



## Spring @ Cordova Library

Staycation @ the Library  
March 25-29, 2019

Spend your Spring Break with activities at the Library.

Monday, March 25th @ 1pm—Wapsi Education Center will bring snakes & turtles  
Tuesday, March 26th @ 1pm—Popcorn and a Movie—Mary Poppins Returns  
Wednesday, March 27th @ 9am—Donuts & Do Your Own Thing—Kids  
Thursday, March 28th @ 1pm—Popcorn and a Movie—Into the Spider-Verse  
Friday, March 29th @ 10am—Storytime for all ages with QC CAN Therapy Dogs!!

Book Sale  
April 1-8, 2019

The Library has been doing some spring cleaning! We have weeded hundreds of materials that will be in the sale. This doesn't include the items donated. Items include kids' books, DVDs, audio books, adult non-fiction and adult fiction. A suggested donation of \$5 gets a bag full of goodies. On Saturday, April 6th, a bag will be \$1. The remaining sale items will be free on April 8th! Stop in and check out the sale.

### Library Week! April 7-13, 2019

Once again it is time for National Library Week! The Cordova District Library is always grateful to our patrons and community for their support of the library. Stop in the library and vote on your favorite PEEPS® Diorama.

### PEEPS® Diorama

In celebration of National Library Week, stop in the Library and get a set of PEEPS® chicks or bunnies and make a diorama of your favorite book. The dioramas will be voted on during Library Week, April 7-13. This is open to all ages!

### QC CAN

Quad Cities Canine  
Assistance Network

**March 29th @ 10am**

Therapy Dogs are coming to Cordova Library for Story Time!! The QC CAN have highly trained therapy dogs and handlers that volunteer in the community. Come to the Library on Friday, March 29th at 10am and read to a dog! Sign up at 654-2330 or [cordovalibrary@gmail.com](mailto:cordovalibrary@gmail.com).

## CORDOVA LIBRARY QUILTERS

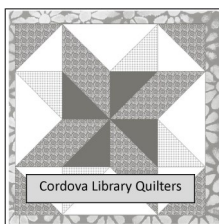
Cordova Library Quilters meet the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 1:00, September thru May. Please feel welcome to join us! We begin the meetings with inspirational show and tell.

The Quilters handle the monthly "Quilt of the Month" display in the library, featuring a local quilter's artwork.

On the calendar:

**March 19th**—Quick Curve Ruler with Jane Darin

**April 16th**—Basic intro to using natural dyes with Cheryl Lennox



## Do Your Own Thing

Fridays  
March 29th & April 26th  
10:00-3:00

Your chance to work on whatever you want! Sew, scrap, paint, mend, draw, etc. 15 tables available - sign up early! Potluck...bring a dish to share.

## Notary Services

Cordova Library offers Notary Services free of charge. Please remember that you need to sign your forms **in front** of the Notary.



We are happy to include your organization's events in our newsletter, on our web page, or flyers on the community bulletin board at the library. Just let us know what you have planned!

E-mail your news to:  
[cfornero-green@cordova.lib.il.us](mailto:cfornero-green@cordova.lib.il.us)

## You are invited to join River Valley Writers group!

10:00-12:00 Wednesdays

- March 27th
- April 24th



*Writing can be hard,  
but it doesn't have to  
be lonely.*

## Community Passes

Do you need to get out of the house during these long winter days? Cordova Residents can check out our Community Passes to the Quad City Botanical Center, Figge Art Museum and the Putnam Museum.

## Cordova District Library

402 Main Ave.  
Cordova IL 61242  
309-654-2330 / fax 309-654-2290

### Hours:

**Mon & Wed 9-8:00 Tues & Thurs 1-8:00**  
**Fri 9-5:00 Sat 9-1:00**  
[www.cordovalibrary.com](http://www.cordovalibrary.com)

## Library Delivery Available

Just had surgery? Can't drive to the Library? Want to see a friendly face? Cordova Library offers homebound delivery of materials. Call the Library at 654.2330 to check out the materials and schedule a delivery!

## Cordova Library Friends Group

Meeting Dates:  
Wednesday, March 6th @ 9am—  
Newsletter Folding

Wednesday, May 1st @ 9am—  
Newsletter Folding



### Join Pam Geregova for:

Zumba! At Cordova Library  
Tuesday & Thursday evenings  
from 5:00-6:00  
6.00 per session  
Special 5 class punch card!  
Once you reach your paid 5 classes—  
get one free class!

## Thank you....

Thank you to Wendy DeBrock from DeBrock Galleria for our new library hours sign. The Library is fortunate to have a DeBrock original!

### What to do with Cordova Memorabilia??

Do you have historical items from our community? Are you unsure what to do with it? Please bring items into the library to see if we can add it to our collection. Our community archives include photos, scrapbooks, programs, dishes, etc. The Library is always looking to add to the collection!

### Collecting Plastic Lids & Plastic Bottle Caps

River Cities Rotary is now collecting lids and bottle caps to make benches for our community. The Cordova Library is a drop off site for lids and bottle caps that are labeled Recycle # 2, 4 or 5. Some examples are: drink bottle caps (soda, water, juice, sport drinks), laundry detergent caps, yogurt lids, peanut butter jar lids and coffee can lids. Check out our website at [www.cordova.library.com](http://www.cordova.library.com) for the complete list. Please make sure that lids and caps are washed thoroughly.

### Pi Day

**Thursday, March 14th**

**Come to the Cordova Library to celebrate the mathematical Pi day. What better way to celebrate?? With pie of course! Join us all day for a variety of different types of pies.**

### Travelogue

**Thursday, April 11th @ 6:30**

**African Safari: Ultimate Africa – Botswana, Zambia, Zimbabwe & South Africa**

If your mental image of Africa resembles a Tarzan movie complete with jungle vines and calls of the wild, you should plan to attend the presentation on the southern portion of Africa given April 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the Alice Mason room of the library. Coffee and snacks will be provided.

John and Merredith Peterson traveled to Africa in August, 2018. They will share highlights of their adventure living in tented cabins in three national parks including the Okavango Delta, as well as hotels in Johannesburg and Cape Town. At the end of the talk, you should be able to distinguish a cheetah from and leopard, a rhino from a hippo, and a hyena from a jackal. For extra credit, you might learn how Victoria Falls compares to Niagra Falls and the habitat of Cape Penguins. Come and enjoy.

## Make It Mondays

Want to try something new? Registration is required for the upcoming sessions:

Monday, March 18th @ 1pm

Beaded Dragonflies

Monday, April 29th @ 1pm

Mini Terrariums

## Cordova Crafternoons

Come to the Cordova Library to make handmade cards! Materials and examples will be provided every two months.

Wednesday, April 3rd @ 1pm

Wednesday, June 5th @ 1pm

## Quilter/Artist Tours at the Figge Art Museum in March

Did you know that Tiffany often used fiber arts as a source of inspiration for his stained glass creations?

Join Mary Kay Hymes for another Quilter/Artist focused docent tour of the current exhibition of the beautiful glasswork by Tiffany Artisans (Driehaus Collection, Chicago).

To celebrate Fiber Arts activities, we will combine a look at both the MVQC Quilt Display in the lobby along with the Tiffany collection. **Thursday, March 21 at 7:00pm** (following the Reception by the Mississippi Valley Quilt Guild celebrating a display of prize winning quilts for National Quilter's Month). Come at 5:30 to meet many of the artists who created the quilts and then stay for the Tiffany Tour.

**Friday, March 22nd at 1:00pm** will be another opportunity to see the exhibit. If you would like to enjoy lunch at the Museum's Café first, meet at the elevator at 1:00 to join the tour of the Quilt exhibit and Tiffany Tour. The cost will be \$6 for the senior rate.

## Community Conversations

Community Conversations is a new program at Cordova Library. We will gather each month to talk about the history of the area. Our community has a rich history for a small community. The Library wants to document this history before it is lost. For the Community Conversations, we will have a roundtable discussion. The facilitators will have prompts to start the discussions. The Library will also be recording these conversations to document the history. These stories will also be used in future Library newsletter articles. Also, if anyone has pictures to go along with the stories, please bring them along!

## CORDOVA LIBRARY SERVICES

Delivery to homebound

Free Wi-Fi

Photocopier (color)

Fax machine

Public computers

Meeting room available

Notary on staff

CD/DVD Disk clean/repair

Public Scanner

Materials including: audiobooks, large print books, CD's, DVD'S, magazines

eMaterials: **Kanopy** (movies), **eRead** (books, audio books and more), **Hoopla** (music, movies, books, audio books), & **Flipster** (magazines)

# Summer Reading Program

## June 10th-July 20th

Cordova District Library is excited to announce the Summer Reading Program theme of "A Universe of Stories". This celebrates the 50th Anniversary of the Landing on the Moon. There will be many exciting programs that will be happening all summer at the library. Our May newsletter will have all the details. To give a sneak peek....

For kids 0-6 completing the Summer Reading Program, we will take a trip to the Family Museum in Bettendorf, IA.

For kids 1st grade through 12th grade completing the program, we will be taking a charter bus trip to iFly in Naperville, IL.

### Science Camp June 24th-June 28th

Science Camp will be limited to 18 students in grades 4th-8th. Cordova residents will have until Tuesday, March 12th to sign up. General sign up will begin on Wednesday, March 13th at 9am. Sign up by phone at 654-2330.

### Art Camps June 17th-21st      July 8th-12th

This year, Cordova Library will be offering 2 Art Camps. These art camps will be lead again by Rachel Ellicott. The art camp will be the same both weeks. Please sign up for only 1 camp. Last year, we had a waitlist for the art camps. We are trying having two camps to get more kids in. Again, these camps are for students who finished 4th-8th grades. Cordova residents will have until Tuesday, March 12th to sign up their children. The general sign up will begin on Wednesday, March 13th at 9am by phone call only. You may only sign up your own child. Call 654-2330 to sign up.

### Art Camp & Science Camp Trip Monday, July 15th

The Art & Science Camp participants will take a field trip to the Peoria Riverfront Museum on Monday, July 15th. The Museum includes art exhibits, a planetarium visit and an additional activity. The Library will bring lunches for the kids to eat on site. Parents are welcome to come on the trip. We will be taking a school bus for this trip. Parents, please sign up for the trip when calling to register for camps.

### Paint the Road Tuesday, June 11th @ 1pm Rain Date-Thursday, June 13th @ 1pm

Everyone's favorite summer activity! Join us for the annual Paint the Road day. Wear old clothes as we will be painting Main Avenue with new designs. Of course, there will be a nice cold treat when finished.

## First Baptist Church of Cordova

Sunday Morning Worship: 9:30 am

Lent is just around the corner. (Hopefully, spring is as well.) Lent is more frequently seen as a time of solemn observance and preparation for the celebration of the death and resurrection of Jesus at Easter. From its start on Ash Wednesday until its conclusion on Easter Sunday, Lent has been a traditional time for fasting or giving something up or abstinence. Just as we carefully prepare for events in our personal lives, as a wedding, or birthday; a commencement Lent invites us to make our minds and hearts ready for remembering Jesus' life, death and body resurrection.



To prepare ourselves for the coming Easter, we are First Baptist offering the following:

Ash Wednesday – Wednesday  
March 6 @ 7:00 PM

Lent Studies through Movies –  
Saturdays March 23, April 6, &  
April 20 @ 2:00 PM (Kung Fu  
Panda, Woodlawn, War Room)

Maundy Thursday Service –  
Thursday April 18 @ 7 PM

URICMA Good Friday Service – Friday April 19 @ 7:00  
PM @ Port Byron United Methodist

Sunrise Easter Service – Sunday April 21 @ 7 AM

Easter Breakfast – Sunday April 21 @ 7:45 AM

Easter Morning Service – Sunday April 21 @ 9:30 AM

Some of the other events that we will be hosting are the following:

2019 Harvest Home Planning Meeting (open to all) –  
Wednesday March 13 @ 1 PM

Blood Drive – Tuesday April 16 from 3:30 – 6:00 PM  
Feel free to join us for any or all of these events. You are encouraged to join us each Sunday for Sunday School at 8:30 AM and morning worship at 9:30 AM.

Pastor John Kress  
Cordova First Baptist, 602 Third Avenue S, Cordova, IL  
61242  
(309) 654-2501 – email: [fbccordova@mediacombb.net](mailto:fbccordova@mediacombb.net) –  
web: [fbccordova.org](http://fbccordova.org)

## Library Book Club

The Cordova Library Book Club meets the first Tuesday of the month at 1:00.  
Let us order a book in for you to read and join us for discussion!

### April 2nd—The Murder of Roger Ackroyd by Agatha Christie

From Amazon: Roger Ackroyd knew too much. He knew that the woman he loved had poisoned her brutal first husband. He suspected also that someone had been blackmailing her. Then, tragically, came the news that she had taken her own life with a drug overdose.

But the evening post brought Roger one last fatal scrap of information. Unfortunately, before he could finish reading the letter, he was stabbed to death.

### May 7th—Beneath a Scarlet Sky by Mark Sullivan

From Amazon: Pino Lella wants nothing to do with the war or the Nazis. When his family home in Milan is destroyed by Allied bombs, Pino joins an underground railroad helping Jews escape over the Alps, and falls for Anna, a beautiful widow six years his senior.

In an attempt to protect him, Pino's parents force him to enlist as a German soldier—a move they think will keep him out of combat. But after Pino is injured, he is recruited at the tender age of eighteen to become the personal driver for Adolf Hitler's left hand in Italy, General Hans Leyers, one of the Third Reich's most mysterious and powerful commanders.

Now, with the opportunity to spy for the Allies inside the German High Command, Pino endures the horrors of the war and the Nazi occupation by fighting in secret, his courage bolstered by his love for Anna and for the life he dreams they will one day share.



## Story Time Friday mornings 10:00-11:00

Join Chalyn for Story Time where we will be using movement for gross motor skills, stations for fine motor skills and of course stories!

## LIBRARY CLOSED

THE CORDOVA DISTRICT LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH. THE LIBRARY WILL REOPEN ON SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH AT 9AM.

**The Cordova Library needs the following items for programs.**  
**Old Electronics**

**Check out our website at  
[www.cordovalibrary.com](http://www.cordovalibrary.com)**

### Newsletter Request:

If you would like to receive this newsletter by email, please email the library at [cordovalibrary@gmail.com](mailto:cordovalibrary@gmail.com).

## Dye Fabric with Cheryl & Sue at Cordova Library Monday, April 15, 2019

Our traditional A, B, C / Dye 30 colors is 10:00 - 12:00. Participants will pick a color group and go home with a rainbow of fabrics. Check out our website to see the color palettes. A supply list is available online or in the library when you sign up for the workshop. Bring your own lunch to eat in between sessions.

You may want to try your hand at something new. Shibori techniques, fold and dip dye, or continue to mix and dye unusual fabrics. Bring plenty of fabric (great way to use up scraps). Other fabrics to try include burlap, lace, doilies, ugly fabric to over dye, etc. This is your chance to be creative! We will continue into the afternoon with "play time" until 4:00.

## CORDOVA TOWNSHIP PARK DISTRICT

Wishing all a Happy Spring!

The Cordova Township Park Board will have a vacancy in April. If interested and you would like more information please feel free to contact us.

309-714-9650 or e-mail  
[ctpd.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:ctpd.secretary@gmail.com)

Donn Larson, President  
Beverly Larson, Co Vice President  
Eric Case, Co Vice President  
Dave Jasper, Treasurer  
Margaret Bennett, Secretary



## Senior Luncheon & Program

Friday, April 12th

11am—Program      Noon—Luncheon

Cordova Township, Village of Cordova and Cordova Library are partnering to bring you a program featuring the comedy act "Guys in Ties" and a luncheon. The luncheon will consist of BBQ Pork Sandwiches and Burgers. Also, coleslaw, potato salad, baked beans and a dessert. You must register by April 3rd to attend. If you registered for the lunch and plans have changed, please contact the Library at 654-2330. There are people on the waitlist that may be able to attend.

# CORDOVA

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## ARE YOU CURIOUS ABOUT PODCASTS?

Podcasts are hot right now. Here is a mini-guide to podcasts for the curious.

### WHAT IS A PODCAST?

A podcast is like a radio show except, instead of tuning in on the radio, you listen to a recording on the Internet. Podcasts are typically free, original audio recordings. You can download a podcast and listen to it whenever you like, so you can start, stop and finish on your own time.

### WHY LISTEN TO A PODCAST?

If you want to be informed, educated or entertained about a topic, any topic, listening to podcasts might be for you. Think of something that interests you. Most likely, if you can think it, a podcast about that topic exists. To prove my point, here are some actual podcasts: *Beef and Dairy Network Podcast* (about beef and dairy production), *Dr. Tim's Spineless Wonders* (about the lives of insects), *The Dental Hacks Podcast* (about the dental world), *Curling Legends Podcast* (about the sport of curling), *Jack Mountain Bushcraft Podcast* (about survival skills), and *Behind the Knife* (about plastic surgery). Crazy, right?

### HOW TO LISTEN...

If you have an Apple device, the Podcasts App is included with your device. You simply open the app and click on "Browse" to view your choices. If you have an Android device, your Google Play Music App has a podcast section. If you prefer to listen on your computer, go to a podcasting site such as [soundcloud.com](http://soundcloud.com) and explore. Of course, you're welcome to come to the library and we'll be happy to help you!

### THINGS TO CONSIDER...

Not all podcasts are equal. Anyone with access to the internet and some simple equipment can start a podcast. This means the production quality varies greatly. Most podcasts are free. Some offer more content for money. I've never paid for a podcast.

### SOME PODCASTS TO TRY...

**Dan Carlin's Hardcore History:** Journalist Dan Carlin explores topics throughout world history with contagious enthusiasm. The episodes are long (4 hours +) and addicting.

**The Moth:** This podcast features true stories told live and without notes. The storytellers may be everyday people or celebrities. Perfect if you're a sucker for a good story.

**Up First:** This is NPR's morning podcast highlighting the biggest stories of the day in about ten minutes. Good if you need a quick taste of the news.

**Intelligence Squared U.S. Debates:** This podcast brings together the smartest minds to debate and dissect issues in depth in a civil manner. No one results to name calling on this one.

**Serial:** Host Sarah Koenig unfolds one true story over the course of a whole season. You need to listen to the episodes in order. Season 1 was fascinating for true crime fans.



# MARCH 2019




## CORDOVA DISTRICT LIBRARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 10:00 Story Time	2
3	4	5 1:00 Book Club 4:30 Crochet 5:00 Zumba!	6 9:00 Friends-Newsletter	7 5:00 Zumba!	8 10:00 Story Time	9
10	11	12 4:30 Crochet 5:00 Zumba!	13	14 PI Day!! 9:00 Board Meeting 5:00 Zumba!	15 10:00 Story Time	16 9:00 Imagination Station at WIU
17	18 1:00 Make it Monday – Dragonflies	19 1:00 Quilters 4:30 Crochet 5:00 Zumba!	20 1:00 Community Conversations 7:00 Legion	21 1:00 Home Extension 5:00 Zumba! 7:00 Figge Quilt Tour	22 10:00 Story Time 1:00 Figge Quilt Tour	23
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<b>Staycation Week</b>						
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# APRIL 2019



## CORDOVA DISTRICT LIBRARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Book Sale</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 1:00 Book Club 4:30 Crochet	<b>3</b> 1:00 Crafternoon— Card Making	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 10:00 Story Time	<b>6</b> <b>Book Sale</b> \$1 bags
						
<b>7</b> Library Week Apr 7-13th & Vote on Dioramas!	<b>8</b> <b>Book Sale— Free Books!</b>	<b>9</b> 4:30 Crochet 5:00 Zumba!	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 9:00 Board Meeting  6:30 Travelogue— Africa	<b>12</b> 10:00 Story Time  11:00 Senior Lunch & Program @ Civic Center	<b>13</b>
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