

April 2025

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31	1	2	3	4	5
	Storytime 10:00am	Babies on Blankets 10:00am		Family Bingo 10:00am	Genealogy Workshop with Russ Horton 9:30am
Columbus Public Library Homeschool Program 1:30pm	Tech Tuesdays 12:00pm	Crafternoon 3:30pm	Tween Creative Writing Workshop 3:30pm		
	Chad Lewis: Wisconsin's Gangster Past 5:30pm		Library After Hours Book Club <i>Things You Save in a Fire</i> 7:00pm		
7	8	9	10	11	12
	Storytime 10:00am	Storytime 10:00am			Friends Book Sale at the Library Annex 10:00am - 2:00pm
Columbus Public Library Homeschool Program 1:30pm		Lego Club 3:30pm	Tween Creative Writing Workshop 3:30pm		
		Mindfulness Matters Group (online) 6:00pm		Family Pizza & Board Game Night 6:00pm	
14	15	16	17	18	19
	Music & Motion 10:00am	Music & Motion 10:00am	Third Thursday <i>The Berry Pickers</i> 1:30pm		Saturday Storytime 10:00am
Columbus Public Library Homeschool Program 1:30pm		Stitching Stars 3:30pm	Book Dragons Creative Writing Lab 3:30pm		Little Yogis 11:00am
Teen Afternoon: <i>Escape from the Library</i> 4:00pm	Library Board Meeting 5:00pm	Mindfulness Matters Group (online) 6:00pm			
21	22	23	24	25	26
	Storytime 10:00am	Storytime 10:00am			Friends Book Sale at the Library Annex 10:00am - 2:00pm
Columbus Public Library Homeschool Program 1:30pm		STEAM: Seeds & Wildflowers 3:30pm			
	Author Talk: George Hesselberg 6:00pm	Adult Craft Night 6:00pm			
28	29	30	1	2	3
	Storytime 10:00am	Music & Motion 10:00am			Genealogy Workshop with Chris Behl 9:30am
Columbus Public Library Homeschool Program 1:30pm		5th Wednesday 3:30pm			
		Mindfulness Matters Group (online) 6:00pm	Library After Hours Book Club <i>The Last Letter</i> 7:00pm		

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Mon-Thu: 9:00am - 7:00pm
Fri: 9:00am - 5:00pm
Sat: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Teen Afternoon: Escape from the Library

**Monday, April 14,
4:00pm**

Test your skills in a library escape room! There will be puzzling questions and scenarios where you will need to find the right answer to get clues to escape from the library.
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Chad Lewis: Wisconsin's Gangster Past

Tuesday, April 1 @ 5:30pm

For over 25 years, Chad Lewis has traveled the back roads of the world in search of the strange and unusual. With a master's degree in psychology, Chad has authored over 25 books, and extensively lectures on his fascinating findings. In the past couple of years, he has presented programs for our library on his books about Wisconsin tales of the paranormal.

For this program, Chad turns his eye to a completely different set of Wisconsin stories: the history of gangsters in the Badger state.

If you have seen him before, you know that Chad is a highly entertaining presenter who brings programs filled with tons of facts, pictures, and stories. Plan to come early, since seating is very limited.

5th Wednesday

**Wednesday, April 30
4:00pm**

Join us for board games and puzzle time! We will also be offering chess lessons and tutorials from a local chess expert during this program.

Genealogy Workshop with Russ Horton

Saturday, April 5 @ 9:30-11:00

Do you have a veteran in your family tree? In this presentation, learn about sources, tips, and tricks that you can use to learn about your military ancestor from the Civil War to the present. Presentation will be in person at the library and online via Zoom. Register online for Zoom link.

Author Talk: George Hesselberg

Tuesday, April 22 @ 6:00pm

George will be here to discuss his book, Dead Lines: Slices of Life from the Obit Beat, a lively collection of feature obituaries and related news stories celebrating life, and sharing the most fascinating stories that came from decades of covering the obit and public safety beats. In his many years at the newspaper, Hesselberg frequently found himself writing about fatal accidents, crime investigations, and the deaths of the wealthy, famous, or notorious. But he was most drawn to the curious, the unknown, and the unsung—the deaths that normally wouldn't make much of a splash, if any mention at all, in the news columns of a daily paper.

Adult Craft Night: Book and Bead Wine Charms

**Wednesday, April 23
@ 6:00pm**

Create your own custom wine charms! Beads and book themed charms will be available to create your personalized wine charms.

To learn more about our upcoming events visit columbuspubliclibrary.info or use the QR code:

