

# May 2025 at the Ellsworth Public Library

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Wildflower Walk
	Brushstrokes & Reflections: The Watercolor World of Brian Doolittle through July 31		Stitchin' Time Crafters Wednesdays at 10:00 am Contact the library if you are interested to get on the group email list	Spring Teen Meet-up 6:00 pm - Makerspace Waffles - Fidgets - Escape!	2 No Storytime	3 National Play Outside Day 1st Saturday of each month What's	Did you know that Ellsworth's very own Cairns Woods is a sanctuary for many of Wisconsin's ephemeral spring wildflowers? Join us for a
Honoring Heroes: A Tribute to American Legion Posts of Pierce County through July 31			The Storytime Playspace will be closed on Wednesdays from 10 am - 12 pm for Play & Learn	Friends of the Library Meeting 6:00 pm - Meeting Room		Your Goal? Learn more at the library or at ellsworthlibrary.org	walk where we will search for resident wildflowers and learn about how you can assist scientists in Wisconsin and across the country by
May is Mental Health Awareness Month. Stop in and pick up a goodie bag while supplies last!	5	6 Wildflower Walk and Community Science Activity 4:30 pm meet at Cairns Woods trailhead at the end of West Cairns St. behind Evergreen Estates	7 Vertical Gardening 6:15 pm Live Virtual Gardening Workshop with Melinda Myers and create your own small vertical garden project	8 Morning Book Club 10:30 am - Meeting Room North Woods  Book Tasting 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Makerspace Registration Required	Storytime 10:10 am Storytime Playspace Flowers	10	documenting flora and fauna using iNaturalist and the Seek app to identify, photograph and share your discoveries. Wear sturdy shoes and be prepared for walking on uneven ground. Smart phone helpful but not required.
May is High Blood Pressure Aware- ness Month. Stop in to learn about new blood press- ure kits available for checkout.	<b>12 Tech Time</b> 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Study Room Sign up for a time slot	13 Discover Together Tuesday Wisconsin Gangsters with Chad Lewis 11:00 am - Senior Center Brian Doolittle Artist Reception 6:00 - 7:30 pm 1985-2025 Watercolor Retrospective	14	Cognitive Wellness 1:30 pm - Meeting Room  St. Croix Valley Job Center Employment Assistance 1:00 - 3:00 pm	Storytime 10:10 am Storytime Playspace Muscles	17 Robotics Exploration 10:00 am Makerspace Registration Recommended	Wellness Programs Are you concerned about your cognitive wellness? Do you struggle with joint pain? Do you worry about maintaining your cognitive wellness or about keeping your joints healthy? If so,
Check out a WI S Park day pass at library! This popu program is back a will run through September or unt	the dar and til	20 LEGO at the Library 3:30 - 5:30 pm Makerspace Only Murders in the Library Book Club	21	<b>22</b> Joint Pain  1:30 pm - Meeting Room	Storytime 10:10 am Storytime Playspace Patterns	24	then our two Thursday afternoon wellness programs with Allie Borsky from Healthways Integrative Medicine might be a perfect fit for you. We hope you'll join us.
25	26  Library closed in observance of Memorial Day	27  Tuesday tales Storytime  10:10 am - Turtles Storytime Playspace  Library Board Meeting 5:15 pm - Meeting Room	28	29 All Ages Game Night 6:00 - 7:30 pm Makerspace		3 1 ur 4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Mini n display May 1 - 30 space	This month in the Makerspace: Explore Picture Book Illustrators and their art techniques. See calendar on back of this page.





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### 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.

## May 5 - 10 (Children's Book Week)

#### Julie Flett: the Art and Power of Landscape

Julie Flett is a Cree-Metis author, illustrator and artist known for her textured images of the natural world and her warm, vibrant landscapes. Explore joining pastels, watercolors and collage to create your own landscapes that tell a story.



Events: May 7 - 6:15 - 7:45 pm - Vertical Gardening - Live Virtual Workshop May 8 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Book Tasting

## May 12 - 17

#### Christian Robinson: Making Space and the Art of Fun

Playful, poignant, and full of positive energy, Christian Robinson's illustrations celebrate the value of different perspectives and kindness to all. Make space for creativity and fun as you explore colored pencil and sketching to unlock your imagination and spark something new.



Events: May 17 - 10:00 - 11:00 am - Robotics Exploration

## May 19 - 24

#### Lucy Cousins: Maisy and the Wonder of Childhood

Lucy Cousins is the multi-award-winning creator of Maisy. Her unique titles fascinate toddlers with their child-like simplicity, bold outlines and vivid colors. Explore dark outlines, simple shapes and bright paint to create your own character!



Events: May 20 - 3:30 - 5:30 pm - LEGO at the Library

## May 26 - 31

#### Il Sung Na: Dreamy Animal Portraits

Il Sung Na's illustrations are full of rich textures and unique compositions in vibrant, springlike shades. Explore ink and simple print techniques to create dreamy, whimsical animal portraits.



Events: May 26 - Library closed in observance of Memorial Day May 29 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm - All Ages Game Night