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When we say, “you’re welcome here,” we mean it. You’re welcome to explore, learn, create and belong. We provide welcoming spaces and resources to serve ALL Denver residents.

We truly love our city and the people we serve. We are the Denver Public Library and want you to know: you’re welcome here.

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**You’re welcome here**

**DÍA DEL NIÑO**

*Día del Niño is Children’s Day in Mexico.*

**Día del Niño**

Sunday, April 28, 1-4 p.m. @ Central Library

Celebrate children worldwide with arts and crafts and special performances. Plus, free family friendly programs at our museum neighbors.

1:30 p.m.—Performance by Arcinda, the arts and culture of Indonesia.

3 p.m.—Performance by Balam Hikuri Danza, storytellers from Guadalajara, Mexico.

Festivities at museum neighbors take place between 10 a.m-5 p.m. Brought to you by Denver Public Library, Denver Art Museum, History Colorado Center, Clyfford Still Museum and Byers-Evans House Museum.

**Día del Niño**

Thursday, April 25, 3:30-4:30 p.m. @ Eugene Field

Museo De Las Americas will host a Guatemalan textile art workshop for kids. Ideal for ages 3-10 with an adult.

**ACTIVE MINDS**

Active Minds (activeminds.com) expands lives and minds by providing outstanding educational programs across Denver.

**World War I: The Great War**

Thursday, April 11, 1-2 p.m. @ Sam Gary

Understand the war’s beginnings with the assassination of Archduke Ferdinand on June 28, 1914, and follow the story as the various players get pulled into the conflict. We will end with a brief preview of how the seeds of future conflict were sewn at the conclusion of World War I.

**Van Gogh**

Saturday, April 13, 1-2 p.m. @ Central Library, Floor 7, Training Room

Explore the life and art of Vincent Van Gogh, whose painting career spanned only 10 years, during which he produced over 900 paintings, selling only one. We will examine the challenges of his short and troubled life, the mystery of his death and the lasting impact of his art.
Renewable Energy
Thursday, April 18, 3–4 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
Energy from renewable sources is an important part of the future of energy. The issues involve technical challenges, economic concerns and environmental, political and social factors. We’ll survey the current state of renewable energy and look at how these resources will evolve in the future.

Lebanon
Thursday, April 25, 6:30–7:30 p.m. @ Sam Gary
We will provide the background necessary to understand the rise of Hezbollah, Lebanon's Shiite militia and Lebanon's role in the Arab-Israeli conflict, including the complex relationship with its neighbor Syria. Come learn how this important country fits into the puzzle that is the Middle East.

BUSINESS AND JOB SEARCH

Build A Brand
Wednesdays, April 3–24, 6–8 p.m. @ Hadley
Roll up your sleeves in this series of hands-on workshops that will help you start building your brand. If you’re a small business owner or an aspiring entrepreneur, this is your chance to learn how to create your own logo, start building your website and get started with social media marketing. You can attend any or all of the workshops. For more information, go to denverlibrary.org/buildabrand

Website Building Basics
Thursday, April 11, 6:30–7:30 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
Get hands-on experience and explore three different website building platforms: Weebly, Wix and WordPress. No coding experience necessary.

Create Great Credit
Saturday, April 20, 10:30–11:30 a.m. @ Hadley
Learn the ins-and-outs of credit, including what makes up a credit score and how to establish, maintain and improve credit.

Children

Little University
@ Gonzales, Hadley, Hampden, Montbello, Ross-Barnum, Ross-Broadway, Schlessman Family
Explore early learning activities beyond traditional Storytimes. Little University for Grownups follows some events. Contact branch libraries for dates, times and topics.

Toddler and Preschool Tinker Studio
Tuesdays. Wednesdays and Thursdays, 11:10–11:30 a.m. @ Central Library, Children's Library
Hands-on learning and making, just for toddlers and preschoolers. Children and families will explore new materials and create together. Ideal for ages 1-5.

Tinker Studio Open Hours
Saturdays 10 a.m–4 p.m. @ Central Library, Children's Library
Hands-on learning and making in an unstructured environment. Children and families will explore new materials and create together. Ideal for ages 3-12.

One Book One Colorado
April 8-22
Denver Public Library will be giving away free books to preschoolers April 8-22 for One Book Colorado. Every 4-year-old will receive a free book in English or Spanish. Come by any library location and pick up your copy!

Dragon Eggs
Monday, April 1, 4-5 p.m. @ Montbello
Saturday, April 6, 11 a.m.-12 p.m. @ Bear Valley
Tuesday, April 16, 4:30-5:30 p.m. @ Ford-Warren
Make a nest and egg perfect for a dragon.

Note: Check the online events calendar for specific times, locations, and to find a library location near you!
From container gardening to a plant swap and more, this month, it’s all about how your garden grows!

See pages 6 and 7 for events, dates, times and locations.
CityYOU

CityYOU is a collection of programs in collaboration with Denver city agencies designed to demystify, explain and highlight your city’s amazing (and often unexpected) services.

Foster Care and Kinship Support
Saturday, April 6, 2-3 p.m. @ Virginia Village
The City of Denver’s Child Welfare division’s mission is to protect children, preserve and strengthen families, and to promote a safe and permanent home for every child. Learn more about their services and how you can help.

Outfoxing the Predators: Preventing Fraud and Exploitation
Tuesday, April 9, 4-5:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
The Denver District Attorney’s office will discuss how to protect yourself and spot the five red flags of scams and ID theft. You’ll also learn about community projects led by the Denver DA’s Office.

Forensic Pathology in the Real World
Friday, April 12, 2-3:30 p.m. @ Eugene Field
Join Denver’s Chief Medical Examiner, Dr. Jim Caruso, for a fascinating look at the science behind Forensic Pathology and how it is used to identify someone, determine a cause of death and solve crimes.

Denver Greenhouse
Saturday, April 13, 2-3 p.m. @ Virginia Village
The City Park Greenhouse serves as Denver Parks and Recreation’s horticultural hub by growing and distributing landscape bedding plants, shrubs and other plants for Denver parks district and other city agencies and facilities. Learn more about Denver’s parks and plants with the experts.

Denver Assessor
Saturday, April 27, 2-3 p.m. @ Virginia Village
Learn about how the Denver Assessor’s Office determines your property value, how the appeals process works and have your questions about the 2019 property valuations answered.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Community Conversations 2019
Engage with your neighbors in a Community Conversation. We’ll explore what kind of community you want to live in, and what actions can be taken to improve community life. Visit denverlibrary.org/community-engagement to join the list for our next event in your neighborhood.

Equity in Schools: We PHNEEd to Talk
Tuesday, April 2, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
Park Hill Neighbors for Equity in Education (PHNEE) invites you to a discussion of how to use stakeholder power to improve equity in schools. Join this series of conversations about diversity, equity and inclusion in education.

Coffee & Conversation
Saturday, April 6, 9-10 a.m. @ Bear Valley
Enjoy refreshments with your neighbors while playing board games or browsing books. We’ll be on hand to listen to your thoughts on the library and the community.

Do You Know about HOPE Communities?
Thursday, April 11, 2-3 p.m. @ Pauline Robinson
Hope Communities is a nonprofit that provides affordable rental housing with wrap around support services at multiple properties across Denver. Learn about resources that are available for The Gardens of Hope Communities residents and the entire community.

Sunday, April 14, 2-3:30 p.m. @ Sam Gary
The R.A.D.A. book discussion series provides a safe space to discuss the issues and movements of the day with respect and compassion. April’s selection, This Chair Rocks., by Ashton Applewhite examines ageism. You are encouraged to read the book in advance. Ideal for ages 13 and up with an adult.

Community Conversation
Thursday, April 18, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Ross-Broadway
Have your voice heard at this conversation around what kind of community you want to live in, and what actions can be taken to improve community life. Ideal for ages 16 and up.

Science in the News: The Opioid Epidemic
Thursday, April 18, 6:30-7:45 p.m. @ Hampden
Join three scientists from the University of Colorado as we discuss the biology, public health and policy surrounding opioids and prescription addiction. Ideal for ages 13 and up.

Civics on the Go: Sustainability
Monday, April 22, 3:30-5:30 p.m. @ Central Library, Floor 1, Schlessman Hall
This Earth Day we are talking about sustainability: how to meet our needs and the needs of future generations. How can we make Denver more sustainable in an equitable way? Drop by to share your thoughts.

Coffee Connections
Wednesday, April 24, 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Central Library, Floor 4, Lounge
Library customers experiencing homelessness and other community members are invited to meet library staff to enjoy a cup of coffee, fresh donuts and informal conversation.

2nd Annual Community Day of Reflection
Saturday, April 27, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. @ Sam Gary
Join us in thinking more deeply about the past, present and future aspects of our culture. We’ll explore interrelated aspects of community that impact our daily lives. Brought to you by Stapleton United Neighbors, the Denver Public Library and the University of Colorado

DIY

Knitting Club
Mondays, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Schlessman Family
Lessons, movies, charity work, and, of course, knitting.

Tool Workshop: Sewing Machines
Tuesday, April 2, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Hampden
Attendees of this workshop will be taught how to wind bobbins, thread and make a straight stitch on a sewing machine.

Library Giving Day is April 10. No credit card fee on this day means your contribution to the Friends Foundation goes further. Go to bit.ly/2TSwmAU to donate on April 10!
Register at denverlibrary.org/rinopopup for the ALIEN franchise. All skill levels welcome.

in tribute to H.R. Giger—the creator of the aliens

This month burlesque performer Dirty Duvel poses at Zeppelin Station, 3501 Wazee St. @ RiNo Art District, Sunday, April 7, 5-7 p.m.

ALIENS Tribute with Dirty Duvel

Dr. Sketchy’s Anti-Art School: HR Giger

Aliens Tribute with Dirty Duvel

Sewing Circle

Wednesdays, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Hampden
Bring your sewing project and join other crafters in conversation in the Hampden ideaLAB.

Sewing Lounge

Thursdays, April 4 & 11, 12-2 p.m. @ Bear Valley
Need a sewing machine for a special project? Grab your supplies and head over to use ours. Staff will be on hand to answer questions.

Buttons and Beer

Friday, April 5, 6-9 p.m. 
@ ReCreative Denver, 765 Santa Fe Dr.
On First Friday stop by to see our friends at ReCreative Denver and visit the Byers Branch Library table to create with our button makers. Ideal for ages 18 and up.

Fix & Mend Meetup

Saturday, April 6, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. 
@ Central Library, Floor 4, SM Energy ideaLAB
Bring your faulty lamp, torn pants or other broken objects to this drop-in repair lab. This is a collaborative, social gathering and interested tinkerers are welcome to join.

Beginners Book Folding Club

Saturday, April 6, 2-3:30 p.m. 
@ Ross-University Hills
For beginners to the world of book folding art, or work on the book folding projects you’ve started.

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Aliens Tribute with Dirty Duvel

Sewing Basics

Wednesday, April 17, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Montbello
Learn how to use a sewing machine by making a reusable tote bag. No sewing experience needed.

UV Light T-Shirt Design

Thursday, April 25, 5-30-7 p.m. @ Byers
Design your own T-shirt with an image, transparent paper, special ink and UV light. If you know what image you would like to use in advance, call 720-865-0160 and we’ll arrange to have it ready for you.

Madame Defarge’s School for Wayward Hands: French Knots and Forget-Me-Knots: Embroidery Basics

Thursday, April 25, 6-8 p.m. @ RiNo Art District, Zeppelin Station, 3501 Wazee St.
The Craftsman & Apprentice brings you this crash course in the basics of hand embroidery. We’ll create a fun sampler that will give you all the skills to embark on your own freehand embroidery journey. All materials provided. Register at denverlibrary.org/rinopopup

EXHIBITS

Little Brown Skin Girls

On display April 1-May 25 @ Blair-Caldwell Little Brown Skin Girls is a phrase that was commonly ‘tossed’ around in the family of artist Lia Nelson-James. It was used as a term of endearment and identification. This exhibit gives a voice to girls/women of color, telling stories of positive perspective on the varied aspects of skin hues, hopes and dreams yet to come.

Children’s Exhibit: Pink is for Blobfish

On display April 1-June 28 @ Central Library, Floor 1, Children’s Library
Get hands on in the Children’s Library as you explore wild and weird pink creatures, inspired by Jess Keating’s book, Pink is for Blobfish.

GARDENING

Coffee Chaff Giveaway

Saturday, April 6, 11 a.m.-12 p.m. 
@ Pauline Robinson
Chaff is a byproduct of the coffee roasting process that is beneficial to your soil, compost or chicken coop. Improve your garden while helping keep this free resource out of the landfill. Bring your own container to fill with coffee chaff from Commonwealth Coffee.

Basics of Organic Gardening

Saturday, April 13, 12-2 p.m. @ Bear Valley
With Denver Urban Gardens, we’ll explore soil prep, water conservation, harvesting and seasonal crops.

Harvesting Your Own Rain Water

Saturday, April 13, 2:30-4 p.m. @ Park Hill
Learn how to utilize rain barrels in your garden and landscape. Pre-purchase your rain barrel and installation kit at ColoradoRainCatcher.com No purchase needed to attend the event.
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Angelique’s World: Marriage, Family, and the Fur Trade in Old Detroit

Sunday, April 7, 2-3 p.m. @ Central Library, Floor 5, Gates Meeting Room

Examine the life of Angelique Cuillerier dit Beaubien, born in Detroit in 1735. She spoke several Indigenous languages and, with her business knowledge, made it possible for her husband to succeed politically and economically in Detroit.

More Fun Stuff

¡Habla Ya! Spanish Conversation Group Tuesdays, 4-5 p.m. @ Schlessman Family Practice your Spanish with other language learners. This is not an instructional course, but rather an opportunity to chat and improve your skills through facilitated conversation.

Kindness Club

Tuesday, April 2, 4-5:30 p.m. @ Sam Gary

Our intergenerational, all-ages club will focus on kindness to the earth. We’ll plant seedlings and learn about native pollinators.

Cherry Creek Chess Club

Tuesday, April 2, 6-7 p.m. @ Ross-Cherry Creek

Play a round of chess with other enthusiasts. All levels welcome. Bring your own board, or use one of ours.

Guitar Practice

Wednesdays, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry

Come and practice what you know. A limited number of guitars are available but bring your own guitar if you have one.

Decrease Clutter, Increase Peace of Mind

Wednesday, April 3, 6:30-7:30 p.m. @ Park Hill

If you loved the book The Life-Changing Magic of Tidying Up, by Marie Kondo or The Power of Habit, by Charles Duhigg, professional organizer Alison Bresler will guide you through simple things that you can do to avoid being paralyzed in front of a bulging closet.

The Thin Man: Make It A Double

Stop by Central Library for a screening of The Thin Man (1934) with guest host Sarah Hagelin, Director of Film Studies at University of Colorado, Denver.

Later in the month join our Pop Up Book Club to discuss the book off-site over cocktails with mystery genre experts, Sisters in Crime.

See pages 8 and 9 for events, dates, times and locations.
TAMMY ABRAMOVITZ FINISHING SCHOOL FOR MODERN MANNERS:
LESSON #1 - ALWAYS, SOMETIMES, NEVER
Thursday, April 18, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
RiNo Art District, Zeppelin Station, 3501 Wazee St.
See this page for details.

An Introduction to Home Staging
Friday, April 5, 2-3 p.m. @ Eugene Field
Whether you’re thinking about selling your home or just want a fresh look, you should consider home staging. Learn how to make your home look bigger, brighter, cleaner and warmer. Presented by Staging Denver.

Food Lover’s Book Club: Indian Cuisine
Wednesday, April 10, 6-7 p.m. @ Ross-Cherry Creek
Food writer Amanda M. Faison and Biju Thomas of Biju’s Little Curry Shop will discuss techniques and favorite recipes from Thomas’ childhood in the state of Kerala, India. Pick up a copy of My Two Souths and come for the chat. Bonus: Samples!

What’s so Special About Special Collections?
Wednesday, April 10, 6:30-7:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
The Denver Public Library is the caretaker for 14 special research collections housed at the Central Library and the Blair-Caldwell African American Research Library. We’ll describe these collections and how you can access them.

Change Your Life by Tidying Your Home
Thursday, April 11, 2-4 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
Learn about this life-changing method from Kate Englebrecht, a certified KonMari consultant, on the tidying method written about in The Life Changing Magic of Tidying Up and Spark Joy, by Marie Kondo. Please bring 5-7 items of clothing for a folding lesson.

Vintage Gaming #TBT
Thursday, April 11, 5:30-7:30 p.m. @ Byers
Relive your youth with old school video games and systems, including a variety of classic games and arcade style games. Refreshments provided. For ages 18 and up, unless accompanied by an adult.

Walt Whitman Poetry Reading
Thursday, April 11, 6:30-8 p.m. @ Middleman, 3401 E Colfax Ave.
The Rocky Mountain Beard and Moustache Club is celebrating National Poetry Month by throwing a bicentennial birthday bash for Walt Whitman with a Leaves of Grass poetry reading. Come toast the lyricist known for his legendary beard and even more legendary poetry.

Tammy Abramovitz Finishing School for Modern Manners: Lesson #1 - Always, Sometimes, Never
Thursday, April 18, 6:30-8:30 p.m. @ RiNo Art District, Zeppelin Station, 3501 Wazee St.
Your guide to impeccable manners is Tammy Abramovitz—named by Salonniere as one of the top 100 hosts in the United States. Learn what’s in and what should be tossed in the social etiquette dust bin; it’s modern manners for a modern age. RSVP at denverlibrary.org/linopopup

Underground Comedy Club:
John “Hippieman” Novosad
Thursday, April 18, 7-8:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
Laugh with John “Hippieman” Novosad! After 30 years of performing in clubs, theatres and bars across the country, he’s finally made the big time by performing in our underground, after hours comedy club. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. 18 and over only due to adult content.

Earth Day
Monday, April 22, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. @ Green Valley Ranch
Celebrate our wonderful planet with Earth-themed snacks and crafts. All ages are welcome.

Entree: Food Fiction Book Club:
*Kitchen Confidential*
by Anthony Bourdain
Tuesday, April 23, 7-8 p.m. @ RiNo Art District, The Preservery, 3040 Blake St.
Our friends at The Preservery are co-hosting this first-ever Entree—recollections about eating and food. Get a copy of *Kitchen Confidential*, read (available in book, ebook and audio formats at the library) and then join us for a book club talk at one of RiNo’s best eateries. Register denverlibrary.org/linopopup

Douglas Fine Art Prints
Wednesday, April 24, 6:30-7:30 p.m. @ Denver Distillery, 244 South Broadway
The Douglas Fine Printing Collection is a booklover’s dream hidden away in the Denver Public Library Western History and Genealogy collection. Come learn about its incredible array of historic letter pressed books, unique artists’ books and much more.

Get Lit Pop Up Book Club at Denver Distillery
Thursday, April 25, 6:30-8 p.m. @ Denver Distillery, 244 South Broadway
Ever thought about joining a book club, but hate to miss happy hour? Get Lit is the best of both worlds! We’ll discuss the crime classic *The Thin Man*, by Dashiell Hammett while sipping on cocktails with Sisters in Crime. Ages 21 and up.

New to You and Coffee Too
Friday, April 26, 2-3 p.m. @ Eugene Field
Drop in for coffee or tea, and get great ideas for what to read, watch or listen to next.

RiNo Mural Safari: Looking for Rhinos with Global Conservation Corps
Saturday, April 27, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. @ RiNo Art District, Denver Central Market, 2669 Larimer St.
Tour RiNo Art District murals depicting wild and endangered animals. Global Conservation Corps guides presents a wealth of knowledge about the magnificent animals that share our planet. Register at denverlibrary.org/linopopup

Gratefulness Gathering
Tuesday, April 30, 6-7 p.m. @ Ross-Cherry Creek
Come together for a guided gratefulness practice. We will meet monthly to explore different aspects of grateful living.

Ladies of LUPEC: Vintage Cocktails in RiNo
Tuesday, April 30, 7-8:30 p.m. @ RiNo Art District, The Preservery, 3040 Blake Street
LUPEC is Ladies United for the Preservation of Endangered Cocktails and they’ve created a vintage cocktail recipe book. The Preservery mixologist will be on hand to create vintage cocktails from the book. Books available for purchase at the event and 100% of the proceeds benefit SafeHouse Denver. Register at denverlibrary.org/linopopup
**MOVIES & MUSIC**

**Midday Music Series: Friends of Chamber Music**
Friday, April 5, 1-2 p.m. @ Schlessman Family
Friends of Chamber Music in partnership with the Alzheimer’s Association presents a sing-along of traditional and popular favorites, featuring pianist Katy Kristoffersen and vocalist George Connolly.

**Music of the Movies**
Saturday, April 6, 2-3 p.m. @ Central Library, Floor 1, Movies & Music
Movies and music have remained inseparable, and some of the greatest melodies have been written to accompany the action on the silver screen. Active Minds will explore this delightful genre.

**Girls Rock! Film and Discussion**
Saturday, April 6, 2:30-4:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
At Girls Rock!, girls 8-18 learn that it's ok to sweat like a pig, scream like a banshee, wail on their instruments and be exactly who you are. Enjoy the documentary and learn about your own Girls Rock Denver Camp.

**Live Music at Hadley with Triangle Introverts**
Saturday, April 13, 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Hadley
The noise/indie rock of Triangle Introverts will be sure to get your weekend off to a raucous start.

**Bollywood Dance Performance with Depali**
Saturday, April 13, 1-2 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry
Come watch a live Bollywood dance performance with Depali.

**NOVA School of the Future Screening**
Saturday, April 13, 2-4 p.m. @ Athmar
As the divide between rich and poor grows wider, getting all students ready for college and the workforce gets harder. How can the latest research help fix education in America? Watch NOVA's School of the Future and discuss the film. Refreshments will be provided.

**The Thin Man (1934)**
Sunday, April 14, 1:30-3:30 p.m. @ Central Library, Conference Center
William Powell and Myrna Loy portray high-living Nick and Nora Charles in this delightful comic mystery. Between the banter, the constant guzzling and shenanigans, this sophisticated couple manages to solve a murder or three. Based on the novel by Dashiell Hammett.

**Chamber Music Concert**
Saturday, April 20, 2-3 p.m. @ Decker
Get swept away by a wide range of classical works performed by amateur musicians from the Colorado Chamber Music Society.

**Saturday Film Matinee: Hearts Beat Loud**
Saturday, April 27, 2-4 p.m. @ Hampden
In the hip Brooklyn neighborhood of Red Hook, single dad and record store owner Frank (Nick Offerman) is preparing to send his hard-working daughter Sam (Kiersey Clemons) off to college, while being forced to close his shop.

**Bollywood Dance with Roshni-Step into the Light**
Monday, April 29, 2-3 p.m. @ Byers
Drop in for a traditional Indian dance performance and learn some dance moves. Ideal for ages 3-12 with an adult.

**NORTH OF 50**
Designed for those 50+ and their friends and family in order to stay healthy, informed, connected and happy.

**Memory Cafe**
Timeslips Storytelling
Tuesday, April 2, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Ford-Warren
Man of 1,000 Songs Sing-A-Long
Tuesday, April 9, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Schlessman Family
Western Art Museum
Tuesday, April 23, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Schlessman Family
Memory Cafe is a social and educational group for people experiencing memory loss and their families and caregivers. It is a safe place to socialize, relax and learn without the fear of stigma. Each cafe has a program followed by socializing so that people can connect with others with shared experiences. We do not provide formal care or supervision.

**Power of Attorney & Advance Directives Clinic**
Friday, April 12, 2-3 p.m. @ Ross-Cherry Creek
Get information on advance directives (living wills), medical and financial power of attorney, and more with an attorney from Metro Volunteer Lawyers. Feel empowered to make the best decisions for you and your family, and gain additional resources.

**Reconnect with Your Body Dance Demo**
Tuesday, April 16, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Ford-Warren
A "mini class" to experience the magic of Reconnect Class begins in chairs (preferably chairs without arms) and then moves to standing for those who are able. The standing exercises can be done sitting for those that need/want to remain seated.

**MOVIES & MUSIC**

**Technology Classes @ Central Library**
Looking for computer or gadget help? Attend free technology classes on everything from computer basics to building your own website. Visit denverlibrary.org/ctc for the class schedule and more information.

**ideaLAB Open Lab**
Go to denverlibrary.org/idealab for dates and times @ Central Library, Gonzales, Hadley, Hampden, Montbello During open lab, in our makerspace, you can try out hardware and software to create music, games, 3D designs, art and more. All ages.

**Tech Help Appointments**
@ Athmar, Bear Valley, Byers, Central Library, Decker, Ford-Warren, Gonzales, Hadley, Hampden, Pauline Robinson, Ross-Broadway, Ross-Cherry Creek, Ross-University Hills, Sam Gary, Valdez-Perry, Westwood
Get personalized technology assistance and instruction on your own device or a public computer. Call your library to schedule your appointment.

**Drop In Tech Help**
Mondays, 1-3 p.m. @ Hadley
Tuesdays, 12-1 p.m. @ Decker
Tuesdays, 2-3 p.m. @ Gonzales
Tuesdays, 3-4 p.m. @ Central Library, Floor 4, Large Classroom
Wednesdays, 12-1 p.m. @ Blair-Caldwell, Schlessman Family

**Computer Basics**
Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
April 2: Google Drive
April 9: Google Photo Basics
April 16: YouTube Basics
April 23: Skype Basics
April 30: Ebooks Made Easy
Learn computer basics and smartphone basics such as how to set up an email account, search the internet, use social media safely and more.

**Social Media 101**
Sunday, April 7, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Hampden
A broad overview of social networking trends, benefits and drawbacks, and a review of popular networking sites.
**Microsoft Excel Basics**
Saturday, April 13, 2:30 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
Excel spreadsheets allow you to easily store, organize and modify data. Learn the basics of Excel (such as inserting text, basic formulas and AutoFill) by creating a personal budget.

**Tool Workshop: Adobe Photoshop**
Tuesday, April 16, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Hampden
Get introduced to Adobe Photoshop and learn how to use layers and transparency to make a digital collage.

**eBooks Made Easy**
Thursday, April 18, 2-3 p.m. @ Pauline Robinson
Read eBooks, listen to audiobooks and watch movies on your device, free with your library card. Bring your own smartphone, tablet or laptop, or use a library computer and we’ll help you get set up.

**Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest**
Sunday, April 21, 1:30-3 p.m. @ Hampden
Gain a basic understanding of these four social media sites, including why each site is popular, how to create accounts, how to share content and how to connect with other users.

**Microsoft Excel: Conditional Formatting**
Thursday, April 25, 6-7:30 p.m. @ Ross-University Hills
Expand your Excel knowledge and learn about conditional formatting, freezing rows and using tables. Basic Excel skills required.

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**TEENS**

**Teen Advisory Board Meeting**
Monday, April 1, 5:30-6:30 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry
Thursday, April 25, 5-6 p.m. @ Bear Valley
Meet for snacks and help plan the events and activities you want to see at the library. Ideal for ages 12-18. Contact the branch for more information.

**Teen Space**
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3-5:30 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry
Hang out, play games, do your homework and more during this time that is just for teens. The conference room will be a dedicated teen space to safely hang out.

**Teen STEAM**
Tuesdays, 4-5:30 p.m. @ Byers
Come after school for some fun engineering and craft programs.

**Eazy Gaming**
Wednesdays, 3-4:30 p.m. @ Byers
Play great video games on a Wii, N64 and PS4. Ideal for ages 6-18.

**Teen Programs**
Mondays, April 8, 15, 22, 5:30-6:30 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry
Students ages 12-18 can enjoy STEM activities, technology programs, gaming, arts and crafts and more!

**Ukulele Class with Swallow Hill**
Thursday, April 11, 5-6 p.m. @ Ford-Warren
Ukulele is small, easy to carry, easy on the fingers and simple to start. You will learn a few chords and simple, singable songs. Ukuleles and instruction provided by Swallow Hill Music. This is a 12-part series on the second Thursday of each month.

**Cooking Class - Tweens and Teens**
Thursday, April 18, 4:30-5:30 p.m. @ Woodbury
Have fun cooking alongside your friends and make an scrumptious dish. Ideal for ages 10-18.

**Caricature Art**
Thursday, April 18, 5:30-7:30 p.m. @ Green Valley Ranch
Teens will learn to draw caricatures from a trained caricature artist. Caricatures will also be drawn of participants. Ideal for ages 11-18.

**Write & Talk for Teens with Lighthouse Writers**
Wednesday, April 24, 4-6 p.m. @ Sam Gary
Join local author Whitney Gaines to try a new creative writing genre or topic each month. We’ll explore fiction, poetry, screenwriting and graphic novels, with plenty of time for freewriting and conversation.

**Hand Sew a Tiny Pillow**
Thursday, April 25, 5-7 p.m. @ Ford-Warren
Hand sew a tiny pillow using one of our patterns or make your own. All fabrics and notions will be provided. Acquire ticket at staff desk on the day of the program. Ideal for ages 12-18.

**Teen Time: Intention Bracelets**
Monday, April 29, 4-5 p.m. @ Schlessman Family
Design an intention bracelet. Then, Jen Pastalo Dacpano, owner of Art-Craft, will teach you an easy way to ground yourself and how to charge your bracelets with intentions. Ideal for ages 12-18.

**Paint a Fortnite Llama**
Monday, April 29, 5:30-6:30 p.m. @ Valdez-Perry
The amazing artist Erica Reyna will guide us as we paint a Fortnite Llama and drink hot chocolate.

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**Botanical Spa Treats**
Thursday, April 27, 2-3:30 p.m. @ Green Valley Ranch
Learn how to utilize common herbs and items we may have in our kitchen and bathroom to create fresh facial masks and botanical facial steams.

**Paleo 101**
Saturday, April 27, 2-3:30 p.m. @ Bear Valley
Explore the science behind the Paleo diet why what’s old is new again. Empower your health along the way!

**Understanding Anger**
Saturday, April 27, 2:30-4:30 p.m. @ Park Hill
While many of us may not identify as angry people, anger is a natural emotion that tends to manifest itself in unproductive ways—if we let it. Learn to identify your own reactions and use techniques to react productively in this workshop with facilitators from The Conflict Center.

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Arrive early. Space is limited.

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