



# MAY Events for Adults

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## SPOTLIGHT EVENTS



### OBSTACLES TO PEACE

*Friday, May 3, 6 - 7:30 PM, Meeting Room A*  
Palestinian and Jewish Iowans share their personal stories and experiences of identity, oppression, solidarity, and hope from inside Palestine and in the US. Ask questions and learn how to advocate for human rights in this crisis.



### CZECH MUSIC MUSEUM IN PRAGUE: THE COMEDY & WORKS OF VOSKOVEC & WERICH

*Wednesday, May 8, 6 - 7 PM, Meeting Room A*  
Voskovec and Werich were Czech comedians and pioneers of avant-garde performances in pre-war Czechoslovakia. This program highlights their work in the US during WWII.



### ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES CANDIDATE FORUM FOR JOHNSON COUNTY SUPERVISOR

*Monday, May 20, 6:30 - 8:30 PM, Meeting Room A*  
Johnson County environmental organizations join to question Johnson County Supervisor candidates in the June 4 Democratic Primary election.



## BROWSING PARTY

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*Friday, May 31, 5 - 7 PM, 1st & 2nd Floors of Library*  
Pick out books to start your summer reading during our first-ever Browsing Party! Spend some time flipping through fiction and nonfiction books with refreshments, music, and extra librarians on hand to offer recommendations.

## FRIENDS FOUNDATION



JOHNSON COUNTY  
Great Give Day



Support the Library on  
May 1, 2024 for Johnson  
County Great Give Day!

## MUSIC

Saturday, May 4, 2:00 - 3:00pm  
Meeting Room A



### LOLLY EGGERS MEMORIAL JAZZ EVENT: BLAKE SHAW TRIO

*Saturday, May 4, 2 - 3 PM, Meeting Room A*  
The Blake Shaw Trio showcases original compositions and a mix of jazz-influenced arrangements that take swing music to another level.

## DIGITAL MEDIA LAB



### NEW DML HELP HOURS:

MONDAYS 11-3  
TUESDAYS 11-3  
THURSDAYS 4:00-5:30  
SUNDAYS 12-5

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### GETTING STARTED WITH GOOGLE DRIVE

Friday, May 3, 10:30 - 11:30 AM  
Zoom Event

Learn how to upload or share documents with Google Drive.



### GOOGLE MAPS TIPS & TRICKS

Thursday, May 16, 10:30 - 11:30 AM  
Digital Media Lab

Bring your device or plan to use a library laptop as we look at all of the features in Google Maps.



### DIY FOAM STAMPS WITH CRICUT

Sunday, May 19, 12:30 - 1:30 PM  
Digital Media Lab

In this workshop, we will design, cut out, and construct simple foam stamps using our Cricut Maker 3.

## 1-ON-1 HELP



### COMMUNITY WRITING CENTER

Thursday, May 2, 6 - 8 PM, Meeting Room E

Get one-on-one assistance with Kirkwood Community College and University of Iowa writing faculty.

### ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Fridays, 10 AM - 12 PM, Meeting Room E

Join us to practice conversational skills, learn new expressions, improve your pronunciation, and meet new friends.

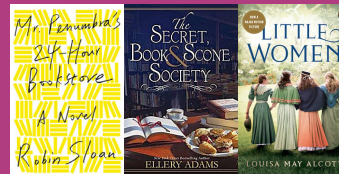
## BOOK DISCUSSIONS

### LET'S TALK BOOKS

Tuesday, May 14, 7 - 8 PM, Zoom Event

Not quite a book group, this is a series of casual conversations about our favorite reads in various categories.

### BOOKS ABOUT BOOK PEOPLE

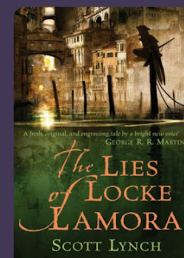


### SCI-FI/FANTASY BOOK CLUB - "THE LIES OF LOCKE LAMORA" BY SCOTT LYNCH

Tuesday, May 7, 7 - 8 PM

Zoom Event

We will meet via Zoom to discuss "The Lies of Locke Lamora" by Scott Lynch. More info email: [brian-visser@icpl.org](mailto:brian-visser@icpl.org)



## HOBBY HANGOUT EVENTS



### ICPL KNIT & CROCHET HANGOUT

Thursday, May 30, 6 - 8 PM,  
Digital Media Lab

Bring your current project and join us the last Thursday of the month for an evening of conversation and fiber arts of all kinds.



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ADULTS CAN EARN A FREE BOOK DURING THE:

SUMMER READING  
PROGRAM  
MAY 28 - AUG 10

[ICPL.ORG/SUMMER](http://ICPL.ORG/SUMMER)

If you are a person with a disability who requires special assistance, please call (319) 356-5200 in advance of a program.