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Registration for March programs begins **Thursday, February 25 at 9:00 am**

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 8 pm

Friday - Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm

Sunday: 12 pm - 5 pm

(Sundays are Curbside Service only)

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CURBSIDE SERVICE

Schedule pickup in advance:

Go to WWW.CROMAINE.ORG, click "Menu" then "Schedule Curbside Pickup". When you arrive:

1. Stay in your car
2. Use your Smart Phone or Tablet (connect to Cromaine Wi-Fi!) and using the online app, click "Check-in for Pickup" OR Call 810-632-5200 and select 1 to let us know you're here
3. Have your library card ready to show us through the window
4. Pop your trunk or roll down your window and staff will place your items there

* 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

LIVINGSTON READS



Livingston Reads encourages residents of Livingston County, Michigan to read for pleasure, creates community through reading, and promotes the exploration of ideas, knowledge, and a love of reading! Go to www.livingstonreads.org for more programs and events offered by other Livingston Libraries

R V LIVINGSTON READS: THE GREAT DEPRESSION & THE NEW DEAL *

Wednesday, March 17 @ 6:30 pm

Professor Daniel Clark from Oakland University walks us through various programs of the New Deal as a response to the Great Depression. The lecture covers topics that are laced throughout **The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek**. This is an interactive, live Zoom event.

R V BOOK DISCUSSION FOR LIVINGSTON READS *

Wednesday, March 24 @ 6:30 pm

Join librarians Damon and Erik for a rousing discussion of 2021's Livingston Reads pick, **The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek** by Kim Michele Richardson. **Each registered individual receives a complimentary copy of the book.** This is an interactive, live Zoom event.

ALL AGES

D K HARTLAND MOMENTS & MEMORIES COMMUNITY SCRAPBOOK KIT

Monday, March 1 through Friday, March 5

Help us create a community scrapbook, similar to the one featured in our Livingston Reads book **The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek** by Kim Michele Richardson. Pick up your scrapbook page and "Hartland Moments & Memories" sticker from the reference desk.

SIX-WORD STORIES CONTEST

Monday, March 1 through Friday, March 26

Can you create a story using just six words? Submit entries to mjackson@cromaine.org along with your age by Friday, March 26 at 5:00 pm.

D K ARTIST TAKE-HOME KIT

Saturday, March 6 All Day

Pick up a kit with everything you need to create a masterpiece inspired by a famous artist. This month: Mary Cassatt.

D K SPRING EQUINOX TAKE-HOME KIT

Friday, March 19 All Day

Spring into fun with a craft, activity and more to celebrate the Spring Equinox!

YOUTH

R K HOMESCHOOL DISCOVERY CLUB

Thursday, March 4 All Day

Each month we explore a concept in art, STEM, or social studies with hands-on activities and fun. This month: String Art.

R BABYGARTEN ONLINE

Mondays, March 8 & 22 @ 10:00 am

Help your little one develop skills with our new digital newsletter sent to your email twice a month. Each newsletter features a new video of songs and rhymes, sensory play ideas, board book recommendations and local resources. For caregivers of children ages birth through 23 months.

R K STORYTIME ONLINE & TAKE-HOME KIT

Tuesdays, March 9, 16 & 23 @ 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 March 2. For ages 2 through 5.

R K PASSPORT PALS STORYTIME & TAKE-HOME KIT

Wednesday, March 10 @ 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. A video is emailed to you the day of the program and remains active for one week to be watched at your leisure. This month: Thailand. For grades K and up.

R K HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUB TAKE-HOME KIT: GRADES K-3

Thursday, March 18 All Day

Join us this month as we explore Transportation! This kit includes discussion questions and activities for learning and fun. For grades K through 3. You can pick your kit up between March 18 and 25.

V K FAMILY FUN DAY: CELEBRATE EARLY CHILDHOOD

Saturday, March 20

Kit Pickup from 9:00 to 11:00 am and Virtual Concert @ 1:00 pm

Free fun for children 0-5 and their families! Pick up a kit with books, snacks and activity ideas from 9:00 am - 11:00 am, then join us online at 1:00 pm for an interactive family concert featuring Beverly Meyer: The Music Lady. Kits will be distributed curbside at Livingston Educational Service Agency, 1425 W. Grand River Ave, Howell, while supplies last. Visit bit.ly/FamilyFun21 to learn more! Sponsored by Livingston Early Literacy Collaborative.

R K AMERICAN GIRL TAKE-HOME KIT

Wednesday, March 24 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: **The Sky's the Limit: My Journey with Maryellen** by Valerie Tripp. For ages 6 and up.

D K THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR SENSORY PLAY TAKE-HOME KIT

Monday, March 29 All Day

Bring this popular children's book to life with this hands-on, sensory play experience. For ages 2 through 5. One kit per family, please.

D K PIPE CLEANER ANIMALS TAKE-HOME KIT

Wednesday, March 31 All Day

Bend and twist, pipe cleaners that is, and make a chameleon, butterfly and teddy bear. For grades K through 4.

TWEEN For grades 5 through 7

R V TWEEN VIRTUAL TRIVIA *

Monday, March 8 at 6:30 pm

Join us each month to play trivia via Zoom. This month's theme: Movies and Memes. You need a phone, computer or tablet and an internet connection to play.

D K TWEEN DIY PAINTING KIT

Monday, March 15 @ 5:00 pm

Calling all tween artists! Pick up a kit that includes everything you need to make a masterpiece.

R K HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUB TAKE-HOME KIT: GRADES 4-6

Thursday, March 18 All Day

Join us this month as we read **Wonder** by R.J. Palacio. This kit includes discussion questions and themed activities for learning and fun. For grades 4 through 6. You can pick up your kit between March 18 and 25.

D K TWEEN MINI TERRARIUMS TAKE-HOME KIT

Monday, March 22 @ 5:00 pm

This kit is packed with everything you need to create your own mini terrarium!

R V K TWEEN BOOK CLUB ONLINE

Monday, March 29 @ 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: **The War That Saved My Life** by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley. Box pickup begins on March 1, and the virtual discussion is Monday, March 29 at 6:30 pm.

TEEN For grades 7 through 12.

D K TEEN BEAD ANIMALS TAKE-HOME KIT

Thursday, March 4 @ 5:00 pm

We provide all the supplies you need to make your own bead animals.

R V TEEN D&D

Tuesdays, March 9 & 23 @ 6:30 pm

Join our Dungeon Masters as they lead you through an online quest. From beginners through experts, all are welcome!

R V TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Thursday, March 11 @ 6:30 pm

Help plan programs and prizes for summer, order books for the Teen Room and keep up with what is happening at the library. This is an easy way to earn volunteer hours even if you are not in Corraine's official Teen Volunteer Program!

R V TEEN BOOK CLUB ONLINE

Thursday, March 25 @ 6:30 pm

This month read **American Royals** by Katharine McGee and join us for discussion and to share what you thought.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

The Post-secondary Education Support \$500 Scholarship is designed to recognize a graduating senior at Hartland Consolidated Schools who plans to pursue a post-secondary education of any type, has a Cromaine Library Card in good standing, and a 3.0 or higher GPA.

The Jeanne Smith Teen Library Volunteer \$500 Scholarship is designed to recognize a graduating senior who has volunteered at Cromaine over at least three sessions with 10 hours or more per session. Applications can be found on WWW.CROMAINE.ORG or at the Library. Deadline is Friday, April 16 at 5:00 pm.

ADULT

R **CROMAINE'S DESERT ISLAND VIDEO: GROWTH**

Monday, March 1 @ 10:00 am
Each month, staff members at Cromaine share their favorite items in the collection that embrace a common theme. This month, in the spirit of spring and renewal, we share the materials that helped us grow personally and professionally.

R **V** **ZOOM YOGA WITH DEBBIE ***

Mondays, March 1 & 22 @ 6:30 pm
Join Debbie for a live Zoom yoga session from the comfort of your own home! Follow along on your preferred device as she takes you from stressed to stretched out.

R **V** **TRIVIA TUESDAY VIDEOS**

Tuesdays, March 2 & 23 @ 5:00 pm
Join librarian Grace for a themed trivia video. Play along from home while our staff team, the Dewey Decimators, tries to guess the answers! This month's theme is **Observed in March**.
March 2: National Craft Month
March 23: Women's History Month

R **V** **RECIPE VIDEO**

Friday, March 5 @ 1:00 pm
We aren't able to meet in person, so librarian Meagan created a recipe video you can enjoy from home.

R **V** **RESUME REVIEW WITH MICHIGAN WORKS!**

Monday, March 8 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. Patty has times available for other dates if this date doesn't work for you, so be sure to contact her. Meetings are held by telephone or Zoom.

R **V** **ASTRONOMY WITH MATTHEW LINKE**

Monday, March 8 @ 6:30 pm
Join Matthew Linke from the University of Michigan as he takes us on a tour of the galaxy in this live Zoom event. Please register with valid email to **receive the event login 15 minutes before the event start time**, per the presenter's request.

R **V** **VIRTUAL GAME NIGHT**

Wednesday March 10 @ 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.

R **K** **ADULT CRAFT KIT: BOOK PAGE FEATHER GARLAND**

Friday, March 12 All Day
Adults, we have a fun book page garland kit just for you! Supplies and instructions are included. Kit pickup begins March 12 at 10:00 am and ends March 19 at 5:00 pm.

R **V** **FORENSIC ART: IDENTIFYING THE LIVING, NAMING THE DEAD ***

Tuesday, March 16 @ 6:30 pm
Join Lieutenant Sarah Krebs of the Michigan State Police for a look at the use of forensic art in the apprehension of suspects and identification of human remains. She and her unit brought closure to hundreds of once thought cold investigations.

R **V** **BREW PUB BOOK CLUB ONLINE ***

Thursday, March 18 @ 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! This month: **The House in the Cerulean Sea** by T.J. Klune.

R **K** **ADULT CRAFT KIT: STENCIL COASTERS**

Friday, March 26 All Day
Adults, don't let the kids have all the fun! We have a craft kit just for you. All stencil coaster supplies are included. You have 7 days to pick up your kit.

R **V** **MEDICARE QUESTIONS? THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY MMAP TEAM HAS ANSWERS!**

Monday, March 29th @ 6:00 pm & 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.

BOOK CLUBS*

R **V** **MYSTERY BOOK CLUB**

Tuesday, March 9 @ 6:30 pm
This Month: **His & Hers** by Alice Feeney.

R **V** **NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB**

Thursday, March 11 @ 6:30 pm
This month we discuss the second half of **The Splendid and the Vile** by Erik Larson.

R **V** **FICTION BOOK CLUB**

Thursday, March 25 @ 6:30 pm
This month: **Black Bottom Saints** by Alice Randall.



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