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**Public** 

Library

Did you know...

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#### **Library Hours**

Monday 9-7

Tuesday 9-7

Wednesday 9-7

Thursday 9-7

Friday 9-5

Saturday 9-2

**Sunday closed** 

#### **Bookmobile Schedule**

#### Tuesdays

Sunshine Playhouse 9:00 -10:00 Deer Run Estates 10:15 -11:15

#### **Thursdays**

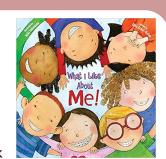
Colonial Apartments 2:30-3:30

## STAY SAFE & HEALTHY!

- Wash Your Hands Often
- Avoid Close Contact
- Wear a Mask
- Cover Coughs& Sneezes
- Clean & Disinfect
- Monitor Your Health
- Stay Home if You Are Sick

# Outdoor StoryWalk What I Like About Me!

Read a book and enjoy the Wisconsin fall weather by visiting the library's new Outdoor StoryWalk this month. We invite you to wander through the library's patio areas and read the delightful book



"What I Like About Me" by Allia Zobel-Nolan. This fun loving book shows kids that, in a world where fitting in is the norm, being different is what makes us all special. At the end of the book, we will have a craft available to do on the patio, in the library or to take home with you. Come and celebrate what you like about you! The StoryWalk opens September 8.

### **Sunflower Craft Day**

Stop by the library Saturday, September 26 from 10:00 am to noon for Sunflower Craft Day. We will have a couple of different sunflower crafts that you can make at the library, or take with you to do at home. All supplies are provided and all ages are welcome to attend.



## September Book Discussion The Dinner List by Rebecca Serle

At one point or another, we've all been asked to name five people, living or dead, with whom we'd like to have dinner. Why do we choose the people we do? And what if that dinner was actually to happen? These are the questions Rebecca Serle contends with in her utterly captivating novel *The Dinner List.* This novel has delightful magical realism and life-changing



romance. When Sabrina arrives at her 30th birthday dinner she finds at the table not just her best friend, but also three significant people from her past, and well, Audrey Hepburn. As the appetizers are served, wine poured, and dinner table conversation begins, it becomes clear that there's a reason these six people have been gathered together. Delicious, but never indulgent, sweet with just the right amount of bitter, *The Dinner List* is a romance for our times. We will discuss this novel twice this month, **Monday, September 28 at 5:30 pm** and **Wednesday, September 30 at 1:30 pm.** Due to COVID 19 the discussion may take place virtually rather than in person. Watch our website and Facebook page for more

information. You can always participate on our online book club blog at

kplbookclub.blogspot.com.



### **Library Card Sign-up Month**

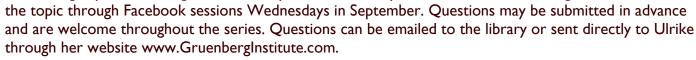
This September, we are joining with the American Library Association and Wonder Woman for Library Card Sign-up Month. Library Card Sign-up Month's Honorary Chair, Wonder Woman, is embarking on a new mission to champion the power of a library card. A founding member of the Justice League, Wonder Woman is known for strength,

compassion and truth. Armed with the Lasso of Truth, Wonder Woman makes a perfect ambassador to support the value of learning and the role libraries play in transforming lives and strengthening communities through education. This month is a great time to get a library card if you don't have one, and explore the resources, programming activities and materials that are available free of charge - both in the library and online. Stop in the library or on the bookmobile with a valid ID and proof of your current address and we can get you set up with a library card absolutely free! Libraries Are Wonderful!

## **Recovery is Real! 4-Part Series**

Join Kilbourn Public Library and Ulrike Gruenberg in a lively online discussion about the meaning of recovery, whole-person recovery, and learn about different pathways to recovery, hope and resources. When we think of recovery, we often think of addiction recovery first, and then perhaps mental health recovery. Some of us go as far as to say we are all in recovery from something. Ulrike believes that too. Something takes a hold on us, a mental health challenge, a relationship, parenting, our own expectations and perfectionism, an addiction issue, even our need to control things. Throughout the month in this 4-part series we will be exploring what lies in the heart of recovery and why it can be life-changing.

"Recovery helped me get closer to myself and thereby get closer to life". Ulrike Gruenberg, a person in long term recovery, Life & Recovery Coach, will be introducing





## **Happy Retirement Karl**

The staff and trustees of the Kilbourn Public Library would like to take this opportunity to offer their congratulations to our custodian extraordinaire Karl Griffin on his retirement. Karl is a longtime employee of the City of Wisconsin Dells and a valued member of the library staff. Karl has taken such good care of the library building and grounds. Karl's talents and willingness to help with any project will be missed.

He and his wife Donna will be enjoying life and exploring other (warmer) parts of the country in their RV. We wish them a long and happy retirement. If you wish to send Karl a card, please drop it off at the library and we will forward it to him.

Happy Trails Karl!

#### **Closed for Labor Day**

The Kilbourn Public Library will be closed on Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

Stay safe & healthy.

