



# May 2023 Newsletter

## Author Event: Maggie Ginsberg

Thurs., May 18 - 6p

Maggie Ginsberg, author of "Still True," will be at the library for a book reading and signing. Arcadia Books will be there with some copies for purchase.

"Still True," which has been a Spring Green favorite, based on Circulation numbers and talk at the desk, is a wonderful read about small town life with fantastic characters. It is also the Honorable Mention for the Edna Ferber Fiction Book Award for 2022!



Maggie Ginsberg is an editor at Madison Magazine and a freelance writer for city, regional, and national magazines. Still True is her debut novel.



## Introduction to Mahjongg

2 Sessions:

Wed., May 24 - 7p

Wed., May 31 - 7p

Learn Mahjongg, not the online tile matching game, but the American version that took the states by storm in the 1920s, from the group you have seen playing around town at either the General Store or Arcadia. The group will share equipment and information, so nothing is needed to get started. New players are welcome!

Registration required. Space is limited to the first 12 people.

## Book Discussions



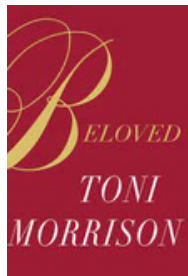
Books available for pick-up at the Library.

## Classics Conquered

Group 1 - Thurs., May 4 - 6p

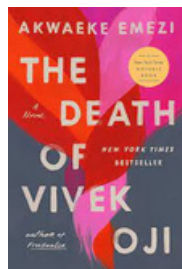
Group 2 - Wed., May 10 - 2p

Join us as we read through some of Toni Morrison's works from April to October. For May, we will discuss Part one of Morrison's Pulitzer winning book, "Beloved."



Wed., May 24 - 2p

Every Fourth Wednesday at 2pm, join us for a cup of coffee and a chat about the month's pick. For May, we will be reading "The Death of Vivek Oji" by Akwaeke Emezi.



## Kids



## All Ages Storytime

Wed., May 3, 10, 17, 24 - 10:30a

Sat., May 13, 20 - 10:30a

No Storytime - Wed., May 31

In May, our theme will be Home and Away. We'll explore all the fun things our homes and the world around us have to offer. We'll read cozy stories about staying in and exciting stories about going on adventures.

## Teens

## Teen Game Time

Wed., May 10 - 4p

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



## Paper Airplane Airshow Wed., May 24 - 4p

In place of the Teen DIY & Crafting Program, enjoy this program in honor of National Paper Airplane Day. We will find out whose will fly and whose will dive, get ready to let loose. Supplies available in the Teen Area, if you want to work ahead. This event will be held outside, weather permitting.

# May Calendar

2 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)  
 3 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 4 - Classics Conquered (6p)  
 6 - Friends of the Library Book Collection (10a)  
 Mindfulness: Discussion and Practice (Zoom) (10:30a)  
 8 - Library Board Meeting (5p)  
 9 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)  
 10 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 Classics Conquered (2p)  
 Teen Game Time (4p)  
 Tech Drop-in (6p)  
 11 - Driftless Trail: A New Footpath Through These Hills (6p)  
 13 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 16 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)  
 17 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 18 - Author Visit: Maggie Ginsberg (6p)  
 20 - Mindfulness: Discussion and Practice (10:30a)  
 All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 23 - Movies, Munchies, and More: Dementia Friendly Presentation (1p)  
 Zoom Viewing: Let's Talk About Anxiety and Depression  
 24 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)  
 Book Discussion (2p)  
 Paper Airplane Airshow (4p)  
 Introduction to Mahjongg (7p)  
 25 - Tech Drop-in (11a)  
 27 - Library Closed  
 29 - Library Closed  
 30 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)  
 Zoom Viewing: Let's Talk about Civilian Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (6p)  
 31 - Introduction to Mahjongg (7p)

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

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## Adults

### Driftless Trail: A New Footpath Through These Hills

Thus., May 11 - 6p



Barb Barzen, Community Conservation Specialist, will talk about how the Driftless Area Land Conservancy is developing the 50+ mile pedestrian-only Driftless Trail that will eventually connect Tower Hill, Governor Dodge, and Blue Mound State Parks.



### Zoom Viewing: Let's Talk About Anxiety and Depression

Tues., May 23 - 6p

### Zoom Viewing: Let's Talk About Civilian Post Traumatic Stress Disorder

Tues., May 30 - 6p



### Tech Drop-in

Wed., May 10 - 6p

Thus., May 25 - 11a

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.

## 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.

May 2



May 9



May 16



May 30

May 23  
 Dementia Friendly Presentation  
 for Caregivers and Community

