ALL AGES

**Unflattering Pet Photo Contest**
Monday, January 4 through Friday, January 22
Capture your pet being their awkward and happy selves and submit it to mjackson@cromaine.org by Friday, January 22 at 5:00 pm. Include your name and your pet’s name in the email. Photos will be posted on our Facebook page so patrons can vote for their favorites from Monday, January 25 through Saturday, January 30. The photo with the most “likes” will win a $25 Target gift card.

**Artist Take-Home Kit**
Saturday, January 9 All Day
Pick up a kit packed with crafts, activities and family-friendly movie recommendations to host a movie night at home. This month’s theme: Winter Sports.

**Princess Week**
Monday, January 25 through Friday, January 29 @ 4:00 pm
What adventures do Princesses go on when they are at home? Find out in this video series! Pick up a craft kit starting January 18 and receive a video every day at 4:00 pm the following week to watch at your leisure.

**Virtual Hartland SOUP**
Tuesday, January 26 at 6:30 pm
Hartland SOUP is going VIRTUAL! For the first time, SOUP will be held via a Zoom Webinar. There will be 3 to 4 presentations and attendees will be asked to give a $5 donation to attend and vote! To register for the virtual Zoom event, and pay the $5 donation to vote, please visit bit.ly/VirtualSOUPtickets. The Zoom Webinar access link will be emailed to you from sfurge@cromaine.org once you are registered.

**Make a Bird Feeder**
Saturday, January 30 All Day
Create your own bird feeder to help feed the birds in your yard this winter. Allergy alert: peanut butter is used.
**YOUTH**

**Homeschool Discovery Club**
Thursday, January 7 @ 10:00 am
Each month we explore a concept in art, STEM, or social studies with hands-on activities and fun. This month: Rube Goldberg Machines.

**Babygarten Online**
Mondays, January 11 & 25 @ 10:00 am
Did you know language and literacy development begins at birth? Help your little one develop these skills with our digital newsletter sent to your email twice a month. For caregivers of children ages birth through 23 months.

**STORYTIME ONLINE & TAKE-HOME KIT**
Tuesdays, January 12, 19 & 26 @ 10:00 am
Read, sing and play along with your little one as they build language and early literacy skills with storytime! Each week, receive a new storytime video by email to view at your own pace. Plus, the first 50 registrants receive a special storytime kit with craft supplies to enjoy at home. Kit pickup for the entire month begins January 5. For ages 2 through 5.

**Passport Pals Storytime & Take-Home Kit**
Wednesday, January 13 @ 10:00 am
Explore a different country each month in a special virtual storytime tour of the world. Register to receive a kit with a passport & stamp, crafts, country facts, and a recipe. This month: Germany. For grades K and up.

**Homeschool Book Club Take-Home Kit: Grades K-3**
Thursday, January 21 All Day
Join us this month as we read the 2020 MLA Mitten Award Books! Choose one or all of the books from the Mitten Top Ten List. This kit includes discussion questions and activities for learning and fun. For grades K through 3.

**Sparkles & Snow Sensory Play Take-Home Kit**
Monday, January 25 All Day
Create your very own mini winter wonderland with this hands-on sensory play kit. For ages 2 through 5.

**American Girl Take-Home Kit**
Wednesday, January 27 All Day
Learn about different time periods in American history by reading a different American Girl book each month. Register to receive a kit with discussion questions and activities for that month’s book. This month: *Nanea, Growing Up with Aloha* by Kirby Larson. For ages 6 and up.

**Take-Home Kit: Grades 4-6**
Thursday, January 21 All Day
Join us this month as we read *Fish in a Tree* by Lynda Mullaly Hunt. This kit includes discussion questions and themed activities for learning and fun. For grades 4 through 6.

**Teen Winter Reading Challenge Book Swap Online**
Thursday, January 21 @ 6:30 pm
Get some great book ideas or convince other people to read the book you are obsessed with. All book lovers welcome!

**Teen Movie Club Online**
Thursday, January 14 @ 6:30 pm
This month watch *Little Women*—both the 1994 and the 2019 version—before the meeting and join us for discussion to share what you thought.

**Teen Lunch Chats**
Fridays, January 8, 15, 22, & 29 @ 12:00 pm
Want someone to eat lunch with when you’re home on Fridays? Join in the Lunch Chat where we talk about the most random subjects while we eat lunch.

**Teen Book Club Online**
Thursday, January 28 @ 6:30 pm
This month read *Nimona* by Noelle Stevenson and join us for discussion and to share what you thought.

**Teen Hot Chocolate Bombs Take-Home Kit for Teens**
Thursday, January 7 @ 5:00 pm
Calling all chocolate lovers! Learn how to make different types of hot chocolate bombs and get the supplies to try a couple recipes.

**Teen D&D**
Tuesdays, January 12 & 26 @ 6:30 pm
Join our Dungeon Masters as they lead you through an online quest. From beginners through experts, all are welcome!

**Teen Virtual Trivia**
Monday, January 11 @ 6:30 pm
Join us each month to play trivia via Zoom. This month’s theme: Science and American History Trivia. You need a computer or tablet and internet connection to play.

**Tween Virtual Trivia**
Monday, January 11 @ 6:30 pm
Join us each month to play trivia via Zoom. This month’s theme: Science and American History Trivia. You need a computer or tablet and internet connection to play.

**Participant Book**
Monday, January 4 @ 5:00 pm
Can’t get enough of the game *Among Us*? Pick up a kit and make your very own pop-up Imposter!

**Tween Book Club Online**
Monday, January 25 @ 6:30 pm
Read outside your comfort zone and join us each month for this virtual book club! Sign up to receive a free book and a box of crafts and activities centered around this month’s book: *Space Case* by Stuart Gibbs. Box pickup begins on January 6, and the virtual discussion is Monday, January 25 at 6:30 pm.

**Homeschool Book Club**
Thursday, January 21 All Day
Join us this month as we read *Fish in a Tree* by Lynda Mullaly Hunt. This kit includes discussion questions and themed activities for learning and fun. For grades 4 through 6.

**Homeschool Book Club Take-Home Kit: Grades 4-6**
Thursday, January 21 All Day
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**Tween Book Club Online**
Monday, January 25 @ 6:30 pm
Read outside your comfort zone and join us each month for this virtual book club! Sign up to receive a free book and a box of crafts and activities centered around this month’s book: *Space Case* by Stuart Gibbs. Box pickup begins on January 6, and the virtual discussion is Monday, January 25 at 6:30 pm.

**LOOKING FOR MORE WINTER FUN?**
Borrow sports equipment from Cromaine’s SportPort with your library card! See our online catalog for the available items you can place on hold - including sleds, snowshoes, an ice fishing kit and more! All items can be picked up via Curbside Service.

**Teen Book Club Online**
Thursday, January 28 @ 6:30 pm
This month read *Nimona* by Noelle Stevenson and join us for discussion and to share what you thought.
**ADULT**

**CROMAINE’S DESERT ISLAND: CREATIVITY**
Monday, January 4 @ 10:00 am
Each month in an entertaining video, staff members at Cromaine share their favorite items from the collection that embrace a common theme. This month: Creativity! Find out what materials inspire them to be creative or that exhibit incredible creativity.

**YOGA WITH DEBBIE VIDEOS**
Mondays, January 4 & 25 @ 6:30 pm
Join Debbie for a relaxing yoga session from the comfort of your own home.

**TRIVIA TUESDAY VIDEOS**
Tuesdays, January 5 & 19 @ 5:00 pm
Join librarian Grace for monthly themed trivia videos. January’s theme is Music. Play along from home while our staff team, the Dewey Decimators, tries to guess the answers! Each session has a different theme.
January 5: 90’s Hits
January 19: Soundtracks

**RECIPE CLUB VIDEO**
Friday, January 8 @ 1:00 pm
We aren’t able to meet in person, so librarian Meagan created a recipe video you can enjoy from home.

**THE GREAT INFLUENZA**
Monday, January 11 @ 7:00 pm
Join OCC Professor Emeritus Dennis Fiems for an exploration of disease and the efforts to control it throughout history, emphasizing the 1918 Influenza pandemic. This is a live Zoom event.

**VIRTUAL GAME NIGHTS**
Wednesday, January 13 & Monday, January 18 @ 7:00 pm
Love playing casual, goofy games? Come check us out! Hosted virtually, we play various Jackbox Games. You need both a computer or tablet to see the game AND a phone or tablet to use as your player controller.

**TAKE HOME CRAFT KIT:**
**PEPPERMINT SUGAR SCRUB**
Friday, January 15 @ 10:00 am
Treat yourself with this easy kit to make a delicious-smelling peppermint brown sugar body scrub. **Allergy alert: contains coconut oil.** You will have 7 days to pick up your kit.

**HISTORY MYTHS BUSTED**
Wednesday, January 20 @ 6:30 pm
Play along with the historian, Bob Myers, and match wits with each other as we examine History Myths. Those crazy stories about history just can’t be true – or can they? How knowledgeable are you when it comes to debunking or confirming urban legends in history? This event is held live via Zoom.

**BREW PUB BOOK CLUB**
Thursday, January 21 @ 6:30 pm
Cromaine’s Brew Pub Book Club is open to everyone 21 and up who loves to read, drink a little beer, and talk about books! We meet on the third Thursday of the month. This month: *Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine* by Gail Honeyman. This session held virtually via Zoom, not in person.

**THE CYCLE OF STRESS**
Wednesday, January 27 @ 6:30 pm
Join Holly Smith as she helps us to examine the cycle of stress and our thoughts. This workshop gives you tools to help you manage your thoughts and experience life differently. This live virtual Zoom event will be recorded and shared on our Youtube page for those interested in viewing privately.

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**BOOK CLUBS**

All book clubs held through Zoom. Please include a valid email address so we can send you an access code before the event begins.

**MYSTERY BOOK CLUB**
Tuesday, January 12 @ 6:30 pm
Join us the second Tuesday of the month for a discussion of mystery and intrigue. This Month: *All We Buried* by Elena Turner.

**NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB**
Thursday, January 14 @ 6:30 pm
The non-fiction book club meets the second Thursday of the month to discuss varied non-fiction titles. This month: *Like Crazy: Life with My Mother and Her Invisible Friends* by Dan Mathews.

**FICTION BOOK CLUB**
Thursday, January 28 @ 6:30 pm
Join us the fourth Thursday of the month for a lively discussion of fiction books. This month: *The Book of Lost Friends* by Lisa Wingate.

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*ZOOM EVENTS*

Register with valid email to receive the access link. The log-in information for Zoom will be emailed to you from a Cromaine Library staff member the day before the event. Please watch your email!

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WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED HARTLAND’S POLAR EXPRESS DAY!