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newsletter by email?
See our website!

All NCPL locations will be closed Monday, February 20th
for Presidents' Day



February is...

LIBRARY

LOVER'S MONTH

STOP BY THE CIRCULATION DESK TO GRAB A FREE STICKER WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!

Watch us on social media this month to see "behind-the-scenes" of NCPL

LIBRARY CARD

New & Notable Items

ADULT

A Guide to Midwestern Conversation
|Taylor Kay Phillips
A Soul of Ash and Blood
|Jennifer L. Armentrout
The Lost Boys of Barlowe Theater
|Jaime Jo Wright
The Fearless One
|Lori Foster
The Mystery Guest
|Nita Prose
The House Keepers
|Alex Hay
Fall of Ruin and Wrath
|Jennifer L. Armentrout
Letters of Comfort
|Wanda Brunstetter

TEEN

Murtagh
|Christopher Paolini
The Brothers Hawthorne
|Jennifer Lynn Barnes

KIDS

Nowhere Special
|Matt Wallace
Jawbreaker
|Christina Wyman



Never miss a program. Scan the code to view our online calendar!



Children & Family

Take Your Child to the Library Day

is observed on the first Saturday in February each year. Each NCPL branch will celebrate "TYCLD" on a different day this month!

Children who are proficient in reading by the end of grade 3 are significantly more likely to graduate high school, opening doors to a bright future.

takeyourchildtothelibrary.org

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TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY: ADOPT A READING BUDDY EVENT

| SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3 | 9 AM - 1 PM

Come explore the library, enjoy snacks & activities, and take home a buddy!

STORYTIME

| TUESDAYS, FEBRUARY 6, 13, 20, & 27 | 9:30 & 10:45 AM

| FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 9, 16, & 23 | 10 AM

Animal-themed

AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM: GRADES K-2

| TUESDAYS | 3 PM at CN Primary School

[REGISTER](#)

| FEBRUARY 6 - KINDERGARTEN

| FEBRUARY 13 - 1ST GRADE

| FEBRUARY 20 - 2ND GRADE

Make penguin snow globe crafts & strawberry heart-shaped waffles.

HOMESCHOOL FAMILY BOOK CLUB

| FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 | 2 PM |

[REGISTER](#)

1 book per family upon registration

AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM: GRADES 3-5

| WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28 | 3:30 PM

[REGISTER](#)

Make penguin snow globe crafts & strawberry heart-shaped waffles.

Transportation to library not provided.



AVILLA



STORYTIME

| THURSDAYS, FEBRUARY 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29

| 10 AM



TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY: ADOPT A READING BUDDY EVENT

| THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 | 9 AM - 6 PM

Come explore the library, enjoy snacks & activities, and take home a buddy!

FAMILY DINNER PROGRAM

| THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 | 5 PM |

[REGISTER](#)

Learn tricks to add some sweet touches to out-of-the-box meals.



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TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY: ADOPT A READING BUDDY EVENT

| FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2 | 9 AM - 5 PM

Come explore the library, enjoy snacks & activities, and take home a buddy!

STORYTIME

| WEDNESDAYS, FEBRUARY 7, 14, & 28 | 10 AM

STEAM CLUB: VALENTINE'S DAY CODING

| THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 | 4 PM

[AGE 6-11](#)



GIANT GAME DAY

| WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 | 9 AM - 5 PM

Bring the kids for a fun day of games & snacks!

STEAM CLUB: SNAP CIRCUITS LIGHT SHOW

| THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22 | 4 PM

[AGE 6-11](#)



KINDNESS Changes EVERYTHING

2/13 - 2/16

STOP BY NCPL CROMWELL AND
MAKE A CARD TO GIVE TO SOMEONE
SPECIAL IN HONOR OF
RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK



Teens & Tweens

ALBION

DIAMOND PAINTING AND CHOCOLATE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12 | 4 PM

AGE 10-17 [REGISTER](#)



WEREWOLF NIGHT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29 | 4-6 PM

AGE 10-17 [REGISTER](#)

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TEEN GAME NIGHT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1 | 3:30 - 5:30 PM

[REGISTER](#)

Cross Clues, Harry Potter Codenames, and Sushi Go Family

TEEN CRAFT NIGHT: WOODEN HEART ART

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 | 3:30 - 5:30 PM

[REGISTER](#)

Adults

ALBION

CANDLE MAKING WITH MURPHY'S TOWNHOUSE CANDLES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6 | 6-7:30 PM

AGE 12+ \$10 [REGISTER](#)

Learn to wick, pour, and label a candle! Ages 12-17 must be accompanied by an adult.

BOOKS AT THE BAR: ST. JAMES RESTAURANT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22 | 6 PM AGE 21+

The Last Thing He Told Me by Laura Dave

BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29 | 6:30 PM

The Starless Sea by Erin Morgenstern

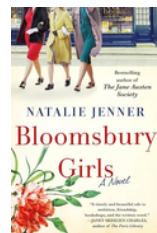


AVILLA

BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 | NOON

Bloomsbury Girls by Natalie Jenner



CANDLE MAKING WITH MURPHY'S TOWNHOUSE CANDLES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20 | 6-7:30 PM

AGE 12+ \$10 [REGISTER](#)

Learn to wick, pour, and label a candle! Ages 12-17 must be accompanied by an adult.

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YOGA WITH KELLY MEEKS

THURSDAYS, FEBRUARY 1, 8, 22, & 29

6:15-7:30 PM | \$7 PER CLASS

EVENING BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6 | 6 PM

Things We Never Got Over by Lucy Score

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 | 1:30 PM

Glass Town by Isabel Greenberg

CROCHET CLUB

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 | 5:30 PM

[REGISTER](#)

CRAFT THERAPY: FLOWER NECKLACES & CANVAS ART

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20 | 6 PM

[REGISTER](#)



CANDLE MAKING WITH MURPHY'S TOWNHOUSE CANDLES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 | 6-8 PM

AGE 12+ \$10 [REGISTER](#)

Learn to wick, pour, and label a candle! Ages 12-17 must be accompanied by an adult.

BOOK SALE

Stop by NCPL Cromwell during the month of February & browse books available for a free-will donation.



FEBRUARY

CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY LOVER'S
MONTH WITH A TRIP TO NCPL!

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MON

TUES

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The Avilla branch will remain closed Fridays and Saturdays throughout the month of February.

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6 **ALBION**

- Storytime 9am
- Storytime 10:45am
- Candle Making 6pm

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- Book Club 6pm

CN PRIMARY

- After School - Kindergarten 3pm

7 **CROMWELL**

- Storytime 10am

8 **AVILLA**

- Storytime 10am
- Book Club 12pm

CROMWELL

- Book Club 1:30pm
- STEAM Club 4pm
- Yoga 6:15pm

9 **ALBION**

- Storytime 10am

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11 **KINDNESS**
Changes Everything
2/13 - 2/16
RANDOM ACTS OF
KINDNESS WEEK AT
NCPL CROMWELL

12 **ALBION**

- Teens Diamond Painting 4pm

13 **ALBION**

- Storytime 9am
- Storytime 10:45am

CROMWELL

- Crochet Club 5:30pm

CN PRIMARY

- After School - 1st grade 3pm

14 **CROMWELL**

- Storytime 10am

15 **AVILLA**

- Take Your Child to the Library Day 9am-6pm
- Storytime 10am
- Family Dinner 5pm

CROMWELL

- Teen Craft Night 3:30pm


16 **ALBION**

- Storytime 10am

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PRESIDENTS' DAY
NCPL CLOSED

20 **ALBION**

- Storytime 9am
- Storytime 10:45am

AVILLA

- Candle Making 6pm

CROMWELL

- Craft Therapy 6pm

CN PRIMARY

- After School - 2nd grade 3pm

21 **CROMWELL**

- Giant Game Day 9am-5pm

22 **AVILLA**

- Storytime 10am

CROMWELL

- STEAM Club 4pm
- Yoga 6:15pm

ST. JAMES RESTAURANT

- Books at the Bar 6pm

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ALBION

- Storytime 10am
- Homeschool Family Book Club 2pm

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27 **ALBION**

- Storytime 9am
- Storytime 10:45am

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- Candle Making 6pm

28 **ALBION**

- After School - grades 3-5 3:30pm

CROMWELL

- Storytime 10am

29 **ALBION**

- Teens Werewolf 4pm
- Book Club 6:30pm

AVILLA

- Storytime 10am

CROMWELL

- Yoga 6:15pm

