

Learning Resource Center Newsletter

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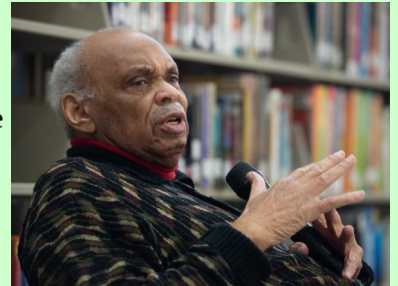
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Reginald Petty in the LRC

We celebrated Black History Month in the Learning Resource Center with legendary East St. Louis historian Reginald Petty. Mr. Petty was here for a presentation during February to discuss his experience as a civil Rights leader in East St. Louis. Turnout was impressive, though we had no doubt Mr. Petty would bring in a large crowd!



Unfortunately, the second presentation Mr. Petty was scheduled to give on his Peace Corp experience in Africa was delayed due to inclement weather. **However, his event has been rescheduled for Tuesday, March 12 at 1:00 p.m.** Please mark your calendars and join us for this slightly delayed but still sure to be informative presentation by Mr. Reginald Petty!



Contact the LRC for additional information: 618-874-8719

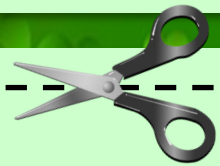


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COUPONING



LUNCH & LEARN



On Friday, March 1st, the LRC hosted a popular Lunch and Learn presentation on couponing. Kadie Carr joined us, offering many helpful money-saving tips and tricks for not only couponing in general, but also shopping, budgeting, saving, and her many lucrative side-hustles! It was a fun, delicious, and informative way to spend a lunch hour. Keep an eye on our future events for other exciting Lunch and Learn presentations!

Financial Literacy in Three Parts

The Learning Resource Center has hosted two of three of this three-part financial literacy Lunch and Learn presentation series. Each class has been well-attended! As these finance-centric presentations have proven to be very popular, we will invite Carrollton Bank back again in the future for another series focusing on your financial planning and well-being. Stay tuned for more details on these future events!

The final class will be on March 5 from 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. Please RSVP to secure your spot (and your lunch!)

Part 1: Banking and Budgeting

Tuesday, Feb. 19, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Part 2: Saving for an Emergency

Tuesday, Feb. 26, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Part 3: Credit and Credit Score

Tuesday, March 5, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.



Did you know the Learning Resource Center has story time every Thursday with the Discovery Headstart Center?

Did you know that, after Headstart's story time, the LRC also holds an additional story time open to the public?

Children five and under are welcome. Please bring your toddlers, spread the word to other parents, and get the word out!

Midday Movies for Women's History Month



The Learning Resource Center will be hosting two Women's History Month themed Midday Movies, one on Wednesday, March 6th and the other on Wednesday, March 20th, both starting at noon.

Due to copyright compliance, you will need to contact us for details on which movies are being shown.

Call, e-mail, or visit the LRC to find out more!

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March 8th

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Hamburger Skillet Dinner
Banana Berry Squash Smoothie

March 15th

Making Smart Breakfast Choices
Making Smart Choices When Eating Out

Oatmeal Pancakes with Skillet Fruit
Veggie Chow Mein

March 22nd

Fix It Safe
My Plate

Smothered Chicken
Vegetable Quesadillas

March 29th

Choosing More Fruits & Vegetables
Children

Cucumber Dill Yogurt Dip with Veggies
South of the Border Roll Ups

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National Scribble Day

Wednesday, March 27 is National Scribble Day! Activities will be provided in the LRC today for adults and children! Stop by and join in the fun!

What is Scribble Day? International Scribble Day is based off the book "I'm Not just a Scribble..." by Diane Alber. This book not only has a great moral about kindness and acceptance but also encourages children to create art regardless of their artistic ability! After all, "Great art starts with a Scribble!"



Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!

NEA's Read Across America is an annual reading motivation and awareness program that calls for every child in every community to celebrate reading on March 2, the birthday of beloved children's author Dr. Seuss.

In conjunction with National Read Across America week, the LRC and the Headstart Discovery Center celebrated a week of Dr. Seuss from February 25 – March 2 with a different theme each day.



February Recap

Caring Enough to Self-Care: Thursday, February 7, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

The LRC was joined once again by Stephanie Seaton, Clinical Manager for Hoyleton Youth and Family Services. She conducted a Lunch and Learn presentation on understanding stress and self-care.

Make and Take Valentines Day Card Class: Wednesday, February 13, 12:20-1:30 p.m.

Our Library Director, Rebecca Harper, hosted an informal card making session for anyone interested to make a hand-made card for their Valentine.

Red Cross Babysitters Training: Monday, February 18, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

The Learning Resource Center hosted six future babysitters, ages 11-15, in this all-day, informative training designed to teach the knowledge and skills necessary to become a safe and responsible babysitter.

Black History Month Movies: Wednesdays, February 6 and February 20, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

The Learning Resource Center hosted two Black History Month themed Midday Movies. Comfy seats, popcorn, and in some cases, lively commentary were provided! :)

All activities are FREE!

Need to reserve a space? Call: (618) 874-8719 or e-mail: siue.esl.library@gmail.com



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<p>18</p> <p>St. Patrick's Day was yesterday! Did you celebrate?</p>	<p>19</p> <p>TECH TUESDAYS Join us for Tech Tuesdays. Bring your questions about basic computer usage, word processing, or electronic gadget usage to the library. We will be available to help you with any tech questions you may have from 10 am. - 2 p.m.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Financial Empowerment 1-on-1 Schedule an appointment today!</p> <p>Women's History Month Midday Movie, 12-2 p.m. Contact the LRC for details.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>It's Story Time You can now follow the LRC on Instagram @siue_esl_lrc</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Cooking Class Smart Breakfast Choices, Smart Choices When Eating Out 12 - 2 p.m. Please RSVP (618)874-8719</p>
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