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Spread the Joy



On April 8th individuals on Miami University Regionals campuses had the rare opportunity to see a total solar eclipse. The joy and amazement for those witnessing the event together is one that will surely be treasured forever. But joy on campus does not end with one eclipse, we recognize the impact that we can have on each other every day in the library through interactions with staff, students, faculty, and the greater Middletown community. One method that spreads joy and support is through the messages students leave for each other on our library whiteboards. So, as we head into the final weeks of the semester, we remind each other that we can do anything we put our minds to and offer these Spring 2024 messages of support.

Spring 2024 Middmester Newsletter

Spring Hours:

Mon—Thu 8am-7pm Fri 8am-5pm Sat—Sun Closed



Tharithe human heart Which Shatters over and Over and Still lives. Rupi Kour

- 0 But in the end, It is only a passing thing, this shadow. Even darkness must pass. A New day will come. And when the sun shines it will Shine out the clearer - Samwige Gam

Hollywood in Ohio

Have you seen our display of movies that were filmed in the SW Ohio region, from Cincinnati to Middletown?



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Join Gardner-Harvey Library for our final Spring Events

April 17, 2024 - Underground Academy: There is no AWAY!

Throwing that away is not a real thing. Join our Underground Academy as Janelle Allen, a visiting faculty member in Biological Sciences, helps us learn how there truly is no way to dispose of things and stuff. Join us in the SPACE (room 014) and on Zoom at **4 PM** for this undercover story of composition, decomposition, and nutrient acquisition. Discover how we can be better stewards of our stuff to impact our human health and well-being.

April 24, 2024 - Discussion of Aldo Leopold's "The Land Ethic"

"When we see land as a community to which we belong, we may begin to use it with love and respect." What is the relationship between people and the land? What responsibility, if any, do people have to their communities? How can we "use" the land with love and respect? Join us for discussion from **12 -1 PM** in the TEC SPACE or on Zoom.

April 30, 2024 - National Park Talk: Crown Point State Historic Site/ Fort St. Fredric

Tammie L. Gerke, teaching professor in Geology at Miami University, will share the geology, archeology, history, and other interesting information as we trek across the United States. Talks will include visits to the southwest, upstate New York, and the Midwest as we look at the new Ohio UNESCO sites. Get your questions answered and participate in a lively discussion on these national treasures on Zoom and in the SPACE (room 014) at 4:30 PM.

April 30, 2024 - DEI Book Club - "Skin Colored Pointes: Interviews with Women of Color in Ballet"

Join representatives from Miami Regionals Libraries and the Center of Diversity, Equality, and Inclusion in an exploration of literature that embraces diversity in a variety of subject matters. **Meeting in JHN 100 face-to-face, and via Zoom at noon!**

May 8, 2024 - TEC Lab: May the 4th Be With You!

We know the calendar says it's the eighth, but we're celebrating this "Star Wars"- themed holiday by crafting items that are out of this world. Join us in the TEC Lab (room 125) from **2-4 PM.**

May 14, 2024 - Animals You Know of But Not About: Echinodermata

Al Cady, professor of Biological Sciences at Miami University Regionals, will take us on a journey through the inner workings of common but largely unknown animals. Join us in the SPACE (room 014) at **4 PM**.

All of our events are free and registration is not required. You may find more information on all of our events and links to join them on our <u>Events Calendar</u> page.

Finishing the Semester—Research and Citation Assistance

Working on a research paper or project and need some help finding quality resources? Are you unsure how to cite the sources you do have? The library can help! Schedule a research consultation with one of our librarians and get assistance with building search terms, evaluating online sources, citing articles, books, and websites, and so much more! Go to https://www.mid.miamioh.edu/library/researchconsultations.htm to make an appointment. You can also check out our citation guides for some quick reference help: <u>APA, MLA, AMA</u>

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