

Walker Library

Programs & Events

Fall/Winter 2015-16



Job Search Assistance-Thursdays, 2-4 p.m.

Are you seeking new employment or re-entering the workforce? Do you need help looking for a job, filling out applications or writing your résumé? Stop in for free one-to-one assistance with a job search representative. *Presented in partnership with Goodwill/Easter Seals.*

Uptown Chess Club—Mondays, 5:30- 7:30pm

Adult chess players of all abilities, from complete beginners to the more advanced who might mentor the less experienced, are welcome, in addition to walk-ins and first-timers. Learn or continue to play the "Game of Kings." Materials provided.

Scrabble- Wednesdays, 1- 4pm

Play Scrabble! Players may bring their own Scrabble board. The latest board and recently published official Scrabble dictionary will be available. *Presented in collaboration with Osher Lifelong Learning Institute.*

Adult Book Club- Monday, Jan. 11, & Mar. 14, 6:30- 7:30 pm

Join our discussion of new and interesting fiction titles. Bring along your recommendations for future meetings.

Monday, Jan. 11, 6:30- 7:30 p.m. *The marriage of opposites: a novel* / Alice Hoffman

Monday, March 14, 6:30-7:30 p.m. *How to be both: a novel* /Ali smith

Literary Fiction Book Club- Tuesday, Jan. 19 & Feb. 16, 1:30- 3:30pm

Learning Institute volunteer will lead the discussion. *Presented in collaboration with Osher Lifelong Learning Institute*

What we're Reading:

Jan. 19-- *Small Ceremonies*/Carol Shields

Feb. 16—*Atonement*/Ian McEwan

Adult Non Fiction Book Club-Wednesday, Jan. 13, & Feb. 10 6:30pm- 7:30pm

Join our discussion of new and interesting nonfiction titles. Bring along your recommendations for future meetings. **What we're Reading:**

Jan. 13 – *World without us*/ Alan Weisman

Feb. 10--*Cinderella ate my daughter: dispatches from the front lines of the new girlie-girl culture*/Peggy Orenstein

Baby Storytime- Fridays, Jan. 8- 29, 9:30am

For children from birth to 24 months and their parent or caregiver. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in a format designed especially for babies. Share books, stories, rhymes, music and movement.

Family Storytime- Fridays, Jan. 8- 29, 10:30am

For children of all ages and their parent or caregiver. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in a format appropriate for young children. Share books, stories, rhymes, music and movement.

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Global Folk: West African Drum and Dance- Saturday, Jan. 16, 2- 3pm

Experience the rhythms and culture of West Africa through the infectious energy of Duniya Drum and Dance! *This project is funded with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.*

Act Out for Adults: Be Heard! - Wednesday, Jan. 27, 6- 7:30pm

Do you want to be heard? To be more easily understood? Learn tips, exercises and practical applications from an experienced Guthrie teaching artist on how to speak with a more motivating, inspiring and commanding voice. No experience necessary! *This project is funded with money from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund. Presented in collaboration with Guthrie Theater.*

LEGO® Lab-Saturday, February 13, 9- 12pm

Calling all future engineers and architects! We've got the bricks, but we need you to bring your imagination. No experience necessary.