## LEVEL UP YOUR REPOINS

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE FOR ALL AGES

READ OR LISTEN TO BOOKS
= WIN PRIZES!

STOP BY THE INFORMATION DESK!

## **Digital Resources**







**Libby** - a fresh and easy way to borrow and read ebooks and listen to audiobooks from **Overdrive** - Wisconsin's Digital Library. Choose from 1000s of digital books, audiobook, read-alongs & magazines! Limit: 10 items/10 holds per card.

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Topics include: Business, Career Training, Crafts & Hobbies, Health, History, Office Skills, Self-Help, Teacher Resources, Test Prep, Web Development, Writing Skills & More! Available through the libby app under "Extras" or at www.libbyapp.com





Get Started



**Transparent Languages** - provides a engaging experience for learners of all levels looking to build their speaking, reading, and writing skills in 110+ languages. Get Started at https://library.transparent.com/monarc hwi/game/enroll?code=germantowncl



## <u>Sherman's Birthday Party</u>

Saturday, May 13

10:00am - 1:00pm

Calling all knights and princesses! You are cordially invited to join us for crafts, games and so much more as we celebrate our Enchanted Library Dragon!

\*Sponsored by the Friends of the Germantown Community Library

#### **Lego Fridays:**

June 23: Germantown Chamber of Commerce (11:30)

June 30: Richfield Village Hall (11:30)

July 7: Jackson Hickory Park (9:30) and Jackson Park (11:30)

We are excited to kick off our season with everyone's favorite - LEGO! We will have activity sheets, a fun photo opportunity and lots of Legos to build.

#### **Tailgate Fridays:**



July 21: Richfield Village Hall (11:30)

July 28: Jackson Hickory Park (9:30) and Jackson Park (11:30)

What better way to get ready for game day than with a tailgate? Join us for snacks, classic tailgate activities and lots of outdoor toys to have a ball with.

#### **Going Big Fridays:**

August 4: Kinderberg Park (11:30)

August 11: Richfield Village Hall (11:30)

August 25: Jackson Hickory Park (9:30) and Jackson Park (11:30)

It's time for some extra large fun! You can expect life-sized games, a big scavenger hunt and an extra large sized art project.

#### **COMMUNITY EVENTS:**

Visit our Enchanted Library at these community events!

July 4 - Celebration & Parade

July 27- Taste of Germantown



August 1 - NAC Night



August 27 - Richfield Days Parade



# Adult Programs May - August 2023

GERMANTOWN
COMMUNITY LIBRARY



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## **Library Hours:**

Monday - Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday: 9am - 5pm Saturday: 9am - 4pm



Sign-UP for Our Online Newsletter!

Join us for a Robert's Fundraiser to Raise Money for our Patio Project Tues, July 11 @ 4-8pm

## PROGRAMS @ THE SENIOR CENTER

Join us for the following programs at the Germantown Senior Center for our "Germantown Community Library Presents" series. Registration is required through the Senior Center for those ages 55+.

#### 4th Wednesdays @ 1pm

Wed, June 28: Mind Games & Puzzles Wed, Aug 23: Too Hot to Cook Recipes

# ADULT BOOK GROUPS

Learn more: https://germantownlibrarywi.org/book-groups/

Evening Book Group (fiction & nonfiction)

1st Wednesdays @ 6pm: May 3, June 7, July 5, Aug 2

\*NEW\* What Are You Reading Book Group

1st Thursdays @ 9:30am: May 4, June 1, July 6, Aug 3

History Book Group (history nonfiction)

1st Friday @ 1pm: May 5, June 2, July 7, Aug 4

Morning Book Group (fiction & nonfiction)

2nd Thursday @ 9:30am: May 11, June 8, July 13, Aug 10

Nonfiction Book Group (nonfiction)

3rd Friday @ 1pm: May 19, June 16, July 21, Aug 18

Mystery Book Group (mystery/thriller) (online through Zoom) 4th Thursday @ 9:30am: May 25, June 22, July 27, Aug 24

# **NEW! HOME DELIVERY SERVICE**

Eligible home delivery participants are visited each month to drop off new library materials and pick up old ones. Interested in receiving delivery services? Please contact:

Cara Reimer (262) 305-6996

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## **Register for a Program!**

Please visit the Library website event calendar to register and view upcoming events. If you need assistance, **please stop by the Information Desk** or call the library at (262) 253-7760.

Scan the QR code to register and view all upcoming library events!



## Make It @ the Library

All supplies included to make a themed craft. Crafts vary in length, but you are welcome to drop in anytime during the time slot. Adults & ages 11+. *Registration required*.

## Mondays @ 1-3pm, 3-5pm & 5-7pm.

Mon, May 15: Memorial Day Wreathes

Mon, June 26: Bee Flower Pots

Mon, July 24: Pressed Flower Lanterns

Mon, Aug 28: Diamond Dotz Cards

Mon, Sept 25: Braided Yarn Pumpkins

## **Puzzle Day**

We'll have a variety of puzzles for you to work on ranging in number and size of pieces. Coffee, tea, cocoa & treats provided. This event is for adults only.

## 2nd Mondays @ 9am - 3pm

Mon, May 8, June 12, July 10 & Aug 14

## Stitch With Me

Join us for an adventure in hand embroidery! Meet up with friends or make new friends while creating beautiful works of art. In this summer series, we will hand embroider a variety of different projects. Prior experience is helpful. Please bring an emboridery kit if you have one (scissors, needles & needle threader). Sponsored by Dr. Jenny Chen's Acupuncture Clinic. Registration required for each event.

## Tuesdays @ 5:30-7pm

Tues, June 6: Pin Cushion

Tues, June 20: Tote Bag

Tues, July 18: Apron

Tues, Aug 1: Pencil Case

## **Board Game Cafe**

Have fun playing a board game from the library's collection, or bring your own. This is your chance to explore a new game or relive the fun of playing an old one! *This event is for adults only.* 

## 3rd Tuesdays @ 1-4pm

Tues, June 20, July 18 & Aug 15

## Spice It Up!

Learn about growing and using herbs and spices. Try samples, and go home with something to use in your own creations! Registration required for each event.

## Thursdays @ 1pm

Thurs, May 18: Grill It, Broil It, Season It, Enjoy It!
Thurs, July 27: Farmer's Market--So. Many. Veggies.
Thurs, Sept 21: Holiday Baking--It's Never too Soon to Plan.

## **Special Programs**

\*Programs Requiring Registration

### \*Poetry Workshop (Tues, May 9 @ 6pm)

Join us for an interactive writing workshop with Milwaukee poet, Richard Hedderman. *Registration required*.

# Habitat Helpers: Gardening for Hummingbirds & Butterflies (Thurs, May 11 @ 1pm)

Join the Wehr Nature Center to learn how to make your outdoor space come alive. *Sponsored by the Friends.* 

## Local Author: Marissa Dondlinger (Wed, May 17 @ 6pm)

Author Marisa Rae Dondlinger discusses her journey to becoming an author of three adult fiction novels.

#### \*Sit N Craft (Sat, May 20 @ 9:30am-3:30pm)

This is a self-guided crafting day. Bring your own supplies and projects to work on. *Registration required*.

#### \*Mind Games (Wed, May 24 @ 1pm)

Test your skills with puzzles. Registration required.

#### Chinese Characters (Tues, May 30 @ 1pm)

Have fun while learning about the fascinating characters used in Chinese writing with Dr. Jenny Chen.

#### \*Craft: Magazine Bowls (Tues, June 13 @ 4-7pm)

Create a bowl with magazine pages. Registration required.

## Local Author: Carla Luna (Wed, June 14 @ 6pm)

Author Carla Luna, creator of the romantic comedy series "Romancing the Ruins".

## Board Game Bazaar (Sat, June 17 @ 10am-1pm)

Come to the library for a special session with the experts from Board Game Barrister! Over 25 games will be available for you to try and play. *Sponsored by the Friends*.

## Skin Physiology (Tues, June 27 @ 6pm)

Join with Dr. Jenny Chen to learn about how to maintain your skin's health throughout your life.

## Wash. Co. Genealogical Resources (Tues, July 11 @ 1pm)

Join Ruth Maschmeier to learn about various tools available to researchers. *Registration required*.

## Craft: Flower Power Pillow (Tues, July 25 @ 1-4pm)

Create a hand-stitched small throw pillow using a variety of material. *Registration required*.

## \*Soapmaking (Tues, Aug 8 @ 1pm)

Learn how to make soap with Jennifer Widowski of Whatever Comes Naturally. All supplies will be provided. *Sponsored by the Friends. Registration required.*