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## ADULT PROGRAMS



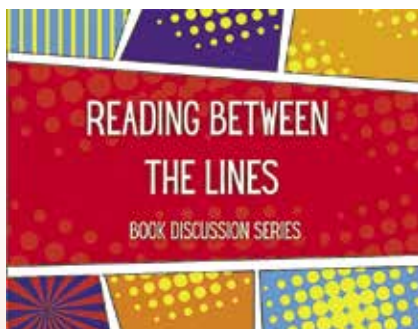
MUSKEGON  
**SUMMER  
PHOTO  
CHALLENGE**  
2021



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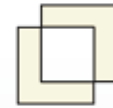
- **Duration of Challenge:** June 14 - Aug 14, 2021
- **When prompts come out:** Every Monday for 9 weeks beginning June 14
- **How to Submit:** Post 1 picture a week to HPL's Facebook page with the tag:  
#HPLSummerPhotoChallenge1 (for week 1)  
#HPLSummerPhotoChallenge2 (for week 2) etc.

Each week, for 9 weeks, HPL will post picture prompts on our Facebook page. Submitted pictures from participants will be gathered into folders for each prompt, and the public will be able to vote for their favorite pictures from each week by "liking" them. At the end of the challenge, winners of each prompt will have their picture framed and displayed at HPL!



**MON., JUNE 14 AT 6:00**  
**MON., JULY 12 AT 6:00**  
**MON., AUG. 9 AT 6:00**

Join us every second Monday of the month through November for our new book discussion series, Reading Between the Lines. Each month we will gather to discuss a book from different genres including (but not limited to) history, memoir, and mystery. This series will begin as virtual, but may transition as times goes on. Check back at [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org) for more information! Discussion will be casual so, relax, kick back, and let's talk books!



**BOX OF LIGHT**  
PHOTOGRAPHY

**TUES., JUNE 1 • 6:00**

*Taking Better Pictures*



Summertime is a great time for pictures: sun, sand, surf! However, not all of us have fancy cameras or the experience to get that perfect shot, so give yourself the advantage of learning from a professional photographer during a virtual class. During the class, Emily Baldus, owner of Box of Light Photography, LLC in Muskegon, will explain some of the basics of photography. She will show examples of how to take pictures in different lighting and how to edit photos to create beautiful images. There will be time at the end for questions! To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), call 231-722-8011, or stop by the library.



**MONDAY, JUNE 21 • 5:30**

*Writing Workshop with Moheb Soliman*

**LIVE: IN  
PERSON**

Join Great Lakes writer and artist Moheb Soliman for an outdoor nature-writing workshop, followed by a public reading of his new poetry book *HOMES* (Coffee House Press, 2021) and an informal talk with other local special guests. Workshop participants will engage in on-site writing prompts and discussion about the connections between nature, language, identity, and modern life. The reading will present his collection of poems--part postmodern nature poetry and part immigrant travelogue, and the talk will further explore the diverse intersections and narratives of the Great Lakes region. To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org) or call 231-722-8011. This program will take place at Heritage Landing Park 1050 7th St., Muskegon, MI 49440 • 5:30pm workshop • 6pm reading • 6:30pm talk • Free parking, meet at the stage.



with Librarian  
Mary Ruge

**E**xtrême ironing is an actual sport! If you want to combine your love of cleaning with your love of getting wild, then perhaps you'd like to try extreme ironing, which was founded in 1997 and has been challenging competitors to press shirts in unexpected locations—like high up in trees, hanging over cliffs, or paddling white-water rapids—for more than two decades.



Photo Credit: [coolofthewild.com/extreme-ironing/](http://coolofthewild.com/extreme-ironing/)

## ADULT PROGRAMS



### Hackley Crafts



**MONDAY, JUNE 7 • 6:00**

#### Clay Pinch Pot

Follow along with Mallory on the HPL Facebook page for a virtual class on how to make an adorable little pinch pot using your fingers and clay! The instructional video for this craft will be posted to HPL's Facebook page at 6:00 pm on Monday, June 7.



**TUESDAY, JULY 6 • 6:00**

#### Magazine Bowl

Follow along with Mallory on the HPL Facebook page for a virtual class on how to make a bowl using magazine pages. To pick up a free craft kit, registration is required. Registration opens at 10 am on Monday, June 7. To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), call 231-722-8011, or stop by the Library. The instructional video for this craft will be posted to HPL's Facebook page at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, July 6.



**MONDAY, AUGUST 2 • 6:00** *Bookend Makeover*

Follow along with Mallory on the HPL Facebook page for a virtual class on how to repurpose an old set of HPL bookends! To pick up a free craft kit, registration is required. Registration opens at 10 am on Friday, July 2. To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), call 231-722-8011, or stop by the Library. The instructional video for this craft will be posted to HPL's Facebook page at 6:00 pm on Monday, August 2.



**MONDAY, AUGUST 16 • 6:00**

#### Museum of Magic Tour

For more than 40 years the American Museum of Magic located in Marshall, Michigan has delighted the public with all the wonders of magic, celebrating the contributions and life stories of magicians from around the globe.

Immerse yourself in the largest collection of magic artifacts on display anywhere in the United States and discover what has been described as "the Smithsonian of American Magic." Join us through Zoom for a virtual tour of this prestigious museum with Jeffrey Alan, magician and executive board member of the IBM, International Brotherhood of Magic. Registration will open on Friday, July 16. To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), call 231-722-8011, or stop by the library.

## ADULT PROGRAMS

IN-PERSON



PRIVATE TOUR

THURSDAY,

JULY 22 • 6:00

Join us for our first in-person program of the year to learn everything about beer at Pigeon Hill Brewing Company! We will start with a private tour of the production facility to see the brew system, tanks, and canning line before sitting down to a sample tasting of several of Pigeon Hill's great tasting beers. To maintain social-distancing protocols, space will be limited to 20 people. Registration will open on June 22. To register, visit [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), call 231-722-8011, or stop by the library. Please note: you can register only yourself or yourself and another person, no groups will be permitted. **Please note that only patrons 21+ will be able to participate.**

ALL AGES

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SUMMER READING 2021

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PROGRAM 2021

HPL's annual Summer Reading Program is around the corner!

This ongoing program is fun for ALL AGES to enjoy. In addition to reading, there will be exciting activities to complete, and cool prizes that you can win! Check back for more details at [hackleylibrary.org](http://hackleylibrary.org), on HPL's Facebook page, call 231-722-8000, or visit the library!

TEEN PROGRAM



MiLibraryQuest:

SUMMER EDITION 2021

MiLibraryQuest: Summer Edition 2021 is an opportunity for teens across the state to learn about unique animals and Michigan libraries! Teens will find descriptions of a variety of animals spread across the websites of participating libraries which they will enter into their digital field journal for an opportunity to win a prize!

**MUSKEGON CIVIC Theatre**  
2021-2022 SEASON 37  
**Welcome back!**

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The Penguin Project of Muskegon Civic Theatre

- Sept. 11-12, 2021
- Oct. 8-23, 2021
- Nov. 19-Dec. 5, 2021
- Jan. 14-22, 2022
- Feb 11-26, 2022
- April 28-May 1, 2022

**Don't miss out! Season Tickets and Flex Packs available NOW!**

## June Owls Owls and more Owls!

Instructional Video will be posted on  
**TUESDAY, JUNE 1 AND MONDAY, JUNE 14 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Youth Take and Make Yarn Owl*

Whooo doesn't love a fun owl craft? These knit critters will be available June 1 and through the end of the month while supplies last.

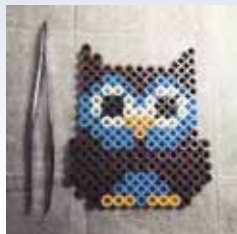


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*Teen Take and Make Perler Bead Owl Magnet*

Whoooo wants another perler bead craft? Yooouuuuu! Craft kits will be available June 1 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



Instructional Video will be posted on  
**MONDAY, JUNE 14 AT 3:00 PM.**



*All Ages Take and Disassemble Owl Pellets*

Put on your scientist hat and grab an owl pellet from the library! These fascinating masses are one of the ways that scientists have been able to discover the different diets of owls and other birds. Dissecting owl pellets can tell us much about where they live, what they eat, and who they are. Craft kits will be available

June 14 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



**THURSDAY, JUNE 10 AT 3:00 PM.**

*John Ball Zoo Virtual Animal Program*



John Ball Zoo will be hosting a live virtual program giving us an up-close look at the amazing physical and behavioral adaptations animals use to survive. Watch our Facebook page for more information on how to register for this Zoom program.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 22 AT 3:00 PM.**

*Things That Go "Who" in the Night*



Owls capture the attention of almost anyone who is lucky enough to encounter them in the wild. This program will highlight several common owl species and show participants how they can encourage them to live in their backyard. Watch our Facebook page for more information

on how to register for this Zoom program.

## July A month of penguins!

Instructional Video will be posted on  
**TUESDAY, JULY 6 AND MONDAY, JULY 19 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Youth Take and Make Heart Penguins*

Have a heart! Or 4... these delightful penguin craft kits should get you prepared for our month of penguins! Craft kits will be available July 6 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



Instructional Video will be posted on  
**TUESDAY, JULY 6 AND MONDAY, JULY 19 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Teen Take and Make Perler Bead Penguins*

Get out your pegboard and iron cause we are making adorable penguin magnets. Will your penguin be? Craft kits will be available July 6 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



**THURSDAY, JULY 8 AT 3:00 PM.**

*John Ball Zoo Virtual Program - Penguineering!*



Explore habitats and classification as it relates to Magellanic Penguins! Kids will enjoy this interactive lesson that will challenge them to build their own penguin nests and test it against the environmental elements to see if their nests can make the cut. Watch our Facebook page for more information on how to register for this Zoom program.

**TUESDAY, JULY 13 AT 3:00 PM.**

*Basic Animal Drawing with Corinne Roberts*



Practice makes perfect! Learn the basics to drawing all sorts of different animals. Watch our Facebook page for more information on how to register for this Zoom program.

**TUESDAY, JULY 20 AT 3:00 PM.**

*Basic Composition and Shading with Corinne Roberts*



Ready to dive into a more advanced art lesson? Join us for a special program that helps you learn good fundamentals. This class is designed for older tweens and teens. Watch our Facebook page for more information on how to register for this Zoom program.



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**MAIN LIBRARY HOURS**  
*\*Hours are subject to change*  
MONDAY - TUESDAY: 10 AM - 7 PM  
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY: 10 AM - 5 PM  
FRIDAY - SATURDAY: 10 AM - 2 PM

**YOUTH PROGRAMS - AUGUST**



Instructional Video will be posted on  
**MON., AUG. 2 and**  
**MON., AUG. 16 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Youth Take and Make Jellyfish Suncatcher Craft*  
Brighten up any room with this pretty jellyfish suncatcher. Craft kits will be available August 2 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



**TUESDAY, AUGUST 10 AT 3:00 PM.**  
*Drawing Dinosaurs with Corinne Roberts*



What do you call a dinosaur with a huge vocabulary? A thesaurus! Learn how to design your favorite dinos. Bad jokes are not guaranteed but may be included. Watch our Facebook page for more information on how to register for this Zoom program.



Instructional Video will be posted on  
**MON., AUG. 2 and**  
**MON., AUG. 16 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Tween Pony Bead Alligator Craft*  
If you thought making a gecko was fun, look at this fella! Give your backpack a 'gator pal that's super fun and easy! Craft kits will be available August 2 and through the end of the month while supplies last.



**THURSDAY, AUGUST 12 AT 3:00 PM.**  
*John Ball Zoo Virtual Animal Program*



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**MON., AUG. 16 AT 3:00 PM.**



*Teen Perler Bead Sloth Craft*  
Add this adorable sloth to your perler bead "zoo." Tree is not included! Craft kits will be available August 2 and through the end of the month while supplies last.

**Turtle Travels**

**EXHIBIT RUNNING**  
May 21 thru Sept 04, 2021

Think turtles have an easy life? Here's your chance to walk in their footprints and experience life as they know it.

Turtle Travels was developed by EEC! (Environmental Exhibit Collaborative) with funding from Jane's Trust and IMLS.



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