

# ADULT EVENT CALENDAR

Winter/Spring 2025



## Winter Reading Program: Hot Reads for Cold Nights

Read or listen to any three books for prizes and a chance to win the grand prize—a \$50 gift card to Barnes & Noble! To play, pick up a reading record from any of our five locations. **Runs January 21 - March 1.**

## January



### Dry January: Mocktails

Make and taste your own mocktails at this workshop with The Bronze Dragon. Registration opens December 16. **R**

Holmen Library | January 9 | 6 p.m.



### Jigsaw Puzzle Battle

Participants will race to see whose group can finish a 300-piece puzzle the fastest. Registration opens December 16. **R**

West Salem Library | January 11 | 10 a.m.



### Winter Birding

Local birder Michael Huffman is back with tips on birdwatching in the winter months.

Onalaska Library | January 29 | 10 a.m.



### National Hot Chocolate Day

Celebrate with a hot chocolate bar with all the fixings! All ages welcome; while supplies last.

Holmen Library | January 31 | Drop in 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.



*Registration required or recommended.*

## February



### Charcuterie Make + Take

Learn to create your own charcuterie board with Hunt + Gather Grazing Boards! Registration opens January 15. **R**

Holmen Library | February 5 | 6 p.m.



### Women Who Dared

Learn about the protests, jailings, victories, and defeats of women and men who championed the cause of women's suffrage.

West Salem Library | February 10 | 10 a.m.



### Cheesecake & Canvas

Art class for ages 16+. Instruction & all supplies provided. Cost is \$15 per person (cash/check). Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Registration opens January 15. **R**

West Salem Library | February 13 | 6:30 p.m.



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## Recurring Programs



### ABLE Reads Book Club

For adults with intellectual disabilities.

Onalaska Library | Wednesdays from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.



### Free Movies on the Big Screen

Select locations; check website for dates, times, and titles.



### Game Day

Bring your favorite game (optional) and join us for this casual get together.

Bangor Library | Second Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m.



### Senior Moments

Learning and entertainment for older adults. Funded by the Ben & Floyde Sias Foundation.

Onalaska Library | Select Wednesdays at 10 a.m.

February 12 - May 21; see website for program lineup.

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### Chair Yoga

Certified yoga instructor Jamie Pedretti will lead each session offering modifications so every participant feels supported. Registration is recommended and begins February 10. **R**

Onalaska Library | March 3, March 10, & March 17 | 10:30 a.m.



### When the Bugle Calls: A Soldier's Memoir

Raymond Boland will share an extraordinary first-person account of American history. A book signing will follow this event. Registration is recommended and begins February 10. **R**

Onalaska Library | March 4 | 10 a.m.



### Enduring Families Project

Discover the previously unknown history of African Americans who lived in our region in the mid-19th to the early-20th century.

Holmen Library | March 12 | 1 p.m.



### Farm Tales

Join local storyteller Daryl Wermedal as he shares tales and memories of growing up down on the farm. Registration is recommended and begins March 3. **R**

Onalaska Library | March 20 | 10 a.m.



### Jigsaw Puzzle Battle

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Holmen Library | March 29 | 10 a.m.

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## April



### Vietnam: Then & Now

Tân Pham, a Vietnamese native, will share his personal experience of war during his childhood and the Tet Offensive.

West Salem Library | April 1 | 11 a.m.



### Taste of Vietnam: How to Make Spring Rolls

Immerse yourself into Vietnamese culture and make spring rolls with Tân Pham. Registration is required and opens March 17. **R**

West Salem Library | April 8 | 11 a.m.



### National Library Week

Celebrate National Library Week with us! See our website for details.

All locations | April 7-12



### Author Talk: Peggy Joque Williams

Author Peggy Joque Williams will discuss her historical fiction novel, *Courting the Sun*. Sponsored by the Friends of the Onalaska Library.

Onalaska Library | April 10 | 10 a.m.



### Author Talk: Matt Goldman

Meet Emmy winning and *New York Times* bestselling author, Matt Goldman. Sponsored by the Friends of the Onalaska Library.

Onalaska Library | April 23 | 6 p.m.

### Events Website

Scan the QR code to visit our Events website for program details and registration.

