Library Hours:

Mon, Wed & Thurs 10:00am-9:00pm

Tues & Fri 10:00am—6:00pm

Sat 9:00am—5:00pm

Sun 12:00 pm—5:00pm



ADULT CALENDAR APRIL 2024

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| Programs in BLUE indicate registration is required. | 1 10:30AM MAHJONG CLUB 2PM MOVIE: WONKA | 2 | 3 6PM MULTI MEDIA MEETUP ZOOM PROGRAM | 4 7PM GENEALOGY CLUB | AARP 10-2:30PM APPOINTMENT NEEDED | 6 |
| 7 NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK BEGINS READ-IN | 8 10:30AM MAHJONG CLUB 2PM MOVIE: ANYONE BUT YOU. 7PM SUPER MARIO BROS (FAMILY FUN) WATCH-IN | 9 (NEW MONTHLY PROGRAM) 7 PM MEDITATION ZOOM | 10 6PM MULTI MEDIA MEETUP ZOOM PROGRAM 7PM LIBRARY BOARD MEETING AARP 10-2:30PM APPOINTMENT NEEDED TECH-IN | 11 2PM CHAIR YOGA ZOOM PROGRAM 7PM FAIRY GARDEN CRAFT PROGRAM FOR ADULTS LISTEN-IN | AARP 10-2:30PM APPOINTMENT NEEDED CRAFT-IN | NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK (LAST DAY) |
| 14 BOARD GAME CLUB 12-4 PM | 15 2PM MOVIE: PERSIAN VERSION | 16 7PM ADULT BINGO ZOOM PROGRAM | 17 6PM MULTI MEDIA MEETUP ZOOM PROGRAM | 7:30PM BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP 7PM COLLEGE PLANNING ZOOM | 19 10:30AM MAHJONG CLUB 7PM AFTER HOURS MUSIC: RONNIE AND THE ENGINEERS | 20 10:30 AM CROCHET/KNIT FOR A CAUSE |
| 21 | 22 2PM MOVIE: ERIN BROCKOVICH | 23 | 24 6PM MULTI MEDIA MEETUP ZOOM PROGRAM | 25 2PM CHAIR YOGA ZOOM PROGRAM 7PM COOKING WITH NICK THAI JOURNEY | 26 10:30AM MAHJONG CLUB | CRAFT SWAP WEEKEND 11- 4PM (SEE DETAILS ON BACK) 10-11 AM FOR TICKET HOLDERS ONLY |
| 28 CRAFT SWAP WEEKEND 12 - 4PM (SEE DETAILS ON BACK) | 29 2PM MOVIE: MARCEL THE SHELL WITH SHOES ON | 30 | | | | |

After Hours Music:

Introducing Ronnie & the Engineers:

An Iconic Rock Band Playing the Best of the 60s to the 80s!

Friday, April 19th @7PM

Enjoy a blast from the past with this classic rock band that plays all your favorite tunes from the 60s to the 80s. From Beatles to Jackson Brown, Men at Work to Steely Dan, and many more, we've got you covered!

Registration Required. Must be over 18 to attend.

Cooking Thai, with Nick Mietkowski:

Thursday, April 25th @7PM

The next stop for Matawan Library's culinary journey around the world is Thailand! Fresh spring rolls with sweet chili and spicy **peanut** sauce, panang curry with white rice, and thai iced tea to wash it all down.

Allergy Alert: Peanuts

Registration Required. Must be over 18 to attend.

Fairy Garden : A program for Adults

Thursday April 11th @ 7PM

Why should kids have all the fun. Come join us at the library to build your very own Fairy Garden!

Registration Required. Must be over 18 to attend.

Meditation with Alicia

Tuesday April 9th @ 7PM on Zoom

Join Alicia Somma-Hodgskin once monthly for 45 minutes of beginner friendly, relaxing meditation. Each class will be held online so you may join from the comfort of your own home. No previous meditation experience is required!

Whether you're a first timer and venturing into this as a brandnew practice or a seasoned meditator who is looking for community, we'd love to have you.

MAPL 3rd ANNUAL CRAFT SWAP

SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH, 10-4PM & SUNDAY, APRIL 28TH, 12-4PM

Spring is the perfect time to de-stash your craft supplies!

- Do you have craft supplies that you know you are never going to use again?
- Do you want to try a new hobby but don't want to spend money on more supplies?

If either of these apply to you, **come by the Matawan-Aberdeen Public Library between April 15th and April 25th to drop off your unwanted craft supplies**. Anyone who drops off supplies will receive an early bird ticket. The early bird ticket will get you into the swap an hour before everyone else. **10-11 AM on Saturday is reserved for those who dropped off supplies**.

After that, anyone can help themselves to supplies, even if they did not drop anything off.

*What can you donate?

- Yarn, knitting, and crochet supplies, paint and brushes, fabric and sewing supplies/sewing notions, craft papers, stickers markers, and pens, ink, stamps and stamp pads, scrap booking supplies, jewelry supplies, beads
- If you can create with it and it's in good, usable condition, it will be welcome at our Swap. Please let us know if the items are from a household with pets, and/or a smoker.

*Any leftover supplies will be used by the library for programs or donated to the local Goodwill.

Please do not bring damaged/dirty/non-crafting items.

College Planning Thursday, April 18th @7PM

Attention all parents! Are you concerned about how you will afford your child's college education in the future? Learn more about 529 plans, FAFSA, Financial Aid, Merit Aid, and strategies to help you save for your child's future education and position your child for discounts on college tuition.

Start planning now by attending the college funding workshop presented by Jodi Bloom, a Certified College Funding Specialist, Founder of Cornerstone College Solutions.

Registration Required

Come-in to your library for National Library Week! April 7th - 13th

Sunday: Read-in - We will have books picked out and staff recommendations.

Monday: Watch-in - Come watch our Monday, Movie at 2PM and 7PM (Family Fun movie)

Tuesday: Play-in - We will have puzzles and Scrabble available behind the DVDs

Wednesday: Tech-in - Troubleshoot issues with your tech devices or learn about our many electronic resources.

Thursday: Listen-in - Come color while you listen to an audiobook or music streamed live.

Friday: Craft-in - Pick up a Craft on the go for Adults. (18 years old and up)

Saturday: Social-in - Get all of your social media questions answered & participate in fun activities on our Facebook and Instagram pages.