



read, explore, grow Scenic Regional Library EVENT NEWS

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scenicregional.org/events or call your branch

ADULT 18+

GHOUL'S GAMBIT TRIVIA NIGHT!

A fundraiser for
SCENIC REGIONAL LIBRARY
FOUNDATION

Buy tickets at:
bit.ly/TriviaSRLF



**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 18
7:00PM
(DOORS OPEN AT 6PM)**

Sponsored by:

United Bank of Union
Bank of Washington
Schroeder Insurance
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Bank of Franklin County
Heggemann, Inc.
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Democrat Club
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Central Committee
Sullivan Bank
Ruthie's Restaurant
Dickey Bub

\$25 ticket/\$200 a table (8 people)

50/50 raffles and other games • Winning team - \$240 cash prize!

Costume contest for adults: \$100 1st place; \$75 2nd place; \$50 3rd place

Join us for a night of Halloween and horror-themed trivia.
Bring your own snacks and beverages.

Venmo payment or drop payment (cash or check) off
at the Union branch by Friday, October 11 at 6pm

Location: Union City Auditorium, 500 E Locust St, Union, MO 6308



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Get Into the Spirit of SAVING LIVES!

-American Red Cross Blood Drive-



**American
Red Cross**



**Monday, October 20
10:00am**

This fall season, your donation can help harvest hope
for patients in need. Get into the spirit and receive a
\$10 e-gift card to the merchant of your choice! Please
call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit RedCrossBlood.org to
schedule an appointment.

UNION
BRANCH

ADULT

INVESTIGATING *Cemetery Records* Thursday, October 23, 6:00pm

Explore the various documents and
alternative records that document
the inhabitants of ancestral cemeteries.
Limit 60. RSVP today: Call 636-583-3224,
stop by the branch, or register online.

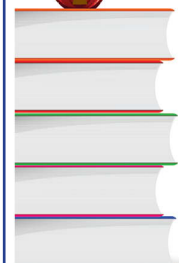
This program series is a partnership between the Four Rivers
Genealogical Society, Scenic Regional Library, and the Washington
Public Library. It is funded by a Missouri
Humanities Council grant and Scenic Regional Library.



We will be closed

**Monday
October 13**

**for
Staff Development
Day &
Columbus Day**



HERMANN BRANCH EVENTS Call: 573-486-2024 or sign up online

ADULT

Opening Reception Landscapes

Friday, October 3 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Book Discussion Group

Not All Bodies Stay Buried
by Garth Jeffries.

Wednesday, October 15 at 2:30 pm

Intro to Dinos 101

Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm

YOUNG ADULT

Teens-Crystal Ball Creations

Monday, October 20 at 4:00 pm

CHILDREN

Kids-Spooky Spinners

Thursday October 9 at 3:30 pm

STEAM: Build It Bonanza!

Thursday, October 30 at 2:00 pm & 3:30 pm

PRE-K

Preschool Storytime (Ages 0-5)

Every Thursday at 10:00 am

Busy Little Fingers (ages 0-3)

Saturday, October 25 at 10:00 am



Join us as we learn more about dinosaurs! We'll learn about what defines a dinosaur and how they changed over time.



Creep into fun with a spider craft, web-tastic game, and eight-legged facts! A not-so-scary activity hour for curious kids and crafty crawlers. Limit 20.



Busy Little Fingers is a fun, hands-on baby and toddler (age 0-3) story, craft and playtime, fostering creativity, fine motor skills, and sensory exploration.

NEW HAVEN BRANCH EVENTS Call: 573-306-6189 or sign up online

Join us as we learn how to make simple syrups. Limit 10.

SIMPLE SYRUPS 101
Thursday, October 23, 6pm

NEW HAVEN BRANCH ADULT 18+

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Book Discussion Group

Killers of the Flower Moon

by David Grann.

Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 pm

Simple Syrups 101

Thursday, October 23 at 6:00 pm

CHILDREN

Pumpkin Palooza (Ages 0-18)

Thursday, October 9 at 4:00 pm

(Limit 30.)

Homeschool Group: Bristlebots

(Ages 5-18)

Wednesday, October 15 at 2:00 pm

Join us for our annual Pumpkin Painting Palooza! Bring the whole family, have some Halloween fun, and create your own Spook-tacular pumpkin! Limit 30.

Pumpkin Palooza!
-Pumpkin Painting Party-
Thursday October 9 4-5pm

NEW HAVEN BRANCH CHILDREN/YOUNG ADULT

PRE-K-K

Preschool Storytime

Every Tuesday at 10:00 am

This month, join us to learn about robotics and create our own nanobots with Bristlebots! Limit 25.

Homeschool Group
Wednesday, October 15 2:00pm

NEW HAVEN BRANCH CHILDREN

OWENSVILLE BRANCH EVENTS Call: 573-299-0006 or sign up online

Seeds of the Month Club
October: White Hailstone Radish

Friends of the Library Quarterly Meeting
Thursday, October 2 at 4:00 pm

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Day Dreamers Book Club
The Funeral Ladies of Ellerie County by Claire Swinarski.
Thursday, October 2 at 11:00 am

Grave Cleaning
Friday, October 3 from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Offsite: Red Oak Church in Rosebud.

Bring Your Dog Book Discussion
A Big Little Life by Dean Koontz.
Tuesday, October 14 at 1:00 pm
Offsite: Memorial Park.

Avoid Phishing Scams
Thursday, October 16 at 1:00 pm

Book Look Book Club
Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm
The Last Ballad by Wiley Cash.

YOUNG ADULT

Nerf War
Saturday, October 18 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

CHILDREN

Halloween Tie-Dye
Thursday, October 9 at 4:30 pm

Homeschool Halloween Tie-Dye
Thursday, October 23 at 2:00 pm

PRE-K

Lil' OWLs Storytime
Every Wednesday at 10:00 am

HALLOWEEN Tie Dye
Thursday, October 9, 4:30pm
Homeschool: Thursday, October 23, 2pm

OWENSVILLE BRANCH CHILDREN

Bring something fun to tie-dye with fun patterns and spooky stencils.
Limit 25.

Save a Story GRAVE CLEANING CLUB
Friday October 3 1pm-3pm

OWENSVILLE BRANCH ADULT 18+

Meet us in Rosebud for a grave cleaning event! We will supply the cleaning supplies and teach you how to beautify headstones.
Limit 15.
Location: Red Oak Church

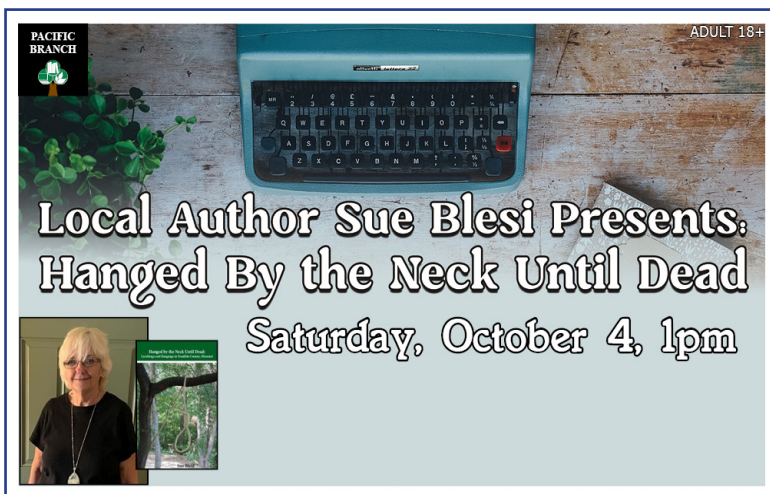
Avoiding Phishing Scams
Thursday October 16 1:00pm-2:00pm

OWENSVILLE BRANCH ADULT 18+

During this class, you'll learn what phishing scams are, how to recognize them, and several tips on how to protect yourself.
Limit 30.

PACIFIC BRANCH EVENTS Call: 636-257-2712 or sign up online

Researching Franklin County history for almost 40 years, Sue Blesi covers all of the county's known lynchings and legal hangings, and those that almost occurred. Limit 60.



Calling all masters of mystery, we want your help to solve a murder at the masquerade ball! 14 actor parts are needed, and 6 sleuth parts are available. Limit 20.



Presenter Jo Schaper discusses the Ozark's large springs of the Salem Plateau in an evening medley and illustrated talk featuring science, history and poetry. Limit 50.



ALL AGES

Bingo Night!

Monday, October 20 at 6:00 pm

ADULT

Local Author Sue Blesi Presents,
Hanged By the Neck Until Dead
Saturday, October 4 at 1:00 pm

The Next Chapter Book Club

Wednesday, October 8 at 10:00 am
The Blessing Way by Tony Hillerman.

The First Chapter Book Club

Tuesday, October 14 at 6:00 pm
The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg.

Jo Schaper Presents, Springs Are More Than Puddles for Trout
Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 pm

Fall Art Party! (Limit 20)

Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm

Reap What You Sow Gardening Club
Saturday, October 25 at 11:00 am

Masquerade Murder Mystery

Tuesday, October 28 from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

CHILDREN

Tails N' Tales

Friday, October 24 at 4:00 pm

Kids' Club: Squeegie Cats

Monday, October 27 at 6:00 pm

PRE-K

Preschool Storytime

Every Thursday at 10:00 am

ST. CLAIR BRANCH EVENTS Call: 636-629-2546 or sign up online

ALL AGES

Hallow's Eve Trick r' Treat

Thursday, October 30 from 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

ADULT

Tricksy Treats: Faux Caramel Apples

Thursday, October 2 at 6:00 pm

Cookbook Author, Anne Carpenter

Tuesday, October 7 at 6:00 pm

Halloween Busted Canvas

Saturday, October 11 at 10:00am

Third Thursdays Book Club

The Only One Left by Riley Sager.

Thursday, October 16 at 2:00 pm

The Backbone of Good Health

Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 pm

Epicurean Adventures: Crock Pot Freezer Meals

Tuesday, October 28 at 6:00 pm

YOUNG ADULT

Fright at the Library

Friday, October 10 at 3:30 pm

Teen Homeschool Group

Wednesday, October 29 at 1:00 pm

CHILDREN

Homeschool Group

Thursday, October 2 & 16 at 1:00 pm

STEAM Ahead

Saturdays, October 4 & 18 from 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Ruff Readers

Tuesday, October 28 from 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

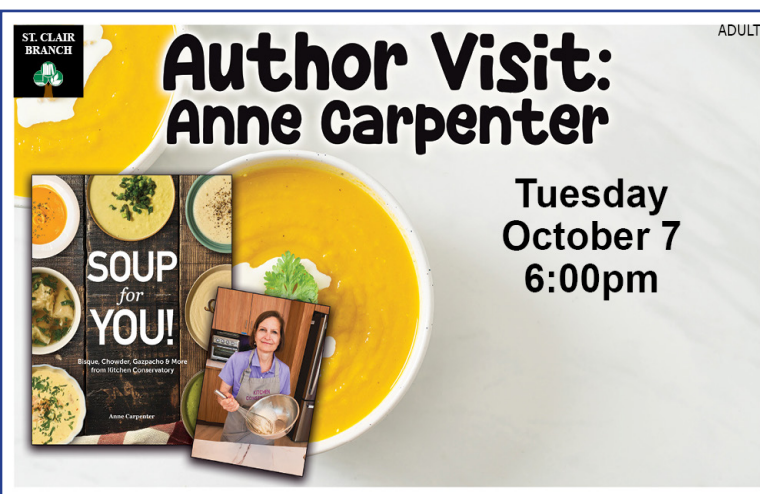
PRE-K

Preschool Storytime

Thursdays at 10:00 am



We're making faux caramel apples that look good enough to eat! You'll trick all the treaters with these sweet decorations. Limit 20.



Cookbook author and Kitchen Conservatory teacher, Anne Carpenter, will be showcasing her newest book "Soup for You". Limit 25.



Make your canvas pop—literally—with this cool art trend! Choose the Boo-jee Ghost or Charming Witch when you sign up. Limit 20.

SULLIVAN BRANCH EVENTS Call: 573-342-6505 or sign up online

FALL in love with this craft! Come and make a cute fall wreath to hang on your door!
Limit 12.



ADULT

Book Bingo (limit 30)

Thursday, October 2 at 6:00 pm

DIY: Fall Wreath (limit 12)

Thursday, October 9 at 6:00 pm

'As the Page Turns' Book Club

Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm

The Maid by Nita Prose.

Masquerade Murder Mystery

(Limit 30.) (Ages 16+)

Friday, October 17 at 6:00 pm

Spooky Paint & Sip (limit 25)

Friday, October 24 at 6:00 pm

'Sweet & Spicy' Book Club

Tuesday, October 28 at 6:00 pm

The Pumpkin Spice Cafe by Laurie Gilmore.

Beginners sewing class, learning basic skills while creating a fun project.
Limit 8.



YOUNG ADULT

Homeschool Beginning Sewing with Teens

Thursday, October 2 at 1:00 pm

CHILDREN

Kid's Adventure-Slime Making Fun!

Monday, October 20 at 4:00 pm

Homeschool Event- Halloween Hoopla

Thursday, October 23 at 10:00 am or 11:00 am

Join us for an afternoon of slime making fun! Limit 20.



PRE-K

Preschool Storytime

Every Tuesday at 10:00 am

UNION BRANCH EVENTS Call: 636-583-3224 or sign up online

ALL AGES

Clue

Friday, October 24 at 3:00 pm

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Fiddle and Friends

Wednesday, October 1 at 6:00 pm

Paper Bead Bracelets

Thursday, October 9 at 6:00 pm

Hooked on Books

Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 pm

MS Excel: Creating an Address Book

Wednesday, October 22 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Book Bingo

Thursday, October 23 at 12:00 pm

Investigating Cemetery Records

Thursday, October 23 at 6:00 pm

MS PowerPoint: A Tour

Tuesday, October 28 at 10:00 am

YOUNG ADULT

Dungeons and Dragons (Ages 12+)

Saturday, October 4 & 18 from 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Spooky Reverse Coloring

Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm

CHILDREN

Kids Club - Paint a Pumpkin

Tuesday, October 7 at 4:30 pm

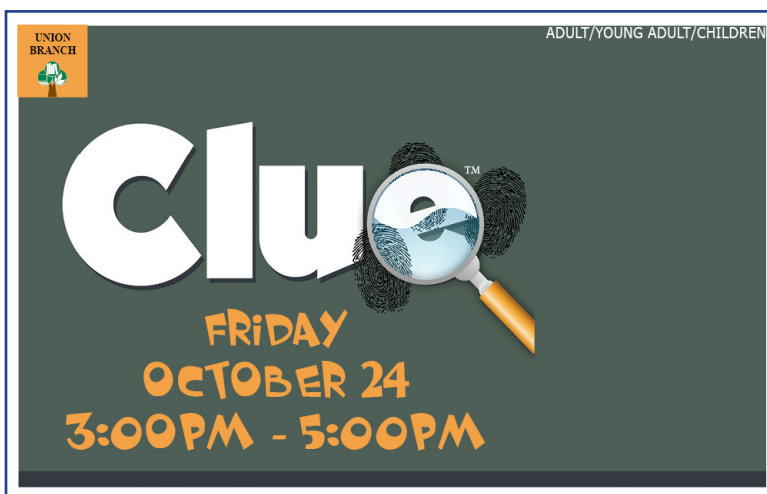
PRE-K

Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:00 am



Craft your own beautiful bracelet, made of paper, with Melissa. Limit 25.



Clue is back! Join us for a fun day of learning about how the library works while trying to solve the mystery of the stolen book! Limit 40.



Pick a pumpkin to paint. Dress to get messy! Limit 15.

WARRENTON BRANCH EVENTS Call: 636-456-3321 or sign up online

Embrace the autumn season with an enchanting fall watercolor scene & create a cozy cup of brew to display for Fall-O-Ween! Limit 40.

WARRENTON BRANCH

LEAF IT TO ME: **ADULT 18+**

Fall Craft Night

Tuesday, October 7, 5:30pm

The Haunted Castle House, named "Scariest House in the Midwest" by HGTV is known for its chilling tales of tragedy & death. Meet the owners & hear their story.

WARRENTON BRANCH

As seen on: **ADULT 18+**

The Haunted Castle House

Scariest House in the Midwest

Tuesday, October 14 6:00pm

The St. Louis Insane Asylum often confined women who resisted societal norms, a common and tragic reality. Presented by Dr. Kathleen Nigro.

WARRENTON BRANCH

Spiritualism & the St. Louis Insane Asylum

Tuesday, October 21, 6pm

ALL AGES

Blood Pressure Screening

Wednesday, October 22 at 11:00 am

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Reese's Reads Book Club

Dragon Fires Everywhere by Hazel Beck.

Thursday, October 2 at 5:30 pm

Leaf it to Me: Fall Craft Night (Limit 40)

Tuesday, October 7 at 5:30 pm

Haunted Castle House: Scariest House in the Midwest

Tuesday, October 14 at 6:00 pm

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Monday, October 20 from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Spiritualism & the St. Louis Insane Asylum

Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm

The Literary Traveler Book Club

Poisonwood Bible by Barbara Kingsolver.

Wednesday, October 22 at 2:00 pm

Witches Tea (Limit 40)

Tuesday, October 28 at 5:30 pm

CHILDREN

Kids' Club: Halloween Movie

The Nightmare Before Christmas, PG

Thursday, October 16 at 4:00 pm

PRE-K

Preschool Storytime

Every Tuesday at 10:00 am

WRIGHT CITY BRANCH EVENTS Call: 636-384-1136 or sign up online

ADULT

Ghostly Gallery (Limit 25)

Monday, October 6 at 6:00 pm

Night Edition Book Bingo

Tuesday, October 7 at 6:00 pm

Plot Twists and Crafts (Limit 20)

Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 pm

Free Blood Pressure Screening- Warren County Health Department

Tuesday, October 21 from 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Flashlight Readers Book Club

Final Girls by Riley Sager.

Tuesday, October 28 at 6:00 pm

Last Wednesday Book Club

The Storyteller by Jodi Picoult.

Wednesday, October 29 at 5:00 pm

YOUNG ADULT

Wildcat Wednesday

Every Wednesday that school is in session at 2:30 pm

CHILDREN

Halloween Book Bingo

Thursday, October 30 at 6:00 pm

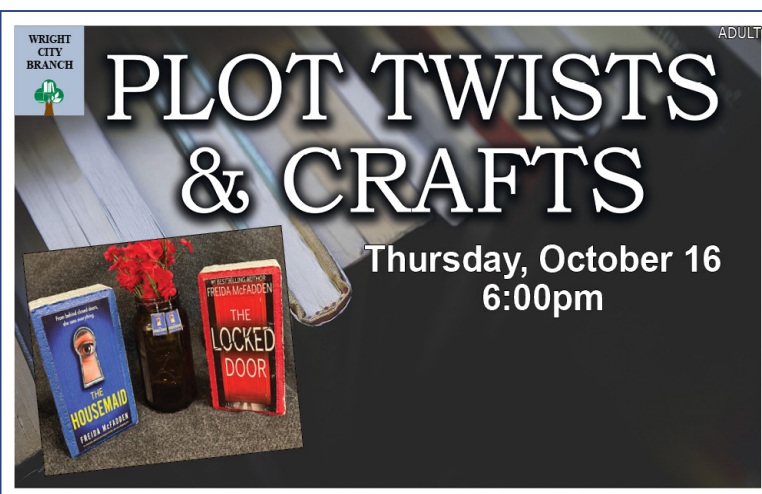
PRE-K

Preschool Storytime

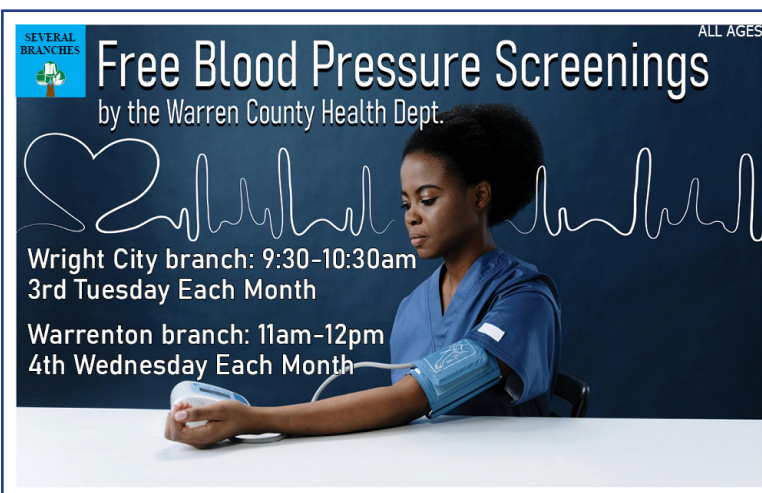
Every Wednesday 10:00 am



Turn ordinary photos into haunted masterpieces by painting cute ghosts and spooky scenes for a fun, festive October keepsake. Limit 25.



Get crafty with Freida McFadden flair! Make mini book earrings and brick art featuring her thrillers - perfect for fans who love a good twist! Limit 20.



Stop in the Scenic Regional Library vestibule to get your blood pressure checked by a Warren County Health Dept. Nurse. No appointment necessary.