



Columbia Heights Public Library

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TO: Renee Dougherty, Library Director
FROM: Cortni O'Brien, Adult Services Librarian
SUBJECT: Adult Services – April Operational Report
DATE: April 30, 2021

I. Adult Programs and Displays

- a. The April take and make craft kit for adults was a Brush Lettering Kit. Thirty kits were distributed.
- b. “Take Your Photography from Good to Great” was presented via Zoom by Jay Grammond, a professional photographer from Elk River, on April 14. Twelve adults attended the workshop.
- c. “Beginning Bird Identification” was presented by local bird expert Amber Burnette via Zoom on April 20. Twelve adults attended.
- d. The adult book club met via Zoom on April 21. Five adults discussed “The Handmaid’s Tale” by Margaret Atwood.
- e. In support of the Mayors Monarch Pledge, a “Planting for Pollinators” class was presented via Zoom by Adam Flett of the Mississippi Watershed Management Organization on April 27. Fourteen adults attended the workshop.
- f. The Resilience Book Club met via Zoom on April 28. Six adults discussed “Man’s Search for Meaning” by Viktor Frankl.
- g. Adult book displays included “Financial Literacy,” “Planting for Pollinators,” and new books.
- h. The Centennial Celebration glass display case this month highlighted the 1990s and was created by the Friends of the Library.

II. Meetings/Outreach

- a. City Centennial Committee, 4/7/21
- b. Delynn Mulligan program planning mtg, 4/13/21
- c. Amada Marquez Simula (community ed) and Delynn Mulligan (recreation), and 15 other community members interested in supporting senior services in Columbia Heights met via Zoom for the first “Senior Services Consortium,” 4/20/21

III. Projects

- a. First senior consortium meeting planning, invitations, and RSVP
- b. Summer library newsletter/City newsletter compilation
- c. Summer program planning
- d. Take and make craft supplies ordered
- e. Office and ILS supplies ordered

IV. Other

- a. Four At-Home-Deliveries were made, following safe, curbside procedures.