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309-467-2922 **EUREKAPL.ORG** LIBRARY HOURS: M, TU, & TH | 9 AM - 8 PM W & F | 9 AM - 6 PM SA | 9 AM - 12 PM

April 2024 Program Calendar Highlights

For more details and our full calendar, visit eurekapl.org!

ILLINOIS LIBRARIES PRESENT PROGRAMS:

The Hidden Gifts of Visual Thinkers with Dr. Temple Grandin Wednesday, April 3 | 7:00 PM

[Zoom]

Join us on Zoom for a special event with Dr. Grandin, one of the world's most accomplished and well-known adults with autism. Audience: Adults & Teens.

https://bit.ly/ILP_TempleGrandin

ONLINE REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES:

Solar Eclipse Citizen Science

Friday, April 5 | 3:30 PM

[Program Room]

Learn about the opportunities for citizen science during the upcoming solar eclipse! Participants will get an exclusive look at EPLD's participation in the Eclipse Soundscapes Project.

Solar Eclipse Celebration

Monday, April 8 | 12:30 - 3:00 PM

[Program Room]

Watch the solar eclipse and participate in citizen science at the library!

Master Gardener Plant Clinic

Monday, April 15 | 4:30 - 6:00 PM

[Outdoor Pavilion]

Bring your gardening questions, landscape problems, and unidentified plant and insect samples to the library and get free information and advice.

PROGRAMS FOR KIDS:

Storytime at the Library

Tuesdays | 10:00 - 10:30 AM

[Children's Library]

A fun time to learn and listen! New stories every Tuesday with playtime afterward. All ages welcome!

Toddler Time

1st & 3rd Wednesdays | 10:00 - 10:30 AM

[Children's Library]

Designed for kids ages 2 & under, this time is to focus on early literacy skills. We talk, read, listen, dance, and practice sharing.

Fun Friday Storytime

Friday, April 5 | 10:00 AM

[@ AC Home of Eurekal

Join Miss Angela for a special dress-up storytime at the AC Home of Eureka! Kids of all ages welcome!

Second Saturday LEGO Pop-Up

Saturday, April 13 | 9:30 - 11:30 AM

[Children's Library]

The LEGO tables will be set up for building and creating!

Toddler Play Time

2nd & 4th Wednesdays | 10:00 - 11:00 AM

[Children's Library]

Designed for kids ages 2 & under, we have guided play time with unit blocks and activity stations. We practice clean-up skills as a group at 10:50 AM.

Davenport PTO Carnival

Saturday, April 27 | 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

[@ Davenport Elementary]

Stop by and see Miss Angela at the carnival!

PROGRAMS FOR TEENS:

T(w)een Volunteers

Monday, April 15 | 3:30 - 5:00 PM

[Children's Library]

Help Miss Angela make crafts, work on projects, and more. Grades 5 - 12.

Teen Book & Manga Club

Monday, April 22 | 3:30 - 4:30 PM

[Children's Library]

Join us on the 4th Monday of each month to taste test different frozen pizza, try snacks from different countries, and talk about books (including manga!)! Grades 9 - 12.

MS Art: Watercolor Contour Painting

Monday, April 22 | 3:30 - 5:30 PM

[Children's Library]

Class taught by local artist Jen Johnson. Space is limited. Grades 5 - 8. REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

This program is partially supported by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council Agency, the National Endowment for the Arts, the Sun Foundation and local businesses and

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS & TEENS:

Team Puzzle Challenge

Thursday, April 11 | 5:30 - 7:30 PM

[Program Room]

Teams will have two hours to assemble a 500-piece puzzle. First to finish wins a prize! Ages 12+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS:

Master Gardeners Present: Clematis and Other Flowering Vines

Monday, April 8 | 6:00 PM

[Program Room]

Clematis are known as the "queen of the vines". We will learn about the different types and how to take care of them, plus other perennial flowering vines. REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

Social Security & Medicare 101

Tuesday, April 9 | 6:00 PM

[Program Room]

Learn the basics of Medicare Parts A-D. Medicare Supplements will be covered as well, including recent updates. This program is open to the public and is for educational purposes only. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED!**

Share Your Story

Thursday, April 11 | 9:00 AM

[Program Room]

This program is a fun and casual way to tell stories about our lives. We come together, reminisce, share a story, and listen. April topic: favorite subject in school and school memories.

Additional Dates:

- Thursday, April 4 | 10:00 AM [@ AC Home of Eureka]
- Thursday, April 18 11:00 AM [@ Maple Lawn]

<u>Program in a Bag</u>

Thursday, April 25

This month's project: DIY Bookmarks! Ages 18+. *First-come. first-served. While supplies last.*

True Crime with Dr. Amanda Vicary

Tuesday, April 30 | 6:00 PM

[Program Room]

Dr. Amanda Vicary from Illinois Wesleyan University will be at EPLD to discuss her research on true crime and why people are so fascinated by the subject. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED!**