

ELGIN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

freedom

Once you learn to Read, you will be forever Free.
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**Are you an artist
or photographer?**

We now have a "local art
gallery" inside the library.
Our plan is to have a local
artist display their art for
a month at time.
Let me know if you are
interested.



WINDCHIME

ADULT-ISH WINE BOTTLE CRAFT

Mar. 14 @ 6:30 p.m.



We have 24 wine bottles.

First come, First serve

If we have more people that want to participate,
we will schedule this event again.



March 1-7

Return the Borrowed Books Week



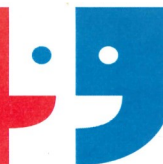
March 3-9

Read an E-Book Week



Paws to Read Month

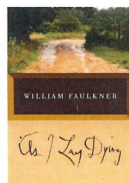
The Elgin Animal Shelter will once again have kitties and possibly a puppy for a special cuddle & story time event May 26 @ 4



A PROGRAM OF OKLAHOMA HUMANITIES

"The Dynamics of Dysfunction: To Laugh or Cry or Both"

2/22/2024 @ 6:30 PM | Discussion will be led by Dr. Kalenda Eaton from the University of Oklahoma

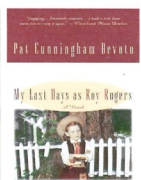


"A true 20th-century classic from the Nobel Prize-winning author of *The Sound and the Fury*: the famed harrowing account of the Bundren family's odyssey across the Mississippi countryside to bury Addie, their wife and mother. As *I Lay Dying* is one of the most influential novels in American fiction in structure, style, and drama. Narrated in turn by each of the family members, including Addie herself as well as others, the novel ranges in mood from dark comedy to the deepest pathos." - From the Publisher

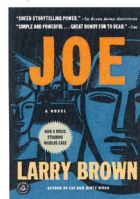
3/28/2024 @ 6:30 PM | Discussion will be led by Dr. William Carney from Cameron University

"The literary love child of Harper Lee and Mark Twain....With such a delightful debut, her next appearance in print can't come too soon." - Booklist (starred review)

"Devoto writes beautifully.....Like *To Kill a Mockingbird*, this book paints a distinctly Southern picture of friendship, justice, and the bond between outcasts." - St Petersburg Times



4/25/2024 @ 6:30 PM | Discussion will be led by Dr. Margery Kingsley from Cameron University

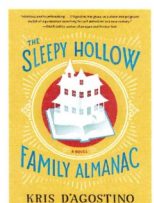


"With this powerful novel of poverty-mired Mississippi... Brown comes into his own, illuminating the painful lives of his characters with compassion and eloquence." - Publishers Weekly

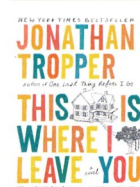
"Larry Brown is establishing himself as one of the most authentic literary voices of our generation. It's a voice framed, as many great voices have been, in the inflections of the South. It's a voice as true as a gun rack, unpretentious and uncorrupted, full of wit and sorrow." - Baltimore Evening Sun

5/23/2024 @ 6:30 PM | Discussion will be led by Dr. Judy Neale from Cameron University

"Calvin Moretti can't believe how much his life sucks. He's a twenty-four-year-old film school dropout living at home again and working as an assistant teacher at a preschool for autistic kids. His insufferable go-getter older brother is also living at home, as is his kid sister, who's still in high school and has just confided to Cal that she's pregnant. What's more, Calvin's father, a career pilot, is temporarily grounded and obsessed with his own mortality, and his ever-stalwart mother is now crumbling under the pressure of mounting bills and the imminent loss of their Sleepy Hollow, New York, home: the only thing keeping the Morettis moored. Can things get worse? Oh, yes, they can." - From the Publisher



6/27/2024 @ 6:30 PM | Discussion will be led by Dr. John Morris from Cameron University



"The death of Judd Foxman's father marks the first time that the entire Foxman clan has congregated in years. There is, however, one conspicuous absence: Judd's wife, Jen, whose affair with his radio-shock-jock boss has recently become painfully public. Simultaneously mourning the demise of his father and his marriage, Judd joins his dysfunctional family as they reluctantly sit shiva and spend seven days and nights under the same roof. The week quickly spins out of control as longstanding grudges resurface, secrets are revealed and old passions are reawakened. Then Jen delivers the clincher: she's pregnant." - From the Publisher

BIBLIO- 2024 POSSE

Join us at 9 a.m. to discuss
a book of your choice based
on our monthly prompts!



- Jan. 23: Story of personal redemption
Feb. 27: Guilty pleasure
Mar. 26: Story concerning emigration/immigration
**June is National Immigrant Heritage Month **
April 23: Any book by Billie Letts
** April is Oklahoma Book Awards month **
May 28: Story concerning mental health
** May is Mental Health Awareness Month **
June 25: Small town setting
** June is Small Cities Month **
July 30: Graphic novel
** July is Graphic Novels in Libraries Month **
Aug. 27: Great Depression era setting
** The Great Depression's onset can be dated back to Aug. 1929 **
Sept. 24: Story set during a natural disaster
** Sept. is National Preparedness Month **
Oct. 29: Book with a yellow cover
Nov. 26: Favorite children's book
** Nov. 4-10 is Children's Book Week **

RESUME REBOOT

with
Ashley Watkins

Job Search Coach, Nationally Certified Résumé Writer (NCRW), and Nationally Certified Online Profile Expert (NCOPE)

FREE LIVE WORKSHOP

Wednesday, March 27
2:00 PM PST/ 5:00 PM EST

Attendees must register.
Space is limited!



Scan to
register

Keywords

How to create a keyword-rich résumé that hiring managers find so irresistible, they'd be crazy not to make the call.

Design Elements

What design elements draw the reader's attention to your skills, competencies, and results.

Showcase Your Value

Strategies for showcasing your value so you land more interviews and higher-paying positions.

Questions? Contact us at info@brainfuse.com



Adult-ish Game Night



Where?

Elgin Community Library

When?

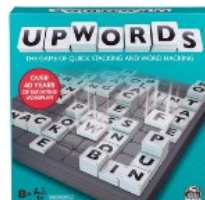
The first Tuesday of
every month @ 6:30 PM



What
should I
bring?

We've got you covered!
Games and snacks will be
provided for everyone!

Next Game (Mar. 5)



Elgin
Community
Library

FIRST AID & CPR TRAINING

Courtesy of
Great Plains
Technology Center

Get
Certified in
First Aid &
CPR

Space is limited
to 10 people.
Register today!

Learn CPR and First Aid to
prepare for emergency
situations.

Saturday, Nov. 18
Saturday, Jan. 20
Saturday, March 16
Saturday, May 18

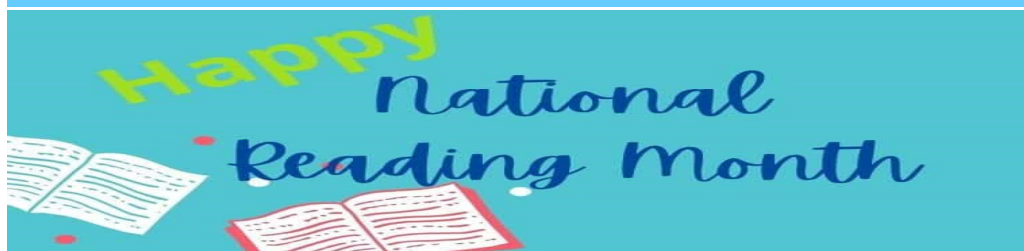
All sessions are free and
held at Elgin Community
Center from 9 AM-1 PM.

TO REGISTER, CALL (580) 492-6650



March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
closed	10-6	10-6	10-6	10-6	10-6	9-12



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Book n'Hookers

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Game Night @ 6:30

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Book n'Hookers

**Closed for OK
Library Conference**



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Chamber @ 12
City Council @ 6

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Wigglers @ 10:30
Teen Café @ 4:30

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STEAM @ 10:30
Adultish Craft @ 6:30

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Book n'Hookers
CPR 9-1
Grow Getters @ 10



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NO PROGRAMS

Book n'Hookers

SPRING BREAK!

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Biblioposse @ 9
Paws to Read @ 4

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Wigglers @ 10:30
Teen Café @ 4:30

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STEAM @ 10:30
LTAI 6:30

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Book n'Hookers

