




# April 2025 at the Ellsworth Public Library

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| Sunday  | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday  |
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| <b>Library Mystery Quilts on display through April 30</b><br>                                  | <b>This month in the Makerspace:</b><br>Explore Mini Arts<br>See calendar on the back of this page.   | <b>1</b><br><b>Stitchin' Time Crafters</b> →<br>Wednesdays at 10:00 am<br><i>Contact the library if you are interested to get on the group email list</i>   | <b>2</b> <i>Play &amp; Learn</i><br><b>Container Gardens For Sun and Shade 6:15 pm</b><br>Live Virtual Gardening Workshop with Melinda Myers<br><b>The Storytime Playspace will be closed on Wednesdays from 10 am - 12 pm for Play &amp; Learn</b> | <b>3</b><br><i>Friends of the Library Meeting</i><br>6:00 pm - Meeting Room  | <b>4</b> <b>STORYTIME</b><br>Storytime 10:10 am<br>Storytime Playspace<br><i>Z is for Zoom</i>   | <b>5</b> <b>National Play Outside Day</b><br>1st Saturday of each month<br>      |
| <b>6</b><br><br><b>Drawn to the Library</b><br><b>National Library Week</b><br>April 6-12, 2025 | <b>7</b><br><b>EPL Mini Art Show</b> - Create your entry at the library or pick up a mini canvas to create at home<br><b>Entries due April 26</b> | <b>8</b><br><b>Discover Together Tuesday</b><br>Tie Dye Totes<br>11:00 am - Brush Strokes<br>273 N. Morse St.   | <b>9</b> <i>Play &amp; Learn</i><br><b>Indie Lens pop-up screening of Free For All!: The Public Library followed by a community conversation</b><br>6:00 - 7:30 pm<br><i>Makerspace</i>   | <b>10</b><br><b>Morning Book Club</b><br>10:30 am - Meeting Room<br><i>The Great Divide</i>  | <b>11</b> <b>STORYTIME</b><br>Storytime 10:10 am<br>Storytime Playspace<br><i>Alphabet Party</i> | <b>12</b>   |
| <b>13</b>   | <b>14</b><br><b>Tech Time</b><br>10:30 am - 12:00 pm<br>Study Room<br><i>Sign up for a time slot</i>  | <b>15</b><br><b>LEGO at the Library</b><br>3:30 - 5:30 pm<br><i>Makerspace</i><br><br><b>Only Murders in the Library Book Club</b><br>6:00 pm - Meeting Room | <b>16</b> <i>Play &amp; Learn</i><br><b>Beginning Quilting: Make a Table runner (Class 1 of 3)</b><br>6:00 - 7:30 pm<br><i>Makerspace</i><br>Registration Required<br>Space is limited!   | <b>17</b><br><b>St. Croix Valley Job Center</b><br><i>Employment Assistance</i><br>1:00 - 3:00 pm  | <b>18</b> <b>STORYTIME</b><br>Storytime 10:10 am<br>Storytime Playspace<br><i>Eggs</i>           | <b>19</b><br><b>Once Upon a Crime Book Store Field Trip</b><br>10:30 am   |
| <b>20</b><br><b>CELEBRATE NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK</b>   | <b>21</b><br><b>Therapy Dog Maggie</b><br>4:00 - 5:00 pm<br><i>Sign up for a time slot</i>  | <b>22</b><br><br><b>Tuesday Tales Storytime</b><br><b>Gardening with Guardians Event</b><br>10:10 am<br>Outside the Library                                | <b>23</b> <i>Play &amp; Learn</i><br><b>Beginning Quilting: Make a Table runner (Class 2 of 3)</b><br>6:00 - 7:30 pm<br><i>Makerspace</i>   | <b>24</b><br><b>Free Community Narcan Training</b> 12:00 - 1:00 pm<br><i>Meeting Room</i><br><b>All Ages Game Night</b><br>6:00 - 7:30 pm<br><i>Makerspace</i><br>  | <b>25</b> <b>STORYTIME</b><br>Storytime 10:10 am<br>Storytime Playspace<br><i>Clouds</i>         | <b>26</b> <b>Robotics Exploration</b><br>10:00 am<br><i>Makerspace</i><br><i>Registration Recommended</i><br><b>EPL Mini Art Show</b><br><b>Entries due by 1 pm</b> |
| <b>27</b>   | <b>28</b>   | <b>29</b><br><i>Library Board Meeting</i><br>5:15 pm - Meeting Room   | <b>30</b> <i>Play &amp; Learn</i><br><b>Dia de los ninos/Dia de los libros fiesta</b><br><b>Children's Day/Book Day Party</b><br>4:00 - 5:30 pm<br><b>Beginning Quilting (Class 3 of 3)</b> 6:00 - 7:30 pm  |  <b>Join us for a FIESTA celebrating Children, Books, Culture and Stories! Play carnival games, make crafts, listen to bilingual stories and meet the Wayfinder Princess! Every child takes home a new book, too!</b> |  |    |

## Gardening Workshop

Join us for a jump start on spring with a live virtual webinar focused on creating vibrant container gardens for both sun and shade. This event is presented by gardening expert Melinda Myers in collaboration with Wisconsin Libraries and WE Energies. Following the webinar, attendees are invited to ask Myers questions and stay to plant seeds to get a start on their own container garden!

## 4th Annual EPL Mini Art Show

We are having a Mini Art Show and you are the artist. Starting April 7 stop by the Makerspace to create your masterpiece or pick up a mini canvas to complete at home. Your original artworks are due by April 26. Works will go on display May 5. Entrants will be entered into art-related prize drawings.

**THEME: Drawn to the Library**

## Quilting

Get inspired by our Mystery Quilts display and then join us for a Beginning Quilting class! You will learn the basics of cutting, piecing, sewing and quilting while making a table runner. All materials are provided free of charge.



MAKERSPACE

April 2025

# This Month: Explore Mini Arts

Keep an eye out for pop-up activities!

Always Available:  
Coloring Pages and Drawing Materials  
Board, Dice and Card Games

The Makerspace is closed 30-60 minutes before programs for set-up of materials.

The Makerspace closes 15 minutes before the library closes for cleaning.

April 1-5 This week is all about surprises. Stop in and see what we've found for you to get creative with!

Events: Apr. 2 - 6:15 - 7:30 pm - Container Gardens For Sun & Shade

## April 7-12

### Mini Art

Create your entry for the 4th Annual EPL Mini Art Show! Mini canvases, paints and other materials will be available for creating at the library or take a canvas home and return it!



Events: Apr. 9 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Indie Lens Pop-up Film Screening and Community Conversation: Free for All! The Public Library

## April 14-19

### Mini Dioramas

Use papers, the tiny images provided and/or your own drawings to build a mini scene or image inside an empty matchbox. Glue and sticker adhesives are also provided.



Events: Apr. 15 - 3:30 - 5:30 pm - LEGO at the Library  
Apr. 16 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Beginning Quilting

## April 21-26

### Mini Habitats

Choose a mini animal and create a mini habitat or garden for it to live in with the materials provided.



Events: Apr. 23 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Beginning Quilting  
Apr. 24 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - All Ages Game Night  
Apr. 26 - 10:00 - 11:00 am - Robotics Exploration

## April 28 - May 3

### Mini Clay Creations

Use Crayola Model Magic to create your own mini clay creations to take home for play or display!



Events: Apr. 30 - 4:00 - 5:30 pm - Children's Day/Book Day Party  
Apr. 30 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Beginning Quilting