

UPCOMING PROGRAMS @ RML JANUARY 2024

ADULT PROGRAMS & EVENTS



Library Closures

The Library will be closed Monday, January 1 for New Year's Day and Monday, January 15 for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS



Monday, January 8 at 6:30 pm Wednesday, January 10 at 9:30 am

Read the book *The Department of Rare Books and Special Collections* by Eva Jurczyk and be ready to discuss. Genre: Contemporary/Literary Fiction 336 pgs. Copies will be available at the front desk one month prior to the discussion. The only requirement to attend is to read the book!

A Blizzard of Reading A Winter Reading Program for Teens & Adults



January 8 - March 1, 2024

Read books for a chance to win prizes! Registration opens January 8 Play for a chance to win prizes! Adult Prize 1: Book Valet Adult Prize 2: \$25 to Author's Note Bookstore Teen Prize: Rolling Book Cart More info at the library or our website.



Tech Tutoring - New Time! Tuesday, January 9, 23, 30 7 pm- 8 pm No registration required!

Join librarian Liz in the Gallery Room for help understanding your personal electronic devices. All device makes and models are welcome, just make sure to bring it with you! No registration necessary, just pop-in.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MONTHLY BOOK SALE

Thursday, January 4 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. In the Wilber-Fox Room! - always the first Thursday of the month -

Tuesday, January 16 at 7 pm **D&D Interest Session**

Always wanted to try Dungeons and Dragons but haven't found the right group? Want to learn a little about character creation?



Join us to learn more about the potential for Dungeons and Dragons at Richmond Memorial Library, and create your own character! No registration required.

This is an adult program, but keep an eye out for teen D&D!



MYSTERY READERS' MONDAY DISCUSSION

Monday, January 22 at 6:30 pm Read the book *The Golden Spoon* by Jessa Maxwell

and be ready to discuss. Copies will be available at the front desk one month prior to the discussion.

Genre: Cozy/ Culinary. 288 pgs. Also available on Libby as an audiobook or eBook.

Reel Discussions New Day and Time!

Saturday, January 20 at 11 am

Join us to watch *Knives Out* (2019). Rated PG-13





Monday, January 29 at 6 pm Fairy Bookbinding Class

Join Marcia from Mbohn Bookbinding for a fairy bookbinding craft! Cost: \$5 per person due at registration. Register at the circulation desk. Fee must be paid at time of registration. This program is for adults or teens 16+.

MORE PROGRAMS ON NEXT PAGE!

Keep up-to-the-minute with library happenings at <u>www.batavialibrary.org</u>. Richmond Memorial Library | 19 Ross St, Batavia | 585-343-9550



Wednesday, January 31 at 7 pm on Zoom VIRTUAL PROGRAM -Steeped in Secrecy: The Boston Tea Party, 250 Years Later

Join us from home on Zoom to learn about the brewing political problems tea presented in its history with Claire Evans. Next, author, genealogist, librarian, and former UK resident Debra Dudek examines the history of the Boston Tea Party's most famous partiers (and phonies), as well as how to trace bona fide participants through lineage societies and historical groups.

Registration will required at batavialibrary.org



NOTICE: LIBRARY MOBILE APP No longer available

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the NIOGA mobile library app is no longer usable. Please delete it from your mobile device. NIOGA anticipates a new app will be available in a few months. You can still use your account via our website or nioga.org to view checkouts, place holds, etc. We apologize for any inconvenience!



RML DIGITAL LIBRARY Access eBooks, Audiobooks, Music & Video Visit us at https://www.batavialibrary.org/ digital





Genny Sees the Eclipse Book Release Party

Tuesday, January 16 at 6 pm

Join your community as we listen to a reading of the newly released kids picture book featuring Genny the Cow and her barnyards friends as they witness a total solar eclipse. Copies of the book will be available for purchase. Free to attend, please register!

DID YOU KNOW?



The library has TWO Empire Passes available to check out!

Check out a NYS Empire Pass and gain admittance into NYS Parks and DEC facilities

across the state for free! RML has two Empire Passes in circulation. Borrowers must be at least 18 years old and have a valid NIOGA Library card. Visit places like Letchworth, Darien Lake State Park, Hamlin Beach and so many more! Learn more at the front desk!



ACCEPTING DONATIONS

The library is accepting donations for **comfort boxes** in our restrooms. These will be stocked with basic hygiene items for anyone in need! All items should be individually wrapped

Requested Items:

Tissues Toothbrushes Toothpaste (travel sized) Deodorant (travel sized) Other small travel sized toiletry items- bar soap, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, etc.



Or scan the QR code to shop via our Amazon wish list!

Check out the free seed library!

Located in the Non-Fiction Section Come browse the many (free) seed offerings at the Batavia Seed Library! Vegetables, herbs, fruit, flowers and more! Seed donations also accepted. The seed library is maintained by the Master Gardeners at the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Genesee County.



NEW ADULT MATERIALS FOR JANUARY FOR MORE, VISIT BATAVIALIBRARY.ORG/READ!





LISTEN UP! THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE WITH OUR NEW MUSIC ADDITIONS ON CD



Luke Combs



Carole King



The Rolling Stones



Post Malone



The Monkees



AJR



The Bee Gees



Billie Eilish









ITEMS THROUGH THE LIBRARY!

SAVE \$464.83 BY BORROWING THESE

find more at batavialibrary.org/read

YOUTH PROGRAMS

CHILDREN

SIT & STITCH

Wednesdays @ 3:00 p.m. for crafters ages 8 and up All crafters are welcome to bring their crafts to work on, show and tell, or get pointers and help. Limited needlecraft instruction dependent on number of crafters who need guidance.



WEEKLY STORYTIMES

Toddlers- Mondays Jan. 8, 22, 29 at 10 am Babies- Tuesdays Jan. 9,16, 23, 30 at 10 am

Play Café

Wednesday, January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 at 10 am

Are you a relative, nanny, or friend in charge of a baby, toddler, or preschooler? Then, join us for Play Café to relax, laugh, and support each other! Young children will have play centers, sensory activities, stories and visits from community friends! Coffee served!

Eclipse Citizen Science Saturdays

Saturday, January 6

Join us as we prepare for the total eclipse on April 8, 2024! 11 am - 12 pm - Adult Program 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm - Family Program Please register at batavialibrary.org!

Zumbini

Fri. Jan. 5 and 19 at 10:30 am Wed. Jan. 3 and 17 at 6 pm Join us for singing and dancing with musical rhythm with Miss Cassie! Ages 0-4. Please register.



HOMESCHOOL ART CLUB

January 11, 18, 25 at 9:30 am Some projects will be multiple weeks! Registration is Required- If you have registered but can no longer attend, please let us know.

PAINTING WITH MISS MORGAN

Wednesday, January 10 at 6 pm Please register!

ART CLUB WITH THE ART OF MANDY

Wednesday, January 24 at 7 pm Paint a polar bear canvas! Please register.



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TWEENS & TEENS

Register for teen and tween programs at batavialibrary.org/calendar. Tweens ages 10-12, Teens ages 13-17

Teen Winter Reading Begins January 8!

Play for a chance to win your very own book cart! Sign up at the reference desk, in teen corner or online.

Teen Board Game Club Tuesdays at 3 pm Join us every Tuesday in Teen Corner for Board Game Club

> Teen & Tween DIY Stress ball* Thursday, January 4 at 3 pm Please register.

Teen & Tween Projects with Resin* Monday, January 8 at 3 pm

Each class will include something different- check our website for details! Registration required. Teen & Tween Agenda & Water Bottle Decorating Thursday, January 11 at 3 pm No registration required, just join in!

Tween Talk & Fun* Monday, January 22 at 3 pm Join us to talk tween things! Please register.

Teen & Tween Art Club* Thursday, January 25 at 3 pm Join us to make a winter canvas with The Art of Mandy. Please register!

After School BINGO

Monday, January 29 at 3 pm Come play BINGO with us! No registration required.

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