, May 26 @ 6:30 pm

Our Darkest Night by Jennifer Robson.