

Library Live

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National Craft Month

March is National Craft Month, and MCPLS has a plethora of resources to suit all of your crafty needs!

We have over 1,000 craft books in our collection, both in print and available on hoopla digital!

Read on for more info about our online craft resources, or check out mcpls.org/DIY



Join **Creativebug** to learn everything from watercolor painting to crochet to how to make hand and body salve! There is even a new STEAM series for kids where they can learn how to make things like crystal yetis or animatronic owls!

Creativebug offers an all-access, no-boundaries pass to explore 1000+ craft classes. People of all skill levels can work alongside instructors to learn craft techniques, FREE with your library card! New videos are added every day.

You can also find crafts and projects for kids on **Scholastic Teachables!**

They have printables for pre-K through 8th grade, including cut and paste crafts, project instructions, and even free coloring pages. Each downloads as a PDF for easy printing!

Visit
mcpls.org/education
to get started



Marion County
Public Library System

www.mcpls.org

March New Releases

Find more new releases, complete with links, at www.mcpls.org/new

DVDs

12 Hour Shift
68 Whiskey
All My Life
American Anthem
Ammonite
Another Round
A Call to Spy
The Croods: A New Age
The Craft (1996)
Cut Throat City
Fatale
Foster Boy
Host
The Informer
Iron Mask
The Last Shift
Locked Down
Outcry
Predator 2 (2002)
Proxima
Rent-A-Pal
She Dies Tomorrow
The Undoing
The Very Excellent Mr. Dundee
Zappa

Series DVD

Billions Season 4
Criminal Minds Season 4
The Expanse Season 4
Into the Badlands Season 2-3
Last Man Standing Season 7
Legacies Season 1-2
Manifest Season 1-2
Mayans M.C. Season 1-2
Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers
Complete Series
Night Court Seasons 4-9
Star Trek: The Next Generation
Complete Series

Video Games

Nintendo Switch:
30 in 1 Game Collection
Little Nightmares II
Overcooked
Overcooked 2
Super Mario 3D World

PS4:
Call of Duty Black Ops Cold War
Call of Duty Ghosts
Hitman III
Rayman Legends
Werewolf

XBOX One:
Cyberpunk 2077

Bestsellers

The Affair by Danielle Steel
The Bounty by Janet Evanovich
Dark Sky by CJ Box
Double Jeopardy by Stuart Woods
The Eagle and the Viper
by Loren D. Estleman
Eternal by Lisa Scottoline
Fast Ice by Clive Cussler
Later by Stephen King
Meant to Be by Jude Deveraux
No Way Out by Fern Michaels
The Red Book by James Patterson
Win by Harlan Coban

Inspirational

A Perfect Amish Romance
by Shelley Shepard Gray
Braced for Love by Mary Connealy
Destined for You by Tracie Peterson
Dreams Rekindled by Amanda Cabot
Endless Mercy by Tracie Peterson
Nightfall by Nancy Mehl
Patchwork Past by Leslie Gould
The Robin's Greeting
by Wanda E. Brunstetter

Misc. Fiction

The Captive by Fiona King Foster
The Children's Blizzard
by Melanie Benjamin
The Children's Train by Viola Ardone
City of a Thousand Gates
by Rebecca Sacks
Dear Miss Kopp by Amy Stewart
Fairhaven Rising by L.E. Modesitt
Highland Treasure by Lynsay Sands
Hot to Trot by M.C. Beaton
How to Fail at Flirting
by Denise Williams
Into the Light by David Weber
The Kitchen Front by Jennifer Ryan
Light of the Jedi by Charles Soule
Margaret Truman's Murder
on the Metro
No Heaven for Good Boys
by Keisha Bush
Out of Hounds by Rita Mae Brown
A Stranger in Town
by Kelley Armstrong
That Old Country Music by Kevin Barry
The White Tiger by Aravind Adiga

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The Affair by Danielle Steel
The Bounty by Janet Evanovich
Dark Sky by CJ Box
Double Jeopardy by Stuart Woods
Fast Ice by Clive Cussler
The Keepsake Sisters by Lori Wilde
Later by Stephen King
The Red Book by James Patterson
The Russian Cage by Charlaine Harris
Triple Chocolate Cheesecake Murder
by Joanne Fluke
The Unwilling by John Hart
Win by Harlan Coban

Large Print

The Affair by Danielle Steel
Blink of an Eye by Iris Johansen
Calder Brand by Janet Dailey
Colors of Truth by Tamera Alexander
Dark Sky by CJ Box
Destined for You by Tracie Peterson
Eternal by Lisa Scottoline
Fast Ice by Clive Cussler
The Four Winds by Kristin Hannah
A Lady's Guide to Mischief and Murder
by Dianne Freeman
Murder in the Storybook Cottage
by Ellery Adams
A Picture of Love by Beth Wiseman
The Red Book by James Patterson
Remember Me: A Spanish Civil War
Novel by Mario Escobar
Sunflower Sisters by Martha Hall Kelly
The Vineyard at Painted Moon
by Susan Mallery
Win by Harlan Coban

Non-Fiction

American Serial Killers
by Peter Vronsky
Ancient Remedies by Josh Axe
Animal, Vegetable, Junk
by Mark Bittman
Becoming by Michelle Obama
Bravey: Chasing Dreams, Befriending
Pain, and Other Big Ideas
by Alexi Pappas
Chatter by Ethan Kross
Get What's Yours for Health Care
by Philip Moeller
How to Avoid a Climate Disaster
by Bill Gates
Modern Warrior by Pete Hegseth
The Pegan Diet by Mark Hyman
Saving Freedom by Joe Scarborough
Single on Purpose by John Kim
Think Again by Adam Grant
Unfinished by Priyanka Chopra Jonas
Walking with Ghosts by Gabriel Byrne

Children

Amelia Bedelia Steps Out
by Herman Parish
BOX: Henry Brown Mails Himself to
Freedom
by Carole Boston Weatherford
Caring (Berenstain Bears)
by Mike Berenstain
Cars, Signs, and Porcupines
by Ethan Long
The Cat Man of Alepoo by Irene Latham
Eyes that Kiss in the Corners
by Joanna Ho
Mei Fell by Corey R. Tabor
Milo Imagines the World
by Matt de la Pena
The Spring Book by Todd Parr
Stella's Stellar Hair by Yesenia Moises
We Are Water Protectors
by Carole Lindstrom
Weird Animals by Tedd Arnold

Graphic Novels

Beastars 5 by Paru Itagaki
Dramacon by Svetlana Chmakova
False Knees: An Illustrated Guide to Animal Behavior (MGN)
by Joshua Barkman
I Hope This Helps: Comics and Cures for 21st Century Panic (MGN)
by Tommy Siegel
Super Mario: Manga Mania
by Yukio Sawada
I Survived the Nazi Invasion, 1944
(*I Survived Graphic Novel #3*)
by Lauren Tarshis
The Promised Neverland by Kaiu Shirai

Readalongs

Dog Diaries: Curse of the Mystery Mutt
Eyes That Kiss in the Corners
by Joanna Ho
Lola at the Library by Anna McQuinn
Middle School Master of Disguise
by Chris Tebbetts
What's Inside This Box
by Drew Daywait

Young Adult

Chains of Iron by Cassandra Clare
The Crossroads at Midnight
by Abby Howard
Everything That Burns by Gita Trelesa
Game Changer by Neal Shusterman
Happily Ever After by Elise Bryant
It Only Happens in the Movies
by Holly Bourne
One of the Good Ones
by Maida Moulite
Rogue Planet by Cullen Bun
This is My Brain in Love
by I.W. Gregorio
This is not the Jess Show
by Anna Carey
This Will Be Funny Someday
by Kate Henry
The Project by Courtney Summers

Juvenile Fiction

All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team
by Christina Soontornvat
Dragon Fury (The Unwants Quests #7) by Lisa McMann
Eva at the Beach: A Branches Book (Owl Diaries #14)
by Rebecca Elliott
Fighting Words by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
The Lion of Mars by Jennifer L. Holm
Show Me a Sign by Ann Clare Lezotte
Stick Dog Takes Out Sushi
by Tom Watson
The Vanished by Nic Stone
We Dream of Space
by Erin Entrada Kelly
When You Trap a Tiger by Tae Keller

Big Digital Changes!

Hoopla and RBDigital are making changes! Learn more about what's up!

In the past MCPLS bought access to Hoopla Digital's collection, but we couldn't add titles that weren't included. Now with **Hoopla Flex**, we will be able to purchase popular titles to add.

Like WVDeli, you may need to place a hold. Also similar to WVDeli, you can have up to 10 Hoopla Flex items at a time. They don't count toward your regular Hoopla checkouts. You can tell Flex titles because of this logo on the cover.

RBDigital has also merged with Overdrive, the company behind our popular WVDeli Service. RBDigital Services are moving over to the WVDeli platform at the website and via the Libby App (or the Overdrive App for Kindle Users). Audiobooks and magazines at RBDigital have been added into our WVDeli collection.

The online music lessons from ArtistWorks will also move over, but a specific date has not yet been announced.

We'll share more information as it is announced!

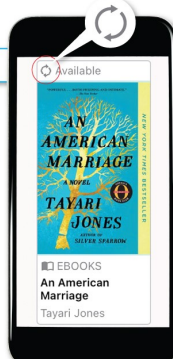
HOW TO **hoopla**: Two great ways to borrow from our Library's hoopla Collection!

#1

NEW!

hoopla Flex


- Borrow the latest eBooks and Audiobooks
- Return one Flex title to get another Flex Borrow
- Check out a Flex title marked "Available" or Place on Hold if it's currently checked out



#2

hoopla Instant

- Instantly borrow any title marked as Instant
- eBooks, Audiobooks, Comics, Movies, Music, and Television



hoopladigital.com

Available on the App Store | GET IT ON Google Play | Roku | Amazon | Chromecast | Amazon Alexa

March Events

Most events will be held virtually, due to COVID-19

March 1: Winter Hours End!

Events for All Ages: Fairmont Friends of the Library Book Sale

The Book Cave is Open! The Friends of the Marion County Public Library (Fairmont) will be taking walk-ins to browse the book sale room.

The book sale room is open Tuesdays and Saturdays, 10 am—2 pm on a first come first serve basis.

Only 2 visitors will be allowed into the book sale room at a time, due to the size of the room.

Fairview Book Sale

The Fairview Public Library will offer a bi-monthly book sale. The Book Sale is open from 9:30-12:30 on Saturday, March 13 and Saturday, March 27.

During COVID restrictions, the sale room is limited to 2 patrons at a time with a 15 minute time limit. Masks are required at all times. Prices are \$0.50 per item. Please plan to stop by!

Mannington Book Sale

Friends Book Sale is REOPENING!!! New and exciting books are waiting for you! Donations will be received while we are closed, please call the library before you come with donations; 304-986-2803. Thank you.

Book Sale Dates:

Friday, March 19, 26, April 2: 9 am -1pm

Saturday, March 20, 27, April 3: 9 am -1pm

Mannington Friends Meeting

If you are interested in what the Friends are planning or volunteering for the Friends Book Sale, please plan to join the discussion March 8, 2021 at 6:00 pm.

Events for Kids:

Facebook Live Story Time & Story Time Craft Club

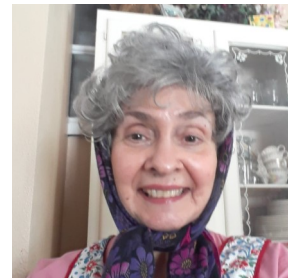
Facebook Live Story Time (10:30 am) and the Story Time Craft Club (11 am) are back!

March themes include Pets Galore, Dr. Seuss Day, and St. Patrick's Day! We'll also have two special guests this month: Strega Nona and Casey Conaway from On Eagle's Wings Therapeutic Horsemanship.

Facebook Live Story Time requires no prior registration, but please sign up for the Story Time Craft Club by visiting www.mcpls.org/events

Facebook Live Story Time with Strega Nona!

On Tuesday, March 23 (10:30 am) Mr. Cox will have a special ZOOM session with the magical Strega Nona! Strega Nona from the classic Tommy DePaola books will be on Facebook Live with Mr. Cox after he shares her popular first book.



Strega Nona means 'Grandma Witch' in Italian. Strega Nona has magical remedies to cure headaches, to help ladies find husbands and how to get rid of warts. Her most prized possession is her magical pasta pot.

Join us on Facebook Live for this special Story Hour Event. Kids can ask Strega Nona questions as she tells of her adventures.

Bunny Tales with Casey



Join MCPLS on Tuesday, March 30 (10:30 am) for a special virtual holiday story time with our special guest, Casey Conaway, event coordinator for On Eagle's Wings Therapeutic Horsemanship.

Casey will be joined by her furry bunny friends for a virtual story time morning of stories and crafts with Mr. Cox and Ms. Julie.

Kids' Crafts Make & Takes

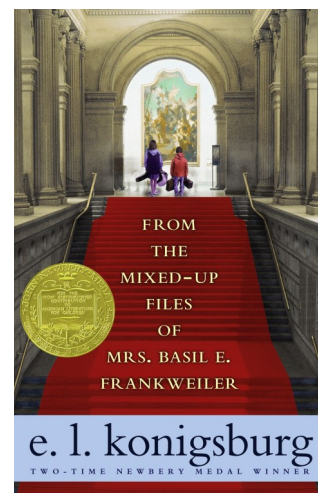
Kids! Stop by the Fairview Public Library anytime in April during regular business hours and check out items to receive a free take and make craft kit.

Events for T(w)eens: The Book Pack

The Book Pack is a book club for tweens at the Mannington Public Library, recommended for ages 10-13.

Pick up a copy of *From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E.L. Konigsburg and register to join us March 16 at 1:30 to discuss the book and share a book related activity.

Participants must register and agree to the library's Covid-19 guidelines. Register at www.mcpls.org/events



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Events for Teens & Adults:

Just Craftin' Around

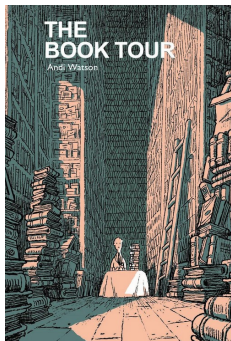
Thursday, March 25
Two sessions: 4 pm or 5:15 pm

Join our very creative branch manager, Julie Mike, at the Fairview Public Library for the new monthly Just Craftin' Around class designed for Teens and Adults. This month the class will create Decoupage Clothespin Magnets that will look great on your refrigerator or school locker. Materials will be provided.



Space is strictly limited, so please sign up early. Masks will be required at all times and social distancing guidelines will be observed. Register at mcpls.org/events

Graphic Novel Book Club



Join us Tuesday, March 9 at 7 pm for our online discussion of Andi Watson's *The Book Tour*.

"During a tour promoting his recent novel, G. H. Fretwell ends up looped into a string of disappearances. The longer his tour becomes, the more his circumstances become dire and outright Kafkaesque." This title is available on Hoopla

This virtual event will use Webex, a user-friendly conferencing platform. Participants must register by noon on February 9th with an active email address. Registered participants will receive an emailed invitation link to the virtual meeting. Register at mcpls.org/events

Beginning Hand Sewing: Pocket Tissue Holder

Join us Tuesday, March 16 (4:30 pm) to Join us on Zoom to use the skills we learned last month to make a pocket tissue holder! Participants need to provide a valid email to which the meeting invitation will be sent just prior to the Zoom event.



You will need a button, an embroidery or tapestry needle (This is a bit different from a standard sewing needle), sewing pins, and scissors. You will also need to pick up a kit with your felt and embroidery thread from your selected library beginning on March 8th.

Register at www.mcpls.org/events

Tabletop Game Group

Missing our Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group? Not to fear, WNG is happening virtually!

Please contact Dan Ward at dward@mcpls.org for more information on how to join the fun! WNG meets every Wednesday at 5 pm to play games like Dominant Species, Sagrada, and Terraforming Mars.

March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31: 5 pm

Beyond the Book Presents Tattoo: The Most Ancient Form of Art



Did you know that archaeological evidence of body art goes as far back as 3351 - 3017 BCE? Owner/Artist Rocco Cunningham and Artist Ashley Flowers of Pike Street Studios Tattoo and Body Piercing will be our presenters on Monday, March 29 at 7 pm during this fascinating tour of the history, art, cultural significance, and industry of tattoos.

Register at mcpls.org/events

Please note that this program is associated with Beyond the Book Club's discussion of *The Tattooist of Auschwitz* by Heather Morris. If you would like to attend the book club discussion meeting, details are available in the March 22 event listing.

Events for Adults:

Artible (Online)

Join Ms. Julie for this beginning acrylic painting class for adults. This month's selection will be March Winds, on Tuesday, March 9 at 5 pm.



Register today for this virtual event, then pick up your canvas at your closest library. For a supplies list and to sign up, visit www.mcpls.org/events

Crafty Creations with Carol



Easter Bonnet Contest (Adults Only)

Register to join Carol March 22, at 5 pm. Carol will provide the supplies needed and you can bring your own embellishments to create an Easter bonnet. We'll ask our patrons to vote on their favorite and you could win a PRIZE!

Participants must register and agree to the library's Covid-19 guidelines. Sign up at www.mcpls.org/events

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Adult Craft: Buffalo Checked Wood Sign

Join us on Zoom to make a wooden sign! Participants need to provide a valid email to which the meeting invitation will be sent just prior to the Zoom event.

Registrants also need to indicate which Marion County branch that they wish to pick-up supplies from. Kits will be available at your branch beginning on Monday March 15.

You will need painters tape, 3 different shades of the same color of acrylic paint (Light, medium and dark shade) and white paint. For example, you may choose, white, light gray, medium gray, and a dark gray or black. Other Materials, including the wooden sign will be provided.

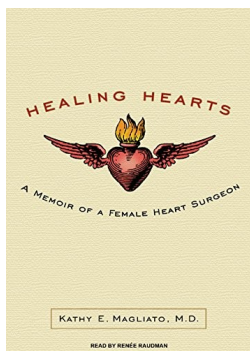
Sign up at www.mcpls.org/events

Cover2Cover Book Club

Pick up a copy of *Healing Hearts: a Memoir of a Female Heart Surgeon* by Kathy Magliato, M.D. and register to join us March 18 at 1:30 to discuss the book. Participants must register and agree to the library's Covid-19 guidelines.

"Dr. Kathy Magliato is one of the few female heart surgeons practicing in the world today. She is also a member of an even more exclusive group—those surgeons specially trained to perform heart transplants. *Healing Hearts* is the story of the making of a surgeon who is also a wife and mother. Dr. Magliato takes us into her highly demanding, physically intense, male-dominated world and shows us how she masterfully works to save patients' lives every day.

In her memoir, we come to know many of those patients whose lives Dr. Magliato has touched: a baby born with a hole in her heart, a ninety-four-year-old woman with a lethal tear in her aorta, and a thirty-five-year-old movie producer who saves her own life by recognizing the symptoms of a heart attack. Along the way, Dr. Magliato sheds light on the too often unrecognized symptoms of a heart attack and cardiovascular disease—the number one killer of women in America—and the specific measures that

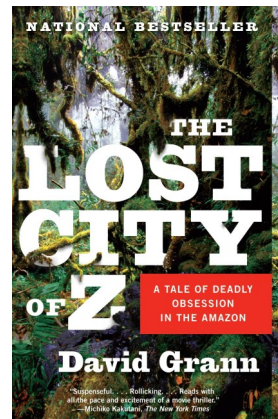


can be taken to prevent it."

Speaking of Books

Join us Tuesday, March 2nd, in person at the Fairview Public Library, or by phone or computer, as we discuss *The Lost City of Z* by David Grann! Sign up at mcpls.org/events

"Interweaves the story of British explorer Percy Fawcett, who vanished during a 1925 expedition into the Amazon to find an ancient civilization, with the author's own adventure-filled quest into the uncharted wilderness to uncover the mysteries surrounding Fawcett's final journey and the secrets of what really lies deep in the Amazon jungle." -Novelist



Borrow and Win

HEY ADULTS!! Stop by the Fairview Public Library for your chance to win a gift card to Amazon, Muriale's Italian Kitchen, Sheetz, Long John Silvers, and many more.

When you borrow items from the Fairview Public Library this month, you will receive a raffle ticket that will be entered into the monthly prize drawing for a gift card. The more often you stop by this month, the more chances you can win. Drawings will take place on the last day of the month. One raffle ticket per person per day.

Coming in March: Little Rembrandts

Are you 8 to 12 years old? Do you like to paint or would you like to try? Then register to join Ms. Julie on WebEx to create a painting showing a kid your age dancing in the rain. Once registered, you can pick up the necessary supplies at your local library starting Saturday, March 27. You will need to supply a small round paint brush and paint in whatever colors you choose. Sign up at mcpls.org/events

Speaking of Books

Join us Tuesday, April 6, in person at the Fairview Public Library, or by phone or computer, as we discuss *Storming Heaven* by Denise Giardina! Sign up at mcpls.org/events

Graphic Novel Book Club

Join us Tuesday, April 6 on Web-Ex as we discuss *Everyone's A Aliebn When Ur A Aliebn Too* by Jomny Sun! Sign up at mcpls.org/events

Special Story Time Guests

We'll have two special guest story times in April: Join us to meet animals from the Oglebay Zoo (Tuesday, April 13)



Events by Date

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March 1: Winter Hours End!

March 1-31: Take and Make for Kids at the Fairview Public Library

March 1-31: Borrow and Win (for Adults) at the Fairview Public Library

March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Fairmont Friends Book Sale (10 am—2 pm)

March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Facebook Live Story Time (10:30 am)

March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Story Time Craft Club (11 am, FB Live)

March 2: Speaking of Books: Fairview (4 pm, In person and virtual)

The Lost City of Z by David Grann

March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31: Tabletop Game Group (5 pm). Virtual, contact Dan Ward at Dward@mcpls.org or 304-366-1210, extension 128 for details

March 6: Little Rembrandts: Happy Bunny (12 pm, WebEx)

March 6, 13, 20, 27: Fairmont Friends Book Sale (10 am—2 pm)

March 9: Artible: March Winds (5 pm, WebEx)

March 9: Graphic Novel Book Club (7 pm, WebEx) *The Book Tour*

March 13: Fairview Friends Book Sale (9:30 am—12:30 pm, Fairview PL)

March 16: The Book Pack 'Tween Book Club: *From the Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E.L. Konigsburg (1:30 pm, Mannington)

March 16: Beginning Hand Sewing: Pocket Tissue Holder (Zoom)

March 18: Cover2Cover Book Club (1:30 pm, in person at the Mannington PL) *Healing Hearts: a memoir of a female heart surgeon* by Kathy Magliato

March 19, 26: Mannington Friends Book Sale (9:00 am—1:00 pm, Mannington PL)

March 20, 27: Mannington Friends Book Sale (9:00 am—1:00 pm, Mannington PL)

March 22: Crafty Creations with Carol (5 pm, in person at the Mannington PL)

March 22: Beyond the Book: *The Tattooist of Auschwitz*

by Heather Morris (7 pm, WebEx)

March 23: Facebook Live Story Time Special Event: Meet Strega Nona! (FB, 10:30 am)

March 23: Adult Craft Class: Minimalistic Buffalo Check Wooden Signs (4:30 pm, Zoom)

March 25: Just Craftin' Around: Decoupage Clothespin Magnets (4 pm, Fairview)

March 25: Just Craftin' Around: Decoupage Clothespin Magnets (5:15 pm, Fairview)

March 27: Fairview Friends Book Sale (9:30 am—12:30 pm, Fairview PL)

March 29: Beyond the Book Presents: Tattoo: The Most Ancient Form of Art (7 pm, WebEx)

March 30: Facebook Live Story Time Special Event: Bunny Tales with Casey (10:30 am)

April 3: Little Rembrandts: Singing in the Rain-bow (12 pm, WebEx)

April 6: Speaking of Books: Fairview (4 pm, In person and virtual) *Storming Heaven* by Denise Giardina

April 6: Graphic Novel Book Club (7 pm, WebEx) *Everyone's A Liebn When Ur A Liebn Too* by Jomny Sun

April 13: SKYWARN Storm Spotter Training National Weather Service (5 pm, WebEx)

Check out our online calendar to register for events and get the most up-to-date information!

Follow the QR code, or visit: mcpls.org/events

