

April 2022 Featured Events

Journeying through the American Indian Way of Life with Kim Sigafus McIver - Age 18+

Thursday, April 21 at 6 pm

Kim talks about the tribes that once inhabited Illinois, and includes a history of the Trail of Tears as it pertains to our state.

Adult Craft To Go - Spring-Themed Notecards - Age 18+

Available Thursday, April 14

Pick up a free notecard kit at the library's Main Desk. Kits are first-come, first-served.

Adult Book Club — Age 18+

Saturday, April 23 at 10 am in the McCoskey Room.

Join us for a group discussion of a book! Ask a staff member for details!

***PNG@MCL Photography - Age 10 - 18**

Saturdays at 1 pm and 3 pm.

Learn some photography and editing fundamentals, and enter some shots into our PNG at MCL Pop-Up Gallery at the end of the month.

***PNG - STEAM Club - Build Your Own Robotic Hedgehog - Age 10 - 18**

Wednesday, April 13 at 4 pm.

Build and program a sound-activated robotic hedgehog.

***PNG Open Technology Lab - Age 10 - 18**

Monday - Thursday from 4 pm to 8 pm in the Technology Lab.

Teen Craft Night - Age 12 - 19

Wednesdays - April 6, 20, and 27 at 4 pm in the YA Department.

Teen Game Day - Age 12 - 19

Saturdays from 10 am to 4 pm in the YA Department.

Tween Movie - Age 8 - 12

Saturdays at 1 pm in the Tween area of the Children's Department.

Lego Club - Age 0 - 12

Monday, April 4 and Monday, April 18 from 5:30 pm to 7 pm in the McCoskey Room.

Tween Grab and Go Craft - Paint-Chip Wreaths - Age 8 - 12

Available Friday, April 1 in the Children's Department.

Pick up a fun craft to take home!

Story Hour - For all younger children

Wednesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am.

Hear great stories with Miss Twila and Miss Shelley!

MCL Playroom Playdate - For all younger children

Fridays from 10 am to 12 noon.

Meet new friends in our newly re-modeled Mariella Aikman Playroom in the library's Children's Department!



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Support the Arts

LITTLE EGYPT ARTS ASSOCIATION

For several years, Marion Carnegie Library and Little Egypt Arts Association (LEAA) have worked hand-in-hand. You can find works by members of LEAA in the library's McCoskey Room and throughout the library. The displayed works of art change every few months, so be sure to keep an eye out for updates!

Starting Monday, April 18 at 6 pm, LEAA's Kris Killman will offer a 10-week Beginner Photography Class at the Little Egypt Arts Association at 601 Tower Square - just around the corner from the library. The cost is \$100 per student. For more information, email kriskillman@gmail.com or call 618-889-0301.

Little Egypt Arts Association is kind enough to assist Marion Carnegie Library with its Summer Reading programming, as well. Members of LEAA will be helping out with some Young Adult programming, and we'll learn about Marion's mural district - which couldn't exist without LEAA's work - during an MCL Adult Department event. Stay tuned for details!

NOTICE: All participants and parents understand and agree that photos taken at events may be used in social media postings and future promotions.

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For a full description of events, visit Marion Carnegie Library's Facebook page.



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Digital Construction

The library's website - www.marioncarnegielibrary.org - is currently undergoing a facelift. It's a great place to find upcoming events, manage your library account, find resources like book reviews, and more!



Be a Historian

Your Marion Carnegie Library card gets you unlimited access to MyHeritage - a huge, powerful database of historical data like census, immigration, military, and tombstone records.



Ask a staff member how to get started today!

PROJECT NEXT GENERATION SPOTLIGHT

PNG at MCL Saturday Sessions - Saturdays in April at 1 pm and 3 pm for ages 10 through 18 - will give participants a great opportunity to learn about some basics of photography. Bring your own camera, or use ours! We'll talk about concepts of photography and photo editing. Then, at the end of the month, we'll feature some of our best work during our PNG at MCL Pop-Up Gallery at Marion Carnegie Library.

PNG at MCL STEAM Club will be a fun one this month, as participants can build and program a sound-activated robotic hedgehog.

And don't forget about Open Lab Hours, Monday - Thursday from 4 pm to 8 pm in the Technology Lab. Use the 3D Printers, laser engraver, and more. Check it out!

The Collection Corner

Check out these titles from Marion Carnegie Library's collection:

An Elderly Lady is Up to No Good by Helene Tursten - MCL's staff *loves* this fun mystery about a clever 88-year-old Swedish woman who sometimes takes ...extreme measures to sort out her problems. Ask for it on the MCL Main Floor.

Young Avengers - The Complete Collection - And there came a day, a day unlike any other, when Earth's mightiest teens found themselves united against a very uncommon threat. On that day, the Young Avengers were reborn -- to listen to music, break Tumblr in half and kiss. Like, a lot. Oh, and to fight the foes no adult superhero could understand! Heed the call then -- for now, the Young Avengers hang out! Ask for it in MCL's Young Adult Department.

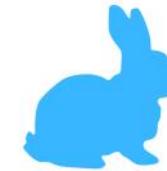
Karma Moon - Ghosthunter by Melissa Savage - While in a haunted Colorado hotel for her father's ghost-hunting television series, Karma Moon must battle her anxiety, interpret the signs of the universe, and get footage of a real ghost--you know, the usual. Ask for it in MCL's Children's Department and find it on the cloudLibrary.

MCL STORY HOUR

Wednesday and Thursday
at 10:30 a.m.



Numbers
April 6 and 7



Bunny
April 13 and 14



Earth Day
with Marion Garden Club
April 20 and 21



Flamingo
April 27 and 28

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206 S. Market St.
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Teen Craft

4 pm in the Young Adult Department

Fluffy Oobleck
April 6



Seashell Paintings
April 20

Pottery Painting
(We'll provide the pottery)
April 27



For ages 12 to 19
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