

What's New at the Library

THE RACINE PUBLIC LIBRARY
BUILDING AND BOOKMOBILE ARE

CLOSED

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

We will reopen for our normal hours on Saturday, April 19. Social services and phone support will not be available during the closure.

See our full hours at [RacineLibrary.info/hours-locations](https://racinelibrary.info/hours-locations).

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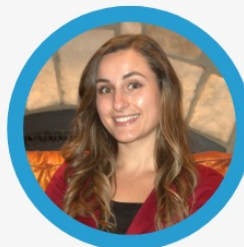
LOCAL AUTHORS SHOWCASE



SATURDAY, APRIL 26
10 A.M. - 4 P.M.



RACINE PUBLIC LIBRARY
SECOND FLOOR



SEE THE LINE-UP

[RacineLibrary.info/Showcase2025](https://racinelibrary.info/Showcase2025)

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Mark your calendars for the weekend of April 24 - 26 at the Racine Public Library! This weekend features both our Local Author Showcase on Saturday, April 26, and the Friends' spring book sale on Thursday, April 24 through Saturday, April 26.

To visit the showcase, stop by the second floor from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. to attend presentations by local authors, chat with them about their work, and buy their books. We're excited to be hosting more than a dozen different authors.

The book sale will take place on the first floor, in the Booktique, the Atrium, the Lee Room and the Stacks. The sale kicks off with a members-only day on Thursday, April 24 from noon - 6 p.m. The following two days — Friday, April 25 and Saturday, April 26 — will be open to the public from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Wares will include used books, games, DVDs, puzzles, and more, all for a great price.

If you're not a member of the Friends, you can sign up at any time to be eligible to shop during the members-only day — even on the day of the sale! Membership starts at \$15 and lasts for one year. You can sign up at RacineLibrary.info/friends or at the library during the sale.

A graphic for a Spring Book Sale announcement. It features a background image of a library interior with bookshelves and a patterned carpet. Overlaid on this is a large, light blue speech bubble with a dark blue border. Inside the bubble, the text reads: "SPRING BOOK SALE" in large, bold, dark blue letters. Below that, it says "MEMBER PREVIEW DAY:" followed by "THURSDAY, APRIL 24 @ 12:00-6:00". Then "OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:" followed by "FRIDAY, APRIL 25 @ 10:00-4:00" and "SATURDAY, APRIL 26 @ 10:00-4:00". In the bottom right corner of the graphic is the logo for the Friends of the Racine Public Library, which includes a stylized lighthouse and the text "FRIENDS OF THE RACINE PUBLIC LIBRARY".

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RUFF READERS

READ TO A THERAPY DOG



MONDAY – THURSDAY • 4 P.M. – 5 P.M.
MAR. 31 – MAY 15

EXCEPT DURING LIBRARY OR RUSD CLOSURES
*NO SESSIONS THE WEEK OF APRIL 14

The Martin Room • Kids K-5



REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED.
TO BOOK, PLEASE CALL: (262) 636-9217

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A Spring CRAFT TIME

Tuesday, April 22,
May 6 & May 20
10-11 a.m.

Youth Services • Kids
No Registration

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A School's Out CRAFT TIME

Friday, March 17
Wednesday, April 23
Friday, May 16
10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Youth Services
Kids
No Registration

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Reading Rainbow Book Club

Last Thursday of every month
5 - 6 p.m.
TeenScene
Teens • No Registration

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TEEN HANGOUT HOUR Movie Night

Tuesday, April 22
5 - 7 p.m.
TeenScene
No Registration

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GETTING IN TOUCH: ANDROID 101

Saturday, April 19 & May 17
Noon - 1 p.m.

The Innovation Lab
Adults • Registration Required



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GETTING IN TOUCH: CUTTING THE CORD

Mondays
April 21 & May 19 • 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
June 16 & 30 • July 21 • Aug. 18 • 4:30 - 5:15 p.m.

The Innovation Lab
Adults • Registration Required



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WORK READINESS RESUME WORKSHOP with AAccess

A Two-Day Class:
**Tuesday, April 22 &
Wednesday, April 23**
3 - 5 p.m.

The Community Room
Adults • Registration Required



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MAHJONG GATHERINGS

April 5 • May 3
and every four Saturdays in 2025
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

The Community Room
Teens & Adults
Registration required for
instructional sessions only



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COFFEE & CONVERSATION

EVERY 2ND & 4TH THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
12:30-1:30 P.M.

THE BUSINESS CENTER
ADULTS • NO REGISTRATION



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DROP-IN MOVIES

EVERY FRIDAY • 2-4 P.M.

COMMUNITY ROOM
ADULTS • NO REGISTRATION

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SENIOR ART:

Abstract Art with Shannon



Tuesday, April 22
Noon - 2 p.m.

The Community Room
Adults 50+
Registration Required

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Service Spotlight

Social Work Services at the Racine Public Library

How can I connect with the Library Social Worker?



Ashley Cedeño, MSW (she/her)
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(262) 321-9458

Other services:

- Free Bus Passes*:
 - Tuesdays 1-2:30 p.m.
 - Wednesdays 3-5:30 p.m.
 - Thursdays 10-11:30 a.m.
- *Must provide proof of necessity listing your name and the date for your ride. Can be a text, email or letter.
- Limited to five per person per month.
- Available to anyone, no library card needed.

What is a Library Social Worker and what can they help with?

The Library Social worker is available to guide patrons in connecting with community resources that meet their unique needs including:

- Housing
- Employment
- Mental Health
- Aging and Disability
- Substance Use
- Sensory needs
- Many other issues

Library Links

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Hours

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Friday & Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.





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