



# What's Happening

MAY • JUNE 2018

## THE ARTS AND CRAFTS

### Stitchery Group

**Wednesdays, 10 am–12 pm**

Join us for all or part of this informal, drop-in, get-together. Any stitchery hobby is welcome: knitting, crochet, spinning, lap quilting, needlepoint, counted cross-stitch—even mending!

SMALL COMMUNITY ROOM  
RIDGEFIELD COMMUNITY CENTER

## AUTHOR VISIT

### Heidi Ann Mason – “Love at First Crepe”

**Tuesday, May 22, 6–7:30 pm**

Heidi Ann Mason will lead us in discussion of her book *Love at First Crepe*. Books are available to pick up at Ridgefield Community Library. Light refreshments provided by Friends of Ridgefield Community Library.

## BOOKS AND STORIES

### Adult Book Discussion

**Tuesday, 6–7 pm****May 29**

*Lincoln in the Bardo*  
by George Saunders

**June 26**

*Midnight in Broad Daylight*  
by Pamela Rotner Sakamoto

### Cookbook Discussion— Food for Thought

**Tuesdays, 6–7:30 pm**

May 8 - Portugal

June 12 - Pacific Northwest

## Tween Book Group

**Wednesdays, 4–5 pm****May 23**

*Mudshark*  
by Gary Paulsen

## CELEBRATION

### Bookmark Contest Celebration

**Thursday, June 26, 1:30-2:30 pm**

Enjoy cake and punch as we honor all of the participants of the 2018 Bookmark Contest.

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

### Meaningful Movie and Discussion

*Old Liberty Theater, 115 N Main Ave,  
Ridgefield*

### He Named Me Malala

**Wednesday, May 23, 7–9 pm**

An intimate portrait of Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Malala Yousafzai, who was targeted by the Taliban and severely wounded by a gunshot when returning home on her school bus in Pakistan's Swat Valley. The then-15 year old was singled out, along with her father, for advocating for girls education, and the attack on her sparked an outcry from supporters around the world.

### “Kiki”: LGBTQ Documentary

**Wednesday, June 27, 7–9 pm**

This 2016 documentary surveys a group of LGBTQ youth of color who unite to form a safe gathering space.

## FUN TIME

### First Saturday

**Saturday, May 5 and June 2****10 am–4 pm**

Stop by the library for activities, crafts, and fun. Be sure to enjoy all of the other wonderful activities throughout downtown Ridgefield.

### Build It!

**Saturday, May 12 and June 9****10 am–12 pm**

Kids, join us for a LEGO® building adventure!

### Read to the Dog

**Tuesday, May 15 and June 19****6–7 pm**

Practice your reading skills and make a new, four-legged friend. Program is intended for ages 5-9. Space is limited, call the library to sign-up.

### Spanish Conversation Circle

**Thursdays, 3:30–5 pm**

Practice your Spanish language skills with other language learners.

## GAMES AND GAMING

### Ridgefield Gaming Group

**Wednesdays, 4–6 pm**

Play RPGs and socialize.

### Mahjong at the Library

**Thursdays, 1–3 pm**

Enjoy socializing and playing the fascinating game of Mahjong.

## Closure: Memorial Day

**Monday, May 28**

All FVRLibraries, bookmobiles and Operations Center will be closed.

**Teen Gaming**

**Saturday, May 26 and June 30  
2–6 pm**

Is it possible to save the world in four hours? Join us for a pen and paper RPG gaming session and find out!.

**MEETINGS**

**Teen Council**

**Friday, May 4 and June 1  
4–5 pm**

What can the library do for you? What can you do for the library? During this volunteer opportunity we'll answer both questions.

**Friends of the Library**

**Thursday, May 10 and June 14  
10–11:30 am**

Looking for a fun way to support the library? Join the Friends and help move the Ridgefield library towards a larger space..

**FVRL Board of Trustees**

**Tuesday, May 21, 6–8 pm**

*La Center Community Center  
1000 E 4th St, La Center*

**Monday, June 18, 6–8 pm**

*Father's House Fellowship  
207 S Klickitat Ave, Goldendale*

The Board of Trustees is the governing body for Fort Vancouver Regional Library

District and holds public meetings on a regular basis. An agenda can be found at the FVRL Board Meeting Agenda page of the website.

**STORYTIMES**

**Baby & Toddler**

**Friday, May 4, 11, June 22, 29  
10:30–11 am**

For ages birth to 3 years. Siblings welcome.

**Preschool Storytime**

**Wednesday, May 2, 9, June 20, 27  
10:30–11 am**

For ages 3-6. Siblings welcome

**TWEENS**

**U can't do that at the library**

**Thursday, May 17 and June 21  
4–5 pm**

Join us at the library as we build bots using modeling clay and wind-up walkers.

**FRIENDS FUNDRAISER**

**Friends of the Library @  
Farmer's Market**

**Saturday, May 5, 9 am–3 pm**

**Saturday, June 2, 9 am–2 pm**

**3Peaks Public House &  
Taproom**

**Thursday, June 7, 11 am–9 pm**

3Peaks Public House & Taproom will be donating 15% of food and drink sales to support the activities of the Friends of Ridgefield Community Library.

**FOUNDATION FUNDRAISER**



**BookFest '18**

**FVRL Foundation's Used Book Sale**

**June 21 through June 23  
9 am–6 pm each day**

**FVRL Operations Center  
1007 E Mill Plain Blvd, Vancouver**

A great selection at amazing prices, featuring used books for kids and adults in a wide variety of genres. Books are bargain priced at \$1 for most hardbacks and paperbacks, 50 cents for mass-market adult fiction paperbacks and \$1 per disc for DVDs and CDs. Proceeds will be used to support the library district's Summer Reading program. *Help us recycle by bringing your own box or bag.*

**FVRLibraries Rock!**

SUMMER READING 2018



JUNE 15 – AUGUST 15

Sign up online in June • For all ages • [www.fvrl.org](http://www.fvrl.org)

**SUMMER READING KICKOFF**

**Colors of the Jungle with the  
Oregon Birdman**

**Tuesday, June 26, 2:30 pm**

Zoologist Karl Anderson hosts an entertaining experience featuring fifteen different parrot species.

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**RIDGEFIELD COMMUNITY LIBRARY**

210 N Main Ave • 360-906-4770 • Tu 10–8, W Th F 10–6, Sa 10–6

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