



VIRTUAL PROGRAMS


MARCH-APRIL 2021

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Watch on  YouTube

For Adults

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For grades 3–12
Join on 
Registration required*


For Grades 3–12

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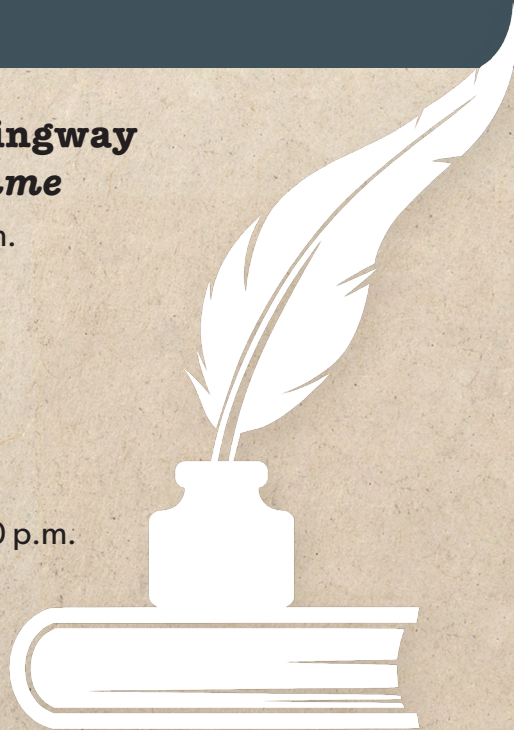
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Christian County Library is one of six public libraries to win the Books Like Us Winter Reading Challenge!

Thanks to all community members that accepted this year's Winter Reading Challenge! Due to everybody's reading efforts, we are one of six libraries to win a collection of 50 children's books and a virtual author visit sponsored by Simon and Schuster. Hooray!



Start your garden at the Library! The Seed Library returns March 1–June 30.

Check out up to five seed packets to plant in your home garden. Available at the Clever, Nixa and Ozark Community Branch locations, and soon at the Sparta Community Branch after it opens later this spring.

Register for programs at christiancountylibrary.org/events

zoom

Join virtual programs live on Zoom. You'll need a device with a camera and microphone.

YouTube

Watch virtual programs at youtube.com/christiancountylibrary

ADULTS

MARCH

Native Gardens of Missouri

Saturday, March 6, 3 p.m.

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Learn how sustainable native gardens attract and support local wildlife.

Fundamental Flavors:

Irish Potato Candy

Monday, March 15, 11, 3 p.m.

Watch on [YouTube](#)

Try your luck with this quick and easy Irish potato candy recipe.

Craft Class: Terrarium

Tuesday, March 16, 3 p.m.

Watch on [YouTube](#)

Spring into the garden season with an indoor air plant terrarium.

Beginning Seed Starting

Tuesday, March 23, 6–7 p.m.

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

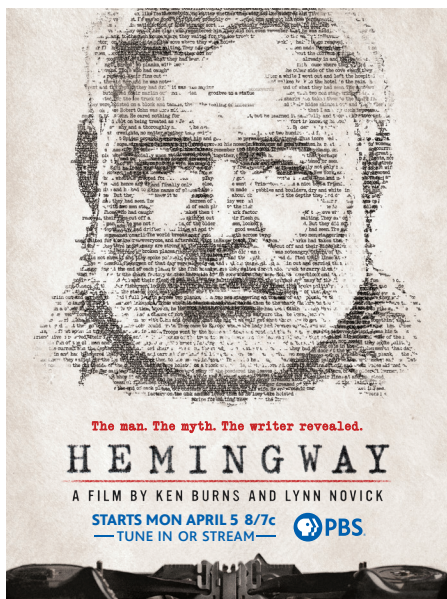
Grab some seeds from the Seed Library and learn how to start seeds indoors with a Master Gardener.

Discovering Hemingway through *In Our Time*

Thursday, March 25, 3 p.m.

Watch on [YouTube](#)

Explore the life and works of Ernest Hemingway with Dr. Tyler Blake, Professor of English, Mid-America Nazarene University. Find Hemingway's short story collection *In Our Time* on Hoopla.



Don't miss the PBS broadcast of Ken Burns' newest documentary series, *Hemingway*, April 5–7. Tune in to the national *Conversations on Hemingway* virtual event series at pbs.org/kenburns/hemingway/events.

Forgotten Women of the Ozarks

Tuesday, March 30, 3 p.m.

Watch on [YouTube](#)

Writer and archivist Connie Yen presents true stories of the historical Ozarks women that fought for social change. *Presented in partnership with the Missouri Humanities Council.*



APRIL

"What's it Worth?"

Antiques Road Show

Thursday, April 1, 6 p.m.

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Find out what determines value in the antique world with author, acutioneer, appraiser, and radio show host Mike Ivankovich. First 25 to register are invited to bring 1–2 antiques, collectibles, or treasures for appraisal.

Poetry Workshop

Thursday, April 15, 6 p.m.

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Discover your voice through poetry with poet Lanette Cadle and the Missouri Poet Laureate Karen Craigo.

Novice Ukulele Lessons (Four part course)

Thursday, April 22 & 29, and May 6 & 13, 6 p.m.

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Learn to play ukulele with Uke 66 musician Karen Maxson. Don't have a ukulele? No problem! Check out a ukulele from the library's new instrument collection coming soon.

Fundamental Flavors: Seedy Granola Bars

Tuesday, April 27, 6 p.m.

Watch on [YouTube](#)

Follow our simple recipe to make delicious, no-bake granola bars using a few ingredients!

TEENS

MARCH

Teen Advisory Board

Saturday, March 8, 5–6 p.m.

For grades 8–12

Join on [zoom](#)

Share your ideas for future programs and activities at the library by joining the Teen Advisory Board.

Apply for a spot on the Teen or Tween Advisory Board at christiancountylibrary.org/volunteer.

Online D&D for Teens

Monday, March 15, 4:30–6 p.m.

For grades 7–12 Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Join us for a magical, and sometimes dangerous, Dungeons & Dragons online adventure.

APRIL

Teen Advisory Board

Monday, April 12, 5–6 p.m.

For grades 7–12

Join on [zoom](#)

Share your ideas for future programs and activities at the library by joining the Teen Advisory Board.

Online D&D for Teens

Monday, April 19, 4:30–6 p.m.

For grades 7–12

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Join us for a magical, and sometimes dangerous, Dungeons & Dragons online adventure.

Bullet Journaling Workshop

Friday, April 16, 4:30–5:30 p.m.

For grades 3–12

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required for supplies**

Bring your tips, tricks and ideas for creating interesting journal pages to share with others.

TWEENS

MARCH

Tween Advisory Board

Friday, March 26, 4:30–5:30 p.m.

For grades 3–7

Join on [zoom](#)

Share your ideas for future programs and activities at the library by joining the Tween Advisory Board.

Online D&D for Tweens

Monday, March 22, 4:30–6 p.m.

For grades 3–7

Join on [zoom](#)

*Registration required**

Play the most popular role-playing game Dungeons & Dragons with other Tweens.

Flipbook Animation

Friday, March 12, 4:30–6 p.m.

For grades 2–7

Watch on [YouTube](#)

*Registration required for supplies**

Create your own mini-movie while learning the science and history of flipbook animation.

APRIL

Tween Advisory Board

Friday, March 26, 4:30–5:30 p.m.

For grades 3–7

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Soon, you'll be able to check out a musical instrument with your library card!

Beginning April 1 ukuleles, keyboards and a peruvian drum called a Cajón will be available to check out at the library!

We're still tuning and stringing the instruments, so keep an eye out for more information on our social media pages and at christiancountylibrary.org.



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of the OZARKS

Connecting passion to purpose.

The musical instrument collection is funded by the Community Foundation of the Ozarks and the Finley River Community Foundation.

KIDS & FAMILIES

MARCH

Virtual Family Storytime

Every Friday at 10 a.m.

For infants–age 6

Watch on  YouTube

Family storytime includes interactive stories, songs and activities that supports early literacy skills.

Easy Crochet Bunny

Wednesday, March 3, 10:30 a.m.

For kids and families

Watch on  YouTube

*Registration required for supplies**

Learn how to crochet a basic square, and then turn that into a cuddly rabbit.

Flipbook Animation

Friday, March 12, 4:30–6 p.m.

For Grades 2–7

Watch on  YouTube

*Registration required for supplies**

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Cross Stitch for Beginners

Monday, April 5, 10:30 a.m.

For kids and families

Watch on  YouTube

*Registration required for supplies**

Celebrate National Library Week by learning the basics of cross stitch with a free, library-inspired, beginner pattern.

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Find more information about virtual programs and learn how to use Zoom at christiancountylibrary.org/programs/virtual.



Construction continues at the new Sparta Community Branch location, fulfilling a long-time goal to have four library branches off Highway 14!



Watch live progress at christiancountylibrary.org/expansion.



christiancountylibrary.org

We are your public library, serving all of Christian County

CLEVER
7428 W. Veterans Blvd.
(417) 743-2277

NIXA
208 N. McCroskey St.
(417) 724-6100

OZARK
1005 N. 4th Ave.
(417) 581-2432

SPARTA
Coming Soon!
Spring 2021