

## Winter Reading Challenge 2022



How's your Winter Reading Challenge going? There's still plenty of time to sign up and achieve the reading goal.

*Read for a Better World* encourages readers of all ages to explore diversity, empathy, and action through literature.

Read the required amount of books/minutes to claim a free book and prize.

Reading challenges are available for Adults (books), Ages 0-5 (books) and Ages 6-17 (choose books or minutes).

Register and log reading using the Beanstack app or from the website <https://riversideregionallibrary.beanstack.org/reader365>. Also check for registration information at your local branch.



All Riverside Regional Library branches will be closed

Monday, February 21

## Access your library account through the Missouri Evergreen app

Don't remember when your book is due and can't find the checkout receipt? Heard about a book you'd like to read and want to see if Riverside Regional Library has it? Want to request and place a hold on a book that Riverside doesn't have?

With the Missouri Evergreen app, you can check due dates and renew books. Use the app to search for, place and check the status



of holds on books in Riverside's collection as well as from the 100 other libraries which are part of the Missouri Evergreen consortium.

Download the Evergreen app from your app store. Links are available on our website. Use your library card and PIN number to access your account.

Please note that some functions may not work if there are fines on your account. Your account must not have expired, which occurs automatically once a year. Contact the library if you have issues or need a PIN number.

## Digital Resources – Homework Help

It's Sunday and your middle schooler tells you he/she has a paper due on Monday. You help your child search the internet for information but aren't sure if you can trust the sources you're finding or the reading level is too difficult for your child. What do you do?

The Riverside Regional Library provides access to multiple information sources that can help with a variety of school and homework projects. Access the databases via our website at <https://riversideregionallibrary.org/homework-help/>. Use your library card number to log in.

The Explora databases offer age appropriate magazines, non-fiction books, images and graphics in a wide variety of topics. The interface is easy to use with a simple search giving quick results including topic overviews (a great starting point for research), primary source documents and videos.



Science Reference Center contains full text entries from science encyclopedias, reference books, periodicals and other sources on a wide range of science, environmental and health topics.



There's always something new at the Library!! See our website and online calendar for the most current information on What's Happening at the Library!! [www.riversideregionallibrary.org](http://www.riversideregionallibrary.org)



## Branch Programs

### Oran

- Tech Talk – Mondays at 2 pm (except Feb. 21)
- Homework Club – Mondays at 3 pm (except Feb. 21)
- Valentine Craft Hour– February 10 at 4 pm
- Family Movie Day – February 12 at 10 am
- Toddler Hour – February 24 at 2 pm

### Scott City

- Drawing for box of candy – all month
- Library Lover’s Month display – all month

### Altenburg

- Craft kit – all month
- Greeting Card Make and Take - February 5, 9:30 -11:30 am

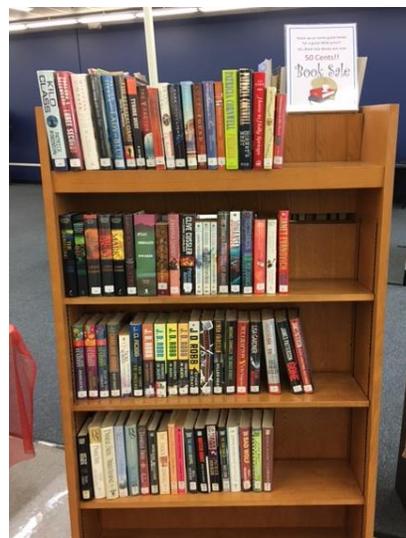
### Perryville

- Book Club – February 9 at 6 pm
- Book Club – February 14 at 2 pm

Each Riverside library branch has its own displays, contests and activities. Be sure to stop by and see what’s happening at your local library.

## Book Sale

Book and DVD sales continue at several branches. The Main Branch also has Blu-Ray movies and MP3 audiobooks for sale.



It’s back! In-person book club

**Riverside Book Clubs**

**CHOOSE YOUR CLUB MEETING**

In-Person Book Club Monday, February 14 at 7pm Main Branch, Jackson	Virtual Book Club Monday, February 28 at 7 pm meets via Zoom
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contact Eunice at [eschlichting@rrlmo.org](mailto:eschlichting@rrlmo.org) to join

## Recognition of Staff Anniversary

Tiffany, Oran branch manager, was recently recognized for her 10 years of service to Riverside Regional Library patrons.



## Library Lover's Month

February is Library Lover's Months and February 14 is Library Lover's Day. Celebrate with one of these ideas.

- Tell your library what they mean to you.
- Post photos of a visit to the library on social media and include the book or movie you're reading or just checked out.
- Attend a program offered by or at the library. (Remember Riverside's past virtual programs are always available on our YouTube channel.)
- Post on social media your favorite quote from or about books, libraries or librarians.

