brookings newsletter

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NEW AND NOTABLE

We're excited to introduce our new Maker Lab! Our Maker Lab was funded by a generous grant from the Larson Family Foundation and is meant to be a space where our community can engage in a variety of hands-on learning opportunities, access technology, and become more creative and empowered with new skills.



The Maker Lab has a variety of equipment and technology for use, including a Glowforge laser printer, a Cricut electronic cutting machine, a computer with Adobe Creative Cloud, metal stamping tools, a button maker, punch embroidery tools, linoleum block printing tools, and more!

We've been holding Library programs in the Maker Lab for a couple of months and now we're ready to open the space up to adult individual use! To become a Maker, you must be 18 years or older, sign our waiver, and acknowledge our safety protocols. Some advanced equipment, such as the Glowforge laser printer, will require an additional certification class prior to use. Using the Maker Lab is free, but you'll need to provide your own consumable materials for use. For example, if you'd like to use the Cricut electronic cutting machine, you'll need to provide your own paper, vinyl, etc. to be cut with the machine. For more information on what's available in the Maker Lab and how to make a reservation, visit https://bit.ly/BPLMakerLab.

If you have questions about the Maker Lab or would like to make a donation to help keep the Maker Lab going, please feel free to contact Nancy Swenson, Technology Services Librarian at 605-692-9407 or nswenson@cityofbrookings-sd.gov.

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If you require assistance, alternative formats, and/or accesible locations consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact the City ADA Coordinator at (605) 692-6281 at least 3 working days prior to any meeting held at the Library

ADULT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Adult Book Clubs

Our in-person book club meets in the Library's Cooper Room. Books will be available to check out a month before the meeting takes place.

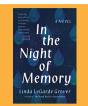
Fiction

November Meeting:
November 8 @ 6:30pm
In the Night of Memory by Linda
LeGarde Grover

(in the Children's Activity Room)

The author will visit virtually on 11/15.

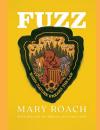
Next Meeting will be in February 2023!



Nonfiction

November Meeting: November 28 @ 6:30pm Fuzz by Mary Roach

Next Meeting will be in February 2023!



Game Night at Wooden Legs

Friday, November 4 from 6:00-8:00pm

Join us for game night at Wooden Legs Brewing Company. We'll have games available to choose from or feel free to bring your own to play with a group.



Decoupaged Pumpkin Craft Class

Monday, November 7 at 6:30pm (RR)



Come make a cute fall decoration. Space is limited. Please call the Library starting November 1st to register.

Upcoming Workshops (RR)

Saturday, November 5 at 9:30am or 2:30pm Embroidered Ornament

Learn about the Library's new Glowforge laser printer, then customize your own ornament!

Space is limited and registration opens October 28. Please call the Library to reserve your spot



Monday, November 9 at 2 or 6pm Here's your change

Maker Lab Tour

Here's your chance to check out the new Maker Lab! We'll talk about our plans for the space and show off a few of the pieces of equipment available for use.

Thursday, November 17 at 1:00pm or 6:00pm Botanical Doodle

Embrace your creativity and make a botanical doodled letter!

Space is limited and registration opens November 10. Please call the Library to reserve your spot.

To-Go Spice of Life Club: Garam Masala (RR)

This month's spice is Garam Masala and the kit will include a recipe for Sri Lankan Fried Potatos.



Call the Library starting November 21 to sign up. Pick-up will begin November 28.

(RR) - registration required

ADULT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE **MONTH EVENT SERIES**

In honor of Native American Heritage Month, the Brookings Public Library is hosting events both in-person and on Zoom to discuss Native history, culture, and issues. Further descriptions and Zoom links for these events will be listed on the Library's website calendar, Facebook page (abkglib), and in flyers at the circulation desk.

NOV. 6:30pm

Verna K. Boyd: "Journey into the Past"

Boyd introduces audiences to the First Nations people who made their homes in southeastern South Dakota - Omaha, Ponca, loway – and discusses their traditional way of life.





6:00pm

Documentary Screening & Discussion: "Warrior Women"

NOV. Warrior Women is the story of Madonna Thunder Hawk and her daughter, Marcy, activists at the forefront of Native issues, fighting against the environmental devastation of the Dakota Access Pipeline and for Indigenous cultural values.

NOV. 6:30pm

Linda LeGarde Grover: Virtual Author Talk on "In the Night of Memory"





NOV. 6:30pm

Geraldine Goes In Center: "Pre-colonization, Colonization, and Decolonization of Lakota Food and Diet"

Goes In Center will present the history of the diet of Lakota people, covering the types of food Lakota people consumed past and present, and how foods were preserved and prepared.

NOV. 5:30pm

Miranda Koltze: "Baring Root: On the Path to Purpose, Passion and Identity Through Our Herbal Relatives"

Koltze will share her knowledge and love of sustainable living and will demonstrate the art of herbal remedy making, including a soapmaking demonstration.





support from the South Dakota Humanities Council, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.



Teen Gaming

Monday, November 21 at 3:45pm in the Cooper Room

Play video games and compete against your friends!



Anime Club

Every Wednesday at 3pm in the Cooper Room

Watch Anime, talk about Manga & Anime with friends, and win great prizes!



No Anime on November 23

Screen and Scribble

Thursday, November 10 at 5:30pm in the Cooper Room



Join us for a movie with snacks and coloring! This month we'll be watching Spiderman: Into the Spider-Verse!

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Middle School Graphic Novel Club

Monday, November 7 at 10th period SI at the Mickelson Middle School Library

Come check out some new graphic novel titles and share ideas for the first few meetings.

Teen Advisory Board Informational Meeting

<u>Tuesday, November 8 at 2:00pm in</u> <u>the Brookings High School Library</u>



Do you want to help design and develop teen programs at the Brookings Public Library? Join us for this informational meeting about how you can be a part of the Library's Teen Advisory Board!

Teens & Tabletop

friday, November 25
from 2-4:00pm
in the Teen Area
Play board games
from our collection
with friends on
your day off of
school!

Puppetry Club

Practices Monday, November 14 and Tuesday, November 15 @ 6:00pm, with show on Tuesday, November 15 @ 7:00pm in the Children's Activity Room.

(RR) - registration required*- Jenny's email is jkluck@cityofbrookings-sd.gov

KID'S CORNER

Story Time

Mondays at 10:30am

This program features traditional books, songs, and crafts paired with apps, video clips, and more.

No Story Time on November 21 and 28

Music Makers (RR)

Join the fun as caregivers and their kids dance and sing in this rhythm and movement class geared to ages 5 and under. Sessions are offered Mondays 9:45 am & 11:00am.

No Story Time on November 21 and 28

Ukulele Night!

Monday, November 21 at 6pm or 6:45pm

Come try our ukuleles. We will learn a few basics and try a few songs. Sign up for a 45 min session.

Registration Required. Online registration will open Oct 24th.

'Tween the Pages Book Club (RR)

Wednesday, November 23 at 3:00pm

This monthly book club is for kids in 4th or 5th grade. Join us as we discuss our book and have some snacks. After you register, you will get a copy of the book to keep.

November's book
Wild River by Rodman Philbrick
Register on the Library's website.



Tail Waggin' Tutors (RR)

every other Wednesday at 3:00pm

This program lets children practice their reading, build self-esteem and confidence, and makes reading fun! Registration required. Sign up for a slot at bit.ly/3BwOa8z to read with Bella the dog.

Puppet Show

Tuesday, November 15 at 7:00pm in the Children's Activity Room

Come watch a fun puppet show suitable for all ages!

Family STEAM Night

Tuesday, November 29 at 6:00-7:30pm

Explore science, math, engineering, art, and technology concepts through fun and exciting activities. Themes and activities vary monthly and no registration is required!

Jackrabbit Family Story Time

Wednesday, November 9 at 3:00pm



(RR) - registration required: Please visit brookingslibrary.org or Facebook page to fill out the registration form.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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		Adult Craft Registration Opens	3:00pm Anime Club 3:00pm Tail Waggin' Tutors (RR)	6:30pm Verna K. Boyd Talk	6:00-8:00pm Game Night at Wooden Legs	9:30am Embroidered Ornament Workshop (RR) 2:30pm Embroidered Ornament Workshop (RR)
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Green-Teen Activities

Blue-Adult Activities

Red- Kids Activities

Orange- All Ages Activities

(RR)-Registration Required

*Library Board meetings are open to the public

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