JUNE VIRTUAL ADULT EVENTS

BUILD YOUR OWN FAIRY GARDEN!, JUNE 1 @ 3:00 PM
Assemble your own fairy garden with tiny 3-D printed furniture from our Spark Space! A video component will provide step-by-step instruction on assembling a whimsical wonderland, and patrons will be able to pick up furniture packs to help any magical visitors feel at home. A great summer project for anyone looking to get in touch with their inner child, or for parents and kids to do together! Note: fairy furniture will be small and may pose a choking hazard to young children. Visit www.youtube.com/spartanburglibraries.

ASR KICKOFF: A NIGHT WITH BRYAN WASHINGTON, JUNE 3 @ 7:00 PM
It’s official: it’s summertime! And what better way to celebrate than with an author event? SCPL is thrilled to host bestselling author Bryan Washington on June 3rd. Bryan will discuss his writing process, his bestselling novel “Memorial,” and the importance of reflecting the communities profiled in his writing, especially Houston and the LGBTQ+ community. To sign up, visit www.spartanburglibraries.org.

GENEALOGY SERIES: MILITARY RECORDS, JUNE 7 @ 7:00 PM
Learn how to locate pre-1959 military records online and through the National Archives or other military repositories. Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. Visit www.spartanburglibraries.org for meeting link.

SOCRATES CAFE ONLINE, JUNE 15 @ 6:00 PM
Socrates famously said “the unexamined life is not worth living.” It’s not about finding answers; it’s about asking questions to help each of us explore the meaning of our lives. Meet with Dr. Christine Dinkins, Wofford Socrates scholar, and others to discuss things that matter to us. Free and open to the public. Email wescirc@infodepot.org for Zoom link.

CHAUTAUQUA: AMERICA’S SWEET CANDY HISTORY (VIRTUAL LECTURE), JUNE 8 @ 7:00 PM
Dive into the history of America’s favorite candies with historian Leslie Goddard. We’ll explore the companies and brands that have become American icons. Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., is a historian and author who has been researching candy history for more than 15 years. She is the author of Chicago’s Sweet Candy History and works full-time as a public speaker, writer, and historian. Please register in advance for this virtual meeting by visiting www.spartanburglibraries.org.

TRENDING TOPICS: THE WOMAN IN THE WINDOW, JUNE 14 @ 2:00 PM
Join us as we discuss the book The Woman in the Window, which was also recently released on Netflix. Copies of the book are available at SCPL. Email wdfcirc@infodepot.org for the Zoom link.

CHAUTAUQUA: CHALLENGER: SOARING WITH CHRISTA MCAULIFFE, JUNE 15 @ 7:00 PM
Thirty-five years ago, the space shuttle Challenger exploded just over a minute after lift-off, killing all seven crew members, including New Hampshire schoolteacher Christa McAuliffe. CHALLENGER: Soaring With Christa McAuliffe™ pays homage to the United States’ Teacher in Space program and the crew of the NASA space shuttle. This performance has been approved by the McAuliffe and Corrigan families. Please register in advance for this meeting by visiting www.spartanburglibraries.org.

NON-FICTION NARRATIVES: GREECE AND ROME, JUNE 21 @ 5:30 PM
A book talk focusing on Greek and Roman history and mythology. Visit youtube.com/spartanburglibraries.

VIRTUAL BOARD GAMES: SUSHI GO!, JUNE 22 @ 6:00 PM
Are you a foodie? Do you enjoy competitive board games? Join us for an hour as we learn to play Sushi Go! on Board Game Arena. Email Catie at catiet@infodepot.org for the Zoom link and instructions. This program is limited to the first five players, so grab your spot quickly! Bonus points if you eat real sushi while playing this game.

OLD SOUTHERN COOKERY, JUNE 29 @ 7:00 PM
First published almost two hundred years ago, Mary Randolph’s bestselling work, The Virginia Housewife, is credited with being “the first authentically American cookbook,” providing fascinating insight into southern culture and traditions. In Old Southern Cookery, Sue and Christopher Hendricks explore Randolph’s contributions to culinary history and adapt many of her recipes for the modern cook. Please register in advance for this virtual meeting by visiting www.spartanburglibraries.org.

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