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Registration for September programs begins **Thursday, August 26 at 9:00 am**

CROMAINE CLOSING DATES:

Saturday, September 4 – Monday, September 6: Closed for the Labor Day Weekend
Friday, September 10: Closed all day for Staff In-service
Sunday hours begin Sunday, September 12.

When Cromaine is closed, the materials return, wireless in the parking lot and virtual library services at WWW.CROMAINE.ORG are all open.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 8 pm
Friday - Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm
Sunday: 12 pm - 5 pm
Sunday hours resume September 12
Visit WWW.CROMAINE.ORG for more information

* 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

CARD UP

Explore Cromaine & Support the Community

LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

September is Library Card Sign-up Month and the return of the Card Up Promotion!

Visit Cromaine this September and get a library card of your own! It is also a great time to update your email and other contact information. Plus, use your Cromaine Library card at local businesses for a discount!

Aquatic Adventures	15% off any class
BIGGBY of Hartland	\$1 off a grande or super specialty beverage
Dairy Queen of Hartland	10% off any item
Dunham Hills Golf Club	Medium bucket of balls for the driving range (\$8 value)
Hartland Flowers	10% off
Tony Sacco's of Hartland	Buy a large specialty pizza and get a large 1 topping pizza for FREE! (Offer not valid on Thursdays)
Tropical Smoothie Cafe	10% off in Hartland

D FRIENDS OF CROMAINE USED BOOK & BAKE SALE



Thursday, September 23 through Saturday, September 25 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Sunday, September 26 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm FREE DAY
Doors open at 10:00 am. Thousands of books and media for sale, plus delicious baked goods! Everyone is welcome and Friends memberships are available, too!

ALL AGES

These all-ages activities are sponsored by SportPort, an initiative of Project Play Southeast Michigan, the Wilson Foundation and the Community Foundation of Southeast Michigan.

D BIKE & PLAY AT SETTLERS PARK

Saturday, September 11 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am

Have you experienced the new children's bike loop at Settlers Park? Stop by between 10:00 am and 11:00 am to check it out and receive a free water bottle!

R FAMILY YOGA

Wednesday, September 15 @ 6:30 pm

Enjoy a fun and easy yoga class on the South Lawn. Plus, children receive their very own yoga mat to keep!

R FAMILY LAWN GAMES NIGHT

Wednesday, September 22 @ 6:30 pm

Join us on the South Lawn anytime between 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm to play Ladder Ball, Yard Yahtzee, Giant Jenga, Bean Bag Toss, and complete an obstacle course. Plus, enjoy free popcorn and sweet treats. Each family gets their very own jazzminton set to take home!

YOUTH

R HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUBS

Grades K-1: Wednesday, September 15 at 2:00 pm

Grades 2-4: Wednesday, September 15 at 3:15 pm

Discuss books, get ideas for new reads, and enjoy crafts and activities based on the monthly theme. Bring your book and come ready to tell us all about it. This month's theme: Pets (Fiction).

R PASSPORT PALS

Thursday, September 16 @ 6:30 pm

A special storytime tour of the world. Each month we explore a different country through stories, songs, crafts, a snack and other fun surprises. Children receive their own passport to collect stamps for each country they visit! This month: New Zealand.

R YOUNG ARTISTS

Thursday, September 23 @ 6:30 pm

Make colorful chalk creations on construction paper and decorate our sidewalk with art!

R AFTER-SCHOOL STEM

Wednesday, September 29 @ 4:30 pm

Join us for an afternoon of STEM exploration. This month: Building Structures.

R AMERICAN GIRL BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 30 @ 6:30 pm

Explore a different American Girl book and period of American history each month through discussion, crafts and a snack. This month's book: **Courtney Changes the Game** by Kellen Hertz. Recommended for ages 7 and up.

STORYTIME AND PLAYTIME @ CROMAINE

Read, sing and play alongside your little one as they develop early literacy skills in our interactive storytimes and playtimes! Storytime is scheduled for the South Lawn through September. In the case of inclement weather, it moves inside to the Youth Program Room.

R PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Mondays, September 13, 20 & 27 @ 10:00 am

Tuesdays, September 14, 21 & 28 @ 10:00 am

For ages 3 through 5.

R BABYGARTEN

Wednesdays, September 15 & 29 @ 10:00 am

For 3-month-olds through 23-month-olds and their special adult.

R TODDLER TIME

Thursdays, September 16, 23 & 30 @ 10:00 am

For 2-year-olds and their special adult.

R PRESCHOOL PLAYTIME

Friday, September 24 @ 10:30 am

Make new friends while you explore open-ended play with nature and process art. For ages 2 through 5. Small items including rocks are used.

TWEEN

For grades 5 through 7

D **K** TWEEN DIY SQUISHIES TAKE-HOME KIT

Monday, September 13 @ 6:30 pm

Use simple supplies to create your own squishies.

R TWEEN SHARPIE TIE-DYE

Monday, September 20 @ 6:30 pm

Tweens are invited for a night of socially-distanced fun on the South Lawn and use Sharpies to create something unique. Please bring a white t-shirt and we provide the Sharpies.

R **V** TWEEN BOOK CLUB

Monday, September 27 @ 6:30 pm

Read outside your comfort zone and join us for this virtual book club! Sign up to receive a copy of this month's book: **The First Rule of Punk** by Celia C. Perez.

TEEN

For grades 7 through 12.

D TAB (TEEN ADVISORY BOARD)

Thursday, September 2 @ 3:30 pm

Learn about new school year volunteer opportunities, suggest upcoming events, brainstorm programs, and, of course, snack and chat. We are also looking for a Dungeons & Dragons DM, so come to TAB if you are interested in playing or DM-ing!

R CROSS STITCH BOOKMARKS

Thursday, September 16 @ 3:30 pm

Make a cute, fandom or hilarious cross stitch bookmark. Learn the basics of cross stitch and pick, bring, or make up a pattern and create something to use every time you close your book.

R TEEN MUSICAL CLUB: WEST SIDE STORY (1961)

Thursday, September 23 @ 3:30 pm

Why is **West Side Story** considered one of the greatest movie musicals of all time? Find out as we watch the movie, learn about its history, and try to decide if the new Steven Spielberg version will ever be able to live up to the original.

R **V** TEEN BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 30 @ 6:30 pm

This month read **Ella Enchanted** by Gail Carson Levine and join us virtually for discussion and to share what you thought.

ADULT

R **K** ADULT CRAFT KITS

Fridays, September 3 & 17 All Day
Adults, we have a craft kit just for you. Register to reserve yours.

September 3: I Survived Summer Break Wine Glass

September 17: Back to School Magnetic Picture Frame

V CROMAINE'S DESERT ISLAND FAVORITES VIDEO

Tuesday, September 7 @ 10:00 am
Each month, staff members at the Cromaine District Library share their favorite items from the collection that embrace a common theme. This month, **New Adventures**.

V TRIVIA TUESDAY VIDEOS

Tuesdays, September 7 & 21 @ 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!

September 7: Art

September 21: History

R ZENTANGLE ESSENTIALS

Wednesday, September 8 @ 6:30 pm

Zentangle® is an easy-to-learn, relaxing and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Learn what the Zentangle® Method is, how it can benefit you and leave with a unique piece of art that you created!

R **V** VIRTUAL GAME NIGHT

Wednesday, September 8 @ 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 THE OUTDOOR MUSEUM: CEMETERY WALKING TOUR

Saturday, September 11 @ 10:00 am and 12:00 pm

Join Barbara Krueger as she takes you on a walking tour of the Hartland Village Cemetery to discuss the dates, lettering, and iconography used on the headstones found there. Special mention given to the Crouse family and their headstones.

R **V** RESUME REVIEW WITH MICHIGANWORKS!

Monday, September 13 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 today doesn't work for you, so be sure to contact her. Meetings are held by telephone or Zoom.

R YOGA ON THE LAWN

Mondays, September 13 & 27 @ 6:30 pm and Wednesday, September 22 @ 4:00 pm

Join Debbie for some relaxing yoga out on the South Lawn. Please bring a mat or towel to practice on. In the event of inclement weather, this session takes place in the third floor Community Room.

R **V** THE GREAT LAKES: DO ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS WORK? *

Wednesday, September 15 @ 6:30 pm

Join Dr. Jim Diana, Professor Emeritus of Fisheries and Aquaculture at the University of Michigan, for an in-depth exploration of the ecology of the Great Lakes from ancient history through today. He focuses on the effect humanity has had on the health of the Great Lakes and what the future might hold for these treasured resources.

R BREW PUB BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 16 @ 7:00 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: **Shadow and Bone** by Leigh Bardugo. We meet on the third Thursday of the month at Block Brewing 1840 South Old US 23, Brighton.

R **V** MEDIGAP VS. MEDICARE ADVANTAGE

Friday, September 17 @ 1:00 pm
Join MMAP for the Medigap vs. Medicare Advantage program. The Medigap vs. Medicare Advantage program goes over the differences between the two Medicare plan options, how to enroll in them, and when to enroll in them. Please register with a valid email address to receive the pre-recorded video.

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

Monday, September 27 @ 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 ALE TOGETHER NOW

Wednesday, September 29 @ 6:30 pm

Join Michelle from River's Edge Brewing for fun, facts, and samples! Must be 21 or older. Meeting in the third floor Community Room.

BOOK CLUBS

D NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 9 @ 6:30 pm

This month: Sections 5-7 of **Eleanor** by David Michaelis. Community Room.

D MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, September 14 @ 6:30 pm

This month: **Old Bones** by Douglas J. Preston and Lincoln Child. Community Room.

D FICTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 23 @ 6:30 pm

This month: **The Guncle** by Steven Rowley. Youth Program Room.