

Book Worm

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May Calendar

Hours:

Monday	12p-7p
Tuesday	10a-5p
Wednesday	10a-5p
Thursday	Closed
Friday	10a-5p
Saturday	9a-1p
Sunday	Closed

May 1 - Adult Pampering party 1pm

May 2 - Watson Twp meeting 7pm

May 6 - Writer's Group 6pm

May 7 - Toddler Time 10:30am

May 7 - Election Day!

May 8 - Early Release for Martin students 1pm

May 8 - Martin Twp board meeting 6:30pm

May 10 - Lego Club 3pm (registration required)

May 11 - Story Time with Miss Tamie 10:30am

May 12 - Happy Mother's Day!

May 13 - Martin Village board meeting 7pm

May 14 - Toddler Time 10:30am

May 14 - Orangeville Twp meeting 7pm

May 20 - Friends of the Library meeting 6pm

May 20 - Book Club 1pm

May 20 - Teen Council 3pm

May 20 - Martin School Board meeting 6pm

May 21 - Toddler Time 10:30am

May 24 - Last day of school for Martin Seniors!

May 27 - Memorial Day! Library Closed

May 27 - Memorial Day Parade 10am

May 28 - Library Board meeting 5pm

May 28 - Toddler Time 10:30am

May 30 - Martin Graduation 7:30pm

June 3 - Early Registration for the Summer Reading Program begins!



Craft Fair!

Coming up in June, the Friend's of the Library and Abbie will be putting together a Craft Fair at the Martin United Methodist Church!

Stop in on June 29th from 9:30am - 3pm to check out all of our local vendors! If you are interested in being a vendor, please contact Abbie

at the JC Wheeler Library for more information.



Minutes for the Library Board of Trustees

Minutes for Library Board of Trustees Regular meeting - March 26, 2019

Call to Order

4:59 pm

Roll Call

Alice, Alicia, Julie, Jill, Chloe, Raylene, and Dan (minutes).

Approval of Agenda

Jill 1st, Julie 2nd. All in favor.

Public Comment

No Public present.

Approval of minutes

Jill 1st, Julie 2nd. All in favor.

Review Bills and Budget

Passed during meeting, no questions/discussions raised.

Directors Report

Reports and statistics in packet.

MLA updates in packet.

Toddler time going well, numbers have been a little lower than normal in the last couple of weeks.

Abbie planned a scavenger hunt for the month of March. It has gone over very well.

Lego club still going well. April 12th after school for the next meeting.

Teen council met and had lots of fun with Abbie's scavenger hunt.

Book Club discussed 'Secrets of the Lighthouse' and next month author Susie Finkbeiner will be joining us to discuss 'A Song of Home'.

Coffee N Canvas was fun. We had 9 painters.

Started working on the labeling portion of our BISAC project. Signage has been ordered.

180 year birthday for Martin committee will be meeting next Tuesday at 8:30am.

Summer Reading Program - Spring break fun day is April 6. We have received



\$700 in donations so far. Walmart and Target have both donated 2 - \$50 gift cards each. The Friends are paying for 2 programs. Friends wish list - \$1834 Kindergarteners making their annual trip to the library on April 12th!

Old Business.

Finance Committee.

Proposal included in packet. Supplies are up a little, looking to increase one hour a week for Assistant position, and increase in staff development funding.

Directors Evaluation Report.

Report emailed during meeting.

Twp Subsidy agreement. Orangeville agreement signed during meeting. No information from Watson yet at this point.

New Business.

None

Updates on local meetings

Martin Twp meeting.

Alice attended. Special meeting with the architect on twp building plans. Allegan library having a grand opening in May.

Orangeville Twp meeting.

Raylene attended. Orangeville Twp subsidy discussed.

Friends Meeting.

Jill missed friends meeting, her daughters 16th B-day! A craft show fundraiser is being planned for this summer.

Public Comment

No Public present.

Board Member Comment

No board member comment.

Next meeting: April 23, 2019 5PM.

Adjournment

Jill 1st, Julie 2nd. All in favor. 5:25 pm



Founders' Day!

This summer the library is collaborating with the Martin Resource Center to bring you a day of celebrating Martin Township's 180th Birthday... Founders' Day!

On July 13th we will have a day filled with

activities for all ages. We'll be starting out in the library at 10:30am with our Summer Reading Program starring Mime Rob! Then a brief introduction and lunch will be served. Afterwards, we have two bands lined up and games & crafts

for all the kids. A Martin history presentation will be given by historian, Scott Kuykendall. More information on Founders' Day will be available soon!

Save the date and plan to be here to help celebrate!



Toddler Time

Our Toddlers have made a lot of great friends this year and we've enjoyed watching them grow and change. This April they had loads of fun at our annual Toddler Easter Egg Hunt.

Toddler Time continues through May 21st and then we have a short break before our Summer

Toddler Time, which starts on June 18th. Join in on all the fun on Tuesday mornings at 10:30am!

Also, please check out our 1000 books before kindergarten program. This is a beneficial program offered here at the library for all youngsters not yet in school.



For more information please stop in or call the library at 269-672-7875.



Teen Council

This month, the teens were able to make string art! They each had to pick out a stencil of what they wanted, and then outlined the stencil with nails. They had

to hammer the nails into their boards until they had their picture formed, and then they got to wrap the string around it to make it pretty!

The next Teen Council

meeting is on May 20th, where we will be having a plane folding and flying contest!



Don't miss
Founders'
Day on
July 13th!

Adult Programming

Our April adult program had us making String Art with Abbie. Everyone had a lot of fun with their string creations. We are holding a Pampering Party on

May 1st at 1pm for our next adult program. Join us to make a homemade foot scrub and a homemade face scrub which is designed to prevent and fight wrinkles!

There are limited spaces available and pre-registration is required. If you're interested in this event, please contact the library to register.

The Friends of the Library are asking for Baked Good donations for the Memorial Day Bake Sale. If you're interested in helping, please contact the library!

Friends' Footnotes

The Friends of the Library met in April to discuss their upcoming bake sale which will take place during Martin's Memorial Day parade beginning around 9am. Also discussed was their upcoming Craft Show, which will take place Martin Methodist Church on

June 29th from 9:30am to 3pm. The Friends will be sponsoring two of the programs this summer: the Kalamazoo Air Zoo on June 22nd and Mime Rob on July 13th. If you would like to be a part of this crucial group or have

questions, please contact the library! Membership dues for the Friends are only \$5 per year! A great investment for your community.

Book Club - Author Susie Finkbeiner

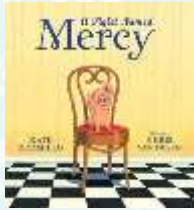
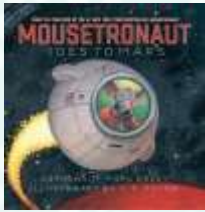
In April, Susie Finkbeiner, author of "A Song of Home" came to our Book Club to discuss her book. We had a wonderful discussion and can't wait for her new release, "All Manner

of Things", in June. On May 20th we'll be discussing "The Accidental Book Club" by Jennifer Scott. If you're interested in joining Book Club, please call or stop in to the library and we

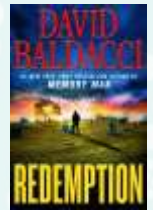
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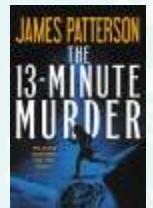


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May Books of the Month !



Young Adults



Adults

Summer Reading Program!

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| <p>June 3 - Early registration begins</p> <p>June 15 - SRP kick-off 10am-1pm</p> <p>June 17 - Galaxy T-shirts 3pm</p> <p>June 18 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>June 19 - Adult Pinterest day 1pm</p> <p>June 22 - Air Zoo 10:30am</p> <p>June 24 - Book Club 1pm</p> <p>June 24th - Space Trivia 3pm</p> <p>June 25 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>June 28 - Movie on Main St 7pm 'Back to the Future'</p> <p>June 29 - K-6 Starry Night Art 10:30am</p> <p>July 1 - Galaxy Jars 3pm</p> <p>July 1 - Family Fort Night 5pm-8pm</p> | <p>July 2 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>July 6 - K-6 Movie on Main St 10:30am 'Lego2'</p> <p>July 8 - Constellations on Canvas 3pm with a movie afterwards</p> <p>July 9 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>July 13 - Founders' Day Celebration 10:30am to 4pm</p> <p>July 15 - Building Space Rovers 3pm</p> <p>July 16 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>July 17 - Adult Galaxy pour painting part 1 at 1pm</p> <p>July 19 - Movie on Main St 7pm 'First Man'</p> <p>July 20 - K-6 Space Rocks 10:30am</p> <p>July 22 - Book Club 1pm</p> <p>July 22 - Teen Pour Painting 3pm</p> | <p>July 23 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>July 24 - Adult Galaxy Pour painting part 2 at 1pm</p> <p>July 27 - Magician Gordon Russ 10:30am</p> <p>July 29 - Mobile Nerf w/ Joel Tacey 3pm</p> <p>July 30 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>August 2 - Coffee N Canvas 6pm</p> <p>August 3 - K-6 & Adult Awards 10:30am</p> <p>August 5 - Awards 3pm</p> <p>August 5 - Family Game Night 6pm-8pm</p> <p>August 6 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> <p>August 9 - Movie on Main St 9pm 'E.T.'</p> <p>August 13 - Toddler Time 10:30am</p> |
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