



# April 2023 Newsletter



## 100 Year Anniversary Birthday Party

Thursday, April 20 - 3-6p

Spring Green Community Library is turning 100 this month. On April 20, 1923, the Library as an organization was founded in the community of Spring Green.

To celebrate 100 years of the Library, we are going to have a number of events spread out throughout the year.

First up - Stop by the Library on the birthday for a cupcake.

## Adults



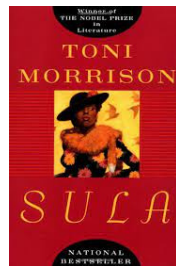
### Book Discussions

#### Classics Conquered

Group 1 - Thurs., April 6 - 6p

Group 2 - Wed., April 12 - 2p

Join us as we read through some of Toni Morrison's works from April to October. This month, we will discuss Morrison's rich and moving novel, "Sula."



Wed., April 26 - 2p

Every Fourth Wednesday at 2pm, join us for a cup of coffee and a chat about the month's pick. For April, we will be reading "Good Neighbors" by Sarah Langan.

Synopsis: A too-fast friendship between a repressed queen bee and the ostracized wife of a once-famous rock musician explodes into a community uprising involving a dangerous sinkhole, a trapped child and shocking accusations.



## Kids

### All Ages Storytime

Wed., April 5 - 10:30a (in the Children's Area)

Sat., April 8 - 10:30a

Wed., April 12 - 10:30a

Wed., April 19 - 10:30a

Sat., April 22 - 10:30a

Wed., April 26 - 10:30a



Join Hannah, our Youth Services librarian, for another month of food-themed Storytimes! In April, we'll talk baked goods, breakfast, indigenous and international foods, and spring veggies. Bring the whole family, and enjoy stories, songs, hands-on activities, and more.

## Teens



Wed., April 19 - 4p

Join the Spring Green Community Library and River Valley High School in celebration of spoken word & poetry during NATIONAL POETRY MONTH. Bring a favorite, original or found poem to share! (This event will be held in the Children's Area.)

### Teen Game Time

Wed., April 12 - 4p

Come try out video games, board games, and more! Designed for middle and high school aged teens.



### DIY and Crafting for Teen

Wed., April 26 - 4p

Learn to do a new craft each month, or just bring your own and hang out!

# Calendar

April 2023

- 1 - Friends of the Library Book Collection (10a)  
Mindfulness:  
Discussion and Practice (Zoom Only) (10:30a)
- 5 - All Ages Storytime (in the Children's Area) (10:30a)
- 6 - Tech Drop-in (1p)  
Classics Conquered (6p)
- 8 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)
- 10 - Library Board Meeting (5p)
- 11 - Movies, Munchies, and More:  
The Woman King (1p)
- 12 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
Classics Conquered (2p)  
Teen Game Time (4p)
- 13 - Closing at 1pm for Staff In-Service Day
- 15 - Mindfulness:  
Discussion and Practice (10:30a)
- 18 - Movies, Munchies, and More:  
The Big Sick (1p)
- 19 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
Poetry Slam (4p)
- 20 - Library Birthday Party (3p)
- 22 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)
- 25 - Movies, Munchies, and More:  
Joe Fahey (1p)
- 26 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
Book Discussion (2p)  
DIY and Crafting for Teens (4p)

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**Hours:**  
**Monday-Thursday 10a - 7p**  
**Friday 10a - 5p**  
**Saturday 10a - 1p**

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## Adults

### Tech Drop-in



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Thurs., April 6 - 1p

Stop by the Library with whatever piece of technology is causing you grief. Whether it is a PC, iPhone, E-Reader, or Fitbit. Together, we will figure it out.

### Mindfulness: Discussion and Practice

April 1 - 10:30-11:45a (Zoom Only)

April 15 - 10:30 - 11:45a (Outside)

Our meetings will include discussions and short mindfulness exercises/practices.



### Movies, Munchies, and More

Every Tuesday at 1p, come to the Library for a cup of coffee, a sweet treat, and either a movie or a presentation. Doors open at 12:30p.

**April 4 - No event - Election Day!**

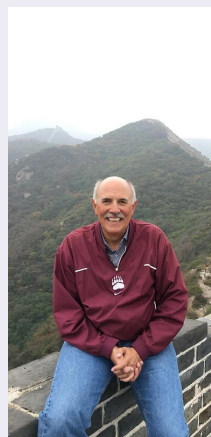


April 11: The Woman King (2022).

Movie Synopsis: In the late eighteenth century, the Kingdom of Dahomey flourished as one of Africa's most powerful states. Yet as European merchants encroach, seeking riches at the expense of its people, warrior Nanisca takes a stand to uphold her peoples' freedom. Inspired by true events (Rating: PG-13, 2hr 15min).

April 18: The Big Sick (2017).

Movie Synopsis: A Pakistani-American stand-up comedian falls for a white grad student, and decides to keep their uncertain romance a secret from his traditionalist, Muslim family. However, their relationship gets more serious when she develops a mysterious illness, which in turn forces him to bond with her parents (Rating: R, 2hr).



April 25: Enjoy a presentation from Joe Fahey, called: "Tut's Tomb and the Valley of the Kings." For 500 years royal mummies of the New Kingdom were interred in elaborate underground tombs in the Valley of the Kings. Joe Fahey will show you the secret chambers and colorful hieroglyphs created for the afterlife of Egypt's greatest pharaohs, including the famous King Tut.