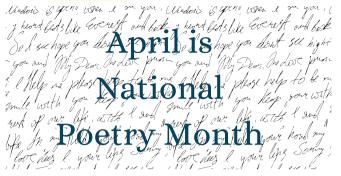


# **April 2024 Newsletter**



## Family Poetry Workshop

Wed., April 4 at 5:30p

Join Librarian Kate Franzmann (who is a poet in addition to children's librarian) as we kick off National Poetry Month! Explore different types of poetry and learn about ways to create your own. We'll experiment with rhythm, rhyme, alliteration, and a few other tricks to craft poems that are not only meaningful but also fun to read and share. Maybe you'll write something you'd like to share at our Poetry Slam event on April 17!

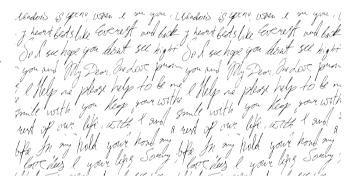
This event is designed with a focus on school-aged children, but everyone (adults included) is more than welcome to participate.

## Poetry Slam

Wed., April 17 at 4:00p

Celebrate Poetry Month with an evening of spoken word! Come share poems, a short story or other creative spoken expression. Share an original piece, a favorite author's work, or just enjoy listening. We promise a welcoming setting with engaging words and refreshments for all.

Possible bonus: Students from River Valley High School classes have been invited and may, as in previous years, share pieces they've been working on!



Library Trivia Tuesday, April 16 at 7pm

Are you up for the challenge? Come by yourself or bring a team of up to 4 teens or adults to see if you can beat the Spring Green Community Library's Trivia. Themes will change with each session. Bragging rights to the winners!



# Kids

### All Ages Storytime

Wed., April 3, 10, 17, and 24 at 10:30a

Throughout the month of April we'll be sharing books, songs and activities. All ages welcome. April themes will include poetry to celebrate National Poetry Month, and Rain to celebrate April showers!

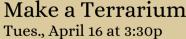


Note: April 3 will be held in the Children's Area.

Mon., April 22 at 10:30a

We'll have the music on, instruments and noise makers ready! Tunnels, bounce toys, hula hoops and active games will give us lots of opportunities to wiggle! Come ready to shake your sillies out!

# All Ages





Create a beautiful miniature garden to welcome spring! We'll provide habitat, plants and small decorations. Feel free to bring any tiny decorations or embellishments you might want to add! Registration Required!



#### Homeschool Hangout Mon., April 15 at 1:00p

Join other area homeschoolers for a fun morning of play and learning as we explore spring through some seasonal activities.

# **April Calendar**

3 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)

4 - Explore the World of Watercolor (1p) Tech Drop-in (2p)

Family Poetry Workshop (5:30p)

6 - Friends of the Library Book Collection (10a)

8 - Library Board Meeting (5p)

9 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)

10 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)

12 - Library Closed for Staff In-Service Day

14 - Friends of the Library's Chocolate Lab

15 - Homeschool Hangout (1p)

16 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)

Make a Terrarium (3:30p)

Yarn Rocks! (5p)

Library Trivia (7p)

17 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)

Poetry Slam (4p)

22 - Move & Groove (10a)

23 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)

24 - All Ages Storytime (10:30a)

Book Discussion (2p)

30 - Movies, Munchies, and More (1p)

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Monday-Thursday 10a - 7p Friday 10a - 5p Saturday 10a - 1p

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#### Yarn Rocks!

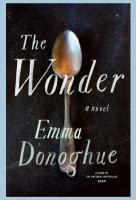
Tuesday, April 16 at 5pm



Come to the Library on the first and third Tuesday of the month to meet fellow knitters in the community: come for help (beginner to mid-level knitting help available); come to learn new skills or brush up on current skills; come to get out of the house for a few hours; come for the health benefits (recent research out of Denmark demonstrated the overall health benefits of craft work, including knitting and crocheting). Join us when you can.

#### **Book Discussion**





#### Wed., April 24 at 2p

Every Fourth Wednesday at 2pm, join us for a cup of coffee, snack, and a chat about this month's selection. The book is available at the Library a month before the discussion. For April, we will be reading: "The Wonder" by Emma Donoghue.

#### 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.

April 9 Line Dancing

April 16 Ireland - A Colorful Tour of the

Emerald Isle with Joe Fahey

April 23 Line Dancing

April 30 Ma Rainey's Black

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