

SEPTEMBER 2019



**MERRILL
MEMORIAL
LIBRARY**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 CLOSED for Labor Day Holiday	3 Techspresso, 2 pm	4	5 Tales and Tunes, 10:30 am	6 Baby Bounces and Books, & Tales for Twos, 10:15 am & 11 am Table Top Role Playing Games, 2:45 pm Tail Waggin' Tales, 3:45 pm	7 Saturdays Begin, 10am to 5 pm
8	9	10 Techspresso, 2 pm	11 Merrill Film Society presents, <i>The Arrangement</i> , 7 pm	12 Tales and Tunes, 10:30 am Artist Reception for Louisa Wickard, 5:30 pm	13 Baby Bounces and Books, & Tales for Twos, 10:15 am & 11 am Table Top Role Playing Games, 2:45 pm Tail Waggin' Tales, 3:45 pm	14
15	16	17 Techspresso, 2 pm Senator Cathy Breen, 5 pm	18	19 Tales and Tunes, 10:30 am	20 Baby Bounces and Books, & Tales for Twos, 10:15 am & 11 am Table Top Role Playing Games, 2:45 pm Tail Waggin' Tales, 3:45 pm	21
22	23	24 Techspresso, 2 pm Got Science, 3:45 pm Writer's at Merrill present Susan Conley, 6pm	25 Spooky S.T.E.A.M., 3:30 pm Merrill Film Society presents, <i>Avalon</i> , 7 pm	26 Tales and Tunes, 10:30 am Minecraft, 3:45 pm Readers Circle, <i>One Hundred Years of Solitude</i> , 7 pm	27 Baby Bounces and Books, & Tales for Twos, 10:15 am & 11 am Table Top Role Playing Games, 2:45 pm Tail Waggin' Tales, 3:45 pm	28
29	30 Monday Matinee, <i>POMS</i> , 1 pm					

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Sept 11, 7 pm, Merrill Film Society presents, *The Arrangement*.
- Sept 12, 5:30 pm, Artist Reception for Louisa Wickard.
- Sept 17, 5 pm, Senator Cathy Breen.
- Sept 24, 3:45 pm, Got Science? Registration required for grades 3 thru 8.
- Sept 24, 6 pm, Writer's at Merrill present author Susan Conley.
- Sept 25, 3:45 pm, Spooky S.T.E.A.M. Registration required, for grades pre-k thru 2nd grade
- Sept 25, 7 pm, Merrill Film Society presents, *Avalon*.
- Sept 26, 3:45 pm, Minecraft for Kids. Registration required, for grades 5 and up.
- Sept 26, 7 pm, Readers Circle, *One Hundred Years of Solitude* by Gabriel Garcia Marquez.
- Sept 31, 1 pm, Monday Matinee, *POMS*.



We are Open Saturdays
beginning September 7th
10 am to 5 pm

Ongoing Programs

- Art Exhibit: Louisa Wickard, oil on canvas and birch panel.
- Techspresso: Tuesdays, 2 pm. Drop in tech help.
- Tales and Tunes: story hour for 3 to 5 year olds. Drop in, all welcome. Thursdays, 10:30 am.
- Baby Bounces and Books: story hour for birth through 24 months. Drop in, all are welcome. Fridays, 10:15 am.
- Tales for Twos: story hour for two year olds. Drop in, all are welcome. Fridays, 11 am
- Tail Waggin' Tales: Read to our registered Therapy Dogs. Registration required for beginner readers. Fridays, 3:45 pm.

MOVIES AT MERRILL

All Movies are Free and Open to the Public!

Merrill Film Society

The People's Choice: films chosen and discussions led by regular MFS attendees.

September 11, 7 pm:

***The Arrangement* (1969)**

By the time Elia Kazan made a movie out of his own novel, *The Arrangement*, his career was on the decline, though his previous film from six years earlier, *America America*, had garnered award nominations. In *The Arrangement* he returns to the subject of a Greek-American, like himself, this time in the character of Eddie, a successful advertising executive (Kirk Douglas). Juggling a passionless marriage to his wife (Deborah Kerr), a mistress (Faye Dunaway), and a dying father (Richard Boone), Eddie has a nervous breakdown.

126 minutes

September 25, 7 pm:

***Avalon* (1990)**

Nominated for multiple awards, *Avalon* follows an immigrant family across generations in Baltimore in the first half of the 20th century. Written and directed by Barry Levinson, himself the son of Russian Jewish immigrants, this is the third of his semi-autobiographical "Baltimore films", following *Diner* and *Tin Men*.

128 minutes

Monday Matinee

September 30, 1 pm:

***POMS* (2019)**

POMS is an uplifting comedy about Martha (Diane Keaton), a woman who moves into a retirement community and starts a cheerleading squad with her fellow residents, Sheryl (Jacki Weaver), Olive (Pam Grier) and Alice (Rhea Perlman), proving that it's never too late to follow your dreams.

PG-13, 150 minutes