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# LIBRARY NEWS

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Kling Memorial Library | April 2017

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## Jerry Barlow Returns

The Kling Memorial Library is pleased to once again welcome Celtic fingerstyle guitarist Jerry Barlow in concert. The event will be held on Thursday, April 6th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Library. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Kling Memorial Library and is free to the community. Light refreshments will be served following the program.

Barlow is a unique and skillful musician and storyteller. He will be performing traditional pieces as well as his own Celtic-inspired compositions. Barlow's latest CD, *Voyage of Hope*, was released in early September. It features songs about the Irish immigration to America in the mid-1800s. Music from all of Barlow's recordings can be heard regularly on National Public Radio stations. Please join us for this evening of story and song at the public library!

## National Library Week April 9th –15th

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April. It is a time to celebrate the contributions of our nation's libraries and librarians and to promote library use and support. All types of libraries - school, public, academic and special - participate.

April 10th: State of America's Libraries Report is released

April 11th: National Library Workers Day

The Friends of Kling Memorial Library will be providing coffee and cookies in the library throughout the week.

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### LIBRARY HOURS

Monday	10am — 5pm
Tuesday	10am — 7pm
Wednesday	10am — 5pm
Thursday	10am — 7pm
Friday	10am — 5 pm
Saturday	10am — 12pm

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Friends of the Kling Memorial Library



## Friends of KML Spring Used Book

The Friends of Kling Memorial Library's annual Spring Used Book Sale will be **April 20-22 during regular library hours**, with an Early Bird Sale for 2016 Friends Members Wednesday, April 19th from 5-7PM. There will be gently used books, DVDs, & puzzles available for purchase.

The Friends will also be holding their annual membership drive during the sale. Sign-up forms will be available at the Circulation Desk. A Family Membership is \$10 and the Extended Membership for the Summer Reading Program is \$25.

*"The sun was warm but the wind was chill. You know how it is with an April day." — Robert Frost*

## Adult Programs

### **Kaffee Klatch** —

Will meet on Monday, April 3rd at 10:00 AM.

Come & join us for this informal book club. We drink coffee and share what books we've read the past month. It's a great way to get recommendations for new authors or books to read since everyone is reading different things.

### **Black Out Poetry** —

We're celebrating National Poetry Month at the library with Black Out Poetry! Supplies will be available at the library & you will be able to display your poems in the library. National Poetry Month, which takes place each April, is a celebration of poetry introduced in 1966 & organized by the Academy of American Poets as a way to increase awareness & appreciation of poetry in the U.S.

### **(Un)Perfectly Pinterest** —

Pinterest has ideas galore! Once a month we'll try our hand at recreating a Pinterest project at the library. April 27th we'll be making **Bath Bombs**! Registration is required plus \$10.00 for the cost of materials. Sign up at the Library. And if you have a Pinterest project you would like to try, bring your suggestion to the Circulation Desk!

## Kids Corner

Weekly Preschool Story Time, Friday mornings at 10:30. This month's themes are:

Apr 7: Library Week

Apr 14: Hoppity Hop

Apr 21: Earth Day


Apr 28: Frogs

K.A.T. is on early out Wednesdays from 1:30-3PM for kids in grades K-5th

Apr 12: Scavenger Hunt

Apr 26: Readers Theater

# April 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Kaffee Klatch 10AM			Jerry Barlow Concert 7:00PM	Story Time 10:30AM	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Start of National Library Week	National Library Workers Day	KAT 1:30-3PM		Story Time 10:30AM	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
			Friends of the Library Early Bird Sale 5-7PM	Friends of the Library Book Sale KML Board Meeting 4:30PM	Story Time 10:30AM Friends of the Library Book Sale	Friends of the Library Book Sale
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			KAT 1:30-3PM	(Un)Perfectly Pinterest 2PM & 6:15PM	Story Time 10:30AM	
30	1	2	3	4	5	6

# THANK YOU

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FOR YOUR GIFTS!

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In March the Library accepted gifts from the following donors:

Arlyne Buchanan

Cindy Haefner

Pat Hauser

Marilyn Hawn

Kay Graham

Cheryl Souhrada

CJ Thompson

Ellie Yoder

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*Your gifts and donations are greatly appreciated and enjoyed by many in the community.*

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