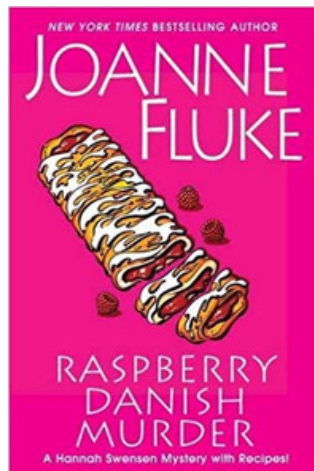


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Spring 2018 HLPL HAPPENINGS



NEW AND UPCOMING ITEMS!



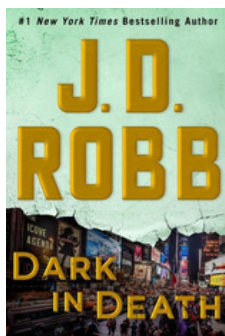
Raspberry Danish Murder by Joanne Fluke
Hannah has felt as bitter as November in Minnesota since Ross vanished without a trace and left their marriage in limbo. Still, she throws herself into a baking frenzy for the sake of pumpkin pie and Thanksgiving-themed treats. Hannah even introduces a raspberry Danish pastry to the menu, and P.K., her husband's assistant at KCOW-TV, will be one of the first to sample it. But instead of taking a bite, P.K., who is driving Ross's car and using his desk at work, is murdered. Was someone plotting against P.K. all along or did Ross dodge a deadly dose of sweet revenge?

Find it on the shelf: FIC Fluke

Despicable Me 3

Gru meets his long-lost charming, cheerful, and more successful twin brother Dru who wants to team up with him for one last criminal heist.

Find it on the shelf: J DVD DES



Dark in Death by J.D. Robb

There's always a reason for murder. But when a young actress is killed in a swift and violent attack at a cinema screening, that reason is hard to fathom - even for Lieutenant Eve Dallas and her team.

Find it on the shelf: FIC Robb

All library programs are free and open to the public.

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Library Hours: Monday-Thursday 10am-7pm, Friday & Saturday 10am-5pm

COMMUNITY SHRED DAY



SATURDAY, APRIL 14 FROM 10AM-1PM

Do you have mountains of paper or piles of receipts that are gathering dust in your home or office? Bring all your old documents out to a shredding event and have them shredded securely! Please remove documents from any bindings or binders.

CLEAN EATING

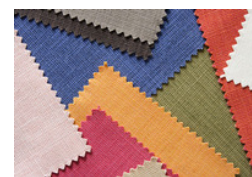
TUESDAY, JANUARY 16 @ 10AM

Living healthfully in a processed world and what that means. Learn all about how food interacts with and effects our bodies and how to make healthier eating decisions.



FABRIC COLLAGE PICTURES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 @ 10AM



Together we'll use scraps of fabric to create a beautiful piece for you to take home and display! Registration required.

EVERYTHING ESSENTIAL OILS

MAR 6 @ 10AM | INTRO TO ESSENTIAL OILS - Description of essential oils and instruction on the "hows" of using essential oils.

MAR 13 @ 10AM | MAKE AND TAKE - Discuss the use and types of "carrier oils". Participants can make their own rollerball.

MAR 20 @ 10AM | GREEN AND CLEAN - Using essential oils to replace harmful cleaning products and providing recipes for DIY essential oil cleaning products.

MAR 27 @ 10AM | ESSENTIAL OILS FOR EMOTIONAL SUPPORT - Using essential oils for emotional support.



Check inside for our full program schedule!

HLPL YOUTH HAPPENINGS

STORYTIME



Wednesdays at 10:30am
Learn through stories, movement, finger plays, rhymes, and play time. For toddlers - preschool.

FELT MONSTERS AND STUFFIES

Feb 22 at 3:30pm
Make your own stuffed animal or fluffy monster in this event for upper elementary and middle school students!

CARDBOARD CITY

Mar 20 at 3:30pm
Spark your creativity and imagination by building your own cardboard box house at this event for preschool and elementary age students.

ART DAY



Apr 5 at 3:30pm
Love making art and getting creative? Join the library for a day of art and painting! After you're done, you can take your artwork home, or enter it in our Youth Art Competition for a chance to win a prize!

YOUTH ART COMPETITION

Calling all young artists! Submit your 2d art creations between April 1st and 21st to our Art Competition for a chance to win a fabulous prize. For artists ages 1-18.

Once the art has been submitted, vote by April 28th to determine the winner!

SQUISHY CIRCUITS

May 10 at 3:30pm
Calling all science geeks to another fun STEAM program at the library! Ever wondered how electricity lights up a light bulb? Learn all about it while playing with squishy play dough!

TIP-UP TOWN ROCKS: FAMILY EVENT

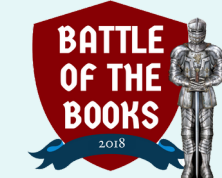
Jan 11 at 3:00PM
All ages are welcome to join us as we paint #TUT rocks to be placed out at the annual Houghton Lake event.

TEEN ADVENTURE COLORING



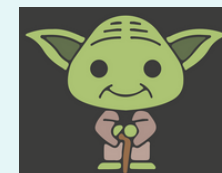
Every Tuesday at 3:30pm
Join us each week as we chill out, create and listen to music.

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS KICKOFF



Jan 13 at 10am
Meet coaches, form teams, get books, and create team logos at this book challenge event for grades 4-6. Please register in advance.

STAR WARS PARTY



Feb 1 at 3:30pm
Geek out with us at this special event made for teens by teens. Cosplay as your favorite character, play trivia, win prizes and watch your favorite moments from the movies!

HLPL ADULT HAPPENINGS

TIP-UP TOWN ROCKS

Jan 9 at 10am
Join us to paint #TUT rocks to be placed out at the annual Houghton Lake event.

PAGE TURNERS

Jan 2, Feb 6, Mar 6, Apr 3, May 1 at 1pm
Come talk about great books! Get each month's selection at the front desk.
January: *The Stranger in the Wood*
February: *True Story of the White City Devil*
March: *Killing Tree*
April: *Wench*
May: *Stolen Marriage*

NEW CATALOG AND EBOOKS

Jan 12 at 2pm
With a new system, comes new features! Learn how to navigate our new catalog, place holds, request items from other libraries, and use ebooks!

CRAFTERS

Jan 10, Feb 14, Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9 at 4:30pm
Love crafting? So do we! Let's get together to share, learn and have fun while making!

KARRI'S COLORING

Jan 11, Feb 15, Mar 8, Apr 12, May 10 at 1:30pm
Be creative and relax! Bring a project or enjoy one of our coloring pages. Colored pencils and pens are provided!

GENEALOGY TIME

Jan 4, Feb 1, Mar 1, Apr 5, May 17 at 1pm
Have questions on starting your genealogical research? Ask our staff genealogist your questions or get help using free library resources, including Ancestry!

GAME AFTERNOON

Jan 19, Feb 16, Mar 16, Apr 20, May 18 at 1:30pm
Bring friends and play board and card games with us!

TECH TIME

Jan 8 & 22, Feb 5 & 19, Mar 5 & 19, Apr 2, 16, & 30, May 14 from 11am-1pm
Have a question about your cell phone or mobile device? Need help downloading an ebook? Come ask our tech your questions!

CARD MAKING

May 8 at 10am
Make a set of note cards to give as a gift or to use for yourself. Registration required.

COMPUTER BASICS FORUM

Jan 26, Feb 23, Mar 23, Apr 27, May 25 at 2pm
Join us as we learn the basics of computing together. Bring in your questions and engage yourself in this open ended learning opportunity.

ROMANCE BOOK CLUB

Jan 4, Feb 1, Mar 1, Apr 5, May 3 at 10:30am
Read and discuss great romance books each month!
January: *Prayer Box*
February: *The Return of Black Douglas*
March: *Sixteen Brides*
April: *Someone to Love*
May: *An Unlikely Suitor*